Polk Senior Games Pistol Shooting Additional Rules

- 1 Shooters may enter one of two categories: With Optics or With Iron Sights. Medals are awarded for men and women in 10 year age groups; 50-59, 60-69, 70-79, 80-89, etc.
- 2. Notification of start time will be mailed. If notification is not received, call Event Manager Mike Kirila at 260-466-8622. Also, call Mike if unable to attend after receiving start time.

3. <u>A MANDATORY safety and review meeting will be held 15 minutes before your group's start time.</u> You can only attend YOUR group's safety meeting to enter the range and compete.

- 4. Practice at a special rate will be available at Shoot Straight Lakeland. Call 863) 937-8021 for available practice times. Must have photo ID and confirmation letter.
- 5. As safety is a priority, pistol shooting participants MUST have prior experience.
- 6. Shooters must provide their own ammunition and concealed carry type pistol of any center fire caliber.
- 7. Firearms used for competition may not be shared.
- 8. Equipment may be inspected and participation denied if equipment is deemed not safe.
- 9. Eye and hearing protection is required when entering lines. Some loaner equipment will be available.
- 10. Any unsafe behavior will be grounds for disqualification.
- 11. Courtesy and safety are mandatory. No loud talking on or behind firing line is allowed.
- 12. Before the competition rounds begin, one target per person will be provided for 15 minutes practice, with unlimited shots.
- 13. The competition match is three 10-shot rounds:
 - 1) Slow Fire at 10 yards in 5 minutes; magazines and revolvers loaded with 5 rounds at a time (one reload).
 - 2) Timed Fire at 5 yards, 2 separate 5-shot strings in 20 seconds.
 - 3) Rapid Fire at 5 yards, 2 separate 5-shot strings in 10 seconds.
- 14. Ties will be broken using hits in the target's 'X' ring.
- 15. B-29 silhouette targets will be used.
- 16. Shoot Straight rules will apply and will be reviewed before tournament.
- 17. Range Rules
 - a. Pistols must remain cased or boxed until you reach your assigned shooting position.
 - b. The Range Master will assign shooting lanes, call the match, and time rounds.

c. Do not load your pistol until you receive the command "LOAD". Load not more that 5 shells at a time – regardless of your pistol's capacity.

- d. There will be no alibis (excuses for a re-fire) permitted for gun malfunctions.
- e. When you finish a stage remove your magazine, lock slide back or leave cylinder open.
- f. Only shooters are permitted on firing line. Spectators must remain in the lobby or lounge.