





# Somerset Small Bore Shooting Association

## Airgun Summer & Winter Leagues

### Conditions of the Shoot

#### **Eligibility:-**

Open to shooters who are affiliated to the NSRA either directly or through a club to which they belong at the time of entry. NSRA competition rules and regulations apply unless otherwise stated.

#### **Format:-**

An individual competition with competitors arranged into divisions according to their average. 10 rounds on competitors home range. Clubs to mark cards and forward results to the county stats officer.

#### **Equipment:-**

All league competitions: 0.177 air/gas, pistol/rifle. In addition, for 20yard pistol, 0.22 calibre air/gas pistol may also be used. All airguns to conform to NSRA regulations. Multi-shot airguns must only fire one shot per one operation of the trigger and are to be brought to a stand/bench between each deliberate shot.

#### **Shooting Periods:-**

Summer:- June to October; Winter:- December to April

#### **Targets:-**

10m - Pistol: Air 4/89 or 10m Rifle: Air 3/89

20yard - Pistol: PL15 or PL15/09. PL14 or PL14/06 centres may also be used.

#### **Course of fire:-**

All divisions 20 shots per round.

1. 10m - five (5) shots on 4 competition targets per round.
2. 20yard - ten (10) shots on each of 2 competition targets per round.

#### **Scoring:-**

Inward scoring. Plug gauges to be used conforming to NSRA regulations; obtainable from the NSRA shop.

10m rifle targets - Air 3/89, use a 10m gauge; spindle etched: "A/R"

10m pistol targets - Air 4/89, use a 10m gauge; spindle etched: "AP10", (10MAP)

20yard targets - PL15 or PL15/09, alternatives PL14 or PL14/06 centres. The plug gauge spindle etched "PL14" must be used, whether the shot holes are 0.177(4.5mm) or 0.22(5.5mm) calibre.

Gauge reference see "The Rifleman Spring/Summer 2011 - Scoring the PL14".

#### **Submitted averages:-**

Shall be based on the best 5 of the last 6 of the competitor's most current SSBSA Individual League scores. Where this is not possible a club average may be submitted but an average will also be calculated on the first 3 rounds. The higher average will be used in the "most improved average" at the end of the competition and may also involve a divisional move.

#### **Divisions:-**

Divisions will consist of 6 to 10 shooters dependant on number of entries.

#### **Juniors:-**

The age limit for juniors is 18 on the last date of entries. If there are insufficient juniors to form a junior division they will be placed in adult divisions according to their averages. at no extra cost.

#### **Points awarded:-**

Points will be awarded at the end of each round - maximum points (for the highest score) to 1 (for the lowest score). Equal scores will attract equal points. Zero will be awarded for no cards returned. Maximum points will be equal to the number of competitors in the division. i.e. for 6 shooters - maximum points will be 6.

#### **Awards:-**

In each division, medals will be awarded to the top two highest points achievers and the most improved average (using the Macrae formula) providing 9 of 10 rounds have been completed.

The Somerset resident with the highest aggregate will be known as:-

10m:- Somerset Air Pistol/Rifle Summer/Winter Champion.

The Winter League champion will be awarded a Silver Medal, or a Replica if won before.

20yard:- Somerset Long Range Air Pistol Summer/Winter Champion.

Perpetual trophies must be returned to the organiser for engraving 2 months before the next awarding.