

Shooters Instructions for a 100 target Practice System under strict rules.

Entry conditions.

- 1.) People have to book onto the shoot in advance.
- 2.) They have to note their Squad number, Place on Squad and Start Time.
- 3.) As per the Government guidelines only 2 people can go around the course together.
- 4.) There is only one type of entry and that is '100 target Practice Entry'. This will be managed under strict rules. (please see below points 8 onwards).
- 5.) Specific pairs of targets on each stand, no repeat targets unless they are no-birds.
- 6.) As this is practice only there will be no 'Prize Fund'. However, a gift can be given to the Highest practice score of the shoot and gifts in each class.
- 7.) All shooters must arrive promptly to shoot their 100 targets as detailed below. After the round the shooters must leave the ground and go home. This is so that the following shooters can also shoot the course at there designated time.

On arrival at shooting ground – Payment Conditions.

- 8.) Arrive at least 30 minutes before your squad time. Pay your entry fee at the designated area and then return to your car until your squad number is called at the set time.
- 9.) There should be no socialising groups.
- 10.) When your squad is called you make your way to the socially distanced waiting area at Stand 1. (Please see accompanying drawing of a typical stand.)

Instructions for first Squad to start on the course

Shooter 1 and shooter 2 are the 'first pair' to approach Stand 1.

Shooters 3 and 4 are the 'second pair' and shooters 5 and 6 are the 'third pair' and must remain at the waiting area positions, standing 2m apart until called forward. They must watch the targets from there. Targets will be shown to the first shooter of the squad on Stand 1, and will not be repeated when different shooters get into the stand. Shooters need to pay attention from the start.

Instructions for 1st pair.

- 11.) Shooter 1 steps into Stand 1.
- 12.) Shooter 2 stands 2m behind Shooter 1.
- 13.) Shooter 1 is the only one to be shown a pair. He shoots his targets, and the referee will call out Hit or Miss.
- 14.) When Shooter 1 is finished he looks to the referee to hear his total score for that stand, and Shooter 1 has to verbally acknowledge acceptance of the score. The referee then ticks the acceptance box.
- 15.) Shooter 1 now moves to the 2nd waiting area (shown in green) in the direction of the next stand and waits for Shooter 2 to finish. They have to walk the course as a socially distancing pair.
- 16.) Shooter 2 now steps into Stand 1.
- 17.) At the same time Shooter 3 moves to stand 2m behind Shooter 2.
- 18.) Shooter 2 now shoots his targets and the referee calls Hit or Miss.
- 19.) When Shooter 2 is finished he looks to the referee to hear his total score for that stand, and Shooter 2 has to verbally acknowledge acceptance of the score. The referee then ticks the acceptance box.
- 20.) Both Shooter 1 and Shooter 2 then move to Stand 2 and the process is repeated in identical fashion for the rest of the course.
- 21.) If a shooter arrives at an empty stand the first shooter can ask to see a pair.
- 22.) There is no handling of scorecards as there will be a permanent referee at each stand. The referees will be at least 2m away from the shooters on either the left or right hand side in a designated position. There will only be verbal interaction and shooters must not approach the referees at all. All scorecards remain on each stand. They do not go with the shooters.

Instructions for 2nd pair on Stand 1.

- 23.) Shooter 3 now moves into Stand 1, and Shooter 4 moves to stand 2m behind Shooter 3.
- 24.) The second pair repeat the exact process of the first pair.
- 25.) When Shooter 4 moves into Stand 1, Shooter 5 moves to wait 2m behind Shooter 4.
- 26.) When Shooter 4 is finished, Shooter 3 and Shooter 4 walk to Stand 2. By this time the first pair should be moving to Stand 3. If there are any delays the following pair must not encroach on the pair in front. They move to the designated waiting positions.

Instructions for 3rd and final pair of Squad 1

- 27.) The final pair of the squad can now move to the shooting positions, Shooter 5 goes in the stand and shooter 6 waits 2m behind him.
- 28.) When shooter 5+6 finish on Stand 1 and are walking to Stand 2, the referee puts the completed scorecard for these 6 shooters on Squad 1, into the results box. There is one of these on each stand. Every hour a nominated score collector will go to each stand in order and collect all the deposited scorecards, and return them to the clubhouse.
- 29.) Note - no shooter can return to a stand. Requests to see the scorecard again will be refused.
- 30.) Shooters must not approach the referee in any circumstance. Any communication will be verbal and at a distance. Shooters must not approach the nominated score collector.
- 31.) Shooters should not delay the start of the following squad.

Note – The shooters do not go to each stand as a squad. Once they move off from Stand 1, they continue round the course as one pair. This starts the continuous line of shooters around the course.

They do not wait for shooters 3, 4, 5, and 6 to catch up at each stand.

Instructions for Squad 2 to start on the course.

- 32.) At the correct time the 6 shooters in Squad 2 approach Stand 1 and stand in the required waiting positions as detailed in the attached diagram. They repeat the whole process again. The first shooter of the squad sees the pair of targets and the other 5 shooters have to watch from their waiting positions. Once shooter 1 starts, the targets will not be repeated on Stand 1.

Instructions for each following squad will repeat the same process at their allotted time.

Helpful Notes

We are now in a new temporary era for shooting and, the social distancing guidelines we have to adopt are made by government, but as they are guidelines, they can be interpreted by police and councils. We are trying to arrange the best and safest way to comply. We know it is not what we are used to, but any system is welcomed to allow us to practice our sport again. Hopefully with an organised practice system, it should be easy to convert it to a temporary competition system, if and when the government open stage 2 and stage 3 of the sport, and if some sort of social distancing or restricted numbers, are still active.

We are however hoping to see a return to normal competition shooting as soon as it is possible.

This continuing line will be an effective and safe way of moving shooters from their car, to the stands to shoot, and then back to the car.

For everybody's safety, and following Government guidelines, we ask that all shooters leave the ground as soon as they finish their shoot. We would ask that shooters do not remain in the car park chatting about their scores.

More squads will be arriving on allotted times and will need to room to park safely.

Shooters can use the toilets if needed, but must comply with the ground's instructions and the social distancing guidelines.

There will be no live scoreboards at the club. Shooters will have to wait for results to be posted by the grounds and/or CPSA either the following day, or as soon as possible.