

Saturday April 13th

Luftgewehr Schützen (dry run, not official)

Location: 100 yd range

Breakfast at 8:00 am

Match starts at 9:00 am

Cost is \$30 per shooter

LUFTGEWEHR SCHÜTZEN RULES

Match is comprised of shooting a total of 3 Traditional 25 ring Targets: 2 targets (20 shots) off bench, then 5 shots offhand (supported or unsupported, see equipment) followed by an airgun adapted tradition of a König bird shoot.

Target scoring will use a .30 scoring plug. König (King) Target- 2-3" center, distances will be 50,75 and 85 yds

Course of Fire:

Target 1 (Benchrest, 10 shots) will be shot over 30 min, targets retrieved, scored and posted for viewing. Target 2 (Benchrest, 10 shots) will be shot over another 30 min, scored and posted. Target 3 (offhand, 5 shots) will be then be contested over another 30 min. All targets will be scored and posted, followed by the final portion of the König Targets (offhand, 2-3" center, progressive distance, the farthest target has the wooden overlay awarded to the winner) Shooters will individually compete on the König Targets, with the lowest target score shooting first. Shooters will have 10 min for 5 shots on a total of 3 targets, shooting the nearest target first, progressing to the next target only after a successful hit, provided shots remain. 25 points will be awarded for each successful hit. Shots remaining after 3 successful hits may be taken for additional points but only at the farthest target. Maximum number of additional points for König is 125. Highest overall score for the match is 750.

Total scores will be calculated to determine the winner and the current "Luftgewehr Schützenkönig" will be declared, dethroning the previous Schützenkönig. Title will be awarded to the general overall winner (combined classes) if less than 2 compete König (unsupported). If 2 or more compete in König (unsupported) class, the title is reserved for the König (unsupported) class winner, with the supported class (Fürst) winner being named Luftgewehr Schützen Fürst.

With 5 or more in overall attendance minimum payout returns will be 100, 60 and 30% for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place overall. All shooters <4th will be entered and randomly drawn for one complimentary entry fee for any future BSC airgun event of their choosing. Following tradition, match winner (Luftgewehr Schützenkönig) will be awarded the traditional wood target used in the final portion and farthest target of the match and both König and Fürst will be invited to compete in the Boerne Luftgewehr Schützenfest.

Rules and Equipment:

Single shot or magazine fed, mechanical air rifle (no semi auto or electronic components) shooting commercially available pellets only, any caliber but not exceeding 100

fpe. Magazines must be loaded with only after match has started. Cast pellets and slugs are not permitted. Hybrid and cylindrical pellets (ex. FX Hybrid, H&N Sniper) will be considered slugs. Once the match has started no adjustments to the rifle can be made including power, hammer, air stripper, LDC's, regulators or ergonomic components. Butthooks are allowed and are not to exceed 30 degrees in adjustment.

Scopes are allowed with no magnification limit or minimum. Illuminated reticles are permitted. Digital scopes are not allowed. Shooters may adjust scopes between shots. Spotting scopes are allowed.

Bench: One piece rests are not permitted. Front rests are permitted but may not attach to the rifle. Butt (rear) of the rifle must be supported by the shooter only. Shooters are allowed to set their unloaded rifle on a rear rest between shots to secure the airgun, but must not handle the airgun or look through the scope while rifle supported on rear rest. Tethered shooting is not permitted. All tanks must remain on the ground during refilling. Compressors on the line are not allowed.

Offhand: Two classes are contested: König (unsupported, offhand) and Fürst (supported, offhand) Fürst: Only unattached bipods and monopods (fixed or adjustable) are allowed and may be adjusted during the match. Supports must fall freely when muzzle is elevated. Slings are permitted in either class. Slings must be two point, connected at the fore stock and butt of the rifle and must not interfere with the support free fall rule. Slings may only be worn during offhand portions and must be removed for the benchrest portion. Slings may be adjusted during the offhand portions of the match. Palm rests are permitted in either class but cannot exceed 6" in depth from center of the bore and must remain attached and in adjustment from beginning of match. Shooting gloves are not permitted. Shooting jackets or otherwise movement restrictive clothing are also prohibited. Windflags will be setup along the range. Lane assignments will be randomly drawn and changed for each target. No shooter may handle or score their own target after shooting. Shooters may elect to hang their own targets but are not required to do so.

Equipment failures, etc: During the match, only one rifle may be used per shooter. Backup rifles may not be substituted following an equipment failure. Shooters may attempt to repair their airgun themselves while on the line but may not fire any 'blow-off' shots without counting for score. Once the match has started, any sear engagement or forward movement of the hammer and not as a result from a decocking effort will count towards score. Blow off shots will be counted as a shot once the time for that target has begun unless directed to do so by the Match Director as a safety measure. Blow off shots after refilling but prior to timer start is allowed. Example: filled your airgun, timer has not started, and you want to blow one shot off to settle the reg and plenum = ok if audibly called. Air expelled during a decocking effort will also be counted for score unless a cold line has been called by the MD and shooters were instructed. Shooters may not replace broken or otherwise malfunctioning accessory items such as slings, butthooks or palm rests once match has started. Equipment failures that pose a safety risk must be brought to the Match Directors attention immediately. Any rifle is subject to a safety inspection and may be chronographed. Cold line calls will pause the timer and will resume when call is reversed. Shooters may not refill air during a cold line. Protests must be brought to attention immediately. Scoring protests will have the target rechecked by an alternate scorer

determined at the beginning of the match and results will be considered final. König targets, like any resettable field target, are subject to splits and cannot be contested.

Luftgewehr Schützen matches will begin with a traditional German breakfast (weisswurst if available, bratwurst, bacon, freshest eggs (from my chickens) with (optional) mustard sauce and of course potatoes and breads. Coffee will be served but no bier :(