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Note: If there are any questions about weapons or rules, contact the WPFGF
Director for Pistol -Center Fire.

EVENTS

INDIVIDUAL

Duty Handgun Class: (Duty Revolvers and Semi-Automatics)

Men: Open and Grand Master (50+)

Women: Open and Grand Master (50+)

UIT Class: (Center Fire Duty Revolver and Semi-Automatics with some modifications)

Men: Open and Grand Master (50+)

Women: Open and Grand Master (50+)

Team, 4-Person:

Duty Handgun Division: (Duty Revolvers and Semi-Automatics)

Men

Women

UIT Division: (Center Fire Duty Revolver and Semi-Automatics with some modifications)

Men

Women

TARGETS

The Target used for the 25 meter Precision Stage is the 25 Meter Precision Target; see ISSF Rule 6.3.2.5.

The Target used for the 25 meter Rapid Fire Stage is the 25 Meter Rapid Fire Target; see ISSF Rule 6.3.2.4.

WEAPONS:

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SCHEDULING

This sport will be held on Wednesday and Thursday so that competitors from the Police Action Pistol and Pistol-PPC can compete.

GENERAL SPORT RULES for Pistol – Center Fire

DUTY HANDGUN DIVISION, **No modified weapons can be used in this event. Weapons must be factory manufactured with no internal or external modifications.**

- A. Be semi-automatic for pistols; revolvers trigger must have a single and double action capability
- B. Can be single action, double action, double action only, or safe action (when the trigger is pulled, the hammer/striker is cocked and then released).
- C. Be 9mm (9x19) .38 special or larger calibre.
- D. Fit in the IDPA gun test box measuring 8 ¾" x 6" x 1 5/8" with an empty magazine inserted.
- E. Trigger pull must be 5 pounds (2,27 kg) for first shot

F. Only rear sight may be adjustable; adjustable front sights are not authorized. Specifically prohibited: Bo-Mar type ribs on the slide, trigger shoe, tape on grips, extended slide release, extended magazine well funnel, any system of recoil control based on compensators, barrel venting or porting, weighted grips or grip panels, thumb rest or grips flared at the base and any substance which results in a sticky surface to the grips or hand. No internal modifications may be made that would render the pistol less safe than originally designed by the manufacturer.

U.I.T. DIVISION: ANY CENTER FIRE SEMI-AUTOMATIC OR REVOLVER

- A. Be calibers 9mm (.38 cal) to 11.43mm (.45 cal), see ISSF Rule 8.4.2
- B. Muzzle brakes or any device(s) functioning in a similar manner (porting of barrels or slides) are not allowed; see ISSF Rule 8.16.0).
- C. Trigger pull must be at least 1360 grams (3 lbs), see ISSF Rule 8.16.0).
- D. The length of the barrel must not exceed 153 mm (6 inches); see ISSF Rule 8.16.0).
- E. Only open sights are allowed. Optical, mirror, telescopic, laser beam, electronically projected dot, etc., are prohibited. No protective covering is permitted on front or rear open sights, See ISSF Rule 8.4.2.3.

AMMUNITION

Any 9mm (.38 cal) to 11.43 (.45 cal) center fire cartridge is allowed that has a projectile that is made of lead or similar soft material. Semi-Jacketed projectiles are permitted, but no full Jacketed projectiles are allowed. No Magnum, metal piercing, tracer or high power type ammunition is allowed; see ISSF Rule 8.4.8.

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COURSE OF FIRE

The Center Fire Pistol Match will be used; see ISSF Rule 8.15.0. This course of fire will consist of 60 shots divided into 2 stages of 30 shots each as follows:

Precision Stage consisting of 30 shots. The course will consist of 6 series of 5 shots each; see ISSF Rule 8.15.0.

Rapid Fire Stage consisting of 30 shots. The course will consist of 6 series of 5 shots each; see ISSF Rule 8.15.0.

Each competitor must have his/her firearm (weapon) officially examined and approved prior to each competition. Only firearms which have been approved for the competition may be used. Each competitor will be given a “Control Card” with the approved firearms serial number make and caliber noted by the “Equipment Control Committee” and this card must be in his/her possession when reporting to the Range Officer at the commencement of each stage of the event. See ISSF Rule 6.6.0.

In the shooting position, all competitors must stand free, without support, completely within the firing point. The complete firearm must be held and fired with one hand only. The wrist must be visibly free of support. Bracelets, wristwatches or similar items, which might provide support, are prohibited on the hand and arm which holds the firearm. See ISSF Rule 8.6.1.1.

In the 25 meter Center Fire Pistol Rapid Fire Stages, shooting must start from the “READY” position. In the “READY” position, the shooter’s arm must point downward at an angle of not greater than 45 degrees from the vertical and the arm must remain in this position while waiting for the appearance of the target. When the target begins to face, the shooter may raise the pistol. See ISSF Rule 8.6.1.3.

Current ISSF rules shall apply to this sport except where the WPFG rules take precedent over ISSF Rules, such as eligibility, awards, number of team members, etc. When there is any conflict or the coordinator needs a ruling regarding these matters, contact the WPFGF Director for Pistol-Center Fire.