

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY – 2024 ISSF TRAP & SKEET CHAMPIONSHIPS

- 1 All entrants must present their current shooting licence/permit to the events office before the commencement of competition, and collect their competitor bib. **Failure to do so will incur a penalty of one (1) target.**
- 2 **The National ISSF Championships will be conducted under ISSF shotgun shooting rules that govern International Competition. ACTA dress rules will apply.**
- 3 Any shooter seeking to compete in the “2024 ISSF Nationals” must be a registered competitor member of the ACTA for the financial year 2024, hold a current shooting licence/permit (all Junior Shooters must hold a valid Junior permit), or be a bonified International competitor holding Australian documents that allow the use of firearms for target shooting.
- 4 **Entry and pre-squadding is by pre-nomination only through MCMS (MyClubsMyScores).** Nominations to open on Monday 20th November 2023 and close at 5.00 pm Friday the 12th January 2024. Squadding will be published on MCMS Saturday the 13th January 2024.
- 5 Competitors who advise their withdrawal from an event prior to it commencing, will be eligible for a refund less a \$10 administration fee. **Competitors who withdraw after the commencement of an event will not be entitled to any refund for that event.**
- 6 MCMS will automatically grade all entrants, in the case of insufficient data for a competitor, they will be graded after their first four (4) rounds.
- 7 Squads of up to 6 competitors will shoot a total of 125 targets per event, in brackets of 25 targets, shot one visit to a trap each 25.
- 8 Each shooter is to take enough cartridges to shoot at 25 targets.
- 9 **If a shooter misses their squad they may be re-squadded, however that is not guaranteed and will incur a three (3) target penalty if they are re-squadded.**
- 10 All competitors are to check and sign the score sheet after each bracket. Any score sheet not signed by the shooter will be credited with the score as recorded.
- 11 All competitors will be required to referee/score during the period of competition. The persons designated to referee/score must fulfill their obligation to do so. **While replacement referees and scorers are permissible, if the replacement does not fulfil the obligation, the penalty of a loss of one (1) target for failing to officiate will be made against the officially designated person.** Failure to either referee or score **will incur a penalty of the loss of one (1) target** in that event.
- 12 No competitor may interfere with or attempt to interfere with the traps, any competitor doing so will be automatically disqualified.
- 13 All appeals must be lodged in writing with the appropriate Technical Delegate, together with the \$80 appeal fee. The Technical Delegate shall arrange a jury hearing and should the appeal be upheld, the fee will be returned. If the appeal is not upheld the ACTA will retain the fee.
- 14 Entrants in the men’s and women’s Championships are eligible to receive awards in the junior or veteran sections, as well as grades if applicable.
- 15 There must be a minimum of three competitors in sections or grades, for any prizes to be awarded, and a minimum of 5 entrants to constitute a sectional National Championship.
- 16 Sectional prizes will be awarded for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd, with 3rd place decided by count back, provided they meet clause 15.
- 17 Payment of the nomination only entitles the shooter to enter the event. Changes to the program including the number of targets shot will not entitle competitors to a refund.
- 18 Squadding details will be available on MCMS. It is the shooters responsibility to monitor for changes.
- 19 The setting of targets will be under the direction of the Technical Delegates prior to the start of the events each day. No further adjustment will be made without the authorization of the appropriate Technical Delegate.
- 20 A junior who has not previously competed at any National Championship in any discipline shall be entitled to shoot for the cost of the admin fee of \$10 per event paid at the time of entry.
- 21 The ACTA reserves the right to alter any conditions of the competition should it become necessary. Any interpretation of the program and conditions of entry will be the responsibility of attending Directors from the ACTA Board, their decision shall be final.