



## **GALLERY RIFLE AND PISTOL 'SHOOTER OF THE YEAR' COMPETITION** **RULES**

### **General.**

- 1.1** The competition will be conducted annually from October to September with the award of medals in first, second and third place being made at the Club AGM. The competition will be integrated into the monthly gallery rifle and pistol shoot and use the appropriate gallery rifle format.
- 1.2** The competition is open to all ECSC members.
- 1.3** To register for and validate their entry for the competition ECSC members must compete in at least four of the twelve monthly gallery rifle and pistol shoots over the period of the competition.
- 1.4** All competitions are shot under the NASRPC / NRA UK Gallery Rifle and Pistol Rules.
  - 1.4.1** ECSC may amend the above rules to facilitate club shoots.
  - 1.4.2** Amended rules must be published in the 'Shooter of the Year' rules.
- 1.5.1** During a club shoot, if a competitor has had an equipment malfunction or a misunderstanding of the course of fire. The CRO may allow that shooter to take up where they have left off, after the line has been cleared and made safe.
- 1.5.2** During the 'Shooter of the Year' monthly shoots, once the competition starts if a competitor has any equipment malfunction or a misunderstanding of the course of fire there will be no extra time allowed.

### **Scores.**

- 2.1** The Score allocated by the Range CRO on the day is final and binding.
- 2.2** Scores from the monthly gallery rifle shoots will be the best four over the period of the competition.
- 2.3** Valid scores will be those registered in respect of the shooters' first entry in any monthly shoot, per rifle held; second entry / re-shoot scores will not be accepted in this competition format.
- 2.4** Running scores will be published on the website and posted on the Pistol Range.
- 2.5** Entry fee is non refundable.
- 2.6** Once a competition shot is fired the score will be recorded and published.
- 2.7** All score cards must be handed in after the competition detail.
- 2.8** All scores will be recorded and published on the club website.
- 2.9** At the conclusion of the competition in the event of drawn scores, the member who has:
  - 2.9.1** the competitor with the most number of X's scored in competitions over the period of the competition will be declared the winner.
  - 2.9.2** the competitor who has competed in the most monthly competitions will be declared the winner.

## **Monthly Competition.**

**3.1** The competitor with the highest individual score in a shooting category will be declared the winner.

**3.2** The competition categories are as follows; Smallbore pistol (SBP) and (OSBP). Centrefire pistol (CFP) and (OCFP), M1 Carbine Gallery Rifle (GRMC) and Smallbore Gallery Rifle (GRSB).

SBP and CFP are shot with 'Iron Sights' and a 'Red Dot' may be used in the OSBP and OCFP events.

**3.3** A pistol competitor using a 'Red Dot' may not enter SBP (iron sights).

**3.4** A pistol competitor may enter the OSBP competition using iron sights.

**3.5** No other targets apart from the competitors' competition targets will be given out.

**3.6** All competitors must clear their shot targets from the target frames and place in the bins provided.

**3.7** All competitors must return their target frames when their match is finished.

**3.7** All competitors must clean up their brass casings from their firing point before leaving the range.

## **Duration of Competition.**

**4.1** The competition will take precedent over club shooting practice and will continue as long as there are competitors shooting.

**4.2** For safety, security and uninterrupted running of the competition only competitors will be allowed on the range during a competition. The door will be shut for the duration of the competition.

**4.2.1** Entry will be restricted during competitions and competitors must knock on the door and wait for the CRO to allow them entry after a competition has started.

**4.2.2** No one may enter during a competition without the CRO's permission.

**4.3** All CRO and RSO commands must be obeyed.

**4.4** The normal running time for the monthly competition will be from 10:30hrs until last entry at 12:30hrs.

**4.5** Where there is a high volume of competitors taking part in the monthly competition the last entry time may change. In this case Rule 4.1 will apply.

## **Monthly Competition Prizes.**

**5.1** There must be five competitors in a category for a first prize to be won.

**5.2** The prize will be €10.00 cash.

## **Appeals.**

**6.1** The score awarded by the CRO is final and binding. There is no Appeals Procedure or recourse to the Club Committee for any appeals; argue your score on the range with the RSO on the day.

