



Florida Skeet Association Newsletter

Greetings Florida Skeet Shooters,

We are well into the Summer and it's a hot one! We all need to still go out and enjoy activities, but stay well hydrated and limit your time in the direct sun.

Recent Events:

2023 Annual iZone 4 Shoot – “The 50th Anniversary”

This past weekend the iZone 4 shoot was held at 8 locations, 234 shooters participated. The Florida location was Palatka Skeet Club where Terry, Gidget and crew hosted a fine event. The weather at our location was dry and very, very hot! We had several new shooters join us for their first registered targets and several for their first major tournament – we look forward to getting to know them at future shoots !

Steve Johnstone had a wonderful coin struck commemorating the 50th Anniversary that is pictured above.

HOA Congratulations go to:

CH Stuart Brown

RU Shaeffer Stanfill

3rd Houston Deshotels

Also, Florida shooter Thomas Tamayo was selected for the Zone 4 Free Entry for the 2023 World Shoot – good luck Thomas !

Race for the Buckle

Congratulations to our 410 Event Winners:

CH Cannon Petitjean 97

RU Steve Johnstone 96

3r Barry Milliken 96

Lady and Junior CH Kadie Anderson 95

Congratulations to our 3 Gun HOA Buckle Winners

CH Cannon Petitjean 292
RU Steve Johnstone 291
3rd Kadie Anderson 290 (Lady CH & Junior CH)

A1 Ed Ford 276
B1 Barrie Milliken 285
C1 Paul Manoliu 279
D1 Melissa Petitjean 264

There were a total of 108 shooters who participated throughout the 4 events - many shooting their first registered targets !

A big Thank you to our Sponsors for the one of a kind buckles that will be awarded for the HOA:
Palatka Skeet Club; Magnum Printing (Mark Giampietro); Palatka Bolt & Screw (George Johns); Putnam Drilling (Hunter Winkleman) and Murray Tucker III

Upcoming Events:

2023 World Championships: Will be held September 29 – Oct 6th. This includes the Junior World Championships, Mini World and the World Skeet Championships.

Some of the Fall Florida Events:

Imperial Polk – World Shoot Warm Up – Sept 8– 10th (registration open <https://ishoots.org/isreg/>)
Hurlburt – Robert Trawick Memorial Open - Sept 8 – 10th (registration open <https://ishoots.org/isreg/>)
Markham – Halloween Open – Oct 7th
Jacksonville – Emory Pappy Memorial October 13 – 15th
Palatka – Otero Bass Capital Open October 20 – 22nd
St Augustine – 45th Octoberfest Open October 26 – 29th (registration open <https://ishoots.org/isreg/>)
Imperial Polk – JB Maszk Hall of Fame November 10 -12th
(Please refer to the Florida Skeet Association website calendar tab for the full list of events)

Sincerely,

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