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To

All Affiliated District Rifle Association/Club/Unit/Members
All Managing Committee Members of GSRA

**Subject : 42nd Gujarat State Shotgun Shooting
Championship Competitions-2023**

IT HAS BEEN DECIDED TO HOLD 42nd GUJARAT STATE SHOTGUN SHOOTING CHAMPIONSHIP COMPETITIONS AT CROWNE SHOOTING & SPORTS ACADEMY, NEAR MEVADA FARM, PHOOLPARA-VALAD VILLAGE, GANDHINAGAR - 382355 FROM 23/04/2023 to 29/04/2023.

Those competitors, who want to participate in this competition, are requested to go through the following instructions carefully for their own convenience and to ensure smooth and successful conduct of the above competition.

- 1. Shooters, who are below 21 years as on the first day of the State Competition will be considered under the category of JUNIORS for the Championship. SHOOTERS BELOW THE AGE OF 12 YEARS ARE NOT ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS CHAMPIONSHIP.**
- 2. Those shooters, who have not received/ applied for their Shooter ID number, must immediately visit NRAI website www.thenrai.org to check status/ apply for their Shooter ID number.**



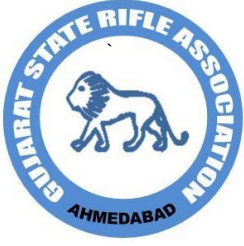
3. Entries will only be accepted through "NRAI's ONLINE SYSTEM" and no paper entry will be accepted. The Shooters are required to visit NRAI website www.thenrai.org to file their entries along with online payment of entry fee. The online entries with normal fee will be accepted from **22th March 2023** through **16th April 2023 till 06:00 PM**. Late entries with triple entry fee will be accepted till 5:00 PM on 18th April 2023.
4. In case any Shooter/Affiliated unit need any assistance for filing the entry, he/she must approach GSRA immediately but before **3.30 PM on 16th April 2023**, so that their entries are accepted with normal fee. Shooters may contact Mr. Nainesh Parmar in GSRA office on phone number **9879886079** during the working hours. Shooters may also send email on rifleclub@gmail.com
5. **All ISSF Matches of TRAP/Double TRAP/Skeet events shall be strictly as per ISSF Rule book only. (Full Course).**
6. **As per NRAI Match book Rules no 11.2.1 Persons above the age of 45 years and below the age of 60 years (45-60 years), on the first day of the State Competition can take part in Masters' category matches subject to achieving scores as per rule 1.4 and 17.6.**
7. ISSF Entry of eligible Shooters shall be accepted in the state championship. Shooters who are already ISSF Qualified shall take part in that particular event in ISSF category, and if they wish to submit another entry in a new event it will be accepted in NR category
8. Shooters Who Have Participated In District Championships Are Only Eligible To Take Part In State Championship.

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RULES OF THE 42nd GUJARAT STATE SHOTGUN SHOOTING CHAMPIONSHIP COMPETITION-2023

1. All participants have to follow the rules of NRAI matchbook, ISSF Rulebook and weapon/range safety rules during the competition.
2. Guns having bigger bore than 12 bore are not allowed. Single barrel, side by side or under-over barreled guns are allowed. Pump action or Automatic guns of any bore are not allowed.
3. Organizer will not provide arms to the competitors. Ammunition may be available on payment basis. Shooter can only use 12 bore ammunitions, as per ISSF rules.
4. Shooters will be allowed to use their own ammunition in competition/practice post getting their ammunition checked from Range-In-Charge. Ammunition for match and practice will be provided and shooters have to deposit their Weapon license (Original) if they want GSRA to issue Ammunition for competition. Empty fired shells and unfired live ammunition must be returned back to GSRA ammunition counter immediately after completion of the match without which the original weapon license will not be handed over to the license holder/Shooter.
5. Weapon sharing in competition is allowed between shooters in separate details. The application for the same shall be mail on rifleclub@gmail.com and they have to provide self-attested photocopy of weapon license all pages.
6. All responsibilities of weapon, ammunition and other accessories within the shooting range and in parking area will be of respective shooters.
7. Unboxed weapon should be kept in break/open and unloaded condition. After and before shooting, shooter has to keep their weapon back in the box.
8. Weapon mounting can be practiced only in the designated Dry Practice area.
9. Shooter should not bring any weapon that is un-safe to use in competition and holds a chance to injure any person on shooting range. If any injury is caused to any person on the shooting range due to such weapon, then the person using and the owner of that weapon will be responsible to reimburse the damaged/injury caused. The same shooter will be disqualified from the competition. Neither GSRA nor Hosting Academy or Organizers are not responsible for above.
10. Changing the GUN that is in working condition will not be allowed during match. In case if approved malfunction is caused, then the shooter is allowed to change the weapon after taking the permission of the range in-charge.
11. As per ISSF rules, after one shooter fires his/her shot, other shooter has to fire his/her shot within 12 seconds. After 12 seconds, 1 warning will be given for delay and 2nd time onwards, the clay will be considered Missed. One round of 25 clays shall be finished in maximum 25 minutes by 6 shooters.
12. As per ISSF rules, any camouflage clothing material whatsoever including pant, t-shirt, cap, jacket or any other accessory is not allowed. Multi pocket pants not allowed. Jeans not allowed. Corduroy material not allowed. Only track pant and t-shirts are allowed.



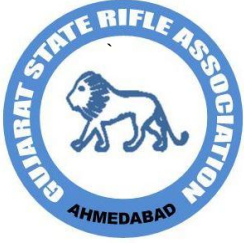
Open toe and open heel footwear including chappals, slippers & sandals is not allowed. Boots in which the ankle is not visible are not allowed. Any logo or branding more than 6cms in diameter is not allowed. Brand logo on any type of body wear should not exceed 60mm x 60mm size. Perfume or strong scents are not allowed. Half pant and T-shirt length should be as per ISSF rules. The leg of the shorts should not be more than 15cms above the center of the knee cap. The length of the sleeve should be more than 10cms from the shoulder drop.

13. Every shooter is bound to fire in the detail that is allotted to him/her.
14. Ear and eye protection is compulsory.
15. There will be a gap of minimum 1 round of 25/30 clays in between 2 round for each competitor.
16. Competitor shall have to be present before 1 hour of starting his/her event at the range and has to get their details endorsed on the competitor's card. After both the rounds are over, authorized person has to write the score of the shooter on their competitor's card with seal.
17. Any details for match amendment or information will be provided over WhatsApp or email / website or social media.
18. While shifting from station 1 to 5, shooter can keep ammunition in both chambers with gun in complete break/open condition. But while shifting from 5th station to 6th Station, both the chambers shall be empty before the shooter turns and vacates the station. After reaching to station no. 1, shooter can load ammunition in both the chamber with the condition of gun being in break open action. After warning the shooter for 1st time, 2nd time if the shooter does not follow the above instruction then the same will be disqualified from that particular round. If 3rd time the shooter does not follow above instruction then he/she will be disqualified from the competition.
19. No cell phones are allowed at the shooting station.
20. After firing the shot, if shooter has any doubt or objection regarding hit or lost during match, then shooter must inform the Range-In-Charge at the same time before next shooter fires his shot. The decision taken by the Range-In-Charge after discussion with side referee will be final. Range-In-Charge's decision will be final.
21. In case of No-Target, shooter has to break open his/her gun. A hit on No-Target is not counted and shooter must retake the shot.
22. Any incorrect information filled in the entry form by the competitor will render him/her liable to be debarred for 2 years for taking part in any competition. Respective Club will also be held responsible for the shooter's form for incomplete information. Non GSRA/ Club shooters must get their entry forms endorsed by their respective club / association. Forms without endorsement from respective club/association will not be accepted.
23. Medals will not be awarded to those who score less than MQS as mentioned in the category sheet.
24. Team entry fee for 3 shooters is Rs.1500/-. Individual Entry Fee as well as Team Entry fee is not inclusive of ammunition charges. The score of the all team members will be totaled



for the team result and no separate competition will be held for the team event. Team events will be conducted in accordance with rule of NRAI MATCH BOOK final entry of three members of the team must be submitted latest by 17:00 Hrs. on the previous day of the start of the competition.

25. In Junior category, coach can stand behind the Jury Area assuring to avoid disturbance to other shooters in the detail. If other shooters complain regarding the disturbance by coach, then the coach will not be allowed to stand on range.
26. While 20 clays of the ongoing detail are finished, the shooters of following detail should sit in the designated area with their ammunition, weapon in break open condition, water bottle and all required accessories.
27. Appeal / Protest fee is Rs.500/-, within 15 minutes of declaration of result on scoreboard.
28. Shooter has to keep competitor card with him / her during the match and may not be allowed without it.
29. Flash photography, smoking and spitting is prohibited in the campus.
30. Matches being conducted are especially to encourage new shooters as well as experienced shooters. Certain relaxations have been made in MQS, in certain categories; however there will be strict adherence to ISSF/NRAI/GSRA rules in matter concerning safety, discipline, conduct and general basic rules of the competition.
31. Application form without Declaration Form, Incomplete application form without club endorsement will be liable to be rejected.
32. A shooter below 21 years of age as on the first day of the State Competition will be considered to be junior. All shooters competing in JUNIOR category event must attach unattested copy of birth certificate with their competitor card without which their application is liable for rejection. Note: Junior (12 – 21 Years), Open 21 and above, age of 45 years and below the age of 60 years (45-60 years), on the first day of the State Competition can take part in Masters' category matches subject to achieving scores as per rule 1.4 and 17.6.
33. Junior shooters can also take part in the corresponding Open events. Masters' category shooters can also take part in Open category.
34. The Organizer reserves all rights to close any / all matches / events in case of emergency or otherwise, without assigning any reason for such an action on their part. The program of the competition is tentative and subject to change. The organizers have the rights to change / modify the program according to the prevailing conditions during the competition.
35. No Smoking & Tobacco are allowed at the shooting station.
36. Tie breaking :-As per rule 9.6 of NRAI match book, ties to decide the first 3 positions will be broken on the last series/count back basis only and no "shoot off" will be conducted.
37. Player Will not allowed to practice or play matches without competitor card in 42ns Gujarat State Shotgun Championship. For Printing the competitor card at venue a charge of Rs 100 Will be collected.



Schedule for the 42nd Gujarat State Shotgun Shooting Championship Competition-2023

at Crowne Shooting & Sports Academy, Near Mevada Farm, Phoolpara-Valad Village,
Gandhinagar – 382355 from 23/04/2023 to 29/04/2023.

Fee for (NR) Event Category is Rs.3000/- , Late Entry Fee is 9,000/-
Fee for (ISSF) Event Category is Rs.5000/- , Late Entry Fee is 15,000/-
Team Entry Fees Rs.1500/- Per Team

EVENT SCHEDULE

Date	Event
23 th April, 2023	PET Skeet & Match - 8:00AM to 11:00AM Match Start - 11:30AM
24 th April, 2023	PET Double Trap & Match- 8:00AM to 11:00AM Match Start - 11:30AM
25 th April, 2023	Double Trap Match - 08:00AM Onwards
26 th April, 2023	PET Trap - 08:00AM Onwards
27 th April, 2023	Trap Match - 08:00AM Onwards
28 th April, 2023	Trap Match - 08:00AM Onwards
29 th April, 2023	Trap Match - 08:00AM Onwards