

The 6th N.R.A.

World Action Pistol Championships

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Hamilton Pistol Club

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AMMUNITION

With the standard limit of 5Kg per passenger on ammunition for air travel, it is difficult to bring enough ammunition to the World Champs in November. It is doubly difficult if you are shooting Iron Man.

We are fortunate to have Richard Munt of Serious Shooters in Auckland to assist us in making a range of options available to shooters attending the WAPC. Richard can be contacted at ammo@wapc2008.com

Below are some options to assist with practice ammunition to use prior to the match, and for side matches etc during the WAPC. All prices and availability are subject to change, but every effort has been made to make options listed below available if ordered before the end of September 2008. All prices are in New Zealand dollars (NZD\$) and include local taxes.

FACTORY AMMUNITION

Federal's American Eagle 9mm, 115gr or 147gr FMJ, @ \$29 per 50, \$135 per 250 or \$495 per 1000.

Remington UMC 9mm, 115gr, 124gr or 147gr FMJ, @ \$32 per 50, \$149 per 250.

Highland 9mm 115gr FMJ may also be available on request.

NZ MANUFACTURED AMMUNITION

ODL (commercial remanufacture) 9mm, 124gr FMJ, \$24 per 50, \$110 per 250, \$400 per 1000.

Custom Match 9mm, Starline brass, Federal primers, Vihtavuori N320 powder, 115gr JHP (1100fps in 5 inch barrel), @ \$355 per 500.

Custom Match .38 Super, Remington brass, Federal primers, Winchester 231 powder, 115gr Zero JHP (1100fps or 1180fps in 5 inch barrel), @ \$355 per 500. (Zero 125gr JHP at 1050fps may also be available).

Custom Match .38 Special, Starline brass, Federal primers, Winchester WST powder, 125gr Zero JHP (1050fps in 6 inch barrel), @ \$355 per 500. (158gr JHP at 830fps also available @ \$355 per 500).

All ammunition orders for **Custom Match** need to be placed by 30 September 2008, **no exceptions**.

RELOADING YOUR OWN PRACTICE AMMUNITION

Dillon reloading presses will be available at the range complex, and possibly other locations. It is preferable to bring your own brass to reload with, as this is the most expensive component to purchase locally. The presses will be available from Sunday, 2nd November. Calibres available will be .38 Super and Super Comp, 9mmx19 and .38 Special. Other calibres may be available by special request. We will try and facilitate reloading options prior to November 2nd by request.

There will be 1 x XL650, 2 x RL550 and 1-2 Square Deal B presses, depending on available space.

Pricing for reloading components follows below.

RELOADING COMPONENTS

Zero Projectiles

9mm/.38 Super 115gr JHP, @ \$150 per 1000 (500 lots available)
125gr JHP, pricing on request

.38 Special 125gr JHP or 158gr JHP, @ \$160 per 1000 (500 lots available)

Lead Projectiles

Polymer coated, hard cast lead projectiles will be available in a variable of shape, sizing and weight options. Pricing and availability on request.

Other Projectiles

If any competitor requires Sierra or Hornady projectiles, please advise ASAP, and price and availability will be notified.

Brass

Almost all likely calibres required will be available, except 9x23. Pricing will be about \$180 per 500 for new brass casings, or \$350 per 1000. Starline and Remington are the most commonly available cases.

Powder

Hodgdon - HP38, @ \$65 per pound

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Winchester - 231 and WST, @ \$59 per pound

Vihtavouri - N320, N340, 3N37, @ \$89 per 500 grams

ADI (Australian) - AP50 (equivalent burn rate = 231), AP70 (EBR = Unique), @ \$60 per 500 grams

Primers

Federal Small Pistol, @ \$65 per 1000 (\$35 per 500)

A substantial stock has held aside specifically for the WAPC Competitors.

Federal Small Rifle, @ \$69 per 1000, subject to availability.

Winchester Primers out of stock until late September. price and availability on request.

WHO TO CONTACT AND HOW TO PURCHASE AMMUNITION AND/OR COMPONENTS

All pre ordered components will be made available at Serious Shooters retail store in Auckland, or at the range complex as required. Delivery anywhere else can be arranged.

Cleaning products will also be available at the range, along with other accessories, at vendor tables.

Payments for any of the above items are to be made directly to the supporting retailer, Serious Shooters, and you can place orders for any items, or make any other ammunition related inquiries to Richard Munt at ammo@wapc2008.com

WAPC ENTRY REMINDER

All entries to the World Action Pistol Championships must be received, and paid for in full, no later than 5th October 2008. Entries can be made online using a credit card on the WAPC2008 website.

Additional match information will be sent out in newsletters at least once a week, and we recommend all competitors and other interested parties check the match website regularly.

