

NWSA STEEL SHOOT OUT RULES

- 1. This match operates as a COLD RANGE. Handling of weapons will not be permitted anywhere except at the firing line or in the Safe Zone. Handling weapons behind the firing line will not be allowed at any time, no exceptions.**
- 2. Loading weapons will be allowed only on the firing line at the direction of the Range Safety Officer. Loaded weapons will not be permitted behind the firing line or in the safe zone, no exceptions. Semi auto pistols will be considered loaded if a magazine is in place whether empty or charged.**
- 3. Handling ammo in the safe zone will not be allowed. Magazines/speedloaders may be loaded anywhere on the range except the safe zone.**

VIOLATION OF THE ABOVE RULES WILL BE GROUNDS FOR DISQUALIFICATION FROM THE MATCH.

Course of fire

Match will be head to head competition in a round robin format. Each shooter will shoot against every other shooter in the match. Three strings will be fired in each contest for up to 13 shooters, two strings for 14 to 20 shooters.

All shooting will be done at 12 yards.

Weapons, holsters, mag/spdloader carriers will be IDPA compliant, except that revolvers will be allowed with up to 6" barrels. To maintain a level playing field, revolvers using moon clips for reloading are prohibited from revolver competition but may be used in the auto division. For description of IDPA equipment see www.idpa.com, find equipment rules in rule book, i.e., holsters worn belt level with belt threaded through belt loops, trigger aft of centerline of the body, mag pouches aft of centerline. For placement of speedloader holders see IDPA rules. Holsters and mag/spdloader pouches will be worn per IDPA rules. Compensators, whether original equipment or after market are not allowed. Competition, cut away holsters such as the CR, Ghost holster, and Safariland Levitation holsters are prohibited. Wrap around eye protection and hearing protection is required for all persons on the range. Ammo will meet IDPA power requirement of 125,000 (bullet weight in grains x speed in fps)

Semi autos and revolvers will compete separately. Autos will be allowed to be loaded with up to 8 rounds, revolvers 6 rounds. Each string of fire will begin with gun holstered, hands in surrender position.

Scoring- One point will be awarded for winning a string, 1/2 point for a tie. Shooters with most points will be declared winners. Winners will be awarded for each 5 shooters in match, i.e. 15 shooters will award top 3 shooters in match. If the same shooters consistently win we will consider dividing shooters into skill classes.

Targets will consist of 2 racks of 6 plates. The innermost target of each rack will be painted a contrasting color and will be designated the stop plate. All other plates must be shot down before the stop plate is shot. If stop plate is shot with other plates still standing the string of fire will be awarded to the other competitor. If both shooters are in violation neither will receive a point for the string. In the event of a tie a shoot off will be held to determine a winner.

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