

## 2026 ISSF World Cups – All Disciplines

This document must be read in conjunction with the current: **General Selection Criteria for New Zealand Shooting Federation.**

This can be found on the NZSF website <http://www.nzshootingfed.org.nz/events.php>

**Note 1:** These events are currently a self-funded.

### **SR 2 – ISSF World Cups**

- 2.1 Selection for these events will be from the period 1<sup>st</sup> Jan to 31<sup>st</sup> Dec 2025
- 2.2 A ranking list will be formed and consist of the athletes' top three scores from the designated match series.
- 2.3 Athletes must achieve **ONE** MQS level score during the relevant designated match series.
  - a) The NZSF MQS achieved must be equal to, or higher than the 70% place in the relevant event from the 2023 ISSF World Championships.
  - b) MQS levels required are as per Appendix II
- 2.4 Designated matches are as per Appendix 1
- 2.5 MQS levels required are as per Appendix 2
- 2.6 Athletes will be selected from the ranking list, with preference given to the top three ranked shooters in each discipline.
- 2.7 The NZSF selection panel reserves the right to fill vacant team positions as required.
- 2.8 The NZSF selection panel reserves the right to alter teams prior to final selection confirmation as deemed necessary.
- 2.9 Ties - if a tied situation occurs on any of the respective ranking lists, they will be broken using the following method.
  - a) Highest score of the three ranking scores
  - b) Second highest score of the three ranking scores
  - c) Third highest score of the three ranking scores
  - d) At the sole discretion of the NZSF Selection Panel

## APPENDIX I

### Designated Matches for 2025

#### Rifle designated matches.

|          |                           |                |               |
|----------|---------------------------|----------------|---------------|
| Jan 2025 | North Island              | Tokoroa        | 50m 3P/Prone  |
| Jan 2025 | Manawatu                  | Palmerston Nth | Air & 50m 3P  |
| Feb 2025 | Mana                      | Trentham       | 50m 3P/Prone  |
| Feb 2025 | National Outdoor Champs   | Tokoroa        | 50m 3P/Prone  |
| Mar 2025 | National Air Rifle Champs | Rotorua        | Air Rifle     |
| Mar 2025 | South Island Champs       | Christchurch   | 50m 3P/Prone  |
| Sep 2025 | Marlborough               | Blenheim       | Air Rifle     |
| Oct 2025 | Auckland Air              | Auckland       | Air Rifle x 2 |
| Oct 2025 | Marlborough               | Blenheim       | 50m3P/Prone   |
| Dec 2025 | Totara Rd/Awapuni         | Palmerston Nth | Air Rifle x 2 |
| Dec 2025 | Canterbury Champs         | Christchurch   | 50m 3P/Prone  |

#### Pistol designated matches.

|           |                             |                 |  |
|-----------|-----------------------------|-----------------|--|
| Jan 2025  | SOA Auckland Anniversary    | Whangarei       |  |
| Feb 2025  | Waipa Open and Graded       | Hamilton        |  |
| Mar 2025  | National ISSF Championships | Hamilton        |  |
| July 2025 | Kings Birthday              | Hawkes Bay      |  |
| Sept 2025 | Northland Open & Graded     | Whangarei       |  |
| Oct 2025  | Hamilton Open & Graded      | Hamilton        |  |
| Nov 2025  | Nth Island Champs           | Hawkes Bay -TBC |  |

#### Shotgun designated matches.

|           |                         |             |              |
|-----------|-------------------------|-------------|--------------|
| Jan 2025  | North Island Champs     | Waitemata   | Trap & Skeet |
| Feb 2025  | South Island Champs     | Canterbury  | Trap & Skeet |
| Feb 2025  | NZ ISSF National Champs | Canterbury  | Trap & Skeet |
| Sept 2025 | South Zone Nth Island   | Hutt Valley | Trap & Skeet |
| Oct 2025  | North Zone Sth Island   | Canterbury  | Trap & Skeet |
| Nov 2025  | South Zone Sth Island   | Balfour     | Trap & Skeet |
| Dec 2025  | North Zone Nth Island   | Waikato     | Trap & Skeet |

**NOTE:** Please check and confirm, event and calendar dates from the relevant web sites below:

**Target Shooting NZ**

<https://tsnz.nz/>

**Pistol NZ**

<https://www.pistolnz.org.nz/>

**New Zealand Clay Target Ass**

<https://www.nzclaytarget.org.nz/>

**APENDIX II  
MQS Scores**

**Rifle MQS Scores**

| <b>SR 2 ISSF World Cups</b> |           |            |              |
|-----------------------------|-----------|------------|--------------|
|                             |           | <b>Men</b> | <b>Women</b> |
| <b>Senior/Open</b>          | Air Rifle | 618.6      | 620.5        |
|                             | 3P        | 577        | 578          |
| <b>Junior W/Cup</b>         | Air Rifle | 618.6      | 621.1        |
|                             | 3P        | 575        | 574          |

**Pistol MQS Scores**

| <b>SR 2 ISSF World Cups</b> |                  |            |              |
|-----------------------------|------------------|------------|--------------|
|                             |                  | <b>Men</b> | <b>Women</b> |
| <b>Senior/Open</b>          | 25m Rapid Fire   | 565        |              |
|                             | 25m Sport Pistol |            | 567          |
|                             | 10m Air Pistol   | 567        | 561          |
| <b>Junior W/Cup</b>         | 25m Rapid Fire   | 558        |              |
|                             | 25m Sport Pistol |            | 563          |
|                             | 10m Air Pistol   | 560        | 554          |

**Shotgun MQS Scores**

| <b>SR 2 ISSF World Cups</b> |       |            |              |
|-----------------------------|-------|------------|--------------|
|                             |       | <b>Men</b> | <b>Women</b> |
| <b>Senior/Open</b>          | Trap  | 115        | 110          |
|                             | Skeet | 116        | 114          |
| <b>Junior W/Cup</b>         | Trap  | 105        | 101          |
|                             | Skeet | 109        | 104          |

**NOTE – MQS levels set from the qualification rounds, taking the 70% place in all events:  
Seniors - 2023 ISSF World Championships  
Juniors – 2023 ISSF World Championships**