



XVIII Open Polish Championship in Western Shooting „Wild Borderland 2024”

COMPETITION REGULATIONS

1. Purpose of the competition:

- selecting the Champions of Poland
- popularization of western Shooting
- integration of the shooting community
- presentation of weapons from the "Wild West" period
- sports competition

2. Organizers of the competition

- Polish Western Shooting Association, Łódź, ul. Rzepakowa 33
- Polish Sports Shooting Association

3. Date and place of the competition

- 03-07.05.2022r. 1st Western Shooting Range. Stary Chrzastów, 95-045 Parzęczew
(51°56'06.4"N 19°10'00.3"E)

4. Competition program

- Main match: 12 stages Cowboy Action Shooting wg SASS®
- Main match: Wild Bunch – 8 stages (Traditional i Modern)
- Main Match: Nietykalni – 4 stages (Regulation Annex nr 1)
- additional competitions:
 - Plainsman – 2 stages (Regulation Annex nr 2)
 - Speed Gun CAS & WB ONLY: speed pistol, rifle, shotgun (individual)
 - Duel (individual & bondage)
 - Fast Draw US Original – organizer`s ammunition
 - Annie Oakley – organizer's weapons and ammunition (competition only for women)
 - Top Gun – setting Polish records (Regulation Annex nr 3)
 - Costumes contest (application required during registration)

5. Participation

- All licensed and appropriate firearms in accordance with applicable regulations
- categories according to SASS regulations
- Prematch for judges is held on a given day of competition one hour before the start of the first circuit. Judges who, for various reasons, could not participate in the prematch take part in the competition on the rights of other competitors.

6. Scoring

- Individual and team, in accordance with the applicable SASS and PZSS regulations

7. Awards

- Individual - medals and diplomas for the first three places
- Medals are awarded for places actually taken, regardless of the competitor's country of origin
- Additional competitions - diplomas for the first three places
- Team - diplomas
- Costumes contest - individually for her and for him and for a couple
- In-kind prizes and statuettes in the event of acquiring sponsors
- Best Male, Best Female Competitor (regulations Annex 4) - cup

8. Application

- Personal applications by electronic means from 30.03.2024 r. to 12.04.2024 r.:
online: <https://caspoland.weebly.com/mistrzostwa-polski-2024.html>, email: pssw.cas@gmail.com; phone: +48 605 100 315
- Applications after this date will not be accepted and the competitor will not be able to participate in the competition.
- The competitor is obliged to inform the organizer about this fact in the event of his resignation.
- If you resign after April 25, 20221, the advance will be forfeited.
- PSSW members may enter the competition only if the membership fees are paid. Otherwise, the application will not be approved.
- The registration of a competitor from Poland will be accepted after payment of an advance of PLN 200 to the account of PSSW Alior Bank 59 2490 0005 0000 4530 1068 4443. Transfer of the advance must be made no later than April 18, 2024.
- In the absence of an advance payment, the competitor is not allowed to participate in the competition.
- Possible exceptions possible in individual cases with the consent of the organizer.

9. Participation costs

9.1. Starting:

- 12 Stages CAS (all SASS® categories) for PSSW members – 220 PLN, other players – 250 PLN;
- 8 Stages Wild Bunch for PSSW members – 120 PLN, other players – 150 PLN
- 4 stages Nietykalni for PSSW members – 100 PLN, other players – 130 PLN
- 2 stages Plainsman – 50 PLN
- Speed gun: each type of weapon and each attempt – 20 PLN (a maximum of 2 attempts for each weapon)
- Duel individual – 40 PLN
- Duel bondage – 40 PLN
- Annie Oakley Cup – 40 PLN
- Top Gun free of charge (only 3 attempts possible)
- Fast Draw US Original– 50 PLN
- Mix for free
- Costume contest free of charge
- Persons under 17 years of age pay an entry fee of 50% of the indicated amounts.
- The second and each subsequent person under 17 years of age from the same family (in the case of parents shooting at the competition) pay an entry fee of 25%.
- **The entry fee for participation in the competition is each time paid in full (regardless of the number of days).**
- As part of the starting fee, the organizer provides one hot meal each day for competitors.
- The organizer provides drinks for competitors as part of the starting fee.
- Lunch for an accompanying person - PLN 30 / item possible to order only during registration.
- Cost of participation in the campfire - PLN 60

9.2. Accommodation:

Possible accommodation in the competition area (upon prior notification):

- Own tent, own caravan / camper - PLN 15 / day for person (connection to electricity included)
- Accommodation at the local hotel base on your own

Nocleg w ramach okolicznej bazy hotelowej we własnym zakresie

10. Any other business

- The competition will be conducted in accordance with the shooting range regulations and the PZSS and SASS safety rules.
- The competition is included in the PZSS calendar and will be held in the presence of the technical delegate.
- Participants' own ammunition in accordance with SASS regulations, except for Fast Draw, Annie Oakley Cup (organizer's ammunition).
- The **minimum** amount of necessary ammunition for the main competition:
 - CAS: rifle 120, revolvers 120, shotgun 60

- WB: rifle 80, pistol 120, shotgun 40
- Untouchables: SMG 60, pistol 50, shotgun 20
- Custom Weapons, Except for Annie Oakley Cup Event, consent on with SASS regulations
- The organizer does not provide the loan or deposit of weapons.
- Mandatory use of shooting goggles and hearing protection.
- Clothing in accordance with SASS and PZSS regulations referring to the era is required.
- Uniform for the Untouchables competition in Appendix 1
- The number of SASS categories may change depending on the number of competitors entered.
- If the competitor decides to change the category, he is obliged to inform the organizer about this fact until the end of the track.
- Persons under the age of 18 may participate in the competition only in the presence of a legal guardian.
- Oral or written protests may be submitted to the Clerk of the Course within a maximum of 10 minutes from the end of a given course and will be considered definitively until the next one starts. One-off fee for lodging a protest: PLN 100.
- The organizer has the right to refuse to participate in the competition, as well as to observe the competition as a spectator, to a person whose behavior raises (or raised in the past) doubts as to the observance of the rules of social coexistence, harms or harms the image of the PSSW, whose presence could violate the sense of security of other players.
- The organizer reserves the right to change the regulations (until the competition starts) and to interpret them later.

Annex 1 to the regulations of the competitions organized by Polish Western Shooting Association

Untouchables competition requirements::

The 10 foot rule applies - from this distance you should not notice any equipment shortcomings.

1. Weapons

Ball - Each model until 1945, for integrated pistol or revolver ammunition.

Rifle: The basic one is the SMG Thompson. PM Sten and clones, PPSz, PPS and Mauser C96, P 08 Parabellum and ViS wz.35 pistols are allowed, provided that the stock-holster can be connected.

Pistol: Basic is the Colt 1911 A1 pistol and clones. All other center fire pistols are allowed, except for modern sports modifications. It is also possible to use weapons listed in the rifle category after disconnecting the stock-holster (it is then necessary to have additional magazines), SA and DA revolvers with reservations as in the pistol.

Shotgun: Basic is Winchester mod. 97 and 12 caliber 12. Any horizontal, pump action or semi auto (Browning 1900, Winchester 1911, Remington 1914) is also allowed, subject to the above restrictions.

2. Ammunition:

Any of the weapons that can be used in accordance with the regulations, with the exception of Magnum and Super Magnum ammunition. FMJ and HP bullets are allowed for paper purposes, and also WC for revolvers. For metal purposes, only projectiles complying with the SASS regulations. The energy and velocity of the bullet shells must comply with the WB regulations. For all other issues of weapons and ammunition, controls and penalties, the SASS and WB rules and regulations apply.

3. Dress code:

The outfit must refer mainly to the interwar period and contain at least 5 elements characteristic of the chosen style (including details such as a signet ring, cufflinks, a pendant or a cigar). It must absolutely match the weapon used. Any objections to the dress code result from the SASS and WB regulations.

The use of armpit holsters is allowed - the 170 degree rule still applies.

3. Categories:

- A. traditional (Colt 1911, Thompson)
- B. Gangster Wood Stock (buttstock pistol)
- C. open (other weapons permitted by the regulations)

In each of the above, individual (women and men) and team classification is possible.

Any disputes relating to weapons, ammunition and clothing will be settled by MD immediately and are not subject to d more protests.

Annex 3 to the regulations of the competitions organized by Polish Western Shooting Association

Plainsman competition rules

Plainsman is a category of dynamic cowboy shooting in which one to three types of weapons are used.

Original weapons, manufactured before 1900 or their replicas:

1. A single-shot rifle with an external hammer, firing traditional revolver or rifle ammunition, with a minimum caliber of .30. Center fire rifles as well as recoil percussion rifles are allowed.
2. Two percussion-firing revolvers of caliber .36 or greater. Revolvers can be six-shot or with more chambers, but only loaded with 5 bullets and 5 percussion caps.
3. Horizontal shotgun with or without external cocks, single shotgun or lever action shotgun in caliber 12g or 16ga.

Black powder only ammunition, pure lead bullets. In the case of using revolver ammunition in a rifle, it is necessary to use the full weight of black powder.

Categories

In the case of a larger number of participants, it is possible to divide into the following categories:

Plainsman Modern - it is allowed to use any rifle approved for the category (also construction with a spring ejector, Harrington & Richardson type), Ruger Old Army revolvers and percussion replicas of other period revolvers. Percussion revolvers may be fired in any style (two hands are allowed).

However, violation of the safety rule consisting in the prohibition of covering the drum with the hand results in disqualification from the competition (MDQ).

Any type of shotgun approved in the category may be used.

Plainsman Traditional - in this category we use only traditional Sharps, Rolling Block and High Wall rifle constructions without spring ejectors. The only exception allowed is the Springfield Trapdoor, traditional percussion revolvers, and the single-shot shotguns or horizontal shotguns with external cocks. Revolvers are fired in the Duelist or Double Duelist style.

Civil War - in this category we use percussion percussion rifles from the American Civil War period (Sharps, Gallager, Smith, Maynard), traditional percussion revolvers and single-shot or horizontal shotguns with external hammers.

Revolvers are fired in the Duelist or Double Duelist style.

Rifle targets, depending on the scenario, can be located at distances further than in traditional Cowboy Action Shooting competitions, i.e. 15 - 100m.

Usually, 4-6 shots from a rifle and shotguns are fired on the track, and 2 x 5 shots from revolvers. The number of shots may be modified depending on the scenario planned on the track. All other matters are governed by the rules of the Single Action Shooting Society.

Annex 2 to the regulations of the competitions organized by Polish Western Shooting Association
Regulations for establishing the Polish record „Top Gun” w CAS

Guns – defined by SASS regulations: rifle, two revolver SA (for Wild Bunch pistol 1911 .45 ACP), shotgun

Ammunition - defined by SASS regulations: 10 – rifle, 10 – revolvers (pistol), 4 – shotgun

Targets - defined by SASS regulations : 10 knockdown targets, 4 poppers

Distance - defined by SASS regulations: odpowiednia dla każdego rodzaju broni.

Costume – defined by SASS regulations for categories

Categories – defined by SASS regulations

Scenario – Hands raised above shooters head, loaded revolvers holstered („Wild Bunch”: loaded pistols holstered, second magazine is on the belt), the loaded rifle and unloaded shotgun are on a table in front of the shooter. After the BEEP shooter engage the closer 5 targets with the first revolver, and next with the second revolver the same targets (Wild Bunch: changing pistol's magazine). Revolvers (pistol) to holsters. With the rifle engage the 5 next targets will stand more distant in „double tap”. Rifle put on the table. With the shotgun, engage the poppers. The end.

Only an attempt with no misses will be counted.

The Shooter has only three attempt.

Annex 4 to the regulations of the competitions organized by Polish Western Shooting Association

Regulations for the selection of the Best Male and Best Female Competitor of the Polish Championships

The Best Male and Female Competitor of the competition will be selected from the competitors who completed each of the three competitions: Cowboy Action Shooting, Wild Bunch, Untouchables, by adding up the scores obtained in these competitions.