



Silver State Shooting Sport Association

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Wow! What a year so far! As president of Silver State Shooting Sports Association SSSSA I would like to thank you for your support over the past year. We will be shooting this month at Clark County Shooting Complex September 21st and 22nd so you can continue working on the Winchester/NRA Qualification Program. We will be introducing a new program to keep scores for our youth. When you turn in your target scores we will enter them into the program and later send you your score to your email address so you know where you are at the next time you come out.

We could not have done all this without the Clubs teamwork. Thanks all that helped us out. If you would like to help please feel free to contact me!

Our team has made a lot of changes and looking forward in serving you in the future!

In the Shooting Spirit,

Silver State Shooting Sports Association

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Winchester/NRA Qualification Program

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They have made several new changes to the program by adding these new sections
Defensive Pistol 1 and 2 qualifications courses.
Tactical Rifle Qualifications
Air Rifle Qualification

There have been several changes to Pistol Qualification and the Light Rifle Qualifica-

tions. If you are currently working on those qualifications you will be allowed to continue until you are finished. If you are just starting out you will start with the new qualifications.

Pistol qualification has changed the Distinguished Expert course of fire down to 5

shots instead of 6 shots and lowered the minimum score of 145 and 170.



State Junior Olympics

Coach Paul Theile, Steve Brewer and JD Evans are working on starting up the Junior Olympic program for our youth. We are hoping to host the State Championships here in Las Vegas. Upon completion of the State Junior Olympics your athletes may be eligible based on their score to come compete in Colorado Springs, CO in the National Junior Olympics. This program gives young shooters the opportu-

nities for outstanding growth and college scholarships. Our hope is to give as many shooters as possible this opportunity. We ask that, if you're able, to apply and give these young athletes the chance of a lifetime!



Shotgun Training and Winchester Qualification Program

You asked for it and we will be starting shotgun training this fall. Currently we have several Instructors ready to take the challenge. We will be conducting the classes at the Education Center then go down to the shotgun towers at the shooting complex. The cost is going to be around \$15 which will include the use of the towers at the shotgun range Watch for the announcement soon!



NRA Club Postal Matches

Starting in November going through March we will be conducting the NRA Club Postal Matches. There will be an extra fee involved and is a national competition. Standing, Kneeling, and Prone will be the 3 position competition. Watch for more information to follow soon.



Scholastic Pistol Program

On September 21st from 3:30pm-7pm the Scholastic Pistol Program will be setup for any of the youth that would like to join the Silver State Junior Shooting Club team in conjunction with the Las Vegas Area Council Boy Scouts. We need to form squads of 4 in each division. More information listed below.

Welcome to the exciting world of action pistol speed shooting, a sport like no other and offering an absolutely "level playing field" across genders and age. SSSF is the National Governing Body for youth speed shooting, offering kids from elementary school through college with the opportunity to safely participate in our exciting team-based Scholastic Pistol Program (SPP) - a sport that can truly be enjoyed for lifetime.

Like all of the sports that [Scholastic Shooting Sports Foundation](#) (SSSF) offers, SPP is designed to instill in young people a set of personal values or charac-

ter traits for fair play, compassionate understanding, individual responsibility, sportsmanship, self-discipline and personal commitment. As the sport itself, these qualities that will stay with them throughout their lifetimes, helping each young athlete reach their full potential

Our athletes compete in a center fire and/or a rim fire division. Targets are steel circle or rectangular plate's. All courses of fire are timed events.

1. Rim fire (Junior Varsity) squads are organized based on the same age groups as Center fire (Varsity):
2. Junior Division (ages 12 - 16),
3. Senior (17 - 20)
4. Collegiate (no age limit). In the event a squad has both Junior and Senior Division members, in order to complete a squad the entire squad will be required to compete in the Senior Division.

If you would like to be part of this new program please contact Head Coach Dan Lord 326-4295 or nrerso@cox.net

*Here is the New
Scholastic Pistol
Program Information*



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The objective of this organization shall be the encouragement of organized rifle, pistol and shotgun marksmanship with a view toward, education, good knowledge and furthermore safe handling and proper care of firearms, and to create a public sentiment for the encouragement of organized rifle, pistol and shotgun practice both as a sport and as a necessary means of defense. It shall be our further objective and purpose to forward the development of those characteristics of honesty, good fellowship, self-discipline, team-play and self-reliance, which are the essentials of good sportsmanship and the foundation of true patriotism.

Serving the Youth of the greater Clark County, Nevada

We are on the Web
www.silverstateshooting.org



Women on Target Program

Now Women all across the country have an even greater incentive to develop their recreational shooting skill using the Winchester/NRA Marksmanship Qualification Program. It's fun! It's easy! And every time you go to the range (and you'll want to go often) you can apply your practice score to the rating requirements. So if your mom grandmother or sister would like to join please send them along with you.

