WORLD MASTERS GAMES 2021 KANSAI / JAPAN

# **Sports Information Guide**

\* This information is as of 21 July ,2021, please check the latest information at the time of your entry.

# Shooting (Clay)



- 1 Organisers: Organising Committee of the World Masters Games 2021 Kansai, Hyogo Local Organising Committee, Japan Clay Target Shooting Association
- 2 Co-organiser: Kinki(prefectures) Clay Target Shooting Association
- **3 Supporters:** Hyogo Clay Target Shooting Association, Okayama Clay Target Shooting Association
- 4 **Competition Dates:** Sunday, 15 May Sunday,-22 May 2022 (The competition will be held over 5 days of the 8-day competition period.)

Date	Time	Event	
Sunday, 15 May	9:00 - 17:00 from 13:00 from 17:00 from 19:00	Free practice for all events Officials' meeting on the competition (Okayama Clay Target Shooting Range) Sport Check-In (Hotel in Okayama) Competition briefing Opening ceremony	
Monday, 16May	9:00 - 15:00	ISSF Women's Trap/ Skeet / Para-Trap Official Training	
Tuesday, 17 May	9:00 - 17:00	ISSF Women's Trap/ Skeet / Para-Trap Day 1	
Wednesday, 18 May	9:00 - 14:00 15:30 - 17:00	ISSF Women's Trap/ Skeet / Para-Trap Day 2 ISSF Women's Trap/ Skeet / Para-Trap Final	
Thursday, 19 May	9:00 - 15:00	ISSF Men's Trap/ Skeet Official Training	
Friday, 20 May	9:00 - 17:00	ISSF Men's Trap/ Skeet Day 1	
Saturday, 21 May	9:00 - 17:00	ISSF Men's Trap/ Skeet Day 2	
Sunday, 22 May	9:00 - 13:00 14:30 - 16:00 from 19:00	ISSF Men's Trap / Skeet Day 3 ISSF Men's Trap / Skeet Final Medal ceremony and closing ceremony	

\*We will limit the entry/departure period, time, and airport for the clay target shooting participants from overseas as follows. The procedure for the gun

possession permit and relevant documents required for entry into and departure from Japan cannot be performed except this period, designated time, and designated airport.

Period of entry:Friday, 13 May 2022—Monday, 16 May 2022Period of departure:Saturday, 21 May 2022—Tuesday, 24 May 2022Designated time:9:00-18:00

Designated airport: Kansai International Airport (KIX)

\*Overseas participants should read "17. Notes on participation for overseas participants" of the Sports Information Guide carefully before their entries. \*Extra days for bad weather: None

#### 5 Venue

Okayama Clay Target Shooting Range (629 Mitsushimoda, Okayama Kita-ku, Okayama 709-2134)

# 6 Competition Capacities

- (1) ISSF Para-Trap (125 targets +F) : 30 participants
- (2) ISSF Trap (125 targets +F) : 126 participants
- (3) ISSF Skeet (125 targets +F) : 126 participants

Total: 282 participants

# 7 Competition Rules and Methods

(1) Competition Rules

The agreed terms of the competition shall be in accordance with the ISSF rules.

- (2) Technical Delegate
   Hiroshi Teranishi, Competition Vice Chairperson, Japan Clay Target Shooting Association
- (3) Competition Rule

☆As a rule, each athlete must participate in one official training round (PET) before the start of the competition.

① ISSF Para-Trap (125 targets +F)

The category for persons with impairments is divided into SG-S (wheelchair), SG-L (lower limb), and SG-U (upper limb) and are competed by men and women together.

No distinction in age categories (30 years of age or older). The first to thirdranked individual athletes by type of event will be awarded medals. Groups composed of two men and one woman shall apply for participation as a team in advance and the first to third-ranked teams will be awarded medals based on the total score of individual results.

ISSF Men's Trap (125 targets +F), ISSF Women Trap (125 targets +F)
 ISSF Men's Skeet (125 targets +F), ISSF Women Skeet (125 targets +F)
 Individual athletes by gender and by age category ((A) 30 to 49 years of age and (B) 50 years of age or older) shall participation as individual athletes in advance, and the first to third-ranked athletes will be awarded medals.

Groups composed of two men and one woman shall participate as a team, and the first to third-ranked teams will be awarded medals based on the total score of individual results.

- ③ All participants will receive a prize for participation and a memorabilia at the time of the games accreditation process.
- ④ Competition officials will serve as judges and scorers in accordance with the ISSF rules.

(Athletes may also judge their own games as well.)

#### 8 Event

(General Category)

Event		Gender	Age Categories	Note
	Individual	Men	30+, 50+	
		Women	30+, 50+	
Trap	Team	2 Men 1 Woman	30+	The first to third-ranked teams will be awarded medals based on the total score of individual results. (There will be no team PET.)
	Individual	Men	30+, 50+	
		Women	30+, 50+	
Skeet	Team	2 Men 1 Woman	30+	The first to third-ranked teams will be awarded medals based on the total score of individual results. (There will be no team PET.)

#### (Category of Athletes with Impairments)

Event		Gender	Age Categories	Note	
Para-Trap	Individual	SG-S (Wheelchair) SG-L (Athletes with impairments in the lower limb(s)) SG-U (Athletes with impairments in the upper limb(s))	Mixed	30+	PET will be held for each category of impairment.
		Team	2 Men 1 Woman	30+	The first to third-ranked teams will be awarded

	medals based on the
	total score of individual
	results. (There will be no
	team PET.)

\* Participation in a younger age category than in the own age category is not allowed.

# 9 Eligibility

 Japanese athletes must be in possession of a legal license for possession of guns or an explosives transfer permit (firearms cartridge permit), and must register with the Japan Clay Target Shooting Association before the competition.
 \* At the time of the event, participants must present a copy of the registration certificate from the Japan Clay Shooting Association and the firearms cartridge permit.

\* However, this does not apply to those who entered by February 28, 2021.

(2) Japanese nationals who wish to participate in the Para-Trap Category must register with the Japan Para Shooting Sport Federation and the Para Shooting Department of the Japan Clay Target Shooting Association before applying for participation.

\* Participants must present copies of the registration certificate of the Japanese Sports Shooting Federation for the Disabled and the Para Shooting Department of the Japan Clay Target Shooting Association, and the firearms cartridge permit.

\* However, this does not apply to those who entered by February 28, 2021.

(3) Those who wish to participate in the General Category from overseas should be registered member of the International Shooting Sport Federation(ISSF) affiliated association, and their participation should be approved by their Federation.

\* Copy of the registration certificate should be submitted at the time of their application.

(4) Those who wish to participate in Para-Trap Category from overseas should be registered member of World Shooting Para Sports or National Federation of one's own country, and their participation should be approved by their Federation.
\* Copy of the registration certificate should be submitted at the time of their application

#### 10 Age Requirement

The minimum age requirement is 30 (born on or before 31 December 1992). In line with the sport-specific rules, an athlete must compete in their designated age group (with your age determined as of 31 December 2022). For example, if you are 49 during the time of the Games, but will be turning 50 by 31 December 2022, you would have to compete in the 50+ age category.

#### 11 Medal Ceremony

Medals will be awarded at the medal ceremony (and closing ceremony) to be held at 19:00 on Sunday, 22 May 2022.

- (Venue = Banquet hall at the same hotel as the competition operation headquarters)
- (1) ISSF Para-Trap

The first to third-ranked individual athletes by impairment type without distinction of gender and age category.

The first to third-ranked teams (composed of two men and one woman) will be awarded with the medals based on the total score of individual results.

(2) ISSF Men's Trap, ISSF Women Trap ISSF, ISSF Men's Skeet, ISSF Women Skeet

Individual athletes by gender and by age category ((A) 30 to 49 years of age and (B) 50 years of age or older) shall apply for participation as an individual athlete in advance, and the first to third-ranked athletes will be awarded. Groups composed of two men and one woman shall apply for participation as a team in advance, and the first to third-ranked teams will be awarded medals based on the total score of individual results.

#### 12 Registration Fee

- (1) Competition participation fee (including tax and handling fee)
  - \* Check the <u>World Masters Games 2021 Kansai Participation Terms and</u> <u>Conditions</u> for details.
  - ① Competition participants (Basic fee: allowed to participate in 5 disciplines)
    - a) Overseas participants: 24,000 yen/person (Including a transportation pass for mobility within the Kansai area.)
    - b) Domestic participants: 15,000 yen/person
       (Does not include a transportation pass. Could be bought optionally at an additional cost.)
  - 2 Persons related to the competition (Basic fee)
    - a) Overseas participants: 14,000 yen/person (Including a transportation pass for mobility within the Kansai area.)
    - b) Domestic participants: 5,000 yen/person (Does not include a transportation pass. Could be bought optionally at an additional cost.)

\*When a helper (a person who supports an athlete with impairment participating in a competition) participates in the competition for providing such support, he/she is required neither to apply for participation in the competition nor to pay a registration participation fee (provided, however, that the helper must apply for participation as a competition official when he/she requires a kit for participating in the competition, a transportation pass and others).

- (2) Additional charges (extra fee)
  - Japanese and overseas participants in the trap, skeet and para trap competitions: 10,000 yen

- ② Expenses related to import and export procedures of firearms for overseas athletes: 25,000 yen
- (3) Competition equipment rental None
- (4) Types and prices of cartridges

PRO-EXTRA mirage T4-24g-7.5 / T4-24g-9 (25 cartridges 1,150 yen, 500 cartridges 22,500 yen)

GRAND ITALIA mirage T3-24g-9 (25 cartridges, 1,100 yen, 500 cartridges, 21,500 yen)

COMPETITION mirage T2-24g-7.5 / T3-24g-9 (25 cartridges, 1,050 yen, 500 cartridges, 20,000 yen)

\*Payment can only be made in Japanese yen. The types of ammunition and the number of rounds required must be submitted at the time of application for entry.

(5) Opening ceremony and welcome party fee: 15,000 yen (to be finalized) Sunday,15 May 2022, from 19:00

Venue = Banquet hall at the same hotel as the competition operation headquarters (tentative)

- (6) Closing ceremony and farewell party fee: 15,000 yen (planned) Sunday, 22 May 2022, from 19:00
  - Venue = Banquet hall at the same hotel as the competition operation headquarters (tentative)
- \* PET and practice clays (about 1,200 yen / round of 25 clays) Please note there will be a disposal cost for un-spent cartridges (¥100 per cartridge: ¥5,000 per 25 cartridges for transportation and a handling fee of ¥2,000 per event participated) must be paid (payment must be made on-site in Japanese yen)
- \* Overseas participants are not allowed to take away live cartridges from the competition venue. At the end of all events, you must consume all cartridges in your possession for practice or in competition.(clay targets will be thrown for this purpose (tentative)) You are strictly not allowed to give away cartridges to other participants, local or international.

# 13 How to Apply for Participation

(1) How to apply for participation in the competition

Application is made through the entry system on the official website (Entry System) dedicated to the application for the entry to the competition via PC or smartphone.

- \* Check the <u>World Masters Games 2021 Kansai Participation Terms and Conditions</u> for detail.
- (2) Application period for participation in the competition
  - a) Overseas participants: By 31 January 2022.
  - b) Domestic participants: By 28 February 2022.

\* a) For overseas participants, after sending the application through the entry system, they should create the final entry sheet and submit it before 20 February 2022. The procedure to create and submit the final entry sheet will be published on

the official website in January, 2022. Please register the information required for obtaining the gun possession permit in Japan.

#### 14 Notes on Participation

- (1) Clothing
  - ISSF rules shall be applied to clothing regulations during the competition.
  - Competition numbers (bibs) will be distributed at the reception
- (2) Competition equipment, etc.
  - Participants shall participate with their own firearm.
  - Overseas participants must purchase live cartridges at the Okayama Clay Target Shooting Range and use all their acquired ammunition. Licensed Japanese participants must transport and store cartridges appropriately at their own risk and responsibility.
  - All firearms must be checked at the competition venue during the designated period before the start of the competition.
  - Japanese participants must transport and store the firearm appropriately at their own risk and responsibility.
  - Overseas participants must clear customs procedures that are necessary for importing and exporting out guns owned in their own names during the period of stay in Japan in accordance with the procedures specified by the Organising Committee.
  - Overseas participants must import and export their own firearms personally when entering/leaving Japan and are not allowed to enter/leave Japan without the proper procedures (i.e. leaving your firearms in the hands of others when leaving Japan).
  - The number of firearm that could be brought from abroad is ONE only. Extra firearms are not allowed to be imported. It is not allowed to bring any firearm other than you have registered on your final entry sheet.
  - We will not allow overseas participants to bring live cartridges from abroad. Overseas participants must purchase their live cartridges at the competition venue and must consume them completely. Please note that when you bring live cartridges from overseas, they will be confiscated at the arriving airport and the cost for disposal will be charged to you. All live cartridges must be consumed and any remaining cartridges after the competition will be collected and disposed at the competition venue. You may not bring the unused cartridges back home.
  - \* Due to the procedures, overseas athletes must use Kansai International Airport (KIX) for arrival and departure from Japan. Arrival and departure from Japan from other airports is not allowed.

\*The organiser will not be arranging any transportation services from the Kansai International Airport to the venue. Each participant must be responsible for their own transportation.

(3) Insurance

The organiser will subscribe to accident insurance for participants, but this insurance is applicable only to "injuries incurred during the competition in the competition venues" of the "competition participants and persons related to the competition", and does not cover all kinds of risks during the competition. Therefore, all persons taking part in the competition are requested to subscribe to required insurance at their own prerogative and costs.

\* Check the <u>World Masters Games 2021 Kansai Participation Terms and</u> <u>Conditions</u> for detail.

- (4) Doping Control
  - ① The doping control in accordance with the <u>World Anti-Doping Code</u> and <u>the</u> <u>rules of the International Masters Games Association</u> shall apply to this competition.
  - ② Anti-doping activities (doping inspections and anti-doping education activities) shall be conducted in accordance with <u>the rules of the International Masters</u> <u>Games Association</u>.
  - ③ Participants are deemed to have agreed to be subject to doping control procedures in accordance with <u>the rules of the International Masters Games</u> <u>Association</u> upon entry to the competition. Participants are advised to check <u>the rules of the International Masters Games Association</u> for more details.
  - ④ This competition aims to promote anti-doping activities as an activity to protect clean sports and clean athletes in order to leave various values of sports to the next generation through sports in cooperation with the Japan Anti-Doping Agency.
- (5) Procedure for Bad Weather

The competition will be held in light rain. If there are chances of lightning during the game, the game will be suspended.

If it is determined that the game cannot be held or continued due to bad weather, the game will be canceled and no postponement will be made. (Changes such as cancellations will be reported and announced as appropriate according to weather conditions [on the bulletin board where the competition secretariat is located at the venues (hotels where participants stay).]

# **15** Application for Accommodation and Transportation

(1) Accommodation

Refer to the Accommodation Information Page on the <u>World Masters Games</u> <u>2021 Kansai Official Website</u> for information on accommodation.

(2) Transportation

Refer to the Transportation Information Page on the <u>World Masters Game 2021</u> <u>Kansai Official Website</u> for transportation information including access to the venue.

# 16 Others

All participants must complete the accreditation process and check-in at the competition venue before participating (competing or getting involved) in a competition.

(1) Games Accreditation

Accreditation services shall be provided at the Opening Village, each Prefectural Masters Village, Center Village, and the special service desks. The participant must bring a valid photo identification and complete accreditation process personally by 1 day before the competition. (No exception will not be allowed.) Furthermore, even when participating in team competitions or as a team, each participant must complete the accreditation process.

Accreditation process can be completed at any of designated service desks; however, operation hours and dates differ depending on the location.

- \* Check the <u>World Masters Games 2021 Kansai Participation Terms and</u> <u>Conditions</u> for detail.
- (2) Competition entry application and the draw meeting to determine the shooting order (all events)
  - Competition entry application
     Application of overseas applicants: Until the end of January 2022
     Japanese applicants: Until the end of February 2022
  - Draw meeting to determine the shooting order
     End of April 2022 (In Hyogo Prefecture (venue to be determined) )
  - ③ Note:

Participants must follow the procedures specified by the organising committee in order to bring their own firearms to the venues. Participants must adhere to the due date of required documents, etc., because a longer time than expected may be required for completing the procedures.

The competition organizer will conduct a draw to determine squadding, based on the entry information submitted at the at the end of February 2022. The squadding information will be posted on the competition website. The squadding details may be subjected to change depending on the number of applications as of 17 May.

- (3) Competition check-in (registrant confirmation, explanation) (all events)
  - ① Date and Time

Sunday, 15 May 2022, 9:00 - 16:30 (Free practices for all events (men and women) and the opening ceremony)

Monday, 16 May 2022, 9:00 – 16:30 (Official training for all events (women and Para-Trap))

Thursday, 19 May 2022, 9:00 - 16:30 (Official training for all events (men) \*Participants must complete both the accreditation process and check-in by one day before the participating event. (There will be no accreditation process and check-in on morning of the event.)

\*There will be a competition briefing during the start meeting held on the first day of each event.

② Place

Competition management headquarters (hotel conference rooms in Okayama City)

③ Remarks

It is possible for agents to complete entry procedures for the games (including a representative for a team). (Participants must complete the accreditation process themselves as AD cards will be issued.)

- \* At this point, no new players will be registered (regardless of nationalities).
- (4) Competition officials' meeting
  - Date and TimeSunday, 15 May 2022, from 13:00
  - Place
     Competition venue (Okayama Clay Target Shooting Range)
  - ③ Note:

This is a meeting for persons in charge of the competition and scoring

- (5) Competition briefing
  - ① Date and Time

Sunday, 15 May 2022, from 17:00

② Place

Competition management headquarters (hotel conference rooms in Okayama City)

- ③ Who can attend? Participating athletes and accompanying persons, officials, competition volunteers. Participation is optional. No fee required.
- (6) Opening ceremony and welcome party
  - Date and Time Sunday, 15 May 2022, from 19:00
  - Place
     In Okayama city (banquet hall at the same hotel as the competition headquarters)
  - ③ Who can attend? Participating athletes and accompanying persons, officials, competition volunteers. Participation is optional, however, prior sign-up and fees are required.
- (7) Athlete's Competition Equipment Examination, etc.
  - Date and Time
     The day before the start of the competition of each event or before the start of the event on the first day of the competition
  - ② Place

Competition venue (Okayama Clay Target Shooting Range)

③ Note:

Clothing, firearms, etc. of participating athletes will be examined according to the ISSF regulations

- (8) Medal ceremony and closing ceremony
  - ① Date and Time

Sunday, 22 May 2022, from 19:00

② Place

In Okayama city (banquet hall at the same hotel as the competition headquarters)

③ Remarks

Subject People: Participating athletes and accompanying persons, officials, competition volunteers. Participation is optional.

#### 17 Notes on participation for overseas participants

In Japan, gun possession is heavily regulated in laws and provisions. Overseas nationals must follow the procedures specified by the organizing committee of the Games which include the application entry, when to enter to and departure from Japan, the gun possession permit required for bringing in and out their own firearm while they stay in Japan, import • export • transport • storage of firearm and purchase of ammunition.

- (1) Application period for the entry and deadline for submitting the final entry sheet After applying through the entry system on the official website (Entry System), you should create the final entry sheet and submit it by 20 February 2022.
  - 1. Application through the entry system <u>Due date: Monday, 31 January 2022</u>
  - 2. Submission of the final entry sheet <u>Due date: Sunday, 20 February 2022</u>

•The procedure to create and submit the final entry sheet will be published on the official website in January, 2022. Please register the information required for the procedure of the gun possession in Japan.

•Entry will be canceled if the final entry sheet hasn't been submitted by 20 February 2022.

(2) How to obtain the gun possession permit in Japan

In order to possess firearm in Japan, you should go through police and custom inspection at airport at the time of your entry to and departure from Japan and clear the procedures for the gun possession permit and import/export.

•Due to the procedural reasons, we will limit the entry/departure period, time, and airport for clay target shooting participants from overseas as follows. Entry to and departure from Japan is not allowed other than specified period, designated time, and designated airport. Entry period: Friday, 13 May 2022 – Monday, 16 May 2022 Departure period: Saturday, 21 May 2022 – Tuesday, 24 May 2022 Designated time: 9:00 – 18:00 Designated airport: Kansai International Airport (KIX)

• Flights from overseas must be direct flights to Kansai International Airport (KIX). (You cannot transit to KIX after arriving to other domestic airports)

• Firearms of overseas nationals need to be imported and exported personally when they arrive in and depart from the country. They cannot entrust their own gun with another person.

•The number of firearm you can bring from abroad is ONE only. It is prohibited to bring any extra guns. You cannot bring any firearm other than you have registered on your final entry sheet.

•Overseas nationals are not allowed to import ammunition into Japan. Athletes must purchase ammunitions which are sold at the competition venue. In the case of athletes importing ammunition, it will be discarded at the airport. In this case, participants must bear the cost of disposal of the ammunition. Ammunition purchased at the venue needs to be used at the venue, and any remaining ammunition will be collected or discarded at the venue. Furthermore, participants are not allowed to export ammunition when departing from Japan.

(3) Rules on transportation and storage

Firearm of overseas participants, after the inspection at airport immigration, will be transported from Kansai International Airport (KIX) to the venue by the logistic supplier contracted by the organising committee of the Games. The mode of its transportation from the venue to the Kansai International Airport (KIX) and how to return firearms to the participants at the time of their departure from Japan will be published at a later date. Gun inspection at Kansai International Airport (KIX) is mandatory at the time of their departure too.

•No transportation for athlete. Athletes need to arrange transportation by themselves between the airport and the venue.

• Firearms of overseas participants will be stored in the gun storage at the competition venue during the competition period. It is not allowed to carry out any firearm outside the venue.

Athlete information				
Name	Sex	Date of birth		
Nationality	Residential address	Address in Japan		
Passport number	Passport date of expiry	Passport ID page photo		
Name of federation	Registration ID number	Registration ID photo		
Mailing address	Visa application			

#### (4) Information required for the final entry sheet (tentative)

Event entry					
□ISSF Trap Men	□ISSF Trap Women		□ISSF Para Trap Mixed		
□ISSF Skeet Men	□ISSF Skeet Women				
Firearms					
Туре	Action type		Manufacturer		
Model	Serial number		Overall length		
Barrel length	Gauge		Market price		
Photo of whole firearm	Photo of serial number		Spare barrel		
	of firearm				
Ammunition you will pure	Ammunition you will purchase at the venue				
Manufacturer	Quantity		Gauge		
Flight information					
Flight information(Arrival) Flight infor			nation(Departure)		
Accommodation information					
Hotel	Address		Date of check in and out		
Your contact information in Japan					
Mobile phone number	E-mail address				