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Dan Miller, Jack Harris, Overall – Cameron Cislowski,  
Simon Steele & Bobby Lambevski**



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Queensland State Trap  
Carnival Handicap winners.

Overall (centre) is Cameron  
Cislowski from the Burdekin  
Club, the only 50/50.

He is with Dan Miller, Jack  
Harris, Simon Steele and Bobby  
Lambevski.

Full report in July edition  
of Clay Target.

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Clay Target July 2022 is **June 5 2022.**  
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# ACTA REPORT

**Mal Dyson – President    Paul Gilbert – CEO**



*With the National Trap event seemingly just completed, it is hard to fathom that it occurred over 5 weeks ago. How time flies! We now are just about to conduct the 2022 Skeet Nationals, and as was the case last year, this event will again be held at the National Grounds in Wagga Wagga. Pre-Nominations for this year's event are currently nearing 160 competitors which is similar with previous years. We wish all competitors the best of luck and trust that the weather will stay reasonably mild.*

*As was advised in our May report, next year's 2023 Skeet Nationals will be conducted between Sunday 5 March and Saturday 11 March. This change of date was requested by the Skeet Competitors sighting that weather conditions in May were reported to often be too cold and wet; the Executive therefore making the decision to move both, the Skeet and Trap National events into the month of March. The 2023 Trap Nationals will therefore be held following the Skeet Nationals, commencing on 14 March. This will provide a 2-day change over period in order to allow sufficient time for the Skeet campers to move from and the Trap campers to move onto their regular camping sites between each event.*

*The ACTA Executive, ACTA staff and members were surprised and saddened to hear of the passing of retired ACTA Executive Committee Member, David Howe. Dave represented the Northern Territory Clay Target Association as their National Delegate until a few short years ago. He was well liked and respected and contributed a great deal of wise and professional input into the running of our association during his time on the Executive. We take this opportunity to offer our sincerest condolences to Dave's Family and close friends.*

*Upon recent inspection, it was evident that the western ablutions block is in less than satisfactory condition and in need of an upgrade or even, perhaps, replacement. This is now even more crucial given the fact that we have just installed another 20 powered caravan sites on the western side of the grounds. The current amenity also lacks any disability access, hence a major upgrade is most likely the required option. Currently we are obtaining professional advice concerning which direction we should take.*

*With regard to clubs requesting information and assistance with the MCMS program, Martin Smith has informed us that approaches from clubs to him have now become only occasional. On the infrequent instances when urgent assistance is required and he might not be available, his business partner, Grant, becomes on-call for any urgent fixes and if both Grant and Martin are unavailable, Grant's brother is also very familiar with the program and makes himself accessible. Further to this, the executive are in the process of setting up the following new email address: [MCMS@claytarget.com.au](mailto:MCMS@claytarget.com.au) as a point of contact and backup for clubs seeking assistance. We envisage that this will be a non-urgent medium through which questions to issues can be addressed. We anticipate that we will be able to provide satisfactory responses via this communication method within 48 hours. We will advise all clubs when this option becomes available.*

## **March Executive Committee Meeting**

*Following a Covid drought, the Executive Committee finally had the opportunity to meet face-to-face again in late March at the 2022 Trap Nats. From this meeting, a number of items were discussed and determined:*

*32 gram Load: Following a strong reaction from the membership on this issue regarding their prior decision, the Executive Committee felt it necessary to follow a recommendation to consult more widely on issues affecting the sport such as this. We therefore contacted all State Associations and asked them to guide us and advise their stance on this issue. Consequently, the ruling to ban 32 gram load and have a maximum of 28 gram load for Handicap and Sporting Clays events from 1 January 2024 was rescinded at the March Executive Committee Meeting.*

*National Aggregated Insurance Plan: Following advice that many clubs are having trouble sourcing clubhouse insurance due to recent catastrophic events, (fires, floods), and shooting being out of favour with an increasing number of insurers, Marsh has embarked upon a project to source property assets insurance for shooting clubs right across Australia. This project is progressing well, Marsh having received over 210 responses from various shooting clubs around the country who participated in the scoping study. We will advise further progress when this comes to hand.*

*Additionally, Rob Lowe has been co-opted by*

*Shooting Australia to consult with Marsh and he will then be working with them to develop the suite of products including an insurance website page unique to each sport, where clubs will go directly to source information such as certificates of currency and insurance claim forms, including a question form with a 24 hour guaranteed response time.*

*Finally, in last month's report, we reminded Club Secretaries that, for the sake of securing our history for future generations of members, just how important it is that shoot results continue to be forwarded to the ACTA for inclusion in the Clay Target e-News. Clubs relying on Face Book or MCMS to preserve their results may find that as this information may not always be guaranteed accessible in the future. To ensure that your club results are published, simply go to the ACTA website, find the "quicklinks" tab at the top of the page and in the drop-down menu you will find a "submit shoot results" reference. A quick and easy form will open to allow results to be recorded.*

*As always, enjoy your shooting and the company of those in your shooting community.*



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# SOUTH AUSTRALIAN STATE SKEET TITLES



*Friday 11th March 2022 –  
Monday 14th March 2022  
International Gun Club*



Well, another big hello to everyone again. Another 12 months have passed us by, and it is starting to seem like the restrictions and directives that we've all been enduring over the past 2 years are starting to be eased enough for us to get some breathing space. But, after all the chaos and uncertainty of what we've had to endure, we (at least) all had the opportunity to meet up again here in South Australia for our State Skeet titles. It was fabulous to see many of our

interstate counterparts join us for some fun during the Skeet days.

For a few years now, ICTC member, Tore Picicella, has taken it on himself to promote a day of shooting .410 and 28g just before the State Skeet titles. The event has been gaining popularity each year as more competitors come to try their hand at some of the smaller gauges. The day went reasonably well with 5 squads competing for each of the sub-gauges. Not a bad effort considering the current economic climate and the flooding over in the

Great looking prize table for the State Sub-gauges thanks to Tore Pipicella, Luca Forza, John Maffia, Deb & Len (Bronze Wing SA)



Eastern States which has made it difficult for some competitors to travel.

The prize table was looking fantastic with a ton of Uleybury Wines from Tore's family winery, and Jacobs Creek from

and see if we can grow it through more word of mouth. South Australia has now also endorsed these sub-gauge to be State titles,



so this will hopefully bring a few extra competitors to make for a great competition.

Weather conditions were calm with

28g, AA Grade & Overall winner David O'Sullivan

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Luca Forza. A nice bottle of Ballantines 12 year old from John Maffia for the Overall, and Bronze Wing came to the party again and assisted with sponsorship of some NSI sub-gauge slabs which was very well received. Competitors were happy to have been given the opportunity to shoot these sub-gauges and hopefully with the support of the competitors and sponsors, we will keep this going

Below: L-R: 28g, A Grade Laurie Durham; B Grade Bruce Baker; C Grade Bobby Thorne



temperatures forecast over the 4 days in the high 20's to low 30's with hopefully, very little breeze.

The final numbers looked like this for the 28g: Bobby Thorne picked up 1st place in C Grade a 42/50, with Mark Kotrlík 2nd. Bruce Baker was 1st in B Grade on 45/50, followed closely by Simon Hewitt getting 2nd place. In A Grade it was Laurie Durham 1st with a 51/52 after a small shoot-off with Paul Johnston who took 2nd. In AA Grade 1st and taking the Overall, with the only perfect score of 50/50, was David O'Sullivan getting the honors over Wally Clarke placing 2nd. Congratulations David and well done.

The .410 then got underway under breezy conditions making for some very tricky targets. When all had gone quiet



*Sub-gauge Overall Veteran  
Laurie Durham*



*Overall Ladies  
Deb McPherson*



*Sub-gauge winner  
David O'Sullivan*

C Grade 1st went to Katrina Santas 39/50, with Will Jenkins 2nd. B Grade was taken by Simon Hewitt 42/50, with Deb McPherson placing 2nd. AA Grade 1st place went to David O'Sullivan with Harry Bader getting in 2nd. Finally it was Benn Baker that took the sash for Overall in the .410 (56/59), with Laurie Durham coming in 2nd. In the Categories (over the 2 events), Laurie Durham was the Veteran winner, Deb McPherson was Ladies winner, and the Overall Open for the Sub-gauges was David O'Sullivan. Thanks again to our State Shooting Park for hosting the event and to Inviron Blinds, Luca Forza, John Maffia, and Deb and Len.

Please spread the word so that we can see a

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*.410, C Grade  
Katrina Santas*



*.410, A Grade & Overall  
Benn Baker*



*.410, AA Grade  
David O'Sullivan*



*.410, B Grade Simon Hewitt with Luca Forza*

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few others joining us next year and making these events even bigger now that they are State titles. Practice day went off without a hitch and everyone chilled out while they were contemplating the results of tomorrow.

This year the Western Australian State Carnival (usually held on the weekend before us), had been postponed to later in the year and therefore didn't impact on our numbers. We were fortunate enough to still have 11 squads for our Carnival this year. All things considered, this is a great result, and we thank our interstate visitors for coming across to join us.

The competitors that made it here were all here vying to try their skill at claiming one of the many Red State sashes that were on offer. Lurking around every corner and walking amongst us were some of the best Skeet shooters in Australia, waiting to pounce and claim one of the available State titles.

Around the well manicured grounds, friends that hadn't caught up for a while were seen chatting and laughing and catching up on all the latest goss from their travels around this country. The atmosphere was already buzzing with a few caravanners and campers arriving to guarantee themselves a good spot and get some practice in to familiarise themselves with the grounds again before the games began next day.

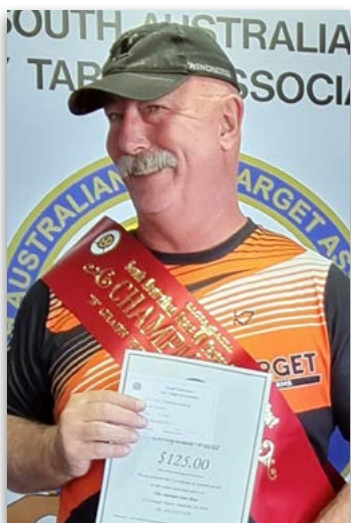
As Saturday morning arrived, there was the usual scurry of activity early in the morning as the 4 layouts were being tested and corrected for speeds, angles, heights and distances. A word of thanks has to go out to the limited State Exec who also put in countless hours in preparation



*State Skeet 20g Overall Open winner Harry Bader with State President, Andrew Hoare*

to make sure everyone had a great Carnival. Thank you also to the ground staff for their trap filling and maintenance which made the shooting experience a lot more pleasant for all our competitors.

9am on the dot and the first event was called – the 50 target State Skeet 20 gauge Championship. One by one the 11 squads (1 squad down on last year) headed out to contest the event in calm conditions with clear skies. After a good deal of huffing and puffing, only 4 competitors ended up shooting the perfect score and went out to see who would take the honours. C Grade was taken by Will Darlington 47/50 and 2nd was Mark Kotrlik. B Grade went to Peter Kay 53/56 and Deb McPherson 2nd. Daniel Sacchetta got the 1st in A 50/50 and Paul Johnston 2nd. AA Grade 1st 106/108 was Wally Clarke, and 2nd was James Sacchetta. The honours for Overall went to



*Skeet 20g, AA Grade  
Wally Clarke*



*Skeet 20g, A Grade  
Daniel Sacchetta*



*Skeet 20g, B Grade  
Peter Kay*



*Skeet 20g, C Grade  
Will Darlington*



*Skeet 20g, Veteran  
Laurie Durham*



*Skeet 20g, Ladies  
Sarah Bennett*



*Skeet 20g, Junior  
Francesco Buttigieg*

increase in the wind. As they came off, everyone was hovering around the scoreboard to see where their positions were and if they were in with a chance. Office staff was busy counting the numbers and making up the new cards for the shoot-offs

hoping that time was not going to get away from

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Harry Bader 107/108. Veteran winner was Laurie Durham, Ladies went to Sarah Bennett and the Junior was Francesco Buttigieg.

By now, squad cards were already out for the second event for the day which was the 50 target State Skeet Handicap Championship. 12 squads made it out to the walks, and over the rest of the day the temperature went a little higher to 29 and the breezes stayed calm. All the competitors were hoping that they would get through their 50 targets before we saw any



*2nd place Skeet Handicap  
Tore Pipicella*



*4th place Skeet Handicap  
Paul Johnston*



*State Handicap Overall winner  
Daniel Sachetta*



*3rd place Skeet Handicap Andrew Hoare with Len DeCandia*



5th place Skeet Handicap  
Jas Singh



6th place Skeet Handicap  
Francesco Buttigieg

us. 4.30pm we started the shoot-off's with 5 full squads. Finally when all was said and done, we managed to get through the first day by 6.40pm, and because of the lateness of the final shoot-off the presentation was postponed until the following night. The top 6 were: 6th Francesco Buttigieg 93/94, 5th Jas Singh 107/108, 4th Paul Johnston 111/112, 3rd Andrew Hoare 128/129, 2nd Tore Pipicella 138/139, and taking the Red State Sash and the Overall title this year was Daniel Sacchetta, with an amazing 139/139. Great shooting and great to watch guys.

As day 1 drew to a close, everyone headed out to some of the local hotels and eateries for a well earned break and to get refreshed for the start of the qualifying events on the Sunday morning.

8.15am on Sunday morning saw the start of the 25 target Open Zone Team shoots with everyone vying for first place and their names on the title. Central and Eastern fought it out with the eventual winners, Central Zone, with 117/125. There is always a lot of rivalry and sledging (in a fun way) between these 2 teams each year. Team members were Lyn Schubert, Luca Forza, Nathan Campbell, Tore Pipicella, Jas Singh and Benn Baker. Congratulations to Central Zone!!

While the Zone shoots were in progress, people were wandering around the grounds having their breakfast and waiting for the call up. Shooting conditions were near perfect, not too bright but sunny, mid 20's and barely a breeze. Smack on 9am the 12 squads were called out for the 3rd event, the 100 target State Skeet Singles Championship.

As the day went on, the usual prevailing winds that come through in the afternoon to give a few competitors a bit of grief, just didn't happen. Everyone persevered and the day ticked along in good time. At the halfway point of this 100 target event, everyone was on their phones to see where their positions were and who they were up against.

There was only 1 perfect score but 5 x 99's on the board so they went out to face it off. When all the shooting had gone quiet, the results were counted and the winners came in as C Grade,

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Zone Teams Challenge winners, Central Zone: L-R Benn Baker, Lyn Schubert (holding trophy), Tore Pipicella, Luca Forza (at rear), Jas Singh (far right) with trophy sponsor Cockles (in green)

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State 100tgt Skeet singles  
Overall winner Harry Bader



Skeet Singles AA Grade  
Glenn Clarke



Skeet Singles A Grade  
Tore Pipicella



Skeet Singles B Grade  
Peter Kay

taken by Mark Kotrlik 93/100, 2nd Will Darlington. B Grade went to Peter Kay this

year 96/101 with Francesco Buttigieg winning 2nd place. A Grade was Tore Pipicella 99/100 with 2nd going to Sarah Bennett. AA Grade was won by Glenn Clarke 110/112 with 2nd place going to Shane Bennett. With back-to-back wins, the highest award went to a very excited Harry Bader taking the Red State Sash, Silver pin and perpetual trophy with the only perfect score of 100/100. Veteran winner was Laurie Durham, Ladies went to Sarah Bennett and the Junior winner was Francesco Buttigieg with an excellent 96/102.

Last formality for the day was the presentations for all 3 events and announce the State Postal Teams. Once this had been done, the teams were

told to be in early in the morning to shoot for the positions.

The first of the crayfish raffles was drawn, thanks to Kat, and the winner was Dino Olivero. The funds collected from this raffle go straight to our Junior Development Fund. Many, many thanks have to go to our good friend Kat who is a great advocate for juniors in this sport and gives so generously every year. Finally, everyone went off for a relaxing Sunday night, awaiting the last day of qualifying on the Monday SA public holiday.

Also, a presentation was done to 2 past Executives that have served on the South Australian Board and have recently retired. Bronte Evans and Arthur Tanner have given so generously of their time over past years, and were extremely happy to receive a Certificate of Appreciation in recognition of the term that they have served.

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Skeet singles C Grade  
Mark Kotrlik



Skeet Singles Veteran  
Laurie Durham



Skeet Singles Ladies,  
Sarah Bennett



Skeet Singles Junior  
Francesco Buttigieg

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*State President Andrew Hoare presenting a Certificate of Appreciation to former State President Bronte Evans for his many years of service on our State Board. Bronte has also served on our National Board for many years*

As Monday morning started to break, the Postal Teams went out at 8am to shoot it off for the team positions and the team High Guns. This year the Open Team High Gun was Nathan Campbell. Congratulations Nathan!!

On the last day, there was the usual activity at the window to see if there were any squad changes for the long distance travellers, and as everyone was sorted out, the 50 target State

Champion of Champions got underway right on time.

Eight competitors shot the perfect score and there was some friendly rivalry again around



*Champion of Champions AA Grade Ryan Miller*



*Champion of Champions A Grade Daniel Sachetta*



*Champion of Champions B Grade Peter Kay*



*Champion of Champions C Grade Will Darlington*



*State Champion of Champions Overall winner Glenn Walker with event sponsor Bronte Evans*



*Champion of Champions Ladies Julie Freeman*



*Champion of Champions Junior Francesco Buttigieg*

the grounds before the shoot-offs began. Final scores came in as Will Darlington 1st in C 52/54, and Damian Yon 2nd. B Grade went to Peter Kay 51/52, and 2nd Julie Freeman. A Grade winner was Daniel Sacchetta 57/58, and 2nd went to Paul Johnston. AA 1st was Ryan Miller 53/54, with 2nd going to Jack Sockdale. Overall honours went to Glenn Walker who kept his cool and his head down to come in with a perfect 58/58 after the shoot-off. Veteran winner was also Max Oakley, Ladies was Julie Freeman and Junior went to Francesco Buttigieg. A great effort from all of these guys.

The second crayfish draw was done and the winner was none other than Cockles.

This year, we have to thank Bronte Evans and Andrew Hoare for their unrelenting perseverance around the grounds in getting everyone to dig deep and donate toward the crayfish raffle. The amount that was raised this year for the junior development fund was \$750.00 – not bad from just 72 competitors. You all deserve a round of applause and a pat on the back. Thank you all so very much.

The final event of the weekend then got underway – the 25 pair State Skeet Doubles Championship. The 12 squads headed out to fight it out, and, as scores started coming in, everyone was checking how they had gone toward the High Guns.

Winners and scores for the Doubles: C Grade went to Mark Kotrlík 45/50 and 2nd was Will Darlington. B Grade was won by Francesco Buttigieg 48/50, with 2nd place taken by Tristan McKinnon. In A Grade, Bill Bird got the 1st place 46/50, and 2nd went to Kenny Atkin. In AA, David O’Sullivan 65/68 got the 1st, and James Sacchetta 2nd. The honours and Red State Sash for Overall went to Nathan Campbell with a 66/68. Veteran was Bill Bird, Ladies was Liz Rymill and Junior was again Francesco Buttigieg.

After the presentations for these 2 events the 3 Day High Guns were also awarded to the highest scorers. With a 283/300 it was Francesco Buttigieg taking Junior High Gun. What a fantastic effort from this guy. The Ladies Overall went to Sarah Bennett on 281/300 and the Veteran High Gun was Laurie Durham with 283/300. The Grade High Guns were C, Will Darlington 275/300. B, Francesco Buttigieg

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*State Skeet Doubles Overall winner Nathan Campbell*



*Skeet Doubles AA Grade  
David O'Sullivan*



*Skeet Doubles A Grade &  
Veteran, Bill Bird*



*Skeet Doubles B Grade & Junior,  
Francesco Buttigieg*



*Skeet Doubles C Grade,  
Mark Kotrlík*



Below: Veteran 3-day High Gun, Laurie Durham

Below: Ladies 3-day High Gun Sarah Bennett



283/300. A, Tore Pipicella 290/300 and AA was Michael Buttigieg 322/328. The highest accolade of Overall High Gun this year went to an elated Nathan Campbell who did a near perfect 296/300. Congratulations to all these winning competitors.

The last formality was to announce the winning SA Shoulder to Shoulder travelling teams who were presented with their well earned State badges. The SA Junior Champion Shooter was announced as Hannah Munro who unfortunately had to leave early to travel home, and finally the South Australian Open Champion Shooter this year went to Nathan Campbell on 199/200. Congratulations Nathan and well done!! Two events shot, shoot-offs done, high guns sorted, presentations over, all done and dusted by 5pm. Well done to our Shoot Marshal for keeping things moving – especially so that the interstate travellers could start heading for home.

At this point we would like to sincerely thank all of our generous sponsors for supporting our State Skeet Carnival this year. Every shooter knows that without their involvement,



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*Nathan Campbell,  
(above) SA Open Team High Gun  
& (right) SA Champion Shooter*



*SA Junior Champion Shooter, Hannah Munro*

contribution and support, these events, trophies and prizes would not be possible. This year we take a bow to Bronte Evans Chartered Accountants, Gunforce, Bronze Wing Ammunition, Goolwa PipiCo, Adelaide Gun Shop, Ramsay Brothers, Cockles, Kat for the crayfish, and SACTA. Thank you all so very much for making our State event a success. Thank you also to Martin Collumb from Collumbo Shooting for coming to spend a day with us and setting up his Trade stand with all his goodies as well as his very generous inaugural contribution this year to the Skeet Junior High Gun. Martin would be one of the best advocates for Juniors in our sport, and we welcome him to our Skeet Carnival.

Finally, a word of thanks to the usual behind the scenes workers that make everything run so well, from our Shoot Marshal Michael Raper to Deb in the office running the shoot program, both trying to put up a respectable score for themselves. Also, grounds staff Rick, Bob, Don, Jim, Bobby and Phil. In the clubhouse and kitchen Di and Assunta made quick work of making sure everyone was fed and hydrated. To the limited SACTA Executive that avail themselves of their time for this event, you know who you are and we at SACTA acknowledge and appreciate your relentless assistance in making everything run so seamlessly with so few. On a last note, thanks to all the shooters that participated and travelled from different States to compete and helped make

it a great 2022 State Skeet Carnival. Without you guys, it would be a very small Carnival and we always appreciate your visit to support our State.

Look forward to catching up with you somewhere around the country or possibly at the Nationals. We hope to see you all again in SA in 2023. Thank you all.

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# Australian Shotgun Team Continues International Success

The Australian Shotgun Team embarked on a seven-week International campaign on the 13th of April with the first stop of the campaign being the ISSF World Cup Shotgun in Lonato, Italy, between April 19th-30th.

The competition was a continuation of success for the Australian team. After battling the freezing conditions of Nicosia in Cyprus, the team returned to 16 degree days.

The travelling team competing in the individual trap (Mens and Womens) and skeet events (Mens), consisted of James Willett (NSW), Mitch Iles (VIC), Thomas Grice (NSW), Craig Henwood (VIC), Nathan Argiro (VIC), Catherine Skinner (VIC), Laetisha Scanlan (VIC), Penny Smith (Vic), Luke Argiro (VIC), and Joshua Bell (VIC). The athletes were accompanied by National Shotgun Coach Richard Sammon and supported by Renae Birgan and Daniel Dymond (VIS). James and Catherine teamed up

to compete in the Trap Mixed Teams event, as did Mitch and Penny.

The Men's Trap Team comprised James, Mitch and Thomas and the Women's Trap Team comprised Laetisha, Penny and Catherine. The Trap event, with 8 entries from Australia, was the first event held over two days with 75 targets



*Penny Smith*



*Gold to the Women's Trap Team Laetisha, Penny and Catherine*

qualifying day one, and 50 targets qualifying day two, plus the finals.

In the Men's Trap, Craig Henwood finished qualifying on 111/125, Thomas Grice on 113/125, James Willett on 115/125, and Nathan Argiro on 116/125. Mitch Iles was the Australian Men's top qualifier with a score of 118/125, tying with six other athletes, where a shoot-off would

determine if Mitch would make the semi-final. And that he did! After hitting two targets Mitch, qualified in the semi-finals in 8th position, placing him in semi-final 2.

In the Women's Trap event, Laetisha shot 106/125, and Catherine 111/125. Penny was the overall highest qualifier shooting 117/125 and sending her through to semi-final 1. Penny shot a further 17/25 single barrel in the semi-final and unfortunately missed out on progressing to the medal match.

With the individual events complete, it was onto the Trap Team events. The Men's Trap Team scored 205/225, placing 6th in qualification and marginally missing out on a medal match. The Women's Trap Team continued their international success in this event, qualifying in first place with a score of 200/225 progressing through to the gold medal match. The Australian team met Italy, putting on a dominant display to win the gold medal by 7 points to 1.

The next event was the Trap Mixed Teams. Mitch and Penny shot a combined total of 133/150, tying with 4 other teams and after a shoot-off finished qualification in 10th place. James and Catherine shot 135/150 to qualify for the bronze medal match where they met Jiri Liptak and Lea Kucerova of the Czech Republic. In the Bronze



*Trap Mixed Teams Bronze Medal to Catherine & James*

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Medal Match, James and Catherine scored 7 points to 3, winning the bronze medal.

The final event in Lonato for the Australian team was the Men's Skeet event with Luke Argiro and Joshua Bell competing. 75 targets of qualification were shot on day 1, and 50 targets + the finals on day 2. Joshua shot 114/125 in qualification and Luke shot 112/125. The cut-off score for the semi-finals was 122/125.

The ISSF World Cup Shotgun in Lonato, Italy continued the Australian Shotgun Team's success in the first year of international competition since the pandemic. The 2022 International medal tally sits at 2 gold, 1 silver, and 2 bronze medals, from the two events Australia has participated in so far!

The next International events for the team will be the ISSF Junior World Cup in Suhl, Germany (9-20 May) followed by the ISSF Grand Prix in Granada, Spain (20-29 May). We wish the

Australian athletes the best of luck.

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### Upcoming Domestic Events

Month	Date	Event	Tier	Location
June	25th – 26th	Gold Coast Grand Prix	2	Gold Coast Clay Target Club, QLD
July	1st – 3rd	QLD State Titles	1	Brisbane Gun Club, QLD
August	27th – 28th	SA State Titles	2	International Clay Target Club, SA
September	10th – 11th (Note new dates)	Yarra Valley Grand Prix	2	Melbourne Gun Club
September	17th – 18th	NT State Titles	2	Darwin Clay Target Club
October	22nd – 23rd	WA State Titles	2	WA Gun Club, WA
November	19th – 20th	Mildura Grand Prix	2	Mildura Clay Target Club, VIC



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# NSWCTA STATE TRAP CARNIVAL

25th & 26th March 2022

National Shooting Ground, Wagga Wagga, NSW

Due to Covid 2021 the NSW State Trap Carnival was cancelled and with thanks to the Australian Clay Target Association we were able to host most of the Carnival events in conjunction with the Pre-Nationals at the 2022 Trap Nationals, held March.

## Event 1 – Single Barrel Championship

Sponsored by Beretta Australia



Kate Schiller, OA SB

Overall: Kate Schiller with 76/76.

1st AA: Shawn Ryan with 75/76, 2nd Kiara Dean with 74/75, 3rd Arthur Turner with 65/66. 1st A: Chris Barber with 49/50, 2nd Josh Collins with 48/50, 3rd Abbey Ullman with 59/63. 1st B: Justin Turner with 48/50, 2nd Patterson Eeles with 47/50, 3rd Glenn Rush with 52/56. 1st C: Tony

Plum with 49/50, 2nd Sally Evans with 46/50, 3rd Ben Griffiths with 45/50.

Veteran: Charlie Sherry with 53/54. Ladies: Kate Schiller with 76/76. Junior: Chloe Evans with 49/50.

## Event 2 – Points Score Championship

Sponsorship by Wagga RSL Club

Overall: Glenn Barton with 273/273.

1st AA: Phillip Chryssovelonis with 272/273, 2nd



Glenn Barton, OA PS Champion with Mark Rogers, NSW President

Scott Smith with 267/270, 3rd Damian Rowett with 252/255. 1st A: Phil Place with 171/174, 2nd Vince Gatt with 170/174, 3rd Arthur Pagett with 165/171. 1st B: Justin Turner with 147/150, 2nd Ray Schiller



Chloe Evans, Ladies PS Champion



Phil Place, 1st A Grade PS



*NSW State Open Team for 2022*

with 146/150, 3rd Stephen Halt with 145/150.  
 1st C: Tony Plum with 147/150, 2nd Peter Fraser with 137/150, 3rd Max Hunter with 151/165.  
 Veteran: Charlie Sherry with 149/150. Ladies: Chloe Evans with 167/168. Junior: Chloe Evans with 167/168.

**Zone Teams Match**

Open: 1st Riverina Zone, 371 Points. Team members – Ben Woodhouse, Craig Ceely, Nick Mullins, Brett McAllister & Erik Geltch.

Ladies: 1st Southern Zone, 206 Points. Team members – Samantha Peck, Karen Berry and Natalie Hitchenson.

Veterans: 1st Western Zone, 219 Points. Team members – Clyde Mitchell, Mark Liersch and Ray Schiller.



*Northern Zone Junior Team*

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*Riverina Zone Open Team*



*Southern Zone Ladies Team*

Juniors: 1st Northern Zone, 214 Points. Team members – Taijh Bridge, Fletcher Richardson and Dustin Hone.

### State Teams High Guns

Open Team High Gun Charlie Sherry. Ladies Team High Gun Kate Schiller. Veteran Team High Gun Don Power. Junior Team High Gun Rohan Fleming.

### Event 3 – Handicap

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Bridie Woolcock 1st Handicap

1st Bridie Woolcock 51/51. 2nd Mark Zielenza 50/51. 3rd Brock Thompson 114/115. 4th Charlie Banks 113/115. 5th: Ray Collins 89/91.

Best 25 Metre Shooter: Matt Schiller with 49/50.



Mark Zielenza, 2nd Handicap



Matt Schiller, 25m Handicap



Brock Thompson, 3rd Handicap



Glenn Barton, OA DR Champion

### Event 4 – Double Rise Championship

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Overall: Glenn Barton with 68/70.

1st AA: Rohan Fleming with 57/60, 2nd Joe Camilleri with 56/60, 3rd Stephen Atkins with 58/60. 1st A: Nathan McDonnell with 66/70, 2nd Andrew Kearns with 56/60, 3rd Des Mason with 57/60. 1st B: Paul Salafia with 53/60, 2nd Charlie Banks with 52/60, 3rd Lil Brandt with 62/70. 1st C: Jean Moussalem with 50/60, 2nd Tony Kupsch with 58/70, 3rd Mark Ullman with 56/70. Veteran: Roger Duthie with 46/50. Ladies: Kelly Coogan with 46/50. Junior: Rohan Fleming with 57/60.



Joe Camilleri, 2nd AA DR



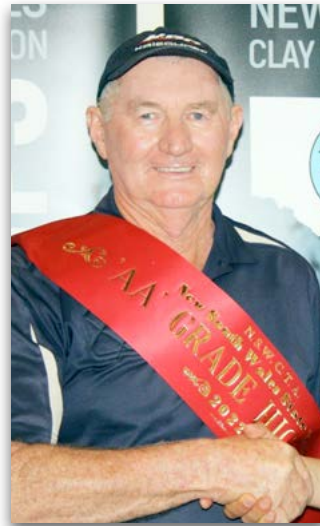
Charlie Banks, 2nd B DR



Lil Brandt, 3rd B DR



Rohan Fleming, Junior DR



Kim Nealon, AA Grade HG



Chris Barber, A Grade HG



Kelly Coogan, Ladies DR



Rohan Fleming, Junior HG



Justin Turner, B Grade HG



Tony Plum, C Grade HG

**High Guns** Sponsored By Casella/Bronzewing  
Overall: Glenn Barton 328/335. AA Grade Kim Nealon 326/335. A Grade Chris Barber 283/300.

B Grade Justin Turner 283/300. C Grade Tony Plum 275/300. Veteran Charlie Sherry 288/300. Ladies: Chloe Evans 283/300. Junior: Rohan Fleming 286/300.

Below: Glenn Barton, Overall HG



Chloe Evans, Ladies HG



Charlie Sherry, Veteran, HG with Andrew Brady

# VICTORIAN STATE ISSF CHAMPIONSHIPS



*Saturday 30th April – Sunday 1st May 2022  
Melbourne Gun Club*

This year's Victorian State ISSF Championships were held at Melbourne Gun Club over the weekend of Saturday 30th of April and Sunday 1st of May in cool, overcast conditions, but some great shooting was still recorded.

On the Friday night over 40mm of rain fell on the club grounds causing a few headaches for the many campers who were taking advantage of the club's facilities.

A record crowd for a VCTA State ISSF title was recorded with 16 squads of trap and 4 squads of skeet entered for the weekend, ensuring the organisers and officials were needed to be on their toes to ensure the event could be finished in time, especially come finals time.

All started on time on Saturday for both trap and skeet but unfortunately a gremlin had entered the skeet layout overnight and a rather large break down saw the skeet event behind schedule right from the word go. We sincerely apologise to all of the shooters in the skeet event for this rare occurrence and appreciate their patience and understanding which resulted in their last round on Saturday being shot in dark conditions. We will ensure this issue is rectified for our next major event.

Over on the trap fields all ran reasonably smoothly with a decision made that come finals time on Sunday, that both the men's and women's finals would be held at the same time on different grounds to ensure both finals completed in time to cope with the huge field. Thank you must go to all the volunteers and officials for working together and making this work without a hitch!!!

## Women's Trap

12 entries in the women's trap event ensured a



*Ladies Trap winners  
Molly Bretag (2nd), Kiara Dean (1st), Georgia Pistone (3rd)*

very close and tight battle over the 2 days of the event. Bree Collins entered in first position on 114/125 followed by Molly Bretag on 111/125, for bibs 3 and 4 and for 5-6-7 a shoot-off required. Renee Jones, Charlie Hudson-Czerniecki shot off with 110/125 with Renae taking the honours, Kelly Coogan, Kiara Dean and Georgia Pistone shooting off with 109/125 with Kelly defeating Kiara and Georgia. Rounding off the top 8 and making her first finals appearance was MGC committee member, Liz Schroeter, shooting a very respectable 99/125. Well done to all the finalists.

The semi-finals saw Georgia Pistone, Kiara Dean, Renae Jones and Molly Bretag make it through to the medal match. It was Kiara Dean who came out on top, recording 28/35 to Molly Bretag's 25/35, with Georgia Pistone taking the bronze on 15/25. Renae Jones finishing 4th.

With the 'Top 3' being in Italy, it was great to see the depth of up and coming women all

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performing to such a high standard, showing that the Australian Ladies Trap team will be the toughest team to make for a long time coming, with plenty of depth. Well done to all!

### Men's Trap

84 entries in the men's trap event and the scores were white hot from the start. Again, as per the ladies event with the 'Top 3' being in Italy, it was the younger guys who had the sniff of stamping their authority in the senior ranks and young Marco Corbo was the star of qualifying, punching



Mens Trap winner Charlton Vella

the last 50 straight on Sunday to smash his PB and record a well earned 121/125!! Well done Marco. In 2nd position was Milad Nasr, suffering from a serious head cold, shooting a very good 119/125, Gabe Sensi defeated Charlton Vella in a shoot-off for bib 3 with a great 118/125 and Luke Cassar defeated Kiwi Nicholas

Wiseman and Craig Henwood in a shoot-off for bib 5 on 117 with Nicholas taking bib 6 and Craig bib 7. Rocky Speranza rounded out the top 8 with 116 after defeating Steve Trembath in a shoot-off.

The final got underway in some cool, overcast conditions as per the ladies final which ensured good scores would be tough to post. After both semi-finals were held it was Nicholas Wiseman, Luke Cassar, Charlton Vella and Craig Henwood making their way into the medal match.

The gold medal went right to the wire with Charlton Vella taking home his first red sash with a great 26/35, defeating Kiwi Nicholas Wiseman on 25/35. Luke Cassar taking the bronze on 17/25 and Craig Henwood finishing 4th.

Well done to all the winners and it was great to see 2 juniors in the final, taking it right up to the men and also great to have Nicholas Wiseman from New Zealand coming over to compete.



Stefan Nota took home the Para Trap award

### Trap Grades

AA 1st Marco Corbo 121/125, 2nd Milad Nasr 119/125, A 1st Nicholas Wiseman 117/125, 2nd Steve Trembath 116/125. B 1st Samuel Russo 110/125, 2nd Kelly Coogan 109/125. C 1st Alister Gammaldi 108/136, 2nd Dennis Walsh 107/136. Junior Lady Bree Collins 114/125, Junior Men Marco Corbo 121/125.

### Women's Skeet

A total of 5 women competed in this year's ISSF skeet event. And under some tough conditions it was Aislin Jones who showed her dominance with a 104/125 in qualifying, leading Bridgette McKinnon on 101, Brittany Melbourne on 97, Chelsea McKinnon on 64 and Hannah Munro 51.



C Grade Trap winner Alister Gammaldi



New Zealand shooter Nicholas Wiseman



Samuel Russo winner of B Grade Trap



2023 Victorian ISSF Trap Ladies Team Renae Jones, Charlie Hudson & Kelly Coogan



Ladies Skeet winner Aislin Jones



Junior Ladies Skeet winner Hannah Munro



Mens Skeet winner Frank Morris

Below: Junior Mens Skeet Champion Mark Du Rose with Steve Trembath



After the finals it was Aislin Jones taking home another State title with 28/40 from Brittany Melbourne on 26/40 and Bridgette McKinnon on 17/30. Chelsea McKinnon finishing 4th.

**Men's Skeet**

17 men's skeet entries ensured long days on the skeet field with difficult light conditions making the days tough. Leading the field into the semi-finals was Mark Du Rose on 109/125, Frank Morris 108, Ely Lahoud 106, Adam } Du Rose on 99, Joel Lewis on 97, Doyle Yoannidis, defeating Malcolm Waltman

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in a shoot-off for the number 6 bib, both shooting 96 and Matthew Everingham rounding out the top 8.

The 4 shooters getting through to the medal match were Mark Du Rose, Elie Lahoud, Frank Morris and Adam Du Rose.

Some great shooting in the medal match saw Frank Morris dominate with 30/34 from Mark Du Rose on 23/34 and Adam Du rose on 20/30.

### **Skeet Grades**

AA 1st Mark Du Rose 109/125, A 1st Bridgette McKinnon 101/125 B 1st Adam Du Rose 99/125 C 1st Luke Willemsen 86/125. Junior Lady Hannah Munro 51/125. Junior Men Mark Du Rose 109/125.

### **Postal Teams**

With the ACTA changing the rules on the ISSF Postal Teams, the teams are now one team comprising 9 shooters in total being 3 men, 2 ladies, 2 juniors and 2 veterans. This will need to be reviewed we feel, as it will see the death of postal teams for ISSF skeet as we only had 1 junior and no veterans in the event. Smaller States will also struggle to get the numbers required to enter a team. None the less the following shooters qualified for the 2022 State Postal Team

*Trap* – Craig Henwood (Men), Milad Nasr (Men), Charlton Vella (Men), Charlie Hudson Cziernieki (Women), Georgia Pistone (Women), Gabe Sensi (Junior), Acacio Mota (Junior), Domingo Diaz (Veteran), Mark Coleman (Veteran).

*Skeet* – Mark Du Rose (Men), Adam Du Rose (Men), Luke Willemsen (Men), Aislin Jones (Women), Brittany Melbourne (Women).

### **Shoulder to Shoulder Teams**

The following shooters will represent Victoria

at the National ISSF Championships to be held in Perth in 2023. We congratulate them for their efforts.

*Trap Men* – Milad Nasr, Gabe Sensi, Charlton Vella. Reserves – Craig Henwood and Rocky Speranza.

*Trap Women* – Renae Jones, Charlie Hudson Czernieki, Kelly Coogan. Reserves – Kiara Dean and Georgia Pistone.

*Trap Junior* – Acacio Mota and Sam Russo. Reserves – Kiara Dean, Georgia Pistone and Lucas Furlan.

*Trap Veteran* – Domingo Diaz and Domenic Scigliatano. Reserves – Mark Coleman and Norm Basile.

*Skeet Men* – Mark Du Rose, Adam Du Rose, Luke Willemsen.

*Skeet Women* – Aislin Jones and Brittany Melbourne.

We must also thank the Melbourne Gun Club Committee and members for all their hard work in the lead up and during this event, to make it the success that it was. Record entries will always make it tough timewise, especially with the new finals system taking as long as it does to get through. Thank you also goes to the Shooting Australia officials for the weekend, Deserie Baynes, Jane Vella and Guy Yoannidis in particular for their effort to keep the show ticking over, the shooters for backing up and doing their ref and scoring duties when needed. It was greatly appreciated.

The 2023 State ISSF titles will return to the VCTA Ground in Echuca so we look forward to seeing all shooters in Echuca in 2023.

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# DTL welcomed back to Wangaratta



Back L-R: Rod Green, Jo-Anne Ford, Darren Saunders, Kim Thompson, Matt Motha. Front L-R: Phil Matthews, Keith Brown

The Wangaratta Clay Target Club has not held a Down the Line competition in over two years. COVID lockdowns in 2020 flowed into major redevelopment works at the club's facilities, putting a stop to competitive shooting. Those works are still ongoing, but Saturday the 16th of April saw DTL make its long-awaited return. Perfect weather and an excellent turn out of seven squads of shooters made for a great day's sport.

Event 1 was a 10 target Eye Opener Cash Divide. Unfortunately for anyone hoping to retire on the winnings, seven shooters scored 10/10 to share the purse – Noah Calandro, Cameron Ford, Jo-Anne Ford, Brett Jory, Ross Liersch, Darren Saunders and Keith Willett. It was good to see B grader, Jo-Anne, up there with the AA and A grade blokes.

Event 2, the 30 target Double Barrel, saw close scores throughout and shoot-offs required to settle top two in all grades. AA Grade went to Phil Matthews with Ross Liersch in 2nd place, the



DB AA Grade 1st  
Phil Matthews



DB B Grade 1st  
Matt Motha



DB C Grade 1st  
Cass Comensoli



DB B Grade 2nd  
Keith Brown



DB C Grade 2nd  
Kim Thompson

Ferguson had earlier dropped out of the event 2 shoot-off, but made up for it this time and took 1st place in AA Grade with a perfect 90/90. Phil Matthews was only one point back in 2nd on 89/90.

Pat Calandro took another win in A Grade with 88/90. Corowa shooter Rod Green took 2nd with 89/96 after a shoot-off with Yarrawonga veteran Roy

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two gentlemen deciding the final placings with the toss of a coin. Both had shot clean 30/30 main rounds and 25/25 in the shoot-off, which also included Angus Ferguson and Darren Saunders.

It was a family affair in A Grade, with Pat Calandro taking the win with 31/32 from his son Noah Calandro on 30/32.

B Grade was won by Junior shooter Matt Motha on 35/36. Matt missed only the final target in the main round of 30. Wang club veteran Keith Brown was in top form and took 2nd with 34/36.

In C Grade, it was the Cass and Kim show. Walmer Gun Club shooter Cass Comensoli was victorious on 28/30 with Kim Thompson 2nd on 32/35 after a shoot-off with David Plum.

Event 3 was the 30 target Points Score. Angus



PS C Grade 1st  
Cass Comensoli



PS A Grade 2nd  
Rod Green



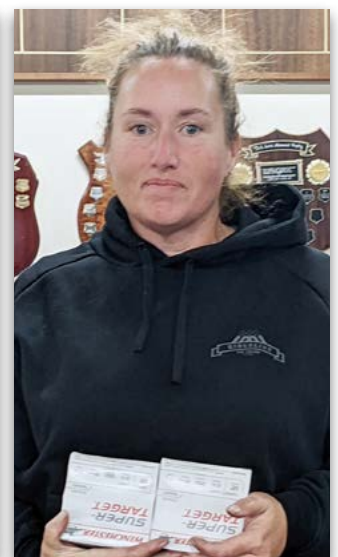
PS AA Grade 1st  
Angus Ferguson



PS AA Grade 2nd  
Phil Matthews



PS B Grade 1st  
Les Comensoli



PS B Grade 2nd  
Jo-Anne Ford

Ellis. Rod's 2nd place was fair reward for his help in the office sorting out the scoring software.

B Grade was won by Les Comensoli with an impressive 89/90. Northern Vic Ammo Supplies proprietor, Jo-Anne Ford, was 2nd on 87/90.

Cass Commensoli came back for more in C Grade, taking another 1st place with 80/90. Second went to Euroa's David Plum on 82/96, reversing his earlier shoot-off result with Kim Thompson.

The final event on the card was a 30 target Handicap. Darren Saunders, shooting off 24 metres, took 1st with 30/30. Les Comensoli off 17 metres took 2nd with 29/30 and Angus



*Handicap 1st  
Darren Saunders*



*Handicap 2nd  
Les Comensoli*



*Handicap 3rd  
Angus Ferguson*

Ferguson off 22 metres was 3rd with 28/30.

High Gun winners were Overall, Darren Saunders 158/160; Veterans, Bob Glossop 143/160; Ladies, Jo-Anne Ford 146/160; Juniors, Cameron Ford 140/160.

## CLUB NEWS

## MARYBOROUGH & DISTRICT GUN CLUB

**On April 23rd the management committee at Maryborough decided to revise the program from 3 events back to 2, thereby reducing nominations.**

The first event, a 50 target Continental Points Score Championship, was won outright by Steve Trembath (WVCTC), shooting 142/150. Second in AA went to Nathan McDonnell (MCC).



A Grade was won by Rhys Hirth from the Colac Club 141/150 with local, Darren Watts, taking 2nd. B Grade 1st Bryan Rafferty, 2nd Jason McGrath (Walmer). One of our regular visitors from Beaufort, Bill Sands took home C Grade, Mark Henderson (Kyneton) placed 2nd.

The second event a 50 target Double Barrel Championship witnessed a 64 target shoot-off before Kelly Coogan (MCC) outshot local member, Travis Gull, for the Overall. In A grade Darren Watts took first place and after a short shoot-off, Club Secretary Garry Cassells, placed 2nd. B grade went to Loddon District shooter Peter Akkermans with Maryborough member Bryan Rafferty taking 2nd place. Mark Henderson won C grade and Bill Sands had another draw, running 2nd.

*Left: Points Score Overall winner Steve Trembath with Maryborough Secretary Garry Cassells*

*Right: Kelly Coogan Overall Double Barrel winner*



# Vale

## David Howe

On behalf of the Darwin Clay Target Club and the NT Clay Target Association I regret to announce that long term member, Dave Howe, passed away on 18 April after a lengthy battle with cancer.



Dave was a popular, highly respected member and a very handy AA grade shot. He served for many years on the Darwin Club committee including four years as President. He served on the NTCTA Committee for over 10 years including as President for two years. He also served on the ACTA Executive Committee for 11 years and officiated at a number of ACTA ISSF Nationals. Dave competed as an NT team member at many DTL Nationals and qualified for the Mackintosh at least twice.

He was accredited as an International ISSF referee, DTL and Skeet referee and Club Coach. He always volunteered for whatever work was required around the club and regularly guided new shooters.

As a young man he was a keen rower and his team from Wesley won head of the river rowing championship. He also was a handy AFL player belonging to Essendon before he went to Darwin in 1971.

Professionally, Dave was highly respected as an agricultural scientist and worked for many years in the NT Land Resource Assessment section. He served on a number of national scientific committees including national soil conservation and was well respected for his work in that role. He was a dedicated scientist and always honestly told it the way things were, irrespective of political considerations.

He retired from public service some years ago and enjoyed family and shooting to the last.

Dave was competent and multi-talented, being a landscape artist with at least two successful exhibitions. He was going to organise another but the cancer overtook him. He had an encyclopaedic knowledge of WW2 aircraft, an interest he would have inherited from his father who was an official war photographer in WW2. He had a comprehensive knowledge of sporting firearms of many types, could rattle off pop songs from the 60s and 70s and was widely read on all manner of things. He and I were hunting partners for over 50 years and spent many trips together. He was an erudite man in the full sense of the word but never flaunted his knowledge. He had such a big heart that he would never put people down.

Dave is survived by his partner Shirley Jones, his mother Rosa, two daughters Rebecca and Kate, sister Diana and grandchildren. Dave's many friends from all over the country will sorely miss him as he truly was one of nature's gentlemen. Rest in peace old friend.

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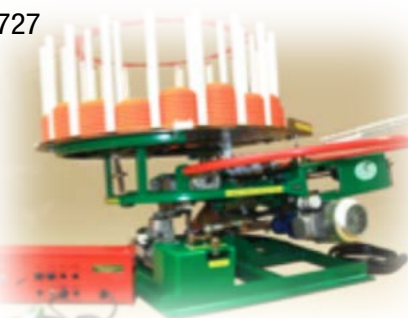
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# What's happening in the VCTA

Firstly, I'd like to apologise to everyone that there was no 'What's Happening . . .' in the last Clay Target News. The work life of a State Secretary seems to be endless and sometimes one needs a bit of a break to recharge the batteries (and get some Brownie Points back from the family). So rather than spend time writing I spent some time with my lovely wife travelling through the western district of Victoria, touring the western art silos trail and finding a few of the clay target clubs that I write to but have never seen.

It was an eye opener to visit clubs like Patchewollock, Hopetoun, Beaufort and St Arnaud – not that the clubs were open on the days I called in – but it was good to see the facilities that the clubs had and to mark them in the GPS for visiting on a competition day in the future!

Actually, when I tried to find the Patchewollock club, I got an unexpected tour of the countryside! Initially, my GPS sent me out to the old gun club

site at the old racecourse. When I eventually found the place, it was so old that I knew the club must have moved elsewhere. So, I went to the good, reliable shoot program booklet and found the club in the opposite direction to that which I had been looking! I was pretty impressed when I eventually found the club – I'm looking forward to going there and trying out the facilities for myself!

So . . . what news from VCTA? Well, the VCTA Executive met in early April, just before the Easter break, and a couple of important points came out of the meeting.

Firstly, the Commonwealth titles will be held at the State Grounds, Echuca CTC, on July 29th, 30th and 31st with a practice day on the 28th.

The event will include six of the DTL disciplines, namely Handicap, Single and Double Barrel, Points Score, Double Rise and Champion of

Champions. Prize pool will be a minimum of \$12,000 and nominations will soon be available on MCMS.

After a couple of years of unsuccessfully trying to host this event, due to Covid, the VCTA looks forward to finally being able to hold it and hope that you can be there!

You will find further information in this edition of Clay Target News.

Secondly, the Executive have moved to introduce a VCTA Membership card that will be distributed to all VCTA members in the coming months.

The card will contain basic information including the member's



*Here we are at the Brim silo*

name, club, membership type and membership number and will have a bar code that can be used for nominations and entry into MCMS in most circumstances. The back of the card will contain the additional information of the VCTA website address and VCTA contact phone number.

The purpose of the card is to make nomination for club events easier, provide membership evidence for members without smart phones and, most importantly, provide additional evidence of membership of an association when it comes to renewal of firearms licences. The card, with the added evidence of a receipt of club or ACTA membership, should provide sufficient proof for licence applications.

Cards will be processed on a monthly basis after VCTA has received confirmation from ACTA of membership payments. Cards will then be sent to club secretaries for distribution. Cards will not be sent to individuals except where a reprint has been ordered. Cards will be valid for five years and anyone requiring a reprint will be charged \$10 per card.

Cards will look something like this . . .



Further information regarding the Membership Card will be released as soon as it is available. It is expected that cards will begin to be distributed by the end of May.

I think that's enough for this month! Don't forget to check out the details for the Commonwealth Titles elsewhere in the magazine and I'll talk to you again in June!

*Jeff Bell,  
VCTA State Secretary*

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# Psychological Skills for Shooting

by Michael Kruger-Davis

## The Importance of Relaxation

Before the DTL nationals, I wrote an article on dealing with anxiety of being back in large competitions. I mentioned the centering technique developed by Robert Nideffer as a way of dealing with anxiety, improving concentration and staying in the here and now. This technique when learnt and generalised to a variety of situations can provide you with a quick and effective technique for calming both the body and the mind. Centreing is a relaxation and concentration skill that can be used by athletes and shooters to reduce arousal levels and assist their focus of attention on the task at hand.

Even though I have retired from full time work with NSW Department of Education, they have been reluctant to let me go and because experienced senior psychologists are thin on the ground, they have kept me engaged by supervision provisionally registered psychologists or interns. For most part this can be done via Zoom from home. Anxiety is the most common mental health problem and the onset is often in childhood. As I stated in the March article, anxiety is the fear of something terrible happening in the future. The important thing to note here is that it is the fear of it happening and not the fact that it is happening at all. Fortunately, for me and for my interns the processes for dealing with anxiety in sport is essentially the same as the therapeutic approaches used for general anxiety disorder, separation anxiety and performance anxiety. The best way to help anyone deal with anxiety is to teach them to relax, because relaxation is the wonder drug for dealing with anxiety and the fear of the future. When you relax, you stay in the here and now, and you have to focus on your breathing. This will bring your focus back to the process of shooting the targets.

Syer & Connolly (1984) sees relaxation as temporary and deliberate withdrawal from activity, which if correctly timed, allows you to recharge and make full use of your physical, mental and

emotional energy. Relaxation is characterised by an absence of activity and tension; a period of stillness when you let go of sense of need. Relaxation and its opposite, tension should be viewed as positions on the same continuum.

Relaxation.....Tension  
(non-arousal).....(arousal).....(over arousal)

Each athlete must find the position on the continuum that is right for them. Different sports have different arousal requirements; archery requires calm whereas weightlifting may require the individual to be worked-up, rifle shooting will need calm as opposed to trap or skeet shooting which requires a mild level of arousal and tension.

Relaxation training is a skill and probably the most widely used application of psychology in sport. Winter & Martin (1988) suggest that there are four areas in which athletes can benefit from relaxation techniques; stress management, physiological benefits, self-regulation and relaxation as the basis for mental rehearsal.

Stressors, that are likely to affect shooters are the demand or desire to 'get up' for the game, injuries, relationship problems and problems related to retirement or adjusting to life without sport. Some stress management techniques such as drugs, alcohol, over eating, etc will provide short term relief of the symptoms but will not provide a solution or will have serious long-term effects. Physiological benefits from relaxation are a decrease in the consumption of oxygen, rate of respiration, heart rate and metabolism. Relaxation training helps the athlete increase body awareness and provides techniques for controlling over arousal before and during competitions. Relaxation techniques can also help quieten the mind and make it less susceptible to distractions.

Syer & Connolly (1984) see learning to relax for athletes will vary from individual to individual and from one occasion to another;

- *learn to relax and withdraw completely*
  - a) to acquire a point of reference, a recognition

of your own zero arousal level.

b) to increase awareness of your own physical, mental and emotional resources and how best to use them

c) to gain a detached impression of your environment

d) to simply experience a positive pleasurable and beneficial state of being that allows regeneration of body mind and emotions.

- *learn to relax momentarily*

a) to reduce over-arousal to a manageable and productive level, during and immediately before competition.

b) to become aware of your kinaesthetic sense.

c) return to your point of balance

If you train yourself to relax momentarily and to withdraw at appropriate moments before or during competition, you will find your awareness and speed of reaction to be greatly increased when you focus on your performance again.

There are numerous self-help books that describe or outline relaxation techniques. The technique that you choose for yourself must be something you enjoy and feel comfortable with. The following are some examples of relaxation techniques that shooters may find useful.

1. Progressive muscle relaxation (Winter & Martin, 1988) This approach was developed in the 1930's and involves learning relaxation by systematic tensing and then relaxing various muscle groups within the body. The theory behind the tensing of the muscles is that an over exaggeration leads to a more pronounced relaxation of these muscles and this helps the individual to more easily recognise the feeling of relaxation in a particular muscle group.
2. Scripted relaxation techniques. These techniques involve listening to or reading a script that has been designed to focus awareness on particular parts of your body. There are now numerous apps that can be downloaded to your phone that will talk you through a variety of relaxation scripts. Smiling Minds is one good example.
3. Visualisation and/or imagery are often used in conjunction with relaxation.  
Syer & Connolly (1984) use an example where the athlete imagines themselves in a shell filled with a beautiful, coloured liquid and that there are taps on their fingers and toes and that as

the liquid is draining relaxation suggestions are given. Gallwey (1979) gets the golfer to imagine he is floating upon a lake and as the water calms the golfer calms as well. The use of scripts in relaxation provides a visual focus in our effort to withdraw from our world.

4. Hypnosis and self-hypnosis also provide effective means of relaxing and dealing with stress, injuries and lapses in concentration. Nideffer (1992) sees self-hypnosis as a technique that allows you to become more totally immersed in your feelings and thoughts because there is a greater breakdown in the normal shifting of attention from an external to an internal focus.

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I have put together all the articles that I have written for the CTSN (and some that have not yet been submitted) on USB. These are available for \$25.00 (which includes GST and Postage). If you wish to purchase a copy please contact me at the email address below.

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## ***Camping on the National Ground for Major Events***

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Powered \$30, Unpowered \$15

To reserve a site phone the National Office on 02 6938 2121 between 10am and 2pm

# Competition Results



## WESTERN AUSTRALIA

### Boyup Brook 30/04/2022

Absolutely perfect (36): 120T DB: OA: P House 120/120; AA: M Evans 118/123, T Starkey 117/123; A: R Guadagnino 117/120, S Uren 116/120, C Riley 115/120; B: R Shepherd 116/120, G Robertson 134/139, D Cross 133/139; C: K Guadagnino 112/120, C Roach 110/120, J Griffiths 109/120.

### Peel 10/04/2022

Cold, wet and stormy (34): 150T DB: OA: P Hadida 158/161; AA: G Walker 157/161, S Gee 146/150, T Burnard 140/150; A: N Gilligan 163/167, F Pradera 162/167, I Watson 145/150; B: I

Thompson 142/152, R De Sousa 141/152, C Niccolini 136/150; C: D Skey 140/150, P Niccolini 137/150, L Knight 133/150.

### Western Australian 25/04/2022

Dark sky with a bit of wind, warm (65): Anzac Day 100T DB CS: OA: J Lynch 100/100; AA: M Boschetti 104/105, D Burnett 103/105, T Morris 99/100; A: K Smith 99/100, J Carter 104/106, J Santostefano 103/106; B: C Niccolini 120/126, R Puglisi 119/120, J Eddy 93/100; C: P Niccolini 95/100, M Hart 107/115, B Palmer 106/115.

K Mules 73/75; B: P Winsler 65/70, D Murrell 94/75; C: P Klieve 71/78, F Kentish 68/78; 50T CONT PS: AA: W Jenkins 153/162, M Medhurst 152/162; A: T Jenkins 14/150, S Chambers 136/150; B: S Fleming 135/153, F Baker 132/153; C: D Robertson 127/150, P Klieve 123/150; HG: W Jenkins 267/291.

### Mount Gambier 09/04/2022

(33): 25T SKT HC: T Mckinnon 46/48, D Beyer 45/48, W Jenkins 36/42, S Chambers 37/39, G Kessegian 36/39; 25T SB: AA: G Height 25/25, M Medhurst 24/25; A: A Hoare 23/25, S Chambers 22/28; B: D Robertson 21/25, M Rudd 20/25; C: G Blok 21/26, A McKinnon 20/26; 25T DB: AA: B Sims 35/35, W Jenkins 34/35; A: K Mules 32/32, K Atkin 31/32; B: D Robertson 42/42, R Gilchrist 41/42; C: B Case 25/28, G Blok 24/28; HG: D Beyer 72/75.

### South Australian 24/04/2022

Fine, Warm & Stiff Breeze (25): SKT CS: OA & A: S Pipicella 47/50, R Warden 45/50; B: C Jacobs 43/50; C: R James 39/50, R Peek 36/50; VET: R Dower, L Schubert 43/50; SB Gr: AA: D Oliviero 19/25; A: G Coppola 23/25, B Mudge 22/29; B: B Quinzi 22/25, G Maffia 20/25; C: B Greenshields 19/25, S Byrnes 18/25; VET: L Schubert 20/25; PS Gr: AA: D Oliviero 68/75; A: G Coppola 74/75, D Lymn 62/75;

B: K Prescott 63/75, B Quinzi 60/75; C: R Marcoionni 63/75, S Byrnes, P Baldock 50/75; VET: D Lymn 62/75; DB CS: OA & AA: D Oliviero 51/51; A: R Cook 24/25, D Lymn 23/25; B: W Clarke 50/51, K Prescott 41/42; C: R Marcoionni 23/25, P Baldock 17/25; VET: K Prescott 25/25; OA HG: L Schubert 140/175.

### Southern Yorke Peninsula

#### 23/04/2022

Sunny & Breezy (9): 50T DB Gr: B: S. Bowley 47/50, M. Bulger 36/50; C: S Haggerty 47/50, T Haggerty 40/50; 25T PS Gr: B: M Bulger 65/75, S Bowley 58/75; C: L Leong 67/84, T Haggerty 66/81; 25T DB HC: 1st: T Johnson 23/26, 2nd: S Bowley 22/26, 3rd: S Haggerty 21/25; OA HG: S Haggerty 129/150.

### Wilkawatt 10/04/2022

Partly cloudy (31) (20): 25T SKT: A: M Raper 25/25; B: A Lock 51/52, D McPherson 50/52; C: B Peter 24/29, K Pfeiffer 25/29; 50T HC EZ CS: 1st: M Raper 63/66, 2nd: M Sutton 62/66, 3rd: A Lock 61/65; 25 Pr DR CS: AA: L Batten 47/50, A Lock 44/50; A: D Beelitz 49/50, M Raper 56/60; B: M Sutton 43/50, D McPherson 37/50; C: V Batten 44/50, G Harvey 40/50. OA: D Beelitz 49/50; HG: OA: M Raper 118/125; LAD: V Batten 107/125; JNR: L Batten 114/125; VET: D Beelitz 109/125.



## SOUTH AUSTRALIA

### Lower North Gun Club

#### 03/04/2022

Mostly sunny, 24° (20): 50T DB CS: OA: T Carlesso 50/50; AA: R Rossi 49/50; A: T Carlesso 50/50, Z Drawing 49/50; B: M Pontifex 49/50, P Marmorale 47/50; C: T Wedding 49/50, P Baldock 45/50; 30T PS: AA: D Oliviero 90/90; A: Z Drawing 90/90, Coppola 89/90; B: B Quinzi 82/90, P Marmorale 78/90; C: P Baldock 90/102, E Gunby 87/102; 25T SxS CS: 1st D Oliviero 24/26, 2nd M Pontifex 23/26, 3rd Z Drawing 30/33; VET HG: D Oliviero 137/140; OA HG: Z Drawing 139/140.

### Mid North 01/05/2022

Sunny and warm (8): 20T CD: 1: M Bulger, H Bowman 19/20; 50T PS CONT: AA/A: H Bowman 144/150; B: M Bulger 129/150; C: D Bowman 119/150, T Bowman 115/150; 25T HC: 1: T Bowman 24/25; 2: M Bulger 30/32; 3: R Kurtzer 29/32.

### Mid North 10/04/2022

Sunny (12): 20T PS CD: D Mills 60/60, H Bowman 56/60, T

Bowman 54/60; 50T DB: AA/A: D Mills 50/50, H Bowman 48/50; B: B Finch 47/50, M Pontifex 43/50; C: T Bowman 47/50, D Bowman 43/50; 25T CONT: AA/A: D Mills 24/25, H Bowman 23/25; B: B Finch 22/25, M Pontifex 21/25; C: C Heading 23/25, T Bowman 22/25.

### Monarto 17/04/2022

SA Hot, overcast and windy (17): 50T SB: AA: R Clark 48/50, P Kelly 46/50; A: R Smeda 46/50, B Cook 44/50; B: R Batson 44/50, D Long 38/50; C: E Gunby 41/51, M Sutton 40/51; 50T DB: AA: R Clark 50/50, P Kelly 48/50; A: R Smeda 65/67, G Schmidt 64/67; B: D Long 47/50, R Batson 45/50; C: E Gunby 45/50, M Sutton 44/50; OA HG: R Clark 98/100.

### Mount Gambier 05/03/2022

(25): 50T SKT: AA: D Simson 47/50; A: K Mules 45/54, G Kessegian 44/54; B: G Height 35/50, T McKinnon 34/50; C: W Jenkins 39/50, T Jenkins 39/52; 25T PS: AA: G Height 73/75, W Jenkins 83/87; A: T Jenkins 74/75,



## TASMANIA

### Hobart 24/04/2022

Beautiful Autumn Day (28): 100T PS CS: OA: C Kenny 308/321; AA: S Browning 286/300; A: P Eddington 307/321; B: K

Chapman 280/300; C: L Carpi 279/300; 25T SxS: A: S Glover 28/31; B: P Gourlay 22/25; C: D Richardson 23/25.



## NORTHERN TERRITORY

No shoot results for Northern Territory.

Adverts for NT Trap Carnival and NT Skeet Championships on following pages



Northern Territory Clay Target Association Inc.

# NORTHERN TERRITORY SKEET CHAMPIONSHIPS

11th – 13th June 2022

Venue: Darwin Clay Target Club, 205 Abala Road, Darwin NT



## Saturday 11th June 9:00 am

- Event 1: 50 Target 20g Skeet Championship  
Event 2: 50 Target Skeet Handicap – Paul Weis Memorial

## Sunday 12th June 9:00 am

- Event 3: 100 Target Skeet Championship  
Postal Teams Match

## Monday 13th June 9:00 am

- Event 4: 50 Target Skeet Champion of Champions  
(25 Target 12g in first visit and 25 Target 20g in second visit)  
Event 5: 50 Target Skeet Doubles Championship (25 Pair)

*\*\*The NTCTA committee reserves the right to alter the program should the need arise\*\**

### Overall on Events 1, 3, 4 and 5

NT Sash, Gold Badge and Cash or Sponsor Prize

### 1st and 2nd AA, A, B, C on Events 1, 3, 4 and 5

NT Medallion and Cash or Sponsor Prize

### 1st Ladies/Juniors/Veterans on Events 1, 3, 4 & 5

NT Medallion

### 1st to 5th on Event 2

Overall - NT Sash, Gold Badge and Cash or Sponsor Prize, 2nd - NT Medallion and Cash or Sponsor Prize, 3rd - NT Medallion and Cash or Sponsor Prize, 4th & 5th - Cash or Sponsor Prize.

### Overall High Gun and Grade High Guns (AA, A, B, C) on Events 1 – 5

NT Sash, Gold Badge and Cash or Sponsor Prize

### Ladies/Juniors/Veterans High Gun on Events 1 – 5

NT Sash and Gold Badge

### Nominations through MyClubsMyScores.

Shooters will be able to nominate on the day however there will be an additional fee of \$10 per event.

### NOMINATIONS (Per Event)

Events 1, 2, 4, and 5 - Open \$60.00, Ladies/Junior/Veterans \$55.00

Event 3 – Open \$120.00, Ladies/Junior/Veterans \$115.00

For additional information and conditions of entry, please visit [www.ntclaytarget.org.au](http://www.ntclaytarget.org.au)  
For information regarding camping please contact the Darwin Clay Target Club secretary at

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Northern Territory Clay Target Association Inc.  
**NORTHERN TERRITORY  
4 DAY TRAP CHAMPIONSHIPS**  
21st – 24th July 2022



Venue: Darwin Clay Target Club, 205 Abala Road, Darwin NT

**Thursday 21st July 7.30 am**

- Event 1: 50 Target Handicap Championship – **Friglec Airconditioning \$100K Challenge** (Terms & Conditions Apply)  
Event 2: 50 Target Double Barrel Championship – **Friglec Airconditioning \$100K Challenge** (Terms & Conditions Apply)

**Friday 22nd July 7:30 am**

- Event 3: 50 Target Single Barrel Championship  
Event 4: 50 Target Point Score Championship

**Saturday 23rd July 7:30 am**

- Event 5: 75 Target Champion of Champions  
NT Postal Teams

**Saturday 23rd July 5:30 pm**

Calcutta Dinner

**Sunday 24th July 7:30 am**

- Event 6: 25 Pair Double Rise Championship  
Event 7: 50 Target Double Barrel Calcutta (Not included in the Overall High Gun)

*\*\*The NTCTA committee reserves the right to alter the program should the need arise\*\**

**Overall on Events 3 - 6:** NT Sash, Gold Badge and Cash or Sponsor Prize.

**Overall on Events 1 & 2:** NT Sash, Gold Badge & **Friglec Airconditioning \$100K Challenge**.  
Minimum \$2000.00 Cash Prize.

**1st and 2nd AA, A, B, C on Events 1, 3 - 6:** NT Medallion and Cash or Sponsor Prize.

**1st Ladies/Juniors/Veterans on Events 1, 3 - 6:** NT Medallion.

**2nd to 5th on Event 1:** 2nd - NT Medallion and Cash or Sponsor Prize, 3rd - NT Medallion and Cash or Sponsor Prize, 4th & 5th - Cash or Sponsor Prize.

**Overall High Gun on Events 1 - 6:** NT Sash, Gold Badge and **Beretta Silver Pigeon Shotgun**

**Grade High Guns (AA, A, B, C) on Events 1 - 6:** NT Sash, Gold Badge and Cash Prize or Sponsor Prize.

**Ladies/Juniors/Veterans High Gun on Events 1 - 6:** NT Sash, Gold Badge and Cash or Sponsor Prize.

**Event 7:** This is not an NT Title and will be run as a standalone event. Cash or Sponsor Prizes.

Nominations through MCMS. There will be a maximum capacity of 210 competitors for each event. Nominations may be taken on the day if there are positions available however there will be an additional fee of \$10 per event.

**NOMINATIONS** (Per Event)

Events 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6 - Open \$60.00, Ladies/Junior/Veterans \$55.00

Event 5 - Open \$90.00, Ladies/Junior/Veterans \$85.00

Event 7 - Open \$90.00, Ladies/Junior/Veterans \$85.00. Nomination in event 7 includes a ticket to the Calcutta dinner. Separate tickets can be purchased on the day for non-competitors for \$30 each.

For additional information and conditions of entry, please visit [www.ntclaytarget.org.au](http://www.ntclaytarget.org.au)

For general enquires or information regarding camping please contact the Darwin Clay Target Club secretary at [dctsecretary@gmail.com](mailto:dctsecretary@gmail.com)





# Friglec Air-Conditioning \$100K Handicap Challenge \$100K Double Barrel Challenge

## Terms and Conditions

### Eligibility and Entry Requirements:

The overall winner of the **\$100K Handicap Challenge** shot at Darwin Clay Target Club on Thursday the **21/07/2022** will become the sole contestant.

The overall winner of the **\$100K Double Barrel Challenge** shot at Darwin Clay Target Club on Thursday the **21/07/2022** will become the sole contestant.

### Prizes & Draw Times:

#### \$100K Handicap Challenge

The draw and presentation for \$100K Handicap Challenge will take place at a time specified by the committee at the completion of the event. The winner will be required to be present at this time of the draw.

#### \$100K Double Barrel Challenge

The draw and presentation for \$100K Double Barrel Challenge will take place at a time specified by the committee at the completion of the event. The winner will be required to be present at this time of the draw.

### Major Draw Process: 5 in 40 Card Draw

- There will be 40 envelopes to draw from. The winning shooter keeps opening the envelopes to reveal the coloured cards inside until they get 5 matching cards which correspond with prize levels shown below.
- Prize levels A and B will be paid in accordance to the associated policy.
- Prize levels C and D will be paid on the evening of the draw.

### Prizes are as outlined below:

<b>Prize level A \$100,000</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>Blue cards</b>
<b>Prize level B \$25,000</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>Red cards</b>
<b>Prize level C \$3,000</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>Green cards</b>
<b>Prize level D \$2,000</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>Yellow cards</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>cards</b>

### Dispute Resolution

The outcomes of all disputes are at the discretion of the Darwin Clay Target Club and the appointed independent adjudicators. No correspondence will be entered into.



# VICTORIA

## **Euroa 10/04/2022**

Sunny with Intermittent Cloud (25): 25T CONT DB CS: A & OA: A Rohrlach 24/25, R Barns 23/25; AA: S Towers 22/25; B: J King 21/25, L Fitzpatrick 22/27; C: D Oates 22/25, D Leulf 23/27; 25T PS Gr: AA: B Simms 74/75, S Towers 70/75; A: A Rohrlach 75/75, R Barns 69/75; B: R McKinnon 74/75, L Fitzpatrick 74/75; C: D Oates 73/75, C Comensoli 69/75; 25T DB SxS CS: B & OA: R McKinnon 25/25; AA: S Towers 21/25; A: A Rohrlach 21/25, R Barns 17/25; B: I Larner 25/27; C: D Oates 21/25, P Grant 20/25.

## **Maryborough 23/4/2022**

(39): 50T CONT PS CS: Open/AA: S Trembath 142/150, N McDonnell 139/150; A: R Hirth 141/150, D Watts 133/150; B: B Rafferty 135/150, J McGrath 128/150; C: B Sands 125/150, M Henderson 116/150. 50T DB CS: Open/AA K Coogan 114/114 T Gull 113/114; A: D Watts 55/57, G Cassells 54/57; B P Akkermans

49/50, B Rafferty 48/50; C M Henderson 45/50, B Sands 43/50.

## **Melbourne 09/04/2022**

Sunny (57): 100T MXD : OA: L Quirk 198/210; AA: M Coleman 140/150, B Grimes 168/180; A: R Jackson 197/210, L Primavera 166/180; B: R Adams 195/210, T McGrath 189/210; C: L McKeon 132/150, W Green 127/150; 100T SKT: OA: M Buttigieg 100/100; AA: M Briggs 97/100, J Kalaboukas 92/100; A: P Johnston 95/100; B: J Turner 79/100; C: D Mould 89/100, G Hunt 83/100.

## **Melbourne 23/04/2022**

Partly cloudy (112): 50T PS: AA: C McDougall 171/177, D Appleby 145/150; OA & A: K Calder 191/195, C Brown 188/195; B: M Salerno 141/150, B Tridgell 135/150; C: B Battle 139/150, G Shields 134/150; 50T DB: AA: A Cameron 50/50, F Heinze 88/89; OA & A: C Williams 75/75, P Haslam 74/75; B: B Tridgell 49/50, R Adams 47/50; C: G Shields 46/50, W Green 43/50;

200T Perazzi Australia National Universal Trench CS: OA: L Cassar 192/200; AA: M Schiller 191/200, J Tonna 185/200; A: M Corbo 209/225, A Mota 207/225; B: R Pistone 181/200, K Dean 177/200; C: A Gammaldi 165/200, C Williams 163/200; JNR: M Corbo 209/225; LAD: M Beecham 180/200; VET: M Collumb 177/200.

## **Mt Bogong 01/05/2022**

Fine and cold (50): 10T CONT E/O: D Palmer, R Taylor, D Hunt, I McGeoch 10/10; 30T CONT Memorial: OA: D Sutherland 37/37; AA: D Sutherland 37/37, D Taylor 36/37; A: K Jones 28/30, G Schmidt 33/36; B: J Hamilton 28/30, K Birt 31/34; C: Jason West 23/30, D Palmer 22/30; 30T DB: AA: D Taylor 30/30, I McGeoch 29/30; A: K Jones 30/30, R Taylor 28/30; B: Jim West 30/30, B Pieper 28/30; C: D Palmer 26/30, Jason West 25/30; HG: D Taylor 69/70.

## **Nepean 16/04/2022**

Fine and Mild. No wind (48): 40T Norm Quick Perpetual CS: D Grujica 40/40, R Collins 59/60, J Robinson 58/60, K Taylor 55/57, J Thomas 54/57; 50T DB: AA: H Crawford 50/50, S Allen 49/50; A: D Comelli 49/50, T Loveridge 87/89; B: S Ziegler 54/57, D Allen 53/57; C: J Thomas 50/50, P Azzopardi 68/70.

## **St James 30/04/2022**

Sunny/Cloudy & Windy (30): Norma's Charity Shoot: 50T PTS Grd: OA & A: S Stokes 144/150, P Watkins 138/150; AA: R Wojtowycz 143/150, D Saunders 135/150; B: J King 125/150, S Murphy 122/150; C: C Lewis 133/150, R Logan 126/150; Norma's Charity Shoot: 50T DB Grad: OA & AA: D Saunders 68/70, R Wojtowycz 67/70; A: M Kelly 48/50, S Stokes 60/63; B: J King 45/50, T Plum 46/53; C: R Logan 44/50, D Plum 43/50; Norma's Charity Shoot: HG Grd: OA & AA: R Wojtowycz 192/200; AA: D Saunders 184/200; A: S Stokes 191/200; B: J King 170/200; C: R Logan 170/200.

## **Wangaratta 16/04/2022**

Warm & sunny, occasional light cloud (33): 10T DB E/O: N Calandro, C Ford, J Ford, B Jory, R Liersch, D Saunders, K Willett 10/10; 30T DB: AA & OA: P Matthews 55/55, R Liersch 55/55; A: P Calandro 31/32, N Calandro 30/32; B: M Motha 35/36, K Brown 34/36; C: C Comensoli 28/30, K Thompson 32/35; 30T PS: AA & OA: A Ferguson 90/90, P Matthews 89/90; A: P Calandro 88/90, R Green 89/96; B: L Comensoli 89/90, J Ford 87/90; C: C Comensoli 80/90, D Plum 82/96; 30T HC: D Saunders 30/30, L

# North East Zone/V.C.T.A. JUNE 2022 PROGRAM

## **SUNDAY 29TH MAY**

### **Cosgrove 11:00am**

15tgt M/T Gr C/D  
75tgt Ch/Ch, O/A, 4 gr, 1&2

## **SUNDAY 5TH**

### **Numurkah Shepparton 11:00 am**

100tgt D/B P/S

## **SUNDAY 12TH**

### **Echuca 10:30 am**

25pr D/R  
25tgt S/B  
25tgt H/cap

### **Euroa 11:00 am**

*Benalla Gun Club Winter C/ships*  
25tgt Benalla GC P/S C/ship  
25tgt Benalla GC S/B C/ship  
25tgt Benalla GC D/B C/ship

### **Yarrowonga 11:00 am**

25pr D/R  
50tgt P/S

## **MONDAY 13TH**

### **Bendigo 9:00 am**

*Queen's Birthday shoot*  
See CTSN Advert

## **SATURDAY 18TH**

### **Bendigo 10:00am**

100tgt S/C Compak C/ship  
First Leg of Bendigo/Maryborough Challenge

### **Wangaratta 12:00noon**

80tgt DTL

## **SUNDAY 19TH**

### **Mansfield 10:30 am**

*Highland Shield – Mansfield vs Alexandra vs Euroa*  
10tgt P/S C/D  
30tgt P/S C/ship  
20tgt H/Cap  
20tgt D/B C/ship  
O/A High Gun over events 2, 3 & 4

## **Kyneton 11:00am**

50tgt P/S Gr C/ship  
25tgt D/B Gr C/ship

## **FRIDAY 24TH**

### **Mathoura 7:00 pm**

20tgt S/B C/D  
20tgt D/B C/D  
30tgt M/T C/ship, OA, 3gr

## **SUNDAY 26TH**

### **Colbinabbin 11:00 am**

20tgt P/S C/D  
20tgt S/B C/ship  
25tgt D/B C/ship  
15pr D/R



# BENDIGO

Clay Target Club (Inc)

**SATURDAY 18th JUNE 2022**

Starting at 10.00am

## Ian Perks Memorial

100 Target Sporting Clays Australia  
**Compak Championship**

***O/A & 1st ea Grade -  
Sash & 250 shotshells  
2nd ea Grade - 150 shotshells  
Sections – 100 shotshells***

***Overall takes grade -  
Grade placings will be ineligible for  
Section wins***

**Ladies, Juniors, Veterans  
& Super Veterans sections.**

*(if 3 competitors per class).*

**Nominations:**

**Full \$55.00**

**Juniors & Pensioners  
(on producing a Pension card)  
\$45.00**

***Proudly sponsored by:***

***Wayne & Cheryl McCarthy***

Enquiries to:

**President:**

Robert Ross 0428 470 367

**Secretary:**

Brendan Moroni 0409 434 512

***Ammunition, Full Catering  
& Hospitality available at the Club***

*The committee reserves the right to alter the  
programme and prizes if required.*

**BCTC has EFTPOS Facility available  
(surcharge applies)**



# BENDIGO

Clay Target Club (Inc)

**MONDAY 13th JUNE 2022**

## QUEENS BIRTHDAY SHOOT & Geoff Hartley Memorial

**Start 9.00am sharp  
(practice from 8.30am)**

Event 1. **50 Tgt Double Barrel Championship**

\$50.00 LJV \$45.00

Overall \$500.00 Cash

1st Remaining Grades - \$300.00 Cash

2nd Each Grade - \$150.00 Cash

Event 2. **30 Tgt Geoff Hartley Memorial  
Single Barrel Championship**

\$25.00 LJV \$20.00

1st ea. Grade - Yard Force Chainsaw  
Valued at \$169.00

2nd ea. Grade - EVERKOOL ICEKOOL  
Icebox - Valued at \$119.00

Event 3. **30 Tgt Trely's Bendigo  
Points Score Championship**

Noms. \$25.00 LJV \$20.00

1st ea. Grade - Prize to the approx.  
value of \$200

2nd ea. Grade - Prize to the approx.  
value of \$120

**All Events - AA, A, B & C Grades - O/A takes Grade**

**OVERALL HIGH GUN SASH & TROPHY**  
Ladies, Juniors & Veterans High Gun Trophy  
**Lucky Shooter** (must be in attendance at  
draw) **Australia Day 2023 Nominations**

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# 2022 COMMONWEALTH TRAP CARNIVAL

Hosted by the Victorian Clay Target Association

STATE GROUNDS - ECHUCA CLAY TARGET CLUB

29th, 30th & 31st JULY - 2022

Thursday 28th July from 12.00pm – PRACTICE \$10 for 25 targets

## Friday 29th, 9 a.m. start

### Event 1 Commonwealth Double Rise Championship, 25 pr from 18m.

Graded AA-A-B-C. Overall, plus 1st, 2nd, 3rd each grade, plus 1st Women, Juniors, Veterans

### Event 2 Commonwealth Handicap, 50 tgts from ACTA Handicap Marks

Prizes awarded 1st to 5th place, plus Frontmarker & Backmarker

## Saturday 30th, 8.30 a.m. start

### Event 3 Commonwealth Single Barrel Championship, 50 tgts from 18m.

Graded AA-A-B-C. Overall, plus 1st, 2nd, 3rd each grade, plus 1st Women, Juniors, Veterans

### Event 4 Commonwealth Double Barrel Championship, 50 tgts from 18m.

Graded AA-A-B-C. Overall, plus 1st, 2nd, 3rd each grade, plus 1st Women, Juniors, Veterans

## Sunday 31st, 8.30 a.m. start

### Event 5 Commonwealth Points Score Championship, 50 tgts from 18m.

Graded AA-A-B-C. Overall, plus 1st, 2nd, 3rd each grade, plus 1st Women, Juniors, Veterans

### Event 6 Commonwealth Champion of Champions Championship, 75 tgts from 18m.

Graded AA-A-B-C. Overall, plus 1st, 2nd, 3rd each grade, plus 1st Women, Juniors, Veterans

**RE-NOMINATIONS EVENTS 1-5 - Open \$55, Juniors \$45**

**PRE-NOMINATIONS EVENT 6 - Open \$75, Juniors \$65**

**Nominations taken on the day will incur a \$10 per event surcharge.**

All events to be shot in one visit - six shooters per squad except the Handicap,  
5 tgts per lane, 5 shooters per squad.

**SHOOT OFFS CONTINUED UNDER LIGHTS IF NECESSARY**

**ON-GROUND CAMPING AVAILABLE at \$10 per night. NO POWER AVAILABLE! (Can use own generator)**

**You can nominate on-line at MY CLUBS MY SCORES**

**PRE-NOMINATIONS CLOSE 5.00pm WEDNESDAY 27th JULY**





2022



# Commonwealth Titles



\* \$12,000  
prize money

**Friday 29th - Sunday 31st July 2022**

**Venue: State Grounds-Echuca Clay Target Club**

Practice available Thursday 28th July  
Nominations – MCMS





# FRANKSTON AUSTRALIAN CLAY TARGET CLUB INC.

ABN 85 255 281 411

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## JUNE 2022 PROGRAM

ONLY ONE COMPETITION AT FACTC IN JUNE!  
LET'S MAKE IT A BIG ONE!

All Events - Less than 5 entrants per grade no 2nd place. The committee reserves the right to alter the program. Please note start time of 11:00am.

FREE NOMS FOR ALL JUNIORS

**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> June**  
**10:00am Start**

<b>Event 1</b>	<p><b>50 Target ISSF Trap Handicap Event</b></p> <p>2x Rounds of 25 Targets AA – 0 Target Handicap Per Round A – 1 Target Handicap Per Round B – 3 Target Handicap Per Round C – 5 Target Handicap Per Round</p> <p>Top 6 enter a sudden death 'hit and miss' single barrel shoot off to determine 1<sup>st</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> place!</p> <p>1<sup>st</sup> Place Cash + Sash, 2<sup>nd</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> Place Cash</p>	<b>\$35.00</b>
<b>Event 2</b>	<p><b>50 Target Skeet Handicap Event</b></p> <p>Handicap as per ACTA Skeet Handicap</p> <p>1<sup>st</sup> Place Cash + Sash, 2<sup>nd</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup> Place Cash</p>	<b>\$35.00</b>
<b>Event 3</b>	<p>25 Target Double Barrel AA, A, B &amp; C</p>	<b>\$18.00</b>
<b>Event 4</b>	<p>25 Target Pointscore AA, A, B &amp; C</p>	<b>\$18.00</b>
<b>Event 5</b>	<p>25 Target Single Barrel AA, A, B &amp; C</p>	<b>\$18.00</b>

Events 3, 4 and 5 - High Guns Over AA,A,B&C, Best Unplaced LJV

### **SUPER HIGH GUN WINNER**

Super High Gun Novelty Event for High Gun Winners to shoot an additional 5 Targets Double Barrel, 5 Targets Pointscore and 5 Targets Single Barrel  
Prize Sash+Cash

Visit our website or Facebook for up to date information, shoot calendar and results.

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# WONTHAGGI

CLAY TARGET CLUB

SATURDAY JULY 9th 11am

Champion of Champions

11am START

25SB - 25cont - 25DB - 25PS

100 TARGETS

18M



STATE NIGHT DB

EVENT 1: \$60 / EVENT 2: \$40

DINNER INCLUDED FOR SHOOTERS  
WHO SHOOT FULL PROGRAM.

EXTRAS \$10 PER HEAD

50tgt Kicks off at 6.30PM

VIVAZ  
CLAY TARGETS



OVERALL HIGHGUN

Comensoli 29/30, A Ferguson 28/30; HG: OA: D Saunders 158/160; VET: B Glossop 143/160; LAD: J Ford 146/160; JNR: C Ford 140/160.

#### Yarrowonga 10/04/2022

Fine (27): 30T CONT CD: AA: P Mathews & D Hunt 30/30; A: M McLachlan 27/30, R Ellis 26/30;

B: B Glossop 29/30, I Cooksey 28/30; C: D Plumb 29/30, P Woods 28/30; 50T DB CS: AA & OA: D Hunt 84/84, C Figgins 83/84; A: M Mclachlan 49/50, R Ellis 48/50; B: K Birt 76/77, J Winters 49/50; C: P Woods 49/50, B Jones 48/50; HG: D Hunt 114/114.

Forest 112/123 112/120 0/3; C: G Hacker VC15 Majura Park 66/120 66/120, R Martin C15 Majura Park 29/120 29/120.

#### Majura Park 20/04/2022

Cold but dry (21): 75T Southern Zone Night Ch/Ch: 18 m: OPEN: D Power AA25 Majura Park 122/125 122/125; AA: M Harris AA24 Majura Park 112/125 112/125; A: P Place A19 Goulburn 110/125 110/125; B: A Jarvis LB17 Majura Park 111/125 111/125; C: M Maurice VC15 Majura Park 82/125 82/125.

#### Majura Park 27/04/2022

Cool and wet (12): 30T DB CONT: OPEN: R Fleming JAA25 Goulburn 31/31 30/30 1/1; AA: M Harris AA24 Majura Park 30/31 30/30 0/1; A: B Higgins A19 Majura Park 29/30 29/30; B: K Cox VB20 Majura Park 32/33 29/30 3/3; 25T HC Masters Round 4 CS: OPEN: B Higgins A19 Majura Park 22/25 22/25, OPEN: P Place AA21 Goulburn 22/25 22/2, OPEN: 3rd A Jarvis LB17 Majura Park 21/25 21/25, OPEN 3rd M Skinner A19 Majura Park 21/25 21/25, OPEN 3rd R Fleming JAA25 Goulburn 21/25 21/25.

#### Majura Park 01/05/2022

Calm and mild (13): 10T PS E/O: OPEN: 1st B Higgins A19 Majura Park 30/30 30/30, OPEN: 1st A Cumberland AA22 Majura Park 30/30 30/30, OPEN: 1st D Reed VA25 Boorowa 30/30 30/30. 50T PS CS: OPEN: 1st P Place AA21 Goulburn 146/150 146/150, AA: 1st D Power AA25 Majura Park 143/150 143/150, AA: 1st W Cameron VAA24 Majura Park 143/150 143/150; A: 1st P Christensen A19 The Forest 138/150 138/150; B: 1st M Skinner B17 Majura Park 134/150 134/150; C: 1st N Riley VC 44/150 44/150. 50T HC: OPEN: 1st B Higgins A19 Majura

Park 48/50 48/50, OPEN: 2nd D Power AA25 Majura Park 46/50 46/50, OPEN 3rd I Khan B17 Majura Park 45/51 44/50 1/1. OA HG: OPEN: 1st P Place AA21 Goulburn 189/200 189/200, OPEN: D Power AA25 Majura Park 189/200 189/200.

#### Richmond River 27/03/2022

Overcast (24): 50T Medley (25T DB 25T PS): AA: P Batson 96/100, G Bruce 93/100; A: R Wolton 96/100 (20/20), T Hart 96/100 (15/20); B: D Bodley 96/100, F Binding 93/100; C: A Formaggini 87/100. D Bennett 80/100; 50T SB CS: OA Sash: Allan Clarke 49/52 (2/2); Intermediate Sash: F Binding 46/50 (19/20); AA: P Batson 47/50 (1/2), G Bruce 42/50 (24/24); A: A Clarke 47/50 (2/2), T Hart 46/50; B: F Binding 46/50 (19/20), M Sullivan 46/50 (18/20); C: D Bennett 45/50, J Oliver 34/50; 25T CONT PS CD: AA: G Bruce 75/75, P Batson 75/75; A: L Hart 71/75, R Wolton 69/75; B: F Binding 67/75, P Chittick 64/75; C: J Oliver 68/75, D Bennett 63/75; OA HG: P Batson 218/225; Intermediate HG: F Binding 206/225.

#### Richmond River 24/04/2022

(35): 50T Medley CD (25T DB 25T PS): AA: N Hicks 99/100, P Batson 98/100; A: Ray Turner 96/100, G Bruce 96/100; B: O Wood 96/100, F Binding 95/100; C: Archie Smith 91/100, I Sullivan 89/100; 75T Ch/Ch CS: OA Sash: P Batson 122/125; Intermediate Sash: D Bodley 113/125; AA: P Batson 122/125, Scott Smith 171/183; A: Ray Turner 119/125, C Doust 118/125; B: D Bodley 113/125, O Wood 106/125; C: J Oliver 105/125, B Cameron 120/150; OA HG: P Batson 220/225; Intermediate HG: D Bodley 207/225.



## NEW SOUTH WALES

#### Cooma 23/04/2022

Fine, cloudy (18): 50T SKT HC: T Gray 59/59, R Perkins 58/58, R Hart 54/55, S McIntyre 53/54, D Blewitt 50/51; 25Pr SKT: AA: M Corbett 47/50, M Rosenboom 46/50; A: J Pethybridge 42/50; B: P Craig 43/50, G Petstruka 41/50; C: S McIntyre 37/50, T Gray 36/50.

#### Guyra 30/04/2022

Overcast with some sun (21): 25T PS Cash: AA: B Henshall 74/75; A: R Christie 75/75; B: C Ward 75/75; C: P Davidson 60/75; 25T HC Club Trophy: 1st G Brunsdon 25/25, 2nd J Lisle 39/40, 3rd J Henshall 38/40;

50T DB CS: OA: D Edmonds 59/60; AA: B Henshall 49/50; A: J Lisle 58/59; B: G Brunsdon 62/64; C: P Davidson 44/50; OA HG: B Henshall 147/150.

#### Majura Park 13/04/2022

Fine (26): 40T PS: OPEN: G Harris A19 Canberra 124/126 118/120 6/6; AA: R Fleming JAA25 Goulburn 122/126 118/120 4/6, M Patmore AA26 West Wyalong 116/120 116/120; A: A Pagett A22 Goulburn 147/156 111/120 36/36, C Curtis VA22 Majura Park 144/156 111/120 33/36; B: P Hart B18 Majura Park 114/123 112/120 2/3, B Frost VB19 The



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## QUEENSLAND

#### Ballandean 16/04/2022

Sunny with cool breeze (62): 5T PS E/O: P Spencer, S Lavelle, M Le Mura, G Voutounos, J Esposito, M Pain, C Koutsakis, J Castellino, S Scalia, P Creagh, R Bartley, B Wehl, T Wilde, A Nolan, M Wheatley, D Harwood, P Stein, D Cox, R Ross; 25T DB: John Bacchetti Memorial:

OA: K Stevenson 85/85; AA: J Castellino 84/85, R Bartley 80/81; A: C Koutsakis 55/56, M Wheatley 54/56; B: T Wilde 29/30, P Spencer 28/30; C: C Spencer 78/79, J Zanatta 59/60; 25T SB BCTC CS: OA: M Pain 26/26; AA: M Sweeney 39/40, A Scalia 38/40; A: S Lavelle 25/26, B Wehl 34/36; B: R Delbridge

# DARNICK GUN CLUB

Affiliated A.C.T.A.

## FRIDAY 1st July NIGHT SHOOT

Commencing once dark – 25 target PS Handicap off min grade meterage

Noms \$25

**1st- \$1000 2nd- \$600 3rd- \$400**

sponsored by Adam Maltman & OCC Services

Shot in conjunction with **Tim McKenzie Memorial**, Darnick members only

**223 Bolt action Rifle** (winner ineligible for Dallas Griffiths Memorial trophy)

## SATURDAY 2nd JULY

Commencing at 8:30 am SHARP

- |  |           |
|--|-----------|
| <b>Event 1 10 tgt Eye Opener</b>                                   | Noms \$10 |
| Cash Divide 15m  |           |
| <b>Event 2 Hay Plains Livestock – 25 tgt PS Championship – 15m</b> | Noms \$25 |
| AA, A, B, C 1st and 2nd trophy                                     |           |
| Tapper Agriservices Shield shot in conjunction with this event.    |           |
| Team of 5 , min 1 C grade  |           |
| <b>Event 3 Tilpa Goats 25 tgt SB Championship – 15m</b>            | Noms \$25 |
| AA. A, B, C 1st and 2nd trophy                                     |           |
| <b>Event 4 RAM Construction 25 tgt DB Championship – 15m</b>       | Noms \$25 |
| AA, A, B, C 1st and 2nd trophy                                     |           |
| <b>Event 5 Coombe's Transport 15 tgt Continental off 16m</b>       | Noms \$15 |
| AA, A, B, C 1st and 2nd trophy                                     |           |

**Overall High Gun** -Sponsored by PH & PM Palmer

**Graded High Gun** – Sponsored by Adam Maltman

**Junior High Gun** – Sponsored by CBM Mechanical

**Veterans High Gun** – Sponsored by RAM Construction

**Ladies High Gun** – Sponsored by Far West Rural Supplies

**Darnick Members High Gun**

**HIGH GUNS** over events 2 to 5. Overall does not take grade. Grade does not take L, J or V

**Dallas Griffiths Memorial** - Rossi 357 lever action awarded over events 2, 3 and 4

Sponsored by the Harris Family and Rose Griffiths

**LADIES, VETERANS AND JUNIORS – 75% noms**

ALL MEALS INCLUDING BREAKFASTS AVAILABLE ON GROUNDS

BAR FACILITIES, HOT SHOWERS – JUST BRING YOUR SWAGS !

PLENTY OF CAMPING GROUND BUT NO POWERED SITES

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0427 954849

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**Treasurer- Philip Palmer**  
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Committee reserves the right to make any alterations to the advertised program and prizes



Queensland Clay Target Association Inc.  
**STATE ISSF CARNIVAL**

**Brisbane Gun Club**

1<sup>st</sup> to 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2022



**Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> June** Olympic Trap Practise - from 10am

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> July - 9.00 am**

1. Day One Qualifying - 75T (of 125T) Men's & Women's State Olympic Trap  
Olympic Skeet Practise – from 10am

**Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> July - 9.00 am**

1. Day Two Qualifying - 50T (of 125T) Men's & Women's State Olympic Trap + Finals
2. Day One Qualifying - 75T (of 125T) Men's & Women's State Olympic Skeet

**Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> July - 9.00 am**

2. Day Two Qualifying - 50T (of 125T) Men's & Women's State Olympic Skeet + Finals

Overall Men's Trap & Skeet: QCTA Silver Badge, Sash & Cash Award  
2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> OA: Medal & Cash Award / 1<sup>st</sup> Juniors & Masters (+55 years): Medals

Overall Women's Trap & Skeet: Sash & Cash Award  
2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> OA: Medal & Cash Award / 1<sup>st</sup> Juniors & Masters (+55 years): Medals

Overall ParaTrap Winner: Sash

**All Events:** Graded Trophies 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> - Medal & Cash Award

**Queensland State Postal Team**

1 Team comprising 3 Men, 2 Women, 2 Juniors & 2 Masters.

Team selected over first 50T of the qualifying events, score recorded over last 50T of each event.  
Juniors & Masters may be male or female.

**State Representative Teams**

3 Men, 3 Women, 2 Juniors & 2 Masters in each discipline selected on total 125 targets at this carnival in keeping with State MQS policy for the 2023 ACTA ISSF Nationals.

Juniors & Masters may be male or female.

*Nominations through MCMS – Each event \$100 Men & Women / \$90 Juniors*

The Committee reserves the right to alter the program.

For further information: **QCTA: Davo Back 0427 220530 / Debbie Young 0419 880080**

**This is a Shooting Australia endorsed event.**





Queensland Clay Target Association Inc.



# STATE 5-STAND SPORTING CARNIVAL

**Townsville Gun Club 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> June 2022**



## **Queensland Champion - Overall Highgun 200T**

Queensland silver badge, sash, cash prize.

## **Grade Highguns + Ladies, Junior & Veterans Highguns 200T**

**Overall & Graded Prizes 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> over 100T each day**

**State Representative Team Selection – All Sections over total 200T program**

*Team members must be affiliated through a Qld ACTA club.*

Nominations, full program 200T – Open \$150, Ladies & Vets \$130, Juniors \$100

**Practise on Friday • Camping at club • Meals & Refreshments • Ammunition**

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Nominations through MCMS or contact QCTA state office: [admin@claytargetqld.org.au](mailto:admin@claytargetqld.org.au)

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25/26, G Voutounos 24/25; C: D Crotty 23/25, D Harwood 26/30; 25T PS: AA: M Pain 75/75, J Castellino 74/75; A: A Nolan 73/75, J Bartley 87/90; B: G Voutounos 74/75, J Loy 73/75; C: J Zanatta 71/75, S Favaro 83/90; 25T CONT: Angelo Musumeci Memorial: OA: J Bartley 85/85; AA: M Pain 76/77, R Wilde 39/40; A: K Stevenson 84/85, J McLean 54/55; B: J Esposito 49/50, J Loy 34/35; C: C Spencer 26/27, D Harwood 25/27; OA HG: M Pain 163/165.

#### **Brisbane 13/04/2022**

Showers (34): 75T Medley: AA: G Langridge 122/125, M Pain 121/125; A: G Facer 121/125, B Perry 121/125; B: S Shariati Rad 117/125, P Triantafyllou 114/125; C: J Langridge 109/125, P Hartin 106/125.

#### **Brisbane 24/04/2022**

A few showers (57): 25T DB: AA: S Harker, G Langridge, M Pain, M Swale, P Freeleagus, J Porter, A Incani, F Cilli, T Day 25/25; A: M Heritage, B Jurd, A Mills, J Rapisarda 25/25; B: J Harris, B Buncic, D Smith 25/25; C: V Scrooby, J Harris 23/25, J McKeudrick 22/25; 50T SB: AA: C Witt 50/50 and winner of the Ron Clapham Memorial Trophy, P Strange 53/55; A: F Mills 47/50, M Chounding 46/50; B: J Esposito 46/50, N Dalton 45/50; C: V Scrooby 46/50, J Langridge 44/50; 50T PS: AA: G Langridge 148/150, A Incani 148/150; A: G McClymont 184/189, I Stark 181/189; B: J Esposito 142/150, J Shand 141/150; C: J Langridge 131/155, J Harris 130/155; HG: OA: M Pain 220/225; AA: A Incani 220/225; A: A Mills 214/225; B: J Esposito 211/225; C: V Scrooby 195/225.

#### **Burdekin 10/04/2022**

Overcast and humid (38): 15 Pr Andrew Bergin Burdekin D/R CS: OA & AA: G Caruso 34/40. A: M Zabala 25/30. B: T Robinson 30/40; C: J Kinnimonth 22/30; 20 Pr D/D DP: 43/44 B Micallef, L Groat. 42/44 J Cerqui, C Morelli; 30T Medley 15m Gr: AA: 50/50 L Groat, A Caruso, R Gough 49/50; A: 50/50 D Stitt, M Populin. B: J Cerqui 47/50, 46/50 M Simpson, S Rossato; C: 45/50 B Bonanno, T Ewens, P Delle Baite 44/50; 25T SB: AA: A Caruso 30/31; A: R Clive 23/26; B: J Kinnimonth 22/25; C: R Pryde 24/25; 25T DB HC: R Pryde 26/26, J Kinnimonth 25/26, A Le Blowitz 25/26.

#### **Caboollure Clay Target Club 01/05/2022**

Cloudy & dull day (40): 30T CD: AA: M Lynch AA21 Redcliffe 29/30; AA: W Wiemers AA21 Caboollure 29/30; A: M Davis A22 Brisbane 30/30, C Koutsakis A19 Brisbane 29/30, B Wiseman

V A19 Caboollure 29/30, F Mills LV A19 Caboollure 29/30; B: T Wilde J B19 Toogoolawah 30/30, G Carew B17 Gold Coast 27/30, R Webster V B23 Gympie 27/30, B Ekblad L B18 Toogoolawah 27/30, G Montgomery B17 Caboollure 27/30; C: J McKendrick C15 Caboollure 27/30; C: T Walden C15 Caboollure 27/30, M Le Mura C15 Brisbane 27/30; 30T CONT Medley: AA: M Lynch AA 21 Redcliffe 49/50, R Wilde AA23 Toogoolawah 47/50; A: R Esposito A19 Ballandean 49/50, B Wiseman V A19 Caboollure 46/50; B: T Wilde J B19 Toogoolawah 44/50, S Shariati Rad B17 Brisbane 66/75; C: M Le Mura C15 Brisbane 59/75, G Barker V C15 Caboollure 56/75; 25T CONT DB: AA: W Wiemers AA21 Caboollure 25/25, D Bainbridge AA21 Caboollure 31/32; A: C Koutsakis A19 Brisbane 29/29, D Smith A19 Brisbane 28/29; B: G Montgomery B17 Caboollure 25/26, R Webster V B23 Gympie 24/26; C: G Barker V C15 Caboollure 24/25, J McKendrick C15 Caboollure 23/25; 25T CONT SB: AA: R Wilde AA23 Toogoolawah 24/26, W Wiemers AA21 Caboollure 23/26; A: C Koutsakis A19 Brisbane 25/28, D Reeves A20 Caboollure 24/28; B: D Reynolds V B17 Toogoolawah 27/29, N Caboollure B17 26/29; C: T Walden C15 Caboollure 20/25, A Davey C15 Gympie 19/25; HG: OPEN: M Lynch AA21 Redcliffe 124/130; AA: R Wilde AA23 Toogoolawah 121/130; A: B Wiseman V A19 Caboollure 119/130; B: T Wilde J B19 Toogoolawah 117/130; C: M Le Mura C15 Brisbane 109/130.

#### **Gold Coast 06/04/2022**

(33): 75T Night Medley: AA: G Langridge 118/125, M Pain 117/125; A: M Chounding 118/125, P Strange 110/125; B: S Shariati Rad 114/125, V Vaina 113/125; C: H Roach 103/125, J Langridge 102/125.

#### **Gold Coast 10/04/2022**

Perfect (59): 50T DB CONT: OA: P Batson 77/77; AA: G Watson 76/77, A Incani 78/79; A: M Lawson 77/78, T Burke 76/78; B: M Kilmartin 49/50, P King 48/50; C: J Langridge 46/50, J Tait 50/55; JNR: A Hyde 68/70; LAD: F Mills 48/50; VET: C Witt 81/83; 50T SB CONT: OA: C Witt 48/50; AA: G Langridge 47/50, P Batson 46/50; A: S Weeden 47/50, P Strange 46/50; B: A Snelling 43/50, P Baird 53/62; C: P Sloman 41/50, J Langridge 40/50; JNR: A Hyde 41/50; LAD: F Mills 43/50; VET: L Anderson 45/50; 50T PS CONT: OA: S Smith 148/150; AA: C Witt 147/150, J Rapisarda 144/150; A: T Burke

144/150, D Cokley 143/150; B: S Shariata Rad 140/150, A Snelling 138/150; C: P Sloman 133/150, H Van De Langenberg 125/150; JNR: A Hyde 139/150; LAD: F Mills 136/150; VET: L Anderson 141/150; HG OA: C Witt 244/250; AA: S Smith 241/250; A: S Weeden 236/250; B: A Snelling 228/250; C: P Sloman 218/250; JNR: A Hyde 229/250; LAD: T Burke 232/250; VET: L Anderson 235/250.

#### **Goondiwindi 10/04/2022**

Fine and sunny (47): 75T Medley, 25T DB, 25T Pts, 25T SB: AA: C Mitchell 121/125, M Bell 118/125; A: B Farlow 119/125, M Barden 116/125; B: A Hoffmann 122/125, M Johnson 118/125; C: T McNaulty 116/125, J McNaulty 107/125; 30T HC: 1st. T McNaulty 30/30, 2nd P Tattam 29/30, 3rd S Tomlinson 28/30, 4th F McEwan 28/31, 5th 27/31; 30T CONT: AA: M Bell 31/32, P Tattam 31/32;

A: I Pflingst 30/30, M Barden 29/30; B: A Hoffmann 30/30, A Vanderstok 28/30; C: J McNaulty 30/30, T McNaulty 29/30; Combined: OA HG: A Hoffmann 178/185; AA: C Mitchell 175/185; A: B Farlow 172/185; B: S Toop 162/185; C: T McNaulty 175/185; JNR: T Maher 156/185; LAD: T Montgomery 159/185; VET: F McEwan 168/185.

#### **Kingaroy 01/05/2022**

Overcast, fine (14): 25T DB: AA: C Brown 24/25; A: G Facer 27/29; B: L Merton 25/25; C: R Brittain 24/25; 25T PS: AA: C Brown 70/75; A: S McCullough 74/75; B: M Rankin 71/75; C: R Brittain 69/75; 25T HC: 1st L Merton (B17) 25/25, 2nd P O'Hanlon (C15) 23/25; 15Pr D/R: AA: S Gittins 25/30; A: S McCullough 25/30; B: P McDonald 23/20; C: L Merton 20/30; HG: AA: C Brown 137/155; A: S McCullough 143/155; B: L Merton 135/155; C: R Brittain 133/155.

## **PRELIMINARY NOTICE**

# **Australasian Police and Services National Clay Target Championships**

## **November 10–13**

## **Toowoomba Clay Target Club**

## **ACTA New Members**

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# Novice Day Team Shoot

The Burdekin Clay Target Club held another very successful novice day shoot on Saturday 26th February. In what has now become a much-anticipated annual event, the club runs an all-inclusive team event for both novice and experienced shooters, using a handicapping system to pair team members of all grades with interested novice shooters new to the sport.

The Burdekin club promotes this event to the local community and they have continued to see terrific interest and growth at their club through taking the time and effort to introduce locals to clay target shooting.

As a result of this February event, the club achieved their aim with several new members joining the club. The program encourages people to come and try the sport with no pressure, to see if it is something they would like to take up, and



*Above: 1st Team '2 Rums Thanks' Below: Safety induction*



club members go out of their way to make it a fun day, assisting newcomers throughout the event.

It was great to see so many team entries, with team members taking the trouble to dress up and get on board with the competition and enjoy the day. Teams and team members were as follows:

*1st '2 RUMS THANKS'* – Sponsor Joe Caruso, Thomas Arthur, Korrey Betteridge, Steve DelleBaite, Robert Rea, Luke Blackburn.

*2nd 'MISSFITS'* – Loris Pivotto, John Byers, Mardi Russell, David Russell, Tony Devescovi

*3rd 'NO IDEA'* – Robert Rea, Charlie Papale, Brock Corey, Richard Papale, Chad Mann

*4th 'BAD MEN'* – Daniel MacDonald, Nick Todeshino, Mark Tomarchio, Ben Falkenhgen, Aaron Papale

*5th 'LOUIS' LEDGENDS'* – Wayne Cislowski, Bruce McBow, Mark Dallosto, Ron Clive, Alan Lord, Lui Populin.

*6th 'POPULIN'S POT SHOTS'* – Cameron Cislowski, Phil Scalia, Pedro Leblowitz, John Cerqui, Jesse Rankin.

*Best dressed team 'EMOJIS'* – Michael Becke, Gian Vassalini, Annette Vassalini, Wendy Miller, Sam Miller

A massive 80 shooters attended this year with all having a fantastic and enjoyable day, particularly considering the extremely hot conditions. Thank you all for coming and making it such a great day.



*2nd Team 'Missfits'*



*3rd Team 'No Idea'*



*4th Team 'Bad Men'*

The Burdekin Clay Target Club would like to thank our sponsors for the day, Joe Caruso Construction and the QCTA, without whose assistance and support, this event would not be possible. Thank you also to Cameron Cislawski for sponsoring the Best Dressed Team. We look forward to another successful Novice Team Event next year.

*Sylvia Rossato*



*5th Team 'Louis' Legends'*



*Novice Ladies  
1st Mardi Russell, 2nd Wendy Miller*



*6th Team 'Populin's Pot Shots'*




*Novice Junior 1st Joshua Ferrando*



*Best Dressed Team 'Emojis'*

# 60th Annual Easter Carnival



**We got there! A year late, due to the 2020 event cancellation, a whole lot more COVID worries and restrictions and flooding closing the roads in the days before Easter. Esperance's 60th Annual Easter Carnival was well attended with an average of 80 shooters competing over the weekend's events and the grounds filled with happy campers. We were lucky to have only a few showers after the heavy rainfalls of the preceding week and an absence of Esperance's frequent afternoon onshore 'breezes'. Our program for this year included the WA Handicap State title with an enticing \$1000 first prize.**



*Event 1 winner Clinton Parker  
with Club President  
Steve Crocker*

The pre-carnival event on Friday afternoon was the 50 target Double Barrel Esperance Bay Floodwater Classic, sponsored by the Shire of Esperance. Overall winner was Wagin's Clinton Parker, one of nine shooting a possible and with a final score of 142/142. AA 1st Sam West 141/142, 2nd Neville Karger 100/101, 3rd Mick Rowell 80/81. A 1st Ross Riggs 55/56, 2nd Murray Pederick 51/52, 3rd Jason Vohland 81/82. B 1st Gary Fitzpatrick 49/50, 2nd Richard Smith 61/63, 3rd Ben Braun 60/63. C 1st Wayne Jack 48/50, 2nd Leanne Knight 49/53, 3rd Ben Thompson 48/53.

Friday night, being Good Friday, was the traditional fish barbecue dinner with a delicious assortment of salads and desserts provided by the Esperance club members. The evening provided a great opportunity to relax and catch up with old and new friends around the fire.

The Carnival proper started on a fine Saturday morning with the Freightlines Group sponsored 50 target Points Score District Championship. The overall winner was Royce Normington, Eastern Goldfields CTC, 158/159 after a short shoot-off with Murray Pederick, who took out A Grade. AA 1st Matt Shipp 180/183, 2nd Murray Kamo 179/183, 3rd Sam West 146/150. A 1st Murray Pederick 155/159, 2nd Ross Riggs 147/150, 3rd Mark Normington 146/150. B 1st Helen Freeman 145/150, 2nd Shane Vincent 145/153, 3rd Neil Edwards 144/153. C 1st Laurie Anderson 143/150, 2nd Gage Karger 142/150, 3rd Keven Hopkins 137/150.

Event 3 was 25 target Single Barrel, sponsored by Southern Ports. The overall winner of this was Esperance's own Neville Karger, 31/31. AA 1st Sam West 30/31, 2nd Matt Shipp 47/48, 3rd Marty Miles 46/48. A 1st Jack Saville 28/29, 2nd Bernie Biddulph 27/29, 3rd Liam Fitzpatrick 26/28. B 1st Neil Edwards 24/26, 2nd Vic Irving 23/26, 3rd Peter Lemmon 25/28. C 1st Philip Vincent 23/26, 2nd

Haydn Fairhead 22/26, 3rd Ben Thompson 22/26.

McDonalds Esperance sponsored the 4th event of the weekend, 50 target Double Barrel Bay of Isles Championship. Collie member, Matt Shipp took out the overall win after the shoot-off with a final score of 99/99. AA 1st Bruce Hooper 98/99, 2nd Eric Featherstone 87/88, 3rd Tony Burnard 64/65. A 1st Jack Saville 73/74, 2nd Liselle Bowles 68/69, 3rd Rod Appleton 57/58. B 1st Helge Skerris 53/54, Peter Lemmon 52/53, Digby Harris 62/64. C 1st Terry Guest 50/51, 2nd Phil Vincent 49/51, 3rd Haydn Fairhead 48/50

Presentations for Friday and Saturday were held on Saturday night. A special presentation of Life Membership was made to two stalwarts of the Esperance Clay Target Club, Terry Maloney and Wally Walsh. Both have put in many years of hard work and service to the club and are most deserving of this acknowledgement. We all managed to keep the secret and they were taken by surprise to receive their awards.

A new novelty event was included in Saturday's competition, a Teams 'Past Members Shoot' this year dedicated to Jo Neale. This saw shooters nominating a team of 4, one from each grade, and aggregate scores were taken from the 50 Double Barrel event. This added a bit more fun to the day with prizes not only for the winning teams,

but also for best team name (as voted by a secret judge). A delicious casserole dinner prepared by our amazing kitchen queen, Stacey, saw us all well-fed for the cold and drizzly night. A superb anniversary 'Easter Rabbit' cake was enjoyed with dessert.

As a warm up for the main event of Sunday we held a 25 target graded metrage cash divide. Placegetters in this were AA Royce Normington 25, Sam West 24 and Neville Karger 23. A Jason Vohland, Des Neale, Jed Carter and Jordon Crouch all with 24. B Helge Skerris 25, Ben Braun and Helen Freeman 24. C Colin Roach and Laurie Anderson 24 and Haydn Fairhead 23.

The Handicap State title was generously sponsored by CBH Group and Campbell Transport. The red sash and \$1000 cash was won



Single Barrel winner Neville Karger



Double Barrel winner Matt Shipp



Past Members Team winners

outright by A grade shooter Jacob Featherstone from Wagin, 49/50. The remaining placegetters all shot 48/50 and after a shoot-off the results were 2nd Gage Karger, 3rd Rod Appleton, 4th Wayne Jack and 5th Jack Saville.

The final event for Sunday was 50 targets Continental Double Barrel, with sponsorship from Bay of Isles Furniture. Overall winner was Royce Normington with an uncontested 49/50. AA 1st Tony Burnard 48/50, 2nd Gary Smith 53/56, 3rd Mick Rowell 52/56. A 1st Liam Fitzpatrick 49/51, Jack Saville 48/51, 3rd Murray Cornish 51/54. B 1st Digby Harris 47/50, 2nd Helge Skerris 45/50, 3rd Wally Walsh 44/50. C 1st Gage

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New Life members cutting anniversary cake



State Handicap winner Jacob Featherstone



*High Gun winners*

Karger 45/50, 2nd Haydn Fairhead 44/50, 3rd John Griffiths 43/50.

The office ran smoothly with MCMS and many thanks to my data entry assistant Cathy.

With all events completed, final scores were tallied and High Gun winners established. The Overall High Gun for the Carnival was Royce Normington (EGCTC) with a total score of 338/350. This was sponsored by FQM Ravensthorpe Nickel Operations. AA Grade went to Neville Karger (ECTC) 332/350. A Grade Jack Saville (EGCTC), very hot on Royce's tail with 337/350. Digby Harris (ECTC) was B Grade

High Gun, 324/350 and C Grade Gage Karger (ECTC) 316/350. Veteran's sash winner was Murray Kamo (EGCTC) 325/350, Ladies, Julie Santostefano (WAGC) 322/350 and an amazing and determined effort by new shooter, Chelsea Storer from Wagin in her first carnival, gave her the Junior High Gun.

For those who didn't win in the shooting there were prizes to be picked up in the raffle and silent auction, with a great variety of goods donated by local businesses, too many to mention. We greatly appreciate all the sponsorship we received in cash, vouchers and goods. It all helps so much for



*Overall High Gun Royce Normington*



*AA Grade HG Neville Karger*



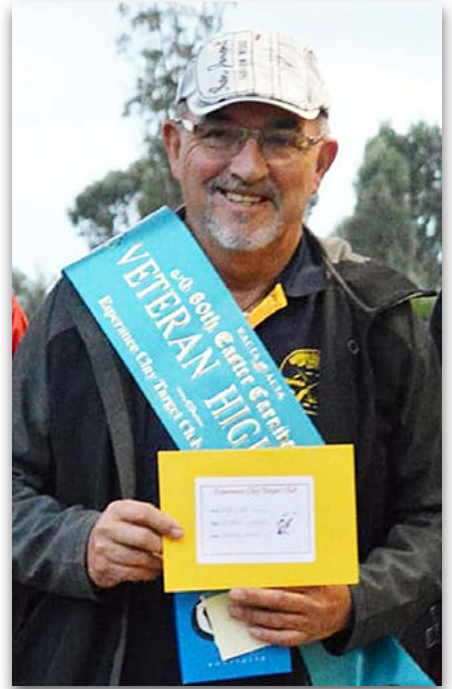
*B Grade HG Digby Harris*



*C Grade HG Gage Karger*



*Ladies HG Julie Santostefano*



*Veteran HG Murray Kamo*



*Junior HG Chelsea Storer*



*93 year old Bob Thompson with Club President Steve Crocker*

our small club to be able to put on a great competition. Thanks to Stacey, who is also our sponsorship queen, for putting in all the footwork and paperwork to secure sponsorship and grants.

We were also happy to have a special visitor to our Club in 93 year old Bob Thompson, over from SA! He shared a bit of history with us, having been the first tenant in the caretakers cottage. Bob was presented with a club shirt and cap as a memento of his visit.

Many thanks to all club members and other volunteers who assisted in any way with the running of our carnival. We appreciate all your efforts.

And thank you to all shooters and their families who attended. We hope to see you back again next year.

# Fifty Fifty at Bega Gun Club

Fifty targets Double Barrel and fifty targets of Ball Trap provided an interesting program for the twenty shooters who attended the May shoot at Bega Gun Club. With over a squad of members at the shoot in Sydney, numbers were down a little, but those who made it enjoyed fabulous weather – sunshine and limited wind interference.

The fifty target Double Barrel, shot in two lots of twenty-five saw Alf Niesar take out the prize for A-AA, 56/58, with Col Sheehan in second, 55/58 after they faced an additional eight targets. B grade went to Steve McIntosh, 45/50. Chris Brown took second with a score of 48/54 after a brief shoot-off. George Toyne and Allain Magri had no trouble with C Grade, George winning with 47/50 to Allain's 46/50.



*Alf Niesar – Shoot High Gun, winner A-AA Double Barrel, 2nd A Ball Trap, raffle winner – all in all a great day*



*Ball Trap action from squad 2*



*George Toyme (centre) 1st C Grade Double Barrel  
with Bert Deacon & Chris Brown*



*George Adamopolous,  
2nd C Grade Double Barrel*

of 46/50. Bert Deacon and Tony Gray kept the scoring ticking along in B grade, with Bert scoring 47/50 for first and Tony on 46/50 taking second. In C grade, John Walker caught up with 44 of his fifty targets to take first place with George Adamopolous taking second with a score of 40/50.

High Gun went to Alf Niesar with a score 101/108. Alf then took out the shoot raffle to round out his great day. As all good club members try to do, he left the cash with the treasurer and accepted the back-up prize by missing one target. All in all a great day's competing.

June shoot sees 50 targets Double Barrel, 25 targets Single Barrel and



*Tony Gray,  
2nd B Grade Ball Trap*

25 targets Points Score on offer for members and visitors with the usual 10.00 start.



*Phil Craig, winner A Grade Ball Trap,  
congratulated by Bert Deacon, winner B Grade Ball Trap*



*John Walker,  
winner C Grade Ball Trap*

Ball Trap doesn't appear too often on our program, but always provides great entertainment when it does. Phil Craig did the honours in A-AA grade with a fine 47/50, with Alf Niesar continuing his good form from event one, taking second place with a score



*Alf Niesar and Phil Craig ready for the shoot-off*

# Break Badges

NAME	HOME CLUB	ACHIEVE	BREAK	NAME	HOME CLUB	ACHIEVE	BREAK
Adkins,G	Spring Bay	West Coast	Trap 50	Loy,G	Warwick	Warwick	Cont 50
Ah Loy,M	Warwick	Warwick	Cont 50	Loy,G	Warwick	Warwick	Cont 50
Anderson,T	St Arnaud	Callawadda/ Stawell	Trap 50	Loy,J	Warwick	Warwick	Cont 50
Aringo,J	Werribee	Mildura	Trap 50,75	McCurdy,K	Korumburra	Korumburra	Trap 50
Bird,W	Bairnsdale	Bairnsdale	Skt 200	McDonagh,V	Wagga	Tumut	Trap 50,75, 100
Birt,K	Mt Bogong	Yarrowonga	Trap 50	McLean,J	Warwick	Warwick	Trap 50,75
Bowles,L	Peel & District	Wadering Boddington	Trap 50	McPherson,K	Callawadda/ Stawell	Mildura	Trap 50
Box,M	Mildura	Mildura	Cont 50	O'Brien,C	Bendigo	Cohuna	Trap 50,75, 100
Boyd,G	Nepean	Korumburra	SB 50	Face,R	International	International	Trap 100
Chryso- velonis,P	Sydney	Orange	50T @ 25m 50	Pederick,M	Geraldton	Esperance	Trap 100
Chugg,G	Cressy	West Coast	Trap 150	Phillips,P	Cohuna	Walmer	Trap 75
Clark,T	Hamilton	Mildura	Cont 50,75	Place,P	Goulburn	Sydney	SB 50
Cooke,L	Beaufort	Mildura	Cont 100	Poulos,N	Sydney	Sydney	Trap 50
Cox,B	Sydney	Bathurst	Trap 50,75	Reyne,L	St Arnaud	Ararat	Trap 50
Cross,D	Wagin	Boyup Brook	Trap 50	Rochow,P	Werribee	Werribee	Trap 50
Esplin,R	Melbourne	Mildura	50T @ 25m 50	Stacey,M	West Coast	West Coast	D/R 25 Pr
Evans,S	Coleambally	Cohuna	Trap 50	Sugars,M	Mornington	Mornington	Trap 50
Gillis,D	Kyneton	Echuca	Trap 50,75	Teague,J	Caboolture	Gold Coast	Skt 50,75
Gillis,S	Kyneton	Cohuna	Trap 75	Tebble,E	Beaufort	Mildura	Trap 100
Grujica,D	Nepean	Mornington	Trap 75	Thomas,J	Mornington	Mornington	Trap 50
Hill,M	Warren	Warren	Trap 200	Uren,S	Boyup Brook	Boyup Brook	Trap 50,75, 100
Kamo,M	Eastern Goldfields	Wagin	Cont 50	Waugh,S	Wawrick	Warwick	Cont 50

## SHOOT CALENDAR

### 2022

June 4	SACTA Sporting Clays Carnival	Kingston SE CTC
June 25–26	Queensland State 5-Stand Sporting Carnival	Townsville Gun Club
July 1–3	Queensland State ISSF Carnival	Brisbane Gun Club
August 26–28	SACTA ISSF (Olympic Disciplines) Carnival	State Shooting Park
August 26–28	ACTA Sporting Clays Nationals	National Ground, Wagga Wagga
September 15–18	Queensland State Skeet Carnival	Roma Clay Target Club
November 10–13	Australasian Police and Services National Clay Target Championships	Toowoomba Clay Target Club
December (date t.b.a.)	SACTA Junior Championships	State Shooting Park



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