

NATIONAL ISSF DISCIPLINE CHAMPIONSHIPS

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

1. Any shooter who wishes to compete in the "2020 ISSF Nationals" must be a registered member of the ACTA for the financial year 2020, or a bonified International competitor..
2. Every registered ACTA competitor must provide their current record card, they must also provide their previous record card if requested by the Tournament Handicapper. Bonified International competitors will be graded "AA".
3. In the event of any ACTA competitor not being able to produce their record card, a duplicate shall be issued for the duration of the National Championships. This card will then be forwarded to the Tournament Handicapper to ensure their scores are recorded correctly.**Note:** A fee of \$20 will be charged for the issue of any duplicate record card and no prizes issued until .
4. The Tournament shall be conducted in accordance with the ISSF Official Statutes, Rules and Regulations (ISSF Rules) and where applicable, ACTA Shooting Rules (grading, teams etc). Targets to be shot in brackets of 25 for ISSF Trap and Skeet with squads of 6 shooters where possible.
5. Entry is by Pre-Nominations only, to be received by close of business (Eastern Summer Time) Friday 3rd January 2020.
6. Shooters will be squadded as per the ISSF rules and any interpretation of this will be the responsibility of the Technical Director. Once squadding for an event has been completed, a shooter shall not be entitled to a refund if they withdraw. Refunds will only be issued if withdrawals are notified in writing 48 hours prior to the event to accounts@claytarget.com.au refunds will be processed within 30 days of completion of the event and will incur an administration fee.
7. Each competitor must take enough cartridges to complete the applicable round.
8. Shooters who fail to appear in time for their squad will be penalised by the **LOSS OF THREE TARGETS.**
9. All competitors must sign the score sheet after each round prior to leaving the tracks. Once a competitor has signed the score sheet, the score is accepted. Any score sheet not signed by a competitor will be credited as per the score sheet.
10. Any competitor may be called upon to referee and/or score throughout the competition. All persons designated to referee/score must fulfil their obligation to do so or obtain the service of a suitable replacement to take their place at the required time. In the event that the designated person or their replacement does not fulfil their obligation the original person designated to fill the specific role will **INCUR A PENALTY AS PRESCRIBED UNDER ISSF RULES.**
11. Setting and adjusting of traps is the sole responsibility of Shoot Management. All shooters, coaches and team officials are explicitly prohibited from entering the trap pits or trap houses after the jury has examined and approved the trap settings.
12. The setting of targets will be conducted under the control of the Tournaments Technical Director prior to the start of the events each day. No further adjustments will be made to traps without authorization from the Technical Director.
13. All appeals must be in writing together with a \$20 deposit and lodged with the Tournament Director. The \$20 is refundable if the appeal is upheld by the appointed jury.
14. When team selection is involved, shooters are eligible for section nominated. To be eligible for selection in any team, competitors must have competed in both Commonwealth and National Championships.
15. High Gun recognition, competitors must have competed in both programmed events for each respective High Gun. Gold Australia High Gun badges are only awarded when there are 20 or more competitors combined in each discipline.
16. Junior competitors are eligible for OA or their grade where applicable. Veteran competitors are eligible for OA or their grade where applicable.
17. Pre-nominations will only be accepted online on the form provided at www.claytarget.com.au
18. The ISSF Rules will be used to determine the OA placing in all events. ACTA rules will be used to determine grade placing where applicable.
19. Juniors must be under the age of 21 in the year of competition. Veterans to be over the age of 55 prior to January 1st 2020.
20. Any interpretation of the program and conditions of entry will be the responsibility of attending members of the Executive Committee whose decision shall be final.
21. The standard of dress required for all competitors is that defined in the ACTA Clothing Rules.
22. **All competitors must comply with the Firearms Licensing Laws of the State where the National Championships are being conducted. (When held in W.A a shooter must obtain a permit to bring a firearm into that state).**
23. Free junior nominations are open to any junior who has not competed in a national event of any discipline & only by pre-nomination. Claim for this concession must be made at the time of nomination and will not be refunded retrospectively.
24. The sport of Clay Target Shooting is an outdoor sport with some risk, the ACTA through its rules minimises that risk. Competitors indemnify the ACTA in respect of all actions, claims, proceedings, losses, costs, expenses and damages which the competitor may suffer from participating.