

ECMA



**October 6, 2024
Bülach, Switzerland**

Match Information

Match Director	Andreas Pfenninger, Deputy Björn Thomann	Shooters	Max 60
Location	Jagd- und Sportschiessanlage Widstud Marterlochstrasse 21 8180 Bülach https://maps.app.goo.gl/L1V9WNMdRzKVxuhQ7	Stages	10
Website	https://www.swissaaa.org/cma-championship	Minimum Rounds	ca 250
Level	CMA Match – Level 3		



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Dear Shooters

Welcome and many thanks for joining the Swiss CMA Handgun Championships!

CMA was founded in Burgdorf just over a year ago. In the meantime, we have won hundreds of shooters in Europe, Africa and Asia for the sport. The possibilities for attractive stages and competitions are very large and we hope that we can prove this once again in this match.

A special welcome goes to our international guests from Germany, Slovakia and Hungary, who have traveled a long way to join us.

This is the first major CMA Match in Switzerland and the second CMA Match at the Widstud Hunting and Sport Shooting Range. You will see that this facility offers excellent opportunities for competitions, and we hope to be able to do many more interesting events here in the future.

Please don't forget to thank our SOs and staff for their work and our sponsors for their support.

We have prepared 10 stages for you and wish you good shooting and lots of fun and success!

For the Staff Team

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Andy'. The signature is stylized and includes a large, sweeping flourish that extends downwards and to the right.

Andy Pfenninger

Schedule

For efficiency reasons, there will be no pre-match. The SOs will be rotating with their squads and shoot at the same time.

We will use the full width in 3 ranges. One range will be halved and there will be two stages there. At mid-time, there will be a short rebuild phase.

After the cleanup, we will gather for the match dinner and the award ceremony in the grand hall at ground level.

Saturday, October 5	
Stage building and preparation with separate plan. Approximately from 18:00 for staff and helpers.	
Sunday, October 6	
07:30	Staff briefing and preparation
From 08:00	Arrival shooters
08:30	Shooters briefing at ground level Widstud near entrance
09:00	Match Start Stages 1-5
	Rebuild and short lunch break
13:00	Stages 6-10
17:00	Cleanup
18:00	Dinner and Awards

Stages

The stages will be published one week before the match.

Match Administration

Registration

Registration takes place entirely via Practiscore. The registration data can be updated there directly by the participants. The data will be downloaded to the scoring tablets on October 4, after which changes will no longer be possible.

On the day of the competition, it is only necessary to register in Widstud so that all shooters have access to the facility.

The following categories can be selected:

Lady	Shooters that are female at birth
Senior	Age \geq 55
Duty	Shooters that are active law enforcement or military personnel, competing in full uniform

Squadding

The shooters can choose their own squad on Practiscore. However, the competition management may change the squads to ensure that the competition runs smoothly.

The start range for the individual squads will be announced at the shooters briefing.

Equipment Check

The equipment must comply with the CMA rules. The SOs may check a shooter's equipment at any time without further justification. This applies in particular to weapons, holsters, magazine pouches and clothing.

Lunch

Sandwiches and drinks will be available for purchase in Widstud. We have ordered catering for all participants. Please take advantage of this offer!

The rebuilding phase will also be used as a short lunch break.

Dinner

We would like the shooters to join us for dinner in Widstud. There will be a menu with a drink, salad, spaghetti with various sauces and a dessert for a total price of approx. CHF 35.

Please check the appropriate box on Practiscore so that we can pre-order the food.

Safety

The safety of all persons on the range is the top priority during the competition. Sports shooting is fun, but the firearms we use are not toys. Make sure that your handling skills are impeccable and that you know and apply the safety rules at all times.

CMA can be a very fast sport. However, the shooter must stay on top of what's happening at all times. Sometimes it's better to go a little slower in order to avoid unnecessary risks.

Some reminders about that:

Universal Safety Rules

The universal safety rules for firearms have to be adhered to at any time. Violations will result in a disqualification! No exceptions will be tolerated.



Cold Range

The match will be held under the cold range rules. Some important points to remember:

- Transfer of the firearm from the bag to the holster and back can only be done in a safe area or under the command of a safety officer
- The firearm carried in the holster has to be unloaded, external hammer (if present) de-cocked and no magazine inserted
- Manipulation of the firearm can be done only on command of an SO or in the safe area
- Manipulation of ammunition can be done anywhere on the range, except in a safe area

Finger

Please be careful to observe proper finger discipline at all times: keep your finger clearly outside and above the trigger guard until you are ready to shoot. The SOs are instructed to strictly enforce finger safety for all shooters.

Muzzle

The 180-rule applies on all stages. Additionally, exclusion zones (e.g. on doors) may be defined and will be explained in the stage briefing.

Safety Fault Lines

Safety fault lines (minimum distance) may be defined for certain targets in open stages. Exceeding these line while shooting will result in a disqualification.

Hitting Barricades

Hitting barricades that are part of a shooting position will result in a disqualification.

Other Important

Patching and Stage Reset

Every shooter is expected to help patch the targets and reset the stages. Please make sure that you only patch after the SOs have finished scoring that particular target.

Eating and Drinking

We ask all shooters to make use of the offer on the range. You should not eat in the shooting ranges.

Accommodation and Transportation

The shooters have to make arrangements for accommodation and transport themselves. The match management is available in case of questions.

Withdrawal and Refund

As described in the waiver on Practiscore, a refund will only be granted in cases of force majeure, such as illness or accident. In any case, a refund remains the decision of the competition management.

Links

Match Website	https://www.swissaaa.org/cma-championship
Practiscore Registration	https://www.practiscore.com/swiss-cma-handgun-championships/register
SwissAAA	https://www.swissaaa.org
Widstud	https://www.widstud.ch
Schild Waffen	https://www.schildwaffen.ch
Wyss Waffen	https://wysswaffen.ch
AATS	https://shop.aats-group.ch
Grünig + Elmiger	https://www.gruenel.ch