

FSMSSA is proud to host the abovementioned Championships on the BMSSC range at Bloemfontein. The championship will commence at 08h30 on Thursday and finish on Saturday

Officials:

Match Director: **Fanie Koen**
Chief Announcer: **Garry Osthoff**
Chief Range Officer: **Pannetjie Rossouw**
Weapons Certification: **Pannetjie Rossouw**
Squadding: **Annette Rossouw**
Scoring & Stats: **Annette Rossouw**
Target Setting: **BMSSK**

Technical- and Appeals Jury Members will be published on the Notice Boards at the Range.

Entries:

The competition is open to all valid paid-up SAMSSA members. Participants should enter through their respective provincial secretary and submit payment to the relevant provincial body.

No entry will be accepted without payment. Only cheques, postal orders and electronic payments with proof of payment will be accepted. Entries must reach the Secretary FSMSSA BEFORE **10 April 2016**. **Please submit entries, complete with proof of payment, to both the FS Secretary, Jakes Pieterse(jpcpieterse@gmail.com) and the squadding official, Annette Rossouw (rossouwad@mweb.co.za).**

Late Entry Fees will be ONLY on the condition that the Squadding and Stats Officer are able to fit in the squadding of such!

All entries must be forwarded to the respective provincial secretary.

The competition fees are:

Entry Fee Senior	– R200
Entry Fee Family	– R300
Entry Fee Junior	– R100
Entry Fee Pensioner	– R100
Event Fee	– R20 per item

Squadding and practice:

Official shooting starts at 08h30 each morning.

Squadding details will be available on BMSSC's web site from 20 April 2016.

It is important to note that, due to squadding constraints, a competitor can enter for 10 events should the competitor be available for all three days. If the competitor can only shoot Friday and Saturday the maximum number of events is reduced to 6. If a competitor is only available on Saturday, he/she can only enter for 2 events.

Should range capacity allow, competitors will be allowed to enter for more events under the following conditions:

- **The shooters will be squadded back to back and they will have to provide their own scores/spotters.**
- **Shooters must prioritize events in case all events cannot be squadded.**

Competitors must be on range 15 min. before their squadded time – both A & B details. A & B details must score for each other. Shooters who fail to do duty as a scorer, will forfeit his/her score.

Please note that shooters, who miss their allocated squadding, forfeit their chance in that particular event.

Squadding will be sent to provincial secretaries.

As decided at the SAMSSA AGM, each shooter will be expected to perform RO duties as per squadding details. Shooters

who fail to do duty as Range Officer, will forfeit his/her scores. Competitors must make provision in their stay on the range for at least one RO Duty; **you may not shoot the event while you are RO.**

Sighting-in can be done from 07h00 to 08:15 Thu, Fir & Sat. Sighting-in can also be done 14h00-18h00 on Wed. Sighting-in can also be done 16h00-18h00 Thu & Fri on the condition that those sighting-in will shoot in line with range command as to not disturb competitors.

Safety and Weapon Certification:

No firearms may be handled or shots fired at any time when no Range Officer is available, not even during practice sessions.

Weapon certification will be done at any time. It is the responsibility of each shooter to ensure that his/her firearms conform to the rules.

Winners will be determined by reverse animal count. Only with exact ties, will there be shootouts.

Other:

Caterers will be on the range during the day and we ask you to support them please.
Targets will be painted white.

Shooters are responsible for own target setting up to 100m.

Drug testing may be performed during any part of the competition. Any competitor, who refuses drug testing, will be disqualified from the competition.

Protest will be handled according to IMSSU rules. The cost of lodging a protest is R100 (to be paid back in the event that the protest is successful).

Shoot-offs will commence at 15h00 on Saturday – see details below.
Contact the FS Secretary Jakes Pieterse on 082 404 7417, in case of any queries.
Contact Allen Mc Hatty directly at 074 727 0076 regarding bookings at the Caravan Park.

Prize Giving:

Shooters who do not attend the awards function should make special arrangements with fellow shooters to obtain their medals. FS will not keep or distribute medals after Saturday's function.

Medals and awards:

All participants that competed in the Championships will be issued, free of charge, with a "FSMSSA Participation Certificate", reflecting the Items he/she competed in, including the class and scores achieved per item.

A "FSMSSA Record Holder Certificate" will be supplied, on request.

A competitor will be given a medal upon receiving his/her first achievement bar.