

Lever Action Rifle Discipline

WA State Team Selection

Criteria and Procedure

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1. Intent

The intention is to select from those members of SSAA (WA) that participate in events that form part of the Lever Action Rifle Discipline.

Selection for a position in a State team will include in the selection criteria, as far as is practicable, the actual match format to be contested by the selected team.

Nominations for selection will be determined by the scores achieved at the nominated State Championships before the National Championships to be contested. Final selection is endorsed by the SSAA (WA) State Executive Committee.

2. Advertisement

Each match that is used for selection of a State team will have this indicated on the match advice flyer that is distributed to all branches. Team composition will be included in this advice.

SSAA (WA) will place the selection criteria on the State website which will inform members of the selection match(s) to be held and the availability of the selection criteria. A copy of the selection criteria is to be made available to all interested members of SSAA.

3. Eligibility

To be eligible for selection to any state team, members must;

- Be financial members of SSAA (WA)
- Have participated in the required selection match(es) as detailed in the "Selection Process" below

4. Selection Process

The SSAA WA State Team will consist of up to a maximum of 4 (four) team members who qualify in the results of the 2 (two) Gun Aggregate at the annual SSAA WA State Lever Action Championships.

Selection will be based on the SSAA (WA) Lever Action Rifle State Championships.

Selection will be based on the top placings in the "2 Gun" results consisting of "Open Rifle" and "Open Classic Calibre" combined at the WA State Championships

Current SSAA Lever Action Rulebook No 9 rules apply to all matches.

5. Team Ranking

A ranked list, in descending order will be calculated based upon the aggregate scores determined for all eligible members. The highest ranked 10 members will be eligible for selection in the State Team.

Should a competitor be unavailable, the place(s) on the team will be offered to the next ranked competitor(s) until the team is filled.

If, during the offer process, no members named in the 10-member ranked list accepts the offer of a place in the team, that place will remain unfilled.

To accept this offer, members must forward to the State Discipline Chairman a completed "Competitor Agreement Form" accepting all conditions therein no later than 30 days prior to the advertised National Championship.

Any grant of any travel subsidy or team apparel is conditional upon the completion of the Competitor Agreement.

The State Discipline Chairman will submit the names and scores to the SSAA (WA) State Executive Committee for consideration.

6. Team Approval

The SSAA (WA) State Team will be approved by the SSAA (WA) State Executive Committee. After due consideration of the submission, SSAA (WA) State Executive Committee will notify the Discipline Chairman of their decision on the selection.

Junior members of good standing who have competed in the State Titles and in the opinion of the Discipline Chairman, will represent the Association,

Discipline and Sport with distinction may be nominated in writing offering justification for selection outside specified team limits. This nomination will be considered by the State Executive and advised independently as required.

7. Offer of a Place

Upon approval by State Executive, the State Discipline Chairman will be advised by the State Secretary. The State Discipline Chairman will advise the team members directly.

8. Entitlement

Upon selection as a member of the team, each member may be eligible to receive.

- 1. WA Shooting Team State Uniform as determined by SSAA (WA) Sate Executive
- 2. A Travel Subsidy as determined by the SSAA (WA) State Executive

NB Travel Subsidies will be granted by the State Executive on a case by case basis as needs require. Part or Nil subsidies may be awarded on reasonable grounds e.g. National Championships being held in Western Australia.

9. Related Documents

SSAA Lever Action Official National Rules No. 9 Revised 2022 SSAA WA Member Protection Policy (2018) SSAA WA Competitors Agreement SSAA WA Bylaws SSAA WA Constitution

In the event of any circumstance arising that is not covered by this criteria the State Discipline Chairman will seek direction from the SSAA (WA) State Executive Committee. The SSAA (WA) State Executive Committee has ratified this selection criteria but reserves the right to make the final decision on all matters relating to selection.

SSAA(WA) State Executive (2025)