2021 Summer Leagues Summary of Rules Changes & Points of Emphasis

Scoring

• We will continue to use bound scorebooks for <u>all leagues</u>, including sporting clays, 5-stand, and Tri-Combo.

Scorebooks should be used when shooting whenever possible, except sporting clays and 5-stand. Each score must be put in the scorebook for a specific week in the season for the number of weeks in the regular season, and no shooter should put multiple scores in the scorebook for any one week of the regular season.

When necessary, and especially for sporting clays, shooters can still use loose sheets to score on, but all scores must be either scored on or transcribed into the bound scorebook. It is OK to just copy the final score in the scorebook, as long as the original loose sheet is put in a designated box called "Score Sheets," which will have separate files for each team to use to keep their loose sheets together.

Official scoring on our website is only done from the scorebooks, not from loose sheets. Any loose or attached sheets in the scorebooks or score boxes/slots will not be scored and will be removed from the scorebooks and placed in a designated box called "Incomplete Scores." It is the responsibility of the captains to check the Incomplete Scores box and check to make sure all those scores are in the scorebooks by the end of the last day of the regular season, otherwise those scores will not count.

Shooters will still be able to shoot ahead and behind as far as desired, and shooters can shoot as many extra rounds as desired (**except for Back-em-up Trap**). We will have a section at the back of the scorebooks with pages for "extra scores." On those pages, a shooter can have multiple scores on the same page. The scorers will not enter the extra scores until a shooter has shot all their regular season scores, and then will use the extra scores, in the order the scorers find them in the extra pages in the scorebook, to replace the lowest scores in the regular season. We will continue to post official scores each week on our website. **Scores shot before a shooter's membership is paid will not count.**

- Rounds shot during the practice period, in tournaments, and in other events can count as league rounds, provided those rounds are entered into a scorebook; are shot at our Club; are shot in the same shooting discipline (e.g., only any kind of sporting clays event score can count for a sporting clays league round), and are shot within the dates of the season. A 100-round sporting clays tournament round can count for 2 league rounds; divide the 100-round score by 2 and enter that score in the league book twice.
- We have added an Individual FITASC league for 2021.

Shoot-offs

- Shoot-offs for all leagues will consist of 50 targets: 2 rounds of 5-stand, and 1 round of sporting clays.
- In the event of ties after the first round of shoot-offs, a second round of shoot-offs will only happen if awards are involved. Also, for any ties involving awards, the teams or shooters can split the awards rather than shoot off if all parties agree to split. All affected team captains (or shooters for individual leagues or individual awards) will be notified after the initial shoot-offs and asked their preference for shooting-off again or splitting the awards.
- We are clarifying how "high gun" in the shoot-offs is determined: the round(s) you shoot in the shoot-offs for
 your individual or team shoot-off in each league you are in is the same score used to determine the high gun
 for the shoot-offs in that league; you do not shoot a separate round (or rounds) to determine high gun in the
 shoot-offs.

Awards

- For the General Raffle, shooters must be present to win
- For any Gun Raffle, shooters need not be present to win
- Award percentages for the regular season and shoot-offs will be the same (new this year)