



Sporting Clays Australia
On 24th & 25th January 2026 will host on behalf of the
Federation Internationale de Tir Aux Armes Sportives de Chasse (FITASC)
the following International Sporting Clays Event

25th FITASC Grand Prix of Australia
Venue - Slacks Creek Rd – Middlingbank – NSW - 2630

Only competitors who are members of a National Federation that corresponds to their Nationality and are affiliated to FITASC may participate.
All competitors must possess a "FITASC ID Number"
Shooting Rules that apply are those of the "FITASC"
The events will be conducted in the following categories: -
Men (Open), Seniors, Veterans, Masters, Ladies & Juniors
The competition is over 200 Targets.

Competition Entry

Entries can only be made by completing the online entry form, accompanied by the appropriate fee - Entries will be open from 27th October 2025 -

<https://scalivescores.com.au/Home/Index>

Further viewing available on the SCA website: - www.sportingclaysaustralia.com.au

Importation of Firearms into Australia

Please Note – Semi Automatic shotguns are not allowed to be imported into Australia for our Clay Target Events. Visitors are only allowed to import Break Action Shotguns.

To compete and import firearms into Australia you will need to apply to:
The Firearms Registry in the Australian State of arrival

A Competition Entry Invitation letter. Your personal Invitation letter is available by Emailing the SCA National Office with your Name – Address – Contact mobile number – This letter will be returned back to your contact Email address.

To bring firearms, ammunition, parts, or accessories you already own into New South Wales, Australia you will be required to apply for the following: The Following is information arriving

Visitor Visa entry requirements

Regarding visitor personal Visa requirements. It would be necessary to check with Australian Embassies in your country to ascertain whether a Visa into Australia is required by you, or not.

Accommodation in Cooma:

There is abundant accommodation available in Cooma and surrounding area

<https://www.booking.com/city/au/cooma.html>

Email for any queries -

secretary@sportingclaysaustralia.com.au

Programme

Practice	Thursday 22 nd & Friday 23 rd January 2026	12pm-4pm
Opening Ceremony	Friday 23 rd January 2025	5pm
Competition	Saturday 24 th January 2026	100 Targets
	Sunday 25 th January 2026	100 Targets

Closing Ceremony and Presentations Sunday - 25th January 2026 at the Cooma Range after the completion of the competition.

Competition Entry Fees

- Men (Open), Ladies, Seniors, Veterans, Masters **\$AUD330-00**
- Juniors **\$AUD165-00**

Australia is once again very proud to be hosting a major FITASC Sporting Competition. The competition forms a part of the –
FITASC Beretta Sporting Oceania Cup and the FITASC Beretta Sporting World Cup.

FITASC Beretta Oceania Cup

- 200 targets best of Australian Grand Prix or New Zealand Grand Prix plus
- 200 targets of Oceania Championships

FITASC Beretta World Cup

- 200 targets best of Australian Grand Prix or FITASC New Zealand Grand Prix plus
- 200 targets of the FITASC Championship of Oceania plus
- 200 targets of the FITASC World Championships

Applying for a Restricted Goods Permit & Exporting your Firearms when Departing from Australia

As per attached 2/Off A4 sheets below

This FACT sheet provides information on the requirements for obtaining an International Visitors Competition Permit - clause 61 of the *Firearms Regulation 2017*.

Persons who are not residents of Australia who intend to visit NSW for the purpose of competing in an organised shooting competition must make application for a permit authorising possession and use of firearms for competition and related activities.

[What does an International Visitors Competition Permit authorise?](#)

The permit authorises possession and use of non-prohibited firearms (other than self-loading or pump action shotguns used in Clay Target shooting competitions) for purposes of competition shooting and related activities.

If you are a Minor (person aged over 12 years and under 18 years) you must complete two additional sections of the legitimate reason form which include consent by parent / legal guardian and information on the person travelling with you.

[What is the term of the permit and how much will the permit cost?](#)

The permit will be issued from one day prior to arrival in New South Wales for a period of three months, unless it is sooner surrendered or revoked. The prescribed fee for this permit is AUD\$75. Your payment must accompany the application.

[What if I have a current International Visitors Competition Permit for competing which was issued Interstate?](#)

You are exempt from the requirement to hold a licence or permit authorising the possession and use of the firearm to which the interstate permit relations for the purpose of competing in an organised shooting competition in New South Wales, engaging in activities connected with that competition and visiting New South Wales before or after competing in a competition involving that firearm in that other State or Territory.

If you imported a firearm on that permit and are visiting New South Wales before or after an interstate competition you are exempt from the requirement to hold a permit to possess (but not use) a firearm for as long as your interstate permit remains valid.

[What if I am importing a firearm with this permit?](#)

If this permit is approved and you have indicated you are importing firearms for competition purposes, a B709 Police Confirmation will be issued by the Firearms Registry to allow the release of firearms from Australian Customs upon your arrival in Australia.

If you are importing semi-automatic firearms, application must be made to the Attorney General's Department for permission to import - Phone 61-2-61412730 from overseas or 02 61412730 from within Australia. FAX from overseas 61-2-61412871 or email firearms@ag.gov.au. Applications to the AGD may take up to six weeks to process.

[What type of firearms can I import on this permit?](#)

LONGARMS: Category A and B firearms, self-loading or pump action shotguns used in Clay Target shooting competitions.

HANDGUNS: Handguns, magazines or barrels for the handguns that meet the following specifications:

- * A calibre not greater than .38", unless the handgun is required for participation in a "specialised shooting competition", in which case the calibre must not be greater than .45"; AND
- * A barrel length of at least 120mm for a semi-automatic handgun and 100mm for a revolver or a single shot handgun, unless the handgun is required for participation in international shooting competition events, AND
- * A shot/magazine capacity of not more than ten rounds.

[How do I apply for an International Visitors Competition Permit?](#)

You must complete the P634 'Application for a Firearms Permit' form and the 'International Visitors Competition Legitimate Reason' form and where applicable provide any supporting documentation. Please see the reverse of this FACT Sheet for instructions on how to complete the P634 form.



Instructions for completing the Firearms Permit Application Form

FIREARMS PERMIT APPLICATION FORM (P634)

NEW APPLICATION / REAPPLICATION

Mark appropriate box (new application or reapplication) and insert any previous or current firearms licence or permit number.

SECTION A - PERMIT TYPE

From the drop down list select the type of permit relevant to this application. If the permit is not listed in the drop down list, enter the type of permit you require in the space provided.

SECTION B - NOMINATED PERSON/BUSINESS OR NOMINATED PERMIT HOLDER/INDIVIDUAL

Insert your full name, date of birth, gender, NSW drivers licence (if held), contact phone numbers, email address and supply details if you have been known by any other names.

SECTION C - RESIDENTIAL ADDRESS

Insert your full residential address in this section.

SECTION D - POSTAL ADDRESS

If the postal address is the same as the residential address, mark the box. If your postal address is different to your residential address, insert your postal address in this section.

SECTION E - BUSINESS, CLUB OR GOVERNMENT AGENCY DETAILS

If this application is being made by a Business, Club or Government Agency, provide details in this section and attach supporting documentation.

SECTION F - SAFEKEEPING ADDRESS OF FIREARMS

If the safekeeping address is the same as the residential address, select 'YES' in the box. If your firearm safekeeping address is different to your residential address, insert the address in this section.

SECTION G - PERSONAL HISTORY

Answer each question by selecting a 'YES' or 'NO' from the drop down list. If you answer 'YES' to any question, provide details as an attachment.

SECTION H - DECLARATION

The application must be signed and dated by the applicant.

SECTION I - FEE

The prescribed fee for this permit is AUD\$75. Payment must accompany your application.

RELATED INFORMATION

See FACT Sheets:

'100 Point Identification',

'Safe Storage Level One - Category A & B Requirements',

'Safe Storage Level Two - Category C, D & H Requirements',

'Transportation of Firearms'.

Firearms Registry

Address

Locked Bag 5102
Parramatta NSW 2124

Telephone

1300362562

Interstate

02 66708590

Fax

02 66708558

Email

firearmsenq@police.nsw.gov.au

Website

www.police.nsw.gov.au/firearms

Where can I find more information?

The information provided in the FACT Sheet is for general guidance only. Applicants and licensees should familiarise themselves with the *Firearms Act 1996* and the associated Regulation, which are available on the NSW Legislation website - www.legislation.nsw.gov.au.



NSW Police Force
www.police.nsw.gov.au



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Recognition of Interstate Firearms Licences

Interstate residents who are authorised in their State or Territory of residence to possess and use firearms are afforded recognition of that interstate authority in NSW for the possession and use of firearms for limited purposes.

This fact sheet provides information on the purposes for which an interstate person may lawfully possess and use firearms in NSW.

What is mutual recognition?

Sections 7 and 7A of the *Firearms Act 1996* (Act) provide that a person must not possess or use a firearm in NSW unless they are authorised to do so by a licence or permit. A licence is defined by section 4 of the Act as 'a licence in force under this Act' - 'this Act' being the NSW Firearms Act.

Therefore, a person who holds a firearms licence or permit in another State or Territory is not authorised to possess or use firearms registered to that interstate licence or permit in NSW, except where the NSW legislation provides for recognition of that interstate licence or permit.

What licence or permits are recognised and for what purposes?

An interstate licence or permit holder may lawfully possess and use firearms in NSW for the following purposes:

Equivalent Category A or Category B licence

An interstate resident who holds the equivalent to a category A or B licence issued in their State or Territory of residence, is authorised to possess or use a firearm for any purpose established by the licensee as being the genuine reason for possessing or using the firearm.

Shooting Competitions (Category A, B or H)

An interstate resident who holds the equivalent of a category A, B, or H firearms licence issued in their State or Territory of residence, may lawfully possess and use a firearm of a kind to which a corresponding category A, B or H licence issued in this State applies, but only for the purpose of enabling the person to participate in a shooting competition being held in NSW and for practicing in connection with an approved competition.

Minors Firearms Permit

An interstate resident who is between the ages of 12 and 18 years and holds the equivalent of a minor's firearms permit issued in their State or Territory of residence may, under the supervision of an authorised person, lawfully possess and use a firearm of a kind to which a corresponding minors firearms permit issued in NSW applies, for the purpose of competing in an approved event, or receiving safe instruction in the use of the firearm. Supervision of the minor must be in accordance with clause 156 of the Regulation.

Clay Target Shooting Competitions (Category C)

An interstate resident who holds the equivalent of a category C firearms licence issued in their State or Territory of residence, may lawfully possess and use a self-loading or pump action shotgun for the purpose of participating in a recognised clay target shooting competition. Note: The shotgun must not be loaded at any one time with more than 2 rounds and may only be used for shooting at clay targets and for associated training programs while on an approved shooting range.

Professional Contract Shooter (Category C)

An interstate resident who is a professional contract shooter engaged or employed in controlling vertebrate pest animals on rural land and who holds the equivalent of a category C firearms licence issued in their State or Territory of residence, may lawfully possess and use a firearm of a kind to which a corresponding category C licence issued in NSW applies, but only for the purpose of controlling vertebrate pest animals on rural land.

Where can I find more information?

The information provided in the FACT Sheet is for general guidance only. Applicants and licensees should familiarise themselves with the Firearms Act 1996 and the associated Regulation, which are available on the NSW Legislation website - www.legislation.nsw.gov.au.

Locked Bag 5102, Parramatta NSW 2124

Tel: 1300 362 562

Interstate: 02 6670 8590

Email: firearms@police.nsw.gov.au

Website: www.police.nsw.gov.au/firearms

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Primary Producer (Category C)

An interstate resident whose occupation is the business of a primary producer or who is the owner, lessee or manager of land used for primary production and who holds the equivalent of a category C firearms licence issued in their State or Territory of residence, may lawfully possess and use a firearm of a kind to which a corresponding category C licence issued in NSW applies, but only for the purpose of using the firearm in connection with farming or grazing activities, including the suppression of vertebrate pest animals on the land concerned.

Supervising at an approved Shooting Range (Category A, B or H)

An interstate resident who holds the equivalent of a category A, B, or H firearms licence issued in their State or Territory of residence, may lawfully possess and use a firearm of a kind to which a corresponding category A, B or H licence issued in this State applies, but only for the purpose of supervising a person at an approved NSW shooting range in accordance with section 6B of the Act and clauses 128 and 26 of the Regulation.

Note: 'Supervising' means the person supervising supervises one person only.

Travelling through NSW (Category A, B or H)

An interstate resident who holds the equivalent of a category A, B, or H firearms licence issued in their State or Territory of residence, may lawfully possess a firearm (possess only, not use) of a kind to which a corresponding category A, B or H licence issued in this State applies, but only while:

- Travelling through NSW, or
- After acquiring the firearm from a licensed NSW firearms dealer, or
- Taking it to a licensed NSW firearms dealer for the purposes of sale, repair, servicing or modification.

Note: Possession only, not use.

Security Activities

To possess and use the pistol or shotgun in NSW for security activities referred to in section 4(1)(c) of Security Industry Act, an interstate security guard must be:

- Licensed in that State or Territory to carry on security activities referred to in section 4(1)(c) of the Security Industry Act 1997, AND
- Authorised to possess and use a pistol or shotgun under the law of that other State or Territory for the purposes of business or employment.

Interstate security guards must contact the NSW Security Licensing Enforcement Directorate on 1300 362 066 to confirm mutual recognition of their security licence.

Exemption - Possess and Acquire Ammunition

An interstate resident who holds the equivalent authority for a firearm that takes the ammunition issued in their State or Territory of residence, may lawfully possess and acquire ammunition for the firearm. Refer clause 132 of the Regulation.

Note: Ammunition includes any ammunition that can be safely fired in the firearm.

Related Information

- [Safe Storage Level One - Category A & B Requirements fact sheet](#)
- [Safe Storage Level Two - Category C, D & H Requirements fact sheet](#)

See the [Safe Storage](#) page on our website.