

NZ Pistol Team Selection Criteria 2013 Level 4 Australasian Championships



1. Objective:

To select National Teams to compete in the 2013 IPSC Level 4 Championships to be held at Rotorua, New Zealand Feb/March 2013

2. Number of teams:

Maximum of Two teams of four shooters for Open Division
Maximum of Two teams of four shooters for Standard Division
Maximum of Two teams of four shooters for Production Division

Maximum of One team of four shooters for Revolver
Maximum of One team of four shooters for Single Stack Division
(Subject to the General Assembly decision in Oct 2011)

After 3 events if LESS than 4 shooters are competing for these divisions, then those divisions will be removed from the selection process.

A shooter may only be selected for one team.

3. Qualification Period:

24th-26th November 2011 to the 1st December (IPSC Nationals 2012).

4. Minimum Qualifying Scores (MQS):

The following is the minimum qualifying score a shooter must achieve on at least TWO (2) occasions to be considered for funding in a NZ Pistol Team:

Open Division	95.00% Gold	90% Silver
Standard Division	95.00% Gold	90% Silver
Production Division	95.00% Gold	90% Silver

(These percentages are for NZ shooters scores only in any of these matches. International shooters' scores will be removed from the results list before calculating the final %).

To be considered for the NZ Pistol Team, a shooter must be a current financial member of a Pistol NZ member club, and must shoot an appropriate MQS at any one of the following matches:

- 2011 Practical Nationals (Rotorua PC)
- 2012 River City Open IPSC (Wanganui PC)
- 2012 South Island Practical Champs (Otago TBC)
- 2012 North Island Practical Champs (TBA)
- 2012 Double Tap (APC)
- 2012 Practical Nationals (Rotorua PC TBC)

(For a score to qualify there must be a minimum of 3 shooters entered in Master grade for the division)

5. Team Selection Process:

- a) The NZ Pistol Teams for Open, Standard, Production, Revolver and Single Stack (See conditions above) Divisions shall be determined by scores shot at any of the 6 MQS matches. This will give the shooters a ranking position.
- b) The best 4 of 6 scores will be averaged to create the shooter's ranking score. (A shooter must compete in at LEAST 4 matches to be eligible).
- c) Where scores are tied, the results from an equal number of the best of their events shall be averaged to decide the ranking.
- d) Eligible shooters who have achieved MQS will then be selected as follows:

Open Division

- i) The four highest ranked Open shooters able to attend the 2013 Level 4 will be selected as the New Zealand "Open Division "Gold" Team".
- ii) The next highest ranked shooters able to attend the 2013 level 4 will be selected as the "Open Division "Silver" Team.

Standard Division

- iii) The four highest ranked Standard shooters able to attend the 2013 Level 4 will be selected as the New Zealand "Standard Division "Gold" Team".
- iv) The next highest ranked shooters able to attend the 2013 level 4 will be selected as the "Standard Division "Silver" Team.

Production Division

- v) The four highest ranked Production shooters able to attend the 2013 Level 4 will be selected as the New Zealand "Production Division "Gold" Team".
- vi) The next highest ranked shooters able to attend the 2013 level 4 will be selected as the "Production Division "Silver" Team.

Revolver Division

- vii) The four highest ranked Revolver shooters able to attend the 2013 Level 4 will be selected as the New Zealand "Revolver Division "Gold" Team".

Single Stack Division

- viii) The four highest ranked Single Stack shooters able to attend the 2013 Level 4 will be selected as the New Zealand "Single Stack Division "Gold" Team".

Reserves

- ix) Any other eligible shooters who have achieved a MQS but failed to achieve a position in a team due to their ranking will be considered reserves, and should places become available prior to the event will be invited to the NZ Pistol Team if required.

Note: *While a ranking may see a person selected to a team, to qualify for funding support from PNZ they MUST meet the criteria set out under Section 4 of this Policy.*

6. Ratification of Selected Teams:

- a) Selector
Pistol NZ's President or nominee will be the Selector, and will not be eligible for selection to the teams.
- b) Timing of selection
Teams will be selected at the conclusion of the 2012 IPSC Nationals.
- c) Ratification
The Selector will send the Team details to Pistol NZ's Council for ratification.
- d) Notification
Successful team members will be advised once teams have been ratified by Pistol NZ Council.
- e) Vacancies in any team
Pistol NZ's Council will reserve the right to approve the filling of vacant team positions, at the recommendation of the Selector, where no eligible shooter has met the MQS requirement for that team.
- f) Athlete's Agreement
All selected shooters must sign the Pistol NZ Athlete's Agreement.

7. Team manager:

A Team Manager MAY be appointed by Pistol NZ's Council. The Team Manager may be a member of one of the shooting teams.

8. Funding assistance:

- a) Pistol NZ will fund the match entry fee for selected shooters who have achieved the MQS for the Team in which they are selected (*Refer Section 4*) from the International Competition Fund as follows:
 - 100% subsidy for shooters selected in the NZ Open Division GOLD Team, NZ Standard Division GOLD Team, the NZ Production Division GOLD Team the NZ Revolver Division GOLD Team and the NZ Single Stack GOLD Team.
 - 60% Subsidy for shooters selected in the NZ Open Division SILVER Team, NZ Standard Division SILVER Team, and the NZ Production Division SILVER Team.
- b) Pistol NZ will fund the match Team entry fee for all New Zealand team entries
- c) Any subsidy for selected shooters who have not achieved MQS will be at the sole discretion of Pistol NZ's Council.
- d) A NZ Pistol Team uniform will be created, and MAY be subsidised by the Practical Section. The extent of the subsidy will be determined by funds available to the Practical Section at the time the uniform is purchased. The wearing of the team uniform is compulsory.

9. Inquiries

All inquiries should be sent to the Section Director at practical@pistolnz.org.nz