



2024 TSNZ Outdoor Nationals

at the RR&G Range, Palmerston North
18-24 February 2024, Hosted by
Southern Hawkes Bay and Target Shooting Wanganui

GENERAL INFORMATION:

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Entries:

Entries are required to be received (including payment) no later than Friday 2nd February 2024 and final squad numbers will be determined at that time. Late entries will only be accepted if there is available space and will incur a late fee. A requirement of entry is that you must be a financial member of Target Shooting NZ. International visitors must be a financial member of your relevant National Shooting Federation and hold all relevant licenses to enable you to compete. You will be required to arrange import permits and other required paperwork from the relevant New Zealand Authority, and must comply with all relevant COVID19 conditions.

The entry form is available as a pdf that can be filled out online or printed then scanned or photographed. A confirmation email will be sent to competitors once entry form and fees have been received.

Event Fees:

Please pay entry fees to Target Shooting Wanganui 03-0791-0480038-000.

Reference is ONat24 and your name as the code.

As we are hosting at a range outside of our Associations there are some extra costs which we have tried to offset. We have endeavoured to set entry fees at a reasonable price.

First time Nationals competitor fees rebate:

Thanks to the generosity of LUKE'S ELECTRICAL we are able to offer anyone who is attending their very first Nationals a rebate on their entry fee. Rebate amount will be confirmed after entries close.

Squadding details and start times:

The earliest start time is 10:00 am. Squadding details will be provided after the close of entries.

Shooting mats:

If you have your own, please bring it. There are mats available at the range, which will be available on a first in first served basis to use.

Rifles:

There will be secure storage provided at the range for a limited number of rifles, you will need to take responsibility for your own equipment. If you are an international competitor, please contact Robbie McNair on the above email address to arrange a suitable club 'buddy' to help you.

Juniors:

Juniors must be under 21 years of age on the 31st of December 2024 to qualify for Junior teams and awards. Scores shot will count for both the Junior and Women's/Men's matches.

Veterans:

Veterans must be 60 years of age or over before the 19th of February 2024 to qualify for Veterans awards.

Grades:

Grades are as follows for your average score for a 10 shot string:

A Grade	97.00-100	This would equate to scores of 582/600 or above
B Grade	95.00-96.99	This would equate to scores between 570 and 581/600
C Grade	92.50-94.99	This would equate to scores between 555 and 569/600
D Grade	Up to 92.49	This would equate to scores of 554 and below

North Island, South Island and New Zealand Teams and Aggregate Trophies:

To be able to be selected for these teams and awards, you must be a TSNZ member resident in NZ and compete in three matches – both graded matches and the Nationals 50m match.

North Island and South Island Teams:

The top 11 aggregate scores from each island will be selected for the North and South Island teams including 1 emergency in each.

New Zealand Teams:

The top 10 aggregate scores will be selected for the Wakefield team

The top 22 aggregate scores will be selected for the Slazenger team including 2 emergencies

The top 5 women aggregate scores will be selected for the Women's team

The top 3 junior aggregate scores will be selected for the Junior team

The top 3 junior men aggregate scores will be selected for the Junior Men Drew team

The top 3 junior women aggregate scores will be selected for the Junior Women Drew team

The top 10 junior aggregate scores will be selected for the Junior Drew team

The top 12 women aggregate scores who wish to be considered will be selected for the Women's Randle team including 2 emergencies – TBC closer to the event

Outdoor National Championship (Individual Trophies/Medals):

Will be presented as per the TSNZ Trophy Steward's list.

Venue:

The range is situated approximately 3.3km down Turitea Road and is 333 Turitea Road.

To get there from Palmerston North City Centre

- Fitzherbert Avenue, over the bridge, turn left onto Summerhill Drive, then right Old West Rd. Turn left onto Turitea Rd. The range is approximately 3.3km down Turitea Rd with the driveway on the left.

Or from Saddle Road/Ashhurst or Pahiatua track take Aokautere Drive, then left onto Old West Rd, then left onto Turitea Rd.

Or from Linton, take Old West Rd then turn right onto Turitea Rd.



COMPETITOR INFORMATION:

Registration:

All competitors must register their attendance at the RR&G Range and sign the range standing rules form on arrival. A start card will be included in your entry pack for you to record your squadding details on and results of an optional equipment check.

Equipment checks:

Equipment checks are optional and can be done at the range on Sunday 18th February from 1:30pm. Please see Jackie from the TSNZ office if you would like equipment checks after this day/time so it can be arranged.

Please note that although Equipment Checks are optional, it is every shooter's responsibility to ensure their gear complies with ISSF Rules if they are an NZSF-ranked shooter, while non-NZSF-ranked shooters may use equipment and clothing that complies with TSNZ Indoor Rules. Random gear checks may be performed.

Squadding information:

All squad lists will be displayed in the club rooms. Please check that you are listed. If there are problems, please advise Robbie McNair, Paul Turner or Dave Westcott. Also in the club rooms will

be the expected start times for each squad and the mound draw, and any changes to match/selection conditions that may apply.

Target Machines:

Target machines only go in a forward direction, **there is no reverse**, so take care when you roll them on. **Shooters are reminded to NOT advance targets until you are called to the line.** In the event you have a machine problem during your competition, please advise the Range Officer immediately. If we cannot clear the problem quickly and easily, we will change your firing point position.

Shots per target:

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| 50m Prone | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 2 shots per diagram for the match, .• 1 lead in target, 4 sighting targets, 30 competition targets, 1 lead out target |
| Three position | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 2 shots per diagram for the match, 1 shot per diagram for the finals.• 1 lead in target, 4 sighting targets for each position, competition targets, 1 lead out target |
| Assn teams | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 2 shots per diagram for the match,• 1 lead in target, 2 sighters, competition targets, 1 lead out target for each team member |
| Benchrest | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 1 shot per diagram for the match,• 1 lead in target, 2 sighters, 4 competition targets which also include sighters, 1 lead out target |

Results:

Official Results will be posted in the club rooms where the necessary protest time will be observed. Targets can be collected and checked at the same location. Copies of confirmed results from previous days will be displayed in the club rooms and will be posted on the TSNZ website.

Practice:

Practice for 3P, Prone and Benchrest will take place on Sunday (18 February) with the range open from 1 pm and Practice starting at 1:30 pm, or by arrangement throughout the week (see Robbie or CRO to arrange this). The cost for practices will be \$15, to cover target and range fees. Payable on the day.

Equipment Preparation:

Shelter will be provided for equipment preparation behind the firing point. No rifle cases will be allowed on the firing point. Essential shooting equipment only on the firing point.

Benchrest & Personal Flags:

The Benchrest competition will consist of 3x 40 shot matches run on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday with competitors to shoot 1x 40 shot match per day. There will be one squad each morning and two each afternoon with a maximum of one morning squad to be shot. Self squadding to apply with shooters encouraged to move to a new Firing Point for each match.

Time allowed for each match will be 45 minutes plus 15 minutes prep/sighting time.

TSNZ 50 m fanfold Benchrest targets will be used.

The range will be set up for shooters to compete in this event on mounds 1 to 6 or as numbers require. Some squads may have less mounds available. This will be determined once entries close.

Benches and seating will be available. Feel free to bring your own seats.

Personal wind flags will NOT be permitted to be used on the range.

Presentation of awards are planned to be made Wednesday afternoon at the range after all Benchrest results have been finalised but this is still to be confirmed.

Volunteers:

We thank those that have already volunteered to help run the TSNZ National Championships in Palmerston North. As with any event, support from fellow shooters is much appreciated. If you would like to help in any way, then please reach out to one of the Host committee members, or speak with Robbie or Paul and fill out the entry form at the bottom to volunteer.

Women's Randle Match:

The Hosts are endeavouring to run a Randle team match on the Shotgun Range, range 3. This is still to be confirmed as being available as it is scheduled to have improvements completed before the Nationals starts. As a result, the Day, Time and Range for the Randle match will be confirmed closer to the event. The Randle Match is a duel distance event, shot at 100 yards and 50 yards. Selection is made based on the 2x graded match scores.

Association Teams Match:

Entry form for the Association teams match will be available available in the club rooms with entries closing Thursday evening.

Food:

There will be food available to purchase at the club rooms for lunches and snacks.

Team Photographs, Presentation & Dinner:

Team photos will be held at the Distinctions Hotel, Palmerston North starting at 6.00 pm - please arrive by 5.45pm to make sure you are there in time. Dress code for team photos is black blazer/jacket and tidy dark trousers, white shirt, and dark tie for men; women may wear trousers or skirt with their blazer, but please ensure skirt length is suitable for being seated in the front row of a photograph without being over-revealing.

Photos will cost \$30.00 each which includes postage. Please pay at the time of ordering, cash preferred or eft-pos available.

Dinner will follow at 7.30pm, with presentations after the meal.

Dinner tickets are \$65 per person and are paid for at the time of entry, please indicate the number of tickets you require on the entry form. You will need to exchange your ticket to receive your meal, so please remember to bring them to the dinner.

Accommodation:

There is a wide variety of accommodation available in Palmerston North, from Hotels, Motels and AirBnB and BookaBach.

There is the option to stay at the range if you have your own tent, caravan or camper. There is also limited space in the club rooms to set up a camp stretcher. Cooking and shower facilities are available in the club rooms. Cost is \$10 per night.

2024 TSNZ Nationals Provisional Timetable of events

Date	Event	Approximate Start Time
Day 1 Sunday 18 th February 2024	Practice and Equipment Checks after 2:30 pm	Range open at 1 pm Practice 1:30 pm to 4:00 pm
Day 2 Monday 19th February 2024	TSNZ 3P Championship Final 1 hour after Results Posted Benchrest, Match One Prone, Badge Match	10.00 am Start time 10.00 am, 2:45 pm, 4:30 pm 2:45 pm, 4:30 pm, 6:15 pm (if required)
Day 3 Tuesday 20th February 2024	Prone, Graded Match 1 Benchrest, Match 2	10:00 am, 12:00 pm, 2:00 pm 10:00 am, 12:00 pm, 2:00 pm
Day 4 Wednesday 21st February 2024	Prone, Graded Match 2 Benchrest, Match 3 Benchrest Awards presentation	10:00 am, 12:00 pm, 2:00 pm 10:00 am, 12:00 pm, 2:00 pm 4:30 pm TBC
Day 5 Thursday 22nd February 2024	Women's and Junior Women's Prone National Championship Men's and Junior Men's Prone National Championship Eliminations Randle Match practice	10:00 am 12:00 pm, 2:00 pm 2:00 pm TBC
Day 6 Friday 23rd February 2024	Men's Prone National Championship Qualification Women's Randle Team International match (TBC) North v South	10:00 am 10:00 am TBC 2:00 pm
Day 7 Saturday 24th February 2024	NZ Teams – Matches Slazenger / Wakefield / Women's / Juniors Association Teams Match Team photos followed by Dinner and Presentations	10:00 am, 12:00 pm 2:00 pm 5:45 pm