

Welcome to the 2015 US IPSC Nationals.

We are glad you could attend the match. As you know we were privileged to host World Shoot XVII here last year. We are happy to have our international guests back for more. The match is a bit smaller this year, perhaps because many were here for WS, plus we have many other big matches on still on the calendar for this year. It is however a qualifier for the US Teams for the next WS. So we expect some exciting competition with most of the top competitors in the sport attending.

Thanks to our partners at Polk County Sports Marketing. They are always by our side assisting us with our events and making us look good for the community.

I would like to personally thank our staff for working this match. It requires many hot days in the Florida sun and I appreciate their efforts. I would ask you to please take a moment to thank them. A simple thank you goes a long way.

I would like to thank Dave Jenkins, Andy Mercak, Duane Collins, Jack Mayer, Marc Weir, Manny Bragg, and Ramiro Ciscerno for helping set up. All these guys put in at least a full days work again in the heat to put the match on the ground. I'm pleased with how it turned out and I couldn't have done it without their help.

I would also like to thank you the shooter. We here at Universal Shooting Academy understand and respect that you are using your entertainment dollar to join us for this event. We plan a challenging and fun match to allow you to demonstrate Excellence in Shooting!

DVC,

Shannon Smith Match Director

SHOOTERS BRIEFING

THESE POLICIES ARE JUST AS IMPORTANT AS THE RULES. YOU ARE EXPECTED TO READ AND UNDERSTAND ALL THE CONTENTS OF THIS MATCH PUBLICATION. THIS WILL SERVE AS YOUR SHOOTERS BRIEFING. HAVE A SAFE AND FUN CHAMPIONSHIP!

COLD RANGE- Firearms will not be handled anywhere on the range except in designated safety areas or under the direct supervision of staff Range Officer. Safe areas are clearly marked. Handling firearms in parking areas is deemed unsafe gun handling and will result in a DQ.

SAFETY AREAS- Safety areas are located around the range to unbag and holster or unholster and bag guns, and also for dry fire practice and gun repair, etc. No ammunition may be handled in any safe area.

RULES- We will be following the current edition IPSC Handgun Competition Rules.

SET STEEL & TAPE TARGETS- Competitors are expected to stay together as a squad and are REQUIRED to assist in taping targets, setting and painting steel. This is important to maintain efficiency for the match.

SCHEDULING- Competitors must compete for score according to the published match and squad schedule. A competitor who is not present at the scheduled time and date for any stage may not attempt that stage without the prior approval of the Match Director.

INSPECTION- Stage inspection will only be allowed during the squads allotted walkthrough period. Competitors may not enter the stage area at any other time.

EYE & EAR PROTECTION- All competitors must wear eye and ear protection while on the line. Eye protection is required to be worn by **everyone** while on the range.

COMPETITOR AGREEMENT- By competing in this event, you attest that you have read, you understand and you agree to comply with the match rules and regulations.

DRAWINGS & DIMENSIONS - Drawings and dimensions of the stage diagrams are approximate and may change due to safety or production considerations. There may be additional no shoots, vision barriers, or other changes. Inspect each stage carefully and listen to the squad briefing.

SHOOTER SERVICES...The Stats officers will be on the range to help with any administrative matters, resolve scoring errors and lost and found.

Spectators...Everyone must wear eye protection while on the range and ear protection is strongly suggested. Climbing on berms is not allowed. Children must be under the direct supervision of a parent. There is a \$1.00 fee for spectators, please check in at the main office.



SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Pre Match September 10 & 11	@Range	8am-5pm
Main Match Registration		
September 11	@Range	3pm-5pm
September 12	@Range	7am-8:00am
Main Match September 12	@Range	8am-5pm
September 13	@Range	8am-3pm
Awards September 13	@Range	5pm

