

# TRYING PISTOL SHOOTING AS A SPORT



## Eligibility Requirements

- You **MUST** be able to provide Proof of Identity.
- You **MUST** be a resident of New South Wales.
- You **MUST** be 18 years of age for a full licence.
- You **MUST** be minimum 12 years of age for a Minors Permit and have signed permission and supervision by a legal guardian.
- You **MUST** be willing to have a Police Personal History Check conducted.
- You **MUST NOT** have previously had a firearms licence refused or revoked.
- You **MUST NOT** have had an AVO for a period of 10 years following the expiry of the order.
- You **MUST NOT** be subject of an Interim AVO.
- You **MUST NOT** be subject to a Good Behaviour Bond for a Prescribed Offence.
- You **MUST NOT** be a registerable person under the Child Protection Act.

\*For more information regarding eligibility please see [www.police.nsw.gov.au](http://www.police.nsw.gov.au) website for further details\*

## COSTS

### 1. INITIAL TRAINING 1

**COST: \$75.00**

**Initial Training 1 is for air pistol only**

The fee for the Initial Introduction and Training session is currently \$75.00 per person.

There are two components covered by this cost, theory and practical. You must pay this fee prior to commencing. Please note, all fees are non-refundable once the training programme has commenced.

#### **Theory:**

This component covers the introduction to the club, the sport and all legal requirements to enable you to complete the necessary forms, theory course and exam. You must complete this section successfully to continue.

#### **Practical:**

This component covers training in the range with an air pistol. It includes all relevant range safety training, the range orders, components of the air pistol, loading and unloading as well as aiming and firing the pistol. Once completed successfully you will then be able to shoot. If you do not complete this component to the level required, you will not be allowed to shoot. Should this happen you will be given more training to try and assist you. Should you fail a second time, you will not be allowed to shoot on the day.

### 2. INITIAL TRAINING 2

**COST: \$45.00**

**Initial Training 2 is for .22 pistol only - live fire**

#### **Theory:**

A short theory and instruction session will be carried out at the Club House. Although there is no exam, you must complete this training to the level required by the instructor.

#### **Practical:**

Once successful, you will be taken to the live fire range for further safety training. This will include all range safety requirements, range rules, range commands, components of the pistol, loading and unloading as well as aiming and firing. At the completion of this session the instructor will decide if you are competent to shoot. Should the instructor believe you are not competent for any reason, you will be given further training. Should you not be deemed competent after this, you will not be allowed to shoot on the day.