



SERVICE MATCH PISTOL SHOOTING – COMPETITOR NOTES

It is compulsory for all entrants in this event and their supporters to read this notice and comply with its stipulations. They are also responsible for familiarising themselves with the Event Location, Rules and all its hazards. Please inform your supporters of their responsibility to comply.

Signing your waiver or completing your online entry is an indication you agree to comply with these guidelines.

PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITY

- 🚫 You are responsible for your own health and safety during the event.
- 🚫 You should only undertake to participate in this event if you believe that you are fit to do so.
- 🚫 At no stage during this event should you engage in activity that would threaten your own safety and the safety of other people.
- 🚫 You should obey Range Officers, Marshal and Event Staff where they are instructing you for your safety.
- 🚫 Range Officers, Marshals, Officials and Referees are giving up their time to help you, please treat them with respect. If you have any issues with a Range Officers, Marshals, Officials and Referee's conduct please do not approach them independently – please refer to the Event Manager.

GAMES REGISTRATION

All participants are required to check in at the Registration Desk at the Games Hub (Rotorua Energy Events Centre) in person before playing sports or taking part in an activity.

For safety and security, we cannot accept someone checking you in on your behalf. This includes Teams. Each Team Member is required to check in individually at the Games Registration.

VENUE

The venue for the Service Match Pistol Shooting Event is Rotorua Pistol Club, Mead Road, Whakawerawera, Rotorua.

PARKING

Parking is provided at the Venue. There is sufficient parking available for competitors and spectators.

When travelling along Mead Road to the venue this is an unsealed road. Please keep your speed to 30kph.

EVENT CHECK-IN

Event Check-in for the Service Match Shooting will be at the following times / location :

The Service Match Pistol Shooting is Monday 6th March 2023 and you should arrive at the Pistol Club from 8.00am onwards.

Sign-on from 8.15am – 8.55am

Briefing: 9.00am (sharp)

Shooting starts: 9.15am

COMPETITION RULES

Competition Description

Individual -Unisex

Team - Unisex (Teams will be identified and managed at the Event)

Competition Divisions

APSM - Sworn Police | Retired Police | Other

Service Match Information

 **Round Count:** 90

 **Squadding Requests:** Requests taken, however cannot be guaranteed.

- 🔒 Reminder to all competitors shooting **Service Match**. Please ensure you have four (4) magazines available; no time provision will be given to competitors to reload during the match.

Description

Australian Police and Services Service Match (APSM)

- 🔒 The service match will be shot under the APSM rules.
- 🔒 This match will be a 90 shot Service Match from 50, 25, 10 and 7 metres.
- 🔒 Competitors may use a different handgun for this event as optical sights are not allowed.
- 🔒 Teams of 4 can nominate, with the scores from each of the individual shoots being tallied to obtain the team score. At least 3 teams need to be nominated in a category, before medals will be offered. If less than 3 teams are nominated in any category, the team event will be withdrawn, from that category.

Practice days will be announced in due course.

Equipment

All competitors must use their own Pistol or if borrowing a Pistol from a NZ based shooter have completed all the necessary Police documentation.

Ammunition is not included in the entry fee. Competitors will be required to provide their own or purchase ammunition at the event.

Firearms & Ammunition Storage

Firearms storage and security for the duration of the event will be provided through Gun Supplies, 3 Ti Street, Victoria, Rotorua.

Once stored at Gun Supplies the firearms will be transported daily to the Rotorua Pistol Club for the competitions and returned to Gun Supplies at the end of play for safe storage.

If you are arriving on Saturday 4th March and you find Gun Supplies is closed, you will need to go to the Rotorua Pistol Club for your Pistol to be stored (between 8am – 1pm).

SCHEDULE OF PLAY / DRAW

The Schedule of Play / Draw for your competition will be available as soon as practicable after Registration for the Games closes on 10th February 2023.

The Draw will be available via the Games APP and Website.

Competitors should arrive at the Rotorua Pistol Club, Mead Road, Rotorua from 7.30am onwards on the day of your event.

SPECTATORS

Spectators are welcome to attend the Service Match Pistol Shooting event. APES Games 2023 staff and the Service Match Pistol Shooting Event Team will strive to keep all spectators safe from harm, but all spectators are responsible for their own personal safety.

Here are some pointers to help spectators stay safe while watching the event:

- 🚫 Be responsible and keep your own safety in mind.
- 🚫 Always follow and obey marshal's instructions.
- 🚫 Observe and follow all event signs.
- 🚫 Stay within designated spectator areas.
- 🚫 Do not enter any restricted areas. If you are unsure, please ask an Event Staff Member.

PRIZE GIVING

Prize Giving will take place at the Rotorua Pistol Club once the Service Match competition has been concluded.

KEY CONTACTS / INFORMATION

Name	Role/Organisation	Contact Number
Don Perry	Event Manager / Sports Co-ordinator – Pistol Shooting Events	027 496 0884
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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Tea & Coffee will be available at the Rotorua Pistol Club. There are no onsite catering facilities so Competitors will need to be self-sufficient for food & hydration. The Rotorua Pistol Club is a 10-15 minute drive from the nearest café.