

# Bullseye

## - The Newsletter for SSAA Target Pistol Shooters

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### 2007 National Championships

As some of you may know, we have had difficulty finding a venue for this year's Nationals. That is now behind us. Attached is a notice and nomination form for the 2007 SSAA Target Pistol National Championships, which will be at SSAA Fraser Coast Branch in Queensland on November 17 and 18, 2007. The club is situated midway between Maryborough and Hervey Bay, about three hours north of Brisbane. The area is a popular holiday destination, so there is plenty of accommodation in all price ranges, and it has an airport at Hervey Bay for fly-ins. The range will be open from 10am to 3pm on Friday November 16, 2007. This practice will be conducted in match format, so will be a good opportunity to tune-up for the real thing. There will be extremely limited practice time on Saturday and Sunday mornings from 7 to 8pm, briefing will be at 8am and first detail will be putting shots downrange by 8.30am. For those of you not in the know, there are no sighters in Bullseye matches.

The format for the championships closely follows that of the US Nationals at Camp Perry, with the 900 matches being the primary events and the other matches as side activities.

Fraser Coast Club has 25 firing points, on a 50m rang. It is envisaged that we will have up to 50 competitors. To ensure your spot, it is imperative that you return the nomination form by November 9. I will be making up squad details that weekend, if your nomination comes in late or you nominate on the day. You will get to shoot, but you will be squaded where I can fit you. If you would like to compete in all events, but don't possess all the guns necessary, please contact me, as I am putting together a register of competitors willing to share their equipment. If you are willing to share, please also contact me. Most people will have their own .22 rimfires, the principal need will be for loaner firearms approved for the Distinguished Revolver and M9 matches. Please be prepared to pay for the Ammunition you use if you are borrowing.

### 2008 National teams

Selection of National Team members for 2008 will be based on performance at the 2007 National Championships. Possible events for a National Team in 2008 include: 1. The US National Championships at Camp Perry Ohio and 2. Possible inclusion of Bullseye in the Pacific Regional Shooting Championships. SSAA members wishing to compete for a place on any team will be required to attend the 2007 National Target Pistol championships at SSAA Fraser Coast and indicate their interest in becoming a team contender to myself by the close of competition on November 18, 2007.

Postals: The National Rimfire Postal has closed, results will be out shortly. I plan to present the awards for this at the National Championships. The Centrefire postal will run until 30 November to pick up the scores from the National Championships

**National Centrefire Postal Championships** are to be shot between July 1 and November 30, 2007. Three classes are to be contested: M9-9mm match, Distinguished Revolver and Any Centrefire Pistol or Revolver. Courses of fire for all three events is the National Match course. Score sheets showing each competitors name, grade, club and the result of each shot are to be sent to:

Greg Riemer, 1141 Tagigan Road, Gympie, Queensland, 4570 by November 30, 2007.

National Postal medals to third place in each grade, as well as juniors. Entries in Junior class to include date of birth. For further information contact 07 5486 7124.

**State Championships:** Queensland, July 26-17, 2008. SSAA Oakey

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