

Winter Leagues

Summary of Rules Changes & Points of Emphasis

Note: there are no Rules Changes for this year's Winter Leagues. Points of Emphasis follow:

Scoring

- We will continue to use bound scorebooks for both sporting clays and 5-stand winter leagues.

Therefore, each score must be put in the scorebook for a specific week in the season for the number of weeks in the regular season (12), and no shooter should put multiple scores in the scorebook for any one week of the regular season. (If multiple scores for the same shooter are found on a regular season page, only the first round will be scored).

Shooters can still use loose sheets to score on, but all scores must be either scored on or transcribed into the bound scorebook. It is OK to just copy the final score in the scorebook, as long as the original loose sheet is put in a designated box called "Loose Sheets," which may have separate files for each team to use to keep their loose sheets together.

Official scoring on our website is only done from the scorebooks, not from loose sheets. Any loose or attached sheets in the scorebooks or score boxes/slots will not be scored and will be removed from the scorebooks and placed in a designated box called "Rejected Scores." It is the responsibility of the captains to check the Rejected Scores box and check to make sure all those scores are in the scorebooks by the end of the regular season, otherwise those scores will not count.

We will also have a section at the back of the scorebooks with pages for "extra scores." On those pages, a shooter can have multiple scores on the same page. The scorers will not enter the extra scores until a shooter has shot all their regular season scores, and then will use the extra scores, in the order the scorers find them in the extra pages in the scorebook, to replace the lowest scores in the regular season.

We will continue to post official scores each week on our website. Official scores will not be entered on our website until a shooter's membership is paid.

Shoot-offs

- Shoot-offs for all leagues will consist of 50 targets: 2 rounds of 5-stand, and 1 round of sporting clays.
- In the event of ties after the first round of shoot-offs, a second round of shoot-offs will only happen if awards are involved. Also, for any ties involving awards, the teams or shooters can split the awards rather than shoot off if all parties agree to split. All affected team captains (or shooters for individual leagues or individual awards) will be notified after the initial shoot-offs and asked their preference for shooting-off again or splitting the awards.
- We are clarifying how "high gun" in the shoot-offs is determined: the round(s) you shoot in the shoot-offs for your individual or team shoot-off in each league you are in is the same score used to determine the high gun for the shoot-offs in that league; you do not shoot a separate round (or rounds) to determine high gun in the shoot-offs.

Awards

- For the General Raffle, shooters must be present to win
- For any Gun Raffle, shooters need not be present to win