

SA JAGTERS- EN WILDBEWARINGSVERENIGING SA HUNTERS AND GAME CONSERVATION ASSOCIATION



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Inter Branch League Rules

Introduction.

The main objective of the Inter Branch League is to have structured country wide competitions undertaken with a standard set of rules. The Plains (Springbuck), the Bushveld (Blue Wildebeest) and the Big Bore (Buffalo) tables will be utilised for the Inter Branch League competitions. The results of the two legs of the competition will form the basis for selecting teams for the annual Inter Branch final which normally takes place in October. The top 30 teams will be selected to participate in the three leagues, A B or C on the basis of the results achieved in the two legs of the competition. Not more than three teams per branch will be allowed and only one team per branch per league may be selected.

Rules.

1. Only points scored by branches in regional competitions against other branches may be registered. Individual shoots of branches will not be accepted for the League competition. Only the first points scored in a leg of the competition may be registered at National Office.
2. There must be opportunity for participants to sight their rifles at 100 meters before the competition starts. The "sighting area" on the targets may be utilised for this. 10 Minutes may be allowed for sighting. Competitors that participate in more than one exercise and who use more than one rifle, must sight all their rifles in the allotted 10 minutes. From 100m it is not necessary that holes be indicated and competitors can sight their rifles without indication. After the allotted time and the range had been declared safe by the Range Officer, competitors may go forward to patch the targets.
3. A team consists of 5 members. The five members may not necessarily be the same five that compete in the Plains, Bushveld and Big bore tables. This implies that a branch may select the best five members for each table and may therefore have between five and 15 shottist in the branch team for each league A,B or C.
4. All the tables must be shot on one day to qualify for league points.
5. All five shottists shoot at the same target during competition.

6. The League consists of two legs as indicated in the shooting calendar. The first leg will take place from February to April. Exact dates for final score registration will be indicated in the shooting calendar.
7. The second leg takes place from May to July. Final date for score registration is indicated on the shooting calendar.
8. The average of the two legs will be used to select teams for the final competition.
9. The members of the teams do not have to be the same persons for the two legs of the competition or the final.
10. Disciplinary action will be taken against any competitor contravening the rules of the individual tables. If found guilty, a shottist may be banned from future participation and the team will be disqualified from the competition.

Note: Please ensure that timeous arrangements are made with neighbouring branches and to book shooting ranges.