

Italian shotgun maker goes large...



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Top class Italian shotgun manufacturer, Caesar Guerini, has enlarged its high-quality collection in 2020, as *Gun Trade World* finds out.

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For 2020 Caesar Guerini has expanded its Invictus line with the Invictus II, featuring a minimalist engraving combining traditional inlaid solid gold and a revolutionary new process of gold plating with a rich case-coloured receiver finish for a unique look and style.

The stocks are crafted from a semi-deluxe grade of Turkish walnut and oil finished to bring out the beauty of the wood.

This new model employs the same Invictus system technology that its predecessors are known for, a revolutionary system that completely changed the way the barrel and action lock together when the gun is closed, making the whole system stronger. The result is a shotgun engineered to shoot over one million rounds.

The Invictus II will be available in Sporting and Trap version with 10x8 flat rib in 12 gauge with 28in, 30in or 32in barrels. Additionally, it will be offered in an Ascent version too with 30in or 32in barrels.

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To satisfy the most demanding sporting clay shooters, the Invictus M-SPEC line, designed in 2017, has been enriched with a new high-performance variant, the Invictus I Black M-SPEC 34in Specialist.

With a deep blue finish on all metal surfaces and subtle gold accents, the new 34in ultra-lightweight has been designed for fast target acquisition.

The barrels feature fixed chokes in Modified and Improved Modified constrictions with tighter and more open chokes available by special order. The top rib incorporates a radical taper of 10mm to 8mm to be more precise at far-off targets.

The design of the fixed choke barrels reduces weight at the muzzle end, resulting in enhanced handling characteristics. The deluxe walnut stock features a conventional style comb and asymmetrical pistol grip with palm swell.

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Caesar Guerini has also thought about lady shooters with a brand-new gun: Julia Syren, with a unique and original contemporary detailed motif with gold and colours and an engraving designed and realised by Dario Cortini, master engraver at Bottega Giovanelli.

Available in 12 gauge with 28in or 30in barrels, Julia Syren includes a long list of performance features that make it a serious competition capable firearm such as specialised stock dimensions to fit the female anatomy with different pitch, smaller pistol grips and Monte Carlo-style comb; the barrels features the bore geometry called "Maxisbore" that combined with the 5in forcing cone between chambers and bore called "DueCon" allow it to reduce recoil and increase ballistic performance; the trigger is adjustable for length-of-reach.

The result is a shotgun that is as beautiful as it is functional.

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