

2019

Shotgun
Events

Malta International Open Grand Prix

Trap - Skeet



➤ **General Information**





MALTA SHOOTING SPORT FEDERATION

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GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Invitation

The Invitation is attached to this General Information.

2. Dates and Schedule

Arrival: 4 June 2019

Unofficial / Pre-Event Training Trap: 4 June - 6 June 2019

Competition Trap: 7 June - 8 June 2019

Unofficial / Pre-Event Training Skeet: 4 June - 10 June 2019

Competition Skeet: 11 June - 12 June 2019

Departure: 13 June 2019

The Preliminary Competition Schedule of the Malta International Open Grand Prix 2019 in Shotgun Events is attached to this General Information.

The Final Competition Schedule (including Training Schedule) will be distributed after the Final Entry.

3. Rules and Regulations

The competition will be conducted according to the ISSF rules and regulations "Edition 2017 - Effective 1 January 2017"

4. Location and Venue

The competition will take place at the Malta National Shooting Ranges, Triq l-Imqabba, is-Siggiewi SGW 2606 Malta.

The shooting ranges include four combined layouts for Trap and Skeet that. They are equipped with NASTA clay target machines and ELFIPA acoustic release systems and electronic scoreboards. The firing direction is NNE.

5. Events, Categories and Classifications

Trap: One Event for all Categories; Men, Men Junior (-21), Women, Women Junior (-21), Veterans (55+)

Skeet: One Event for all Categories; Men, Men Junior (-21), Women, Women Junior (-21), Veterans (55+)



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Classification: In order to list participating shooters in their respective classification, the Federations are to submit their Official Classification list with the participants' entry forms.

| Classification Trap | Class E | Class 1 | Class 2 | Class 3 |
|----------------------|---------|---------------|---------------|----------|
| Average Score | + 92% | 80% to 91.99% | 70% to 79.99% | - 69.99% |
| Classification Skeet | Class E | Class 1 | Class 2 | |
| Average Score | + 92% | 86% to 91.99% | - 85.99% | |

6. Prizes

The minimum prize money decided by the Malta Shooting Sport Federation for each Individual in each Event is as follows, other prizes for all categories include Trophies and Cartridges.

| Event | 1 st Place | 2 nd Place | 3 rd Place | 4 th Place | 5 th Place | 6 th Place |
|-------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Trap | € 2,000.00 | € 1,000.00 | € 600.00 | € 400.00 | € 250.00 | € 250.00 |
| Skeet | € 1,500.00 | € 750.00 | € 400.00 | € 250.00 | € 200.00 | € 150.00 |

7. Registration and Payment of the Entry Fees

All participants must submit a completed Individual Entry Form forwarded by e-mail not later than **04 May 2019**.

The payment of the entry fees can be made by Bank transfer, or in cash at the shooting range. No credit cards or personal cheques will be accepted.

All amounts must be paid in EUR currency and all Bank charges will be paid by the participants.

Please make one payment for all members of your delegation. A copy of the payment order has to be emailed to the Organizing Committee to facilitate correct record registration.

Bank Account Details:

Bank Name: Bank of Valletta plc.

Bank Address: 45, Triq ir-Repubblika, Valletta VLT 1113 Malta

Account Name: Malta Shooting Sport Federation

Account Number: 40010089314

IBAN: MT30 VALL 2201 3000 0000 4001 0089 314

Swift Code / BIC: VALLMTMT



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All participating shooters, upon arrival, are advised to report to the Secretariat to ensure that their entry forms have been received by the Organizing Committee and that their names are included in the final list of participants.

Late Entries will be accepted until the deadline (10 days before the Official Arrival Day), and only if the maximum number of participants entries have not been reached.

8. Entry Fees and Cost of Training

| Event | Cost |
|---|----------|
| Entry fee per Shooter Men & Women per Event | € 100.00 |
| Entry fee per Shooter Junior (-21) per Event | € 80.00 |
| Entry fee per Shooter Veteran (55+) per Event | € 80.00 |
| Training per round of 25 targets | € 7.00 |

9. Firearms Permits and Customs Formalities

Police and Customs firearms formalities will take place both upon arrival in Malta and on departure.

All participants are requested to fill in the Firearm and Ammunition Temporary Importation and Declaration Form and e-mail it to the Organizing Committee.

In addition, European Union Nationals holding a 'European Shotgun Certificate' are requested to send a scanned copy of their European Firearms Pass and Identification Card or Passport

All other Athletes, NOT holding a 'European Shotgun Certificate' are requested to send a scanned copy of their Passport and their Shooting License.

A charge of Euro 50.00 for the Police Firearm License and / or Police Escort must be paid by each athlete when paying the entry fee.

10. Shotgun Ammunition

The Customs authorities will allow all participating athletes to import with them the necessary cartridges that will be used for the competition. Renowned imported cartridges will be available for sale at the shooting range at the price of EUR 6.00 to EUR 10.00 per box of 25.

11. Storage of Shotguns

Athletes are permitted to take their shotguns to the hotel room provided they do not leave them unattended.



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12. Competition Related Procedures at the Shooting Range

Award Ceremonies will take place at the shooting range after the end of each Final.

13. Jury & Referees

Qualified Referees holding an official ISSF Shotgun Referee license will officiate at the competition. A Jury will be designated by the MSSF to supervise the competition.

14. Arrival in Malta

Malta through its main International Airport and Seaport, offers excellent travel connections.

Many international airlines such as, Air Malta, British Airways, Etihad Airways, Turkish Airlines, Alitalia, Air France, Lufthansa, Emirates, and low cost airlines hold regular flights from and to Malta International Airport.

The Virtu Ferries operates a daily express service between Valletta Harbour and Pozzallo in Sicily and back. The distance between Malta and Sicily is only fifty nautical miles and the trip takes approximately one hour and forty five minutes.

15. Entry Visas

Malta is a full member of the European Union and some nations require visas to enter into Malta.

We strongly advise all non European Union participants to verify in advance whether they need a visa for entry into Malta. If necessary, the Malta Shooting Sport Federation will be ready to provide all participants with the necessary supporting documentation. Detailed information regarding visas and formalities for entry into Malta can be found on the website of the Malta Ministry for Foreign Affairs, <http://foreignaffairs.gov.mt/>

16. Weather Information

June is a dry and sunny month in Malta. At this time of the year the daily highs and lows for this month are 29°C to 24°C respectively.

17. Accommodation

Participating shooters will be responsible for their own accommodation. A good number of Hotels can be found on popular Hotel Search Engines.



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18. Local Transportation and Directions

Participating shooters will be responsible for their own local transport.

The address of shooting range is;

Malta National Shooting Ranges

Triq l-Imqabba, is-Siggiewi SGW 2606 Malta

The GPS coordinates are N 35° 50' 55", E 14° 27' 7"

19. Annexes

All necessary Registration Forms are attached to this General Information.

20. Social and Cultural Activities

Malta's warm Mediterranean climate is reflected in our personality. Kind, hospitable and friendly, we go out of our way to make visitors feel at home and share our passion for life.

Whether you're after exploring the Island's rich history and culture or to try the delicious Mediterranean cuisine at a local restaurant before you dance the night away in the various bars nightclubs that populate Malta's entertainment hub, you are sure to find an event to complement your tastes.

The things to see and do in Malta are endless, and we encourage you to seek out your own Malta experience.

21. Contact Details

| Malta Shooting Sport Federation | |
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