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Chris Brown, the 27th ACTA National Sporting Clays Champion.

Chris shot a total score of 287/300 over the first ever 3 day ACTA Sporting Clays Nationals event.

This is the third consecutive ACTA Sporting Clays title for Chris, who also achieved this in 2018 and 2019.

2020 and 2021 were not held due to covid restrictions.

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ACTA REPORT

Mal Dyson – President Paul Gilbert – CEO



As we move into the final third of 2022, we can look back with recognition and relief that the

ACTA has finally been able to successfully conduct all disciplines of the National events this year for the first time since 2019. While numbers at events were variable, this year the culprit was less Covid-19 related than floods, cost of living pressures and the like. We hope that the rest of the year brings better weather and the opportunity for you all to participate and enjoy your sport with your fellow club members.

National Sporting Clays

Wagga Wagga Gun Club conducted the National Sporting event again on behalf of the ACTA, on 26, 27 and 28 August 2022. This was the first time the National Sporting Clays event has been conducted as a three-day carnival as a consequence of the introduction of the Sportrap event on day one. This competition was well attended with a near-full field, and weather conditions were comfortable and mild across most of the weekend. Congratulations to Chris Brown on winning the weekend High Gun. An enormous thank you and congratulations to the Wagga Club members for their enormous effort to run and deliver a very successful National Carnival. A full report can be found later in this edition of the e-News.

Face to Face National Executive Committee Meeting

National Executive members travelled to Wagga to conduct this important meeting on 27 and 28 August. One of the main topics of discussion was the National Ground development projects, including the upgrade of the western ablution block, (obtain quotes for the refurbishments of the building), the relocation of the Trade and Arms Fair to an area adjacent to the function centre, quotes to repair and reseal the bitumen entrance from the Tasman Road gate to the events office plus plans to provide extra critical furniture storage space at the conference centre. We also hope to finally move forward with the fitting out of the Range Function Centre foyer as the new Hall of Fame in the near future.

On 27 August, two Australian Skeet Shooters Association representatives, Wayne Peterson and David Muir, also travelled to Wagga to join a dedicated segment of the Executive Committee meeting. This was the first time ASSA members have been issued an invitation to attend a face-to-face Executive meeting. We feel that this was time productively spent by both entities with robust and productive discussions held that resulted in, both, a better understanding and appreciation of the objectives of ASSA and the ACTA for the combined benefit of the Skeet shooting fraternity.

Other items of discussion at the meeting were the dates and order of competitions within our 2023 National events, revisions to rules and the tweaking of the MCMS algorithm to fine tune it, and the making of a few, new discipline-centric changes (see MCMS Review report in this edition). Additionally, it was suggested that the MCMS Shoot Program be automated to allow the forwarding of club results directly to the ACTA Office / database without club secretary intervention.

Constitution Update

A big thank you to those clubs that have voted on the proposed new Constitution. The deadline for this process is fast approaching, (within the next 2 weeks), following which an announcement will be made at a Special General Meeting on 2 October 2022. Just a friendly reminder that votes need to be signed by Club Delegates and returned to the ACTA by COB on Wednesday 28 September.

As always, keep safe and well and keep enjoying your sport.

Mal and Paul

CLOSING DATE

For advertising and editorial in Clay Target November 2022 is October 5 2022.

Scheduled publication date is October 18 2022

MCMS REVIEW 2022

NOTICE OF CHANGES

The ACTA Executive has completed a full review of the MCMS system as previously advised, and will now implement the following variations to ensure the system is fulfilling our requirement of fairness to the competitor going forward. The committee would like to take this opportunity of thanking those Rules Supervisors and others who provided input to the recommendations and final adjustments agreed to.

Accordingly, the following changes will be implemented over the next number of weeks.

The floor will be reduced for handicap shooting from 72% to 60%. That will result in the handicap algorithm more readily distributing shooters to a competitive handicap mark.

The Ball Trap discipline will now only include scores from DB as that is how Ball Trap is conducted. SB, Pts will be removed and not take any part in grading scores.

Tower grades will only be derived from DB scores. That does not stop Clubs from conducting SB, or Pts events only that the grade for Tower events will be derived purely from DB scores.

DTL grading will essentially stay the same with very small adjustments to the SB and Points components to bring the distribution in line with the DB bench marks.

Skeet grading will be revamped with there now being two individual sections with their own grade. Doubles will be separated from the grading algorithm for standard skeet and have its own grade. Standard skeet will be separately graded with each gauge feeding into the one bench mark with small uplifts for each of 20 gauge, 28 gauge, and .410. That way, nobody will be locked into a grade for long periods due to having achieved a "one off" score in a gauge that is seldom shot.

After review, the grade bench marks for ISSF Trap have been significantly overhauled to better distribute the regular competitors within that discipline.

As the result of a request from the administrators of the Universal Trench series, and with the permission of Sporting Clays Australia, we will be introducing the automated MCMS system of grading to the discipline of Universal Trench in support of those Clubs who are offering that discipline to shooters. This will make it much easier for volunteers who previously had to record, grade and administer those competitions without books to refer to.

Finally, after this review the ACTA does not envisage any changes to the way the system works, other than very small adjustments to grade floors with the accumulation of more data. If there are to be any minor adjustments in the future the ACTA will advise of them prior to implementation. All bench marks will be available on the ACTA website once the changes are completed.

2022 UNIVERSAL TRENCH

A record contingent of Aussies made their way to Umbriaverde Shooting Resort in the small town of Massa Martana, approximately 2 hours drive north of Rome. The majority of the team departed on Saturday 31st of July on a Qantas flight that departed Perth and flew to Rome direct.



*Back, L-R: Anna Shedrina, Kiara Dean, Georgia Pistone, Craig Henwood, Rob Keita, Ash Hawker, Luke Cassar, Eric Bullmore, Martin Collumb, Rob Yeo, Mark Coleman
Front, L-R: Lucas Furlan, Gabe Sensi, Acacio Mota & John Wojcik*



WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS

As always with UT all team members are given funding to cover their expenses and it's up to each individual to arrange the flights they wish to be on. A lot take advantage of this to extend the trip for a holiday or fly the airline of their choice. All the Aussies met at the Rome Airport Mercure Hotel where a bus was organised to take us to Umbriaverde. Some took the opportunity of this to see the sights of Rome with a 'hop on hop off' bus, while others enjoyed a refreshing beverage by the pool at the hotel.



Ash Hawker, 2022 World UT Champion



Team members were – Men: Luke Cassar, Ash Hawker and Craig Henwood; Junior: Gabe Sensi, Acacio Mota and Lucas Furlan; Women: Anna Shedrina, Georgia Pistone and Kiara Dean; Senior 55+: Martin Collumb, Rob Yeo, Mark Coleman; Senior (65+): Rob Leita, John Wojcik and Eric Bullmore. Others: Mel Treller, Jeff Tonna, Rob Pistone, Walter Furlan, Frank Sensi, Craig Mitchell, Marco Corbo, Luca Grapiglia, Paul Mota, Nidal Asmar and Sonni Ng.

All up, 41 Aussies made up of shooters, wives, girlfriends, boyfriends, brothers, sisters, sons, daughters, mums, dads and for the first time even grandparents all made it to Rome with guns and luggage. However one small setback occurred when Nidal Asmar and Sonni Ng arrived at Rome Airport. Nidal and Dr Sonni sat down to have a quick coffee at an airport café while waiting for transport to the hotel when Dr Sonni had his suitcase and carry on bag stolen from him at the table. All his clothes, shooting gear and more importantly passport, were in the bags taken. This saw Nidal and Dr Sonni stay back in Rome to make a booking at the Australian Embassy for a new passport and go shopping to buy some new clothes for him. They caught up with us in Umbriaverde later that evening.

On arrival at the Umbriaverde Sporting Resort – what a place it is!!! It really is as close to a shooters' heaven as you can get. Six ISSF Trap Ranges to be used for the competition, all fitted

with different types of throwing machines (Promatic, FAB, Laporte, Matterelli), a hotel on site with 37 rooms (16 of them occupied by Aussies), restaurant, swimming pool, gym, day spa, games room, bar and a stockmaker on site, all greeted the Aussie team on arrival. A quick check in to our rooms then it was off to sort the NSI ammunition that had been sponsored for us from NSI and Bronzewing and to organise practice.

While some practiced, others decided to rest up and have a swim as the temperature had made its way to 35°C, much warmer than most of us were used to back home, especially those from Melbourne. A few also took this chance to visit the stockmaker Mastro Gepetto and his grandson!! This saw a big smile on their face as a total of seven stocks were made for Aussies over the week plus a couple of forends. All who had stocks made agreed the quality and fit was second to none.

Over the next two days the shooters all got plenty of training in and agreed that each of the six layouts being used were all completely different! With each having a different background, different colour roof, different machines meant you would need to pay attention to the target only.

Tuesday night we had our official team dinner in the town of Todi at "Ristorante Cavour", a lovely restaurant in the heart of the town with some even spectacular views. A bus was arranged to take us to the town which was also hosting a music festival that night so the town was packed



Team dinner in the town of Todi at Ristorante Cavour

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Martin Collumb leads the Australian team for the opening ceremony

full of atmosphere. A great night was had and even though we were seated outside and a shower of rain went through (yes it always rains for us at UT somewhere, even without Nathan Cassells) it didn't dampen the Aussie spirit and we announced Martin Collumb as our 2022 flag bearer at the following day's opening ceremony.

Official practice day on Wednesday and to ensure that all could practice for the day the organisers put a two round limit on everyone, with shooters then being able to purchase additional rounds later in the afternoon once everyone had shot their two rounds. Most of the Aussies only needed two rounds where we then went and got dressed

in our uniforms ready for the opening ceremony which was taking place on the shooting range.

16 teams made up this year's Championships with 295 shooters. A little down on previous years but still a positive sign our sport is moving forward after the pandemic. The teams all marched out with Australia first off the rank to a huge cheer from the other Aussies in the crowd. We were then treated to a small display of "flag waving and throwing" from a local flag throwing club which was very interesting to watch with some spectacular moves. A few of the Aussie boys reckon they would make great AFL goal umpires to brighten the game up a bit!!! The event was then declared open by Italian FITAV President Mr Luciano Rossi and some snacks and wine made available.

We had dinner at the range in the FITAV marquee with some great food and drink and some great music and dancing from Robbie, Tina, Kathy, Georgia, Mel, Rachel, Bella and Frank. A great night by all and off to bed ready for the following day's competition.

Day 1 of competition and all of the Aussie team were in the afternoon session starting at 1pm so we were all able to have a sleep-in and easy morning before it was our turn to shoot. Marco and Walter though were in the AM session so a few of us watched them shoot. Each day would alternate so Day 2 we started at 10am, Day 3 back to 1pm and the last day another 10am start with 50 targets shot each day.



Some of the Aussies getting practice in at Umbriaverde

As the days went on we had a few shooters who were sitting at the top of the leader boards and in contention for winning a medal for their respective sections. At the end of Day 3 we had Ash Hawker leading on 149/150, Martin Collumb was sitting pretty in second spot in Seniors on 144/150, Gabe and Acacio on 143/150 in Juniors in 2nd spot, Kiara Dean within striking distance of the Ladies with 138/150 (a 20 in Round 6 saw her slide down from 2nd) and Bob Leita was the top Aussie in the Veterans' shooting a fantastic 139/150 and looking at a top 10 finish.

In the teams we also had the Men's team sitting in 3rd spot, the Ladies team sitting in 3rd spot and the Junior team with Gabe, Acacio and Lucas getting out to a good lead. An early night in bed was had by all at the end of Day 3.

Day 4 dawned and at breakfast you could sense a few nervous shooters! The weather today was a little breezier than days gone by and it was expected to change to a possible storm later in the

day, hopefully after we had all finished shooting. Out to the tracks for our shooters and the good scores continued to come in.

Gabe Sensi and Acacio Mota both shot 49/50 for the day to put them on top of the leader board in Juniors on an awesome 192/200. Both would be assured a medal. It would come down to the shooters in the afternoon session if they could tie or overtake them! Combined with Lucas shooting a 180/200 the Junior team had assured themselves Gold in the teams match!!! Well done lads

Martin and Kiara unfortunately didn't have the rounds they had hoped for and neither did Craig or Luke for the Men's team but Ash, shooting the last of the squads of the AM session, had just put another 25 together to give himself outright leader with 174/175. Our Ladies team of Kiara, Anna and Georgia had secured the team Bronze medal!!! Awesome job ladies with Kiara finishing in 5th place.



Gold medallists, Australian Junior team. Lucas Furlan, Acacio Mota, Gabe Sensi



Ladies Team - Bronze Medal to our ladies team Anna Shedrina, Kiara Dean and Georgia Pistone



Junior Medallists, L-R: Silver Acacio Mota, Gold Gabe Sensi



Kiara Dean, 5th place



Lucas Furlan prepares for a target

Word had swept the Umbriaverde range like wildfire that Ash had a two target lead on everyone in the AM session and at least a one target lead over everyone in the PM session. A 25 for his last round would see him World Champ. Local reporters were asking the Aussie team who is Ash? How old is he? Where is he from? Does he shoot UT every week? And more importantly where is he? To his credit Ash locked himself away in his room on the range and snuck out the back way as he went out to shoot his final round to avoid the chaos that was occurring downstairs. Ash got off to a nervous start missing his first and 4th targets but like the true warrior he is, he knuckled down and ran the remaining 21 to put a score of 23 on the board and a total of 197/200. But would it be enough? We now had to wait. Narducci of Italy and Couvidat from France could tie Ash from the AM session if they ran 25, both

of them shot 24!! First stage complete.

As the shooters of the PM session went out to shoot it was the two Spanish shooters who could spoil the Aussie party for Ash and the South African Peacock and Spanish Garcia Ramos who could catch Gabe and Acacio in the Juniors. The weather had taken a turn for the worse with it becoming overcast and cool and the wind now coming head on!!

After the first round it was only the 2021 Champion in

Mario Fuentes Lopez who could tie Ash if he shot a perfect 25. Our Juniors could not be caught and both of them would shoot off for Gold and Silver despite them both asking as mates can they call it a tie and receive a gold medal each!! Great sportsmanship from 2 good friends!! But no, a winner must be decided!!!

Fuentes took to the layout to shoot his last round. A huge crowd had gathered to watch. Could he shoot 25 and force a shoot-off and go back to back!! The majority of the Aussies however decided he had enough pressure on him and watched the live scoreboard from the

club rooms. Fuentes wife and 1 year old son also decided this is where they would watch from! Ash still dodging reporters sat in the coolness of his room keeping hydrated and preparing for a shoot-off!

Target after target Fuentes turned each one to smoke, he shot the first 10 as easy as anything, the first 20 no problem, 21,22,23 and 24 all balls of smoke. All he needed to do was shoot the last target from station 3 and he would see Ash in a shoot-off in 30 minutes time to attempt to go 'back to back'. Fuentes called for his target and fired 2 rushed shots at it, the target continued unbroken in everyone's disbelief, even the referee was slow at pushing the button to indicate lost that the inside scoreboard showed the target as a 'kill' for a very long time causing everyone inside to cheer thinking he had hit it. The ref finally pushed the button to indicate lost and the



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Ash Hawker at the presentation of his Gold medal

scoreboard changed to red. Half the club house let out a sigh, 30 Aussies tried their hardest to contain their excitement!! ASH HAWKER HAD BECOME WORLD CHAMPION!!!

It was like a stampede as the boys rushed to Ash's room to tell him the good news and congratulate him. As Ash made his way downstairs to the club rooms the whole place applauded. Everyone wanted to shake his hand and get to know the newest World Champion!!

The next 45 minutes for Ash I am sure will be a blur!! TV interviews, hundreds of phone calls and thousands of text messages all came his way to the point he had to turn his phone off and leave it in his room. An amazing effort from such a great guy who only qualified for our team when Matt Schiller stood down so that he could do another trip later this year. Ash became the 2nd Aussie after Mitchell Iles in Morocco to win Gold Overall at the FITASC World UT Champs!!



Aussie winning medallists after the awards ceremony.

Back L-R: Anna Shedrina, George Pistone, Kiara Dean, Ash Hawker, Gabe Sensi, Lucas Furlan. Front: Acacio Mota



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Aussies elated with their success

After the excitement of Ash we then turned our focus to Gabe and Acacio as both boys had gone to get ready for their shoot-off. It was great having the families of both juniors on hand to watch the shoot-off with Acacio's father Paul with us and Gabe's family and girlfriend on hand as well combining the trip with a family holiday to be with us.

As the shoot-off got underway no-one in the camps had a dry eye!!! A full round of 25 targets was to be shot with Gabe missing an early target about 6 or 7 in. Acacio had ran them clean to target 17 when he missed a high left and then target 19 also escaped the shot pattern. Gabe held on to hit his last targets to record a well shot 24/25 to Acacio's 23/25, with Gabe Sensi becoming the 2022 Junior World UT Champion. Gabe joins Aussie Juniors Mitch Iles, Thomas Armstrong and Nathan Argiro to be crowned Junior World Champion for Universal Trench. Well done Gabe and also well done Acacio, you both represented your country with pride and it was a pleasure to have you both along with Lucas Furlan on our team.

All Aussies then decked out in the Aussie gear for the closing and awards ceremony. How good was it hearing the Australian National Anthem being played 3 times (once for Ash, once for Gabe and once for our Junior Team) and also belting out AUSSIE AUSSIE AUSSIE!!!

Full Aussie Results:

MEN – Ash Hawker 197 (1st), Luke Cassar, Craig Henwood, Jeff Tonna 188 (53rd), Frank Sensi 179 (145th), Nidal Asmar 177 (158th), Paul Mota

176 (170th), Robert Pistone 175 (187th), Craig Mitchell 173 (200th), Walter Furlan 164 (241st) – **MENS TEAM** 4th.

WOMEN – Kiara Dean 183 (5th), Anna Shedrina 179 (9th), Georgia Pistone 169 (22nd), Mel Treller 137 (38th) – **WOMENS TEAM** 3rd.

SENIOR – Martin Collumb 187 (14th), Mark Coleman 183 (30th), Rob Yeo 176 (42nd) – **SENIOR TEAM** 5th.

VETERAN – Rob Leita 184 (10th), Eric Bullmore 176 (21st), John Wojcik 165 (29th) – **VETERANS TEAM** 5th.

An awesome effort from everyone including those who were on their first trip shooting for Australia. We must thank everyone who made the journey to Umbriaverde what a great trip it was to be on, everyone got along great and plenty of laughs and memories were made. Well done to all of our medallists and congratulations on all of your achievements. Monday we made our return to Rome via bus and then departed on Tuesday back to Australia.

Thank you to everyone who supported our series the last 2 years despite Covid causing us issues. To everyone who has sponsored, given donations, bought raffle tickets, we really appreciate it, Universal Trench could not be the success that it is without your help.

We are now busy organising our 2023 Series which will kick off at Newcastle Lake Macquarrie Clay Target Club November 26-27 where we begin to select a team to attend the 2023 World Championships (venue and date TBC). We look forward to seeing you all there.



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TRAP SPORTING SKEET GAME

MCMS QUESTIONS ANSWERED

Why can't we have an option where shooters remain in their current grade rather than be downgraded?

The ACTA is a competition-based shooting organisation, and as such it was decided that to reflect those objectives, individual shooters should compete within cohorts of competitors of a similar standard based purely on the scores they are shooting over a reasonably recent period. As is normal in all sports, some people improve and others fall away over time. The important thing is, they should all have the opportunity to compete with like individuals. That is why shooters will automatically rise through the grades if their performances warrant it, or come down through the grades if they deteriorate significantly.

It is important to note, that it takes much more data to be downgraded than to advance. "Good form will put you up, long term deterioration will put you down".

Why does the MCMS algorithm not take shoot-offs into consideration?

The algorithm is designed to identify the likely score a shooter will shoot in their next competitive round. It is not trying to identify whether the shooter will win the event. The skills needed to shoot a score as opposed to do well in a shoot-off are very different.

The algorithm is also designed to give every shooter an equal chance to improve their grade. If a shooter enters an event, they have the same opportunity as every other shooter across the country to shoot a score that would improve their grade. However, the ability to post a shoot-off score is not equal across the country. It depends on the policy of the club (do they run them, do they switch to points after 25 targets, etc) and on the other competitors at the shoot (is there someone else who can "go with you" to allow you to post a shoot-off score).

How are adjustments made to the MCMS Algorithm grade cut-offs decided?

Since the introduction of the MCMS algorithm, the resulting distribution of grades amongst shooters has been closely monitored by the ACTA committee charged with overseeing our rules and the application of those rules. As more and more data accumulates, some adjustments are made to the grade cut-offs in line with the principle of grouping shooters of similar ability together to maximise competition.

The committee members who are tasked with this subject consult with a wide range of individuals, including Rules Supervisors, State Representatives, and supporting Associations such as the ASSA etc. From those discussions, recommendations are formulated and put to the full Executive along with the evidence/reasoning behind the proposed changes for final approval. Once approved, MCMS implement the requested changes.

Why are AA Elite shooters not allowed to stay in AA as per the old rules?

Grading by definition, is a measure of a competitor's most recent performance or form. AA Elite is a separate issue, it is a recognition of achievements past, in much the same way that an "AFL Brownlow Medal" recognises an achievement but does not automatically entitle a competitor to play in the top level of AFL forever. That is determined by their form (grade). Neither a Brownlow Medal nor the achievement of AA Elite is ever taken off an individual, but in both cases they will compete in a grade that aligns with their current ability.

Colin Kneebone

ACTA National MCMS Handicap Supervisor

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SIGHTER TARGET RULE

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This Rule is effective immediately and replaces Rule 1.19 (5) see below:

5. Target to be shown by Referees:

TRAP – At the beginning of the day when all competitors are in position the Referee must release one (1) target for viewing by the squad.

One target shot, not-to-count, shall then be offered to each shooter for their first target of a day. If it is a six man squad the number 6 shooter must move up to take the first target.

A target will also be shown following:

- (i) At the beginning of all events
- (ii) After any breakdown or delay
- (iii) At the commencement of all shoot-offs
- (iv) On each trap used for a shoot-off
- (v) After any break for shells etc. during a shoot-off
- (vi) If a competitor receives two broken targets in a row.

SKEET – At the beginning of the day each squad shall be entitled to observe one (1) high house, one (1) low house and one (1) pair of double targets.

One target shot, not to count, shall then be offered to each shooter from each house for their first targets of the day.

A target will also be shown following:

- (i) At the beginning of all events
- (ii) After any breakdown or delay
- (iii) At the commencement of all shoot-offs
- (iv) On each trap used for a shoot-off
- (v) After any break for shells etc. during a shoot-off
- (vi) If a competitor receives two broken targets in a row.

SPORTING – Targets and boundary markers are to be shown by Management to all shooters prior to commencement of competition. There will be no sighter targets to be shot at by any shooter.

Jim Shepherd
ACTA National Rules Supervisor



What's happening in the VCTA

It's hard to believe, now that we have reached the month of September, that the year is almost three quarters over! It has been very pleasing, in recent weeks, to see a little of the sunshine that the promise of spring brings each year (although I'm not so certain I like the extra grass growth and the more regular mowing of that grass). Having been at Echuca, in recent times, for the State Ball Trap and School Student's Final, it was very pleasant to enjoy the competition of both events with sunny days and reasonable temperatures rather than freezing cold rain and howling winds. I know that we'll still get some unpleasant days, weather wise, but there is certainly the promise of good weather on the horizon.

So, as mentioned, there have been a couple of big events at Echuca. The State Ball Trap and the State School Student's Final were both excellent events. You can read all about them and see the photographs that go with them elsewhere in this magazine. Both competitions were 'red hot' and saw some of the State's best up and coming talent on display.

Whilst I didn't get a chance for a shot – bruised ribs! – it was very entertaining to see the myriad of talent on display. And as I contemplated such a high level of competition it had me reflecting on how events like this come about. Most importantly, how much we rely on the goodwill and willingness of our volunteers to make things happen. Trappers, scorers, canteen, referees, waste managers, cleaners, grounds people, first aiders, presenters, computer operators, photographers and people to set-up the traps are just a few of the jobs that are essential to the successful running of any event.

And every club has them – that group of people who can be relied upon to 'get in' and ensure that all those tasks that need to be done – are done! And all of those that participate in an event enjoy the benefits of the volunteers' hard work.

And as was evidenced at the two recent events, VCTA relies on volunteers as much as anybody. Without club infrastructure to fall back on, the

VCTA relies even more heavily on the willingness of those in attendance to ensure that tasks are completed so that we can participate in our sport.

What we do not need in our sport are the critics, especially those that are quick to find fault but go missing when their assistance could help make things a little better. There are very few people who get paid for their work at events, the things they do are from their own goodwill and we need to support them and appreciate their efforts. So as a competitor, please be mindful that everyone is doing their best to ensure a smooth-running event and a little gratitude goes a long way.

So, enough philosophising – what's next in the sport of clay target shooting in Victoria?

Well, the next big event is the State DTL Carnival to be held at the State Grounds, Echuca CTC, from November 10-13. Planning is already well under way and initial indications are that the Carnival will be bigger and better than before! Make sure you put the dates aside. Pre-nominations are sure to be available in the near future on MCMS – watch out for them.

Oh yeah! And don't forget to vote for the new ACTA Constitution before the end of September! It is important that we are all aware of the implications of the new Constitution and the effect, and benefits, that it will have for all of us. Make sure that your club gets their vote in and ensures the ongoing viability of our National association.

See you on a trap in the near future.

Jeff Bell
VCTA State Secretary

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27th ACTA Sporting Clays Nationals

ACTA National Ground, Wagga Wagga, NSW
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This year the ACTA National Sporting Clays Championships returned to the ACTA National Ground in Wagga Wagga. After a break of three years, these titles were once again organised

by their traditional hosts, the Wagga Gun Club. The 26th Sporting Nationals were held at the Whiteman Park Shooting Complex, Perth in 2019 and with a further two years cancelled due to Covid, the 27th ACTA Sporting Nationals finally got underway on Friday 26th August.

For the first time this competition was run under a new 3 day format, which introduced the Sportrap sporting discipline to the Nationals.

The 4 sporting layouts were as usual, set-up and managed under the masterful eyes of Tournament Director/Shoot Marshal Dave Coleman, who spent many selfless hours designing and preparing the 8 trap variety of targets presented on each ground. We thank Dave and his small band of workers, Aaron Mackay, Phil Geier, Nick Mullins and Vic Bowman from the Wagga Club, who all assisted in many ways. Our thanks to Brad Kidd for his amazing work in running the

MCMS system so efficiently, including the pre-nominations, the squadding, scoring, shoot-offs and presentations, well done Brad. Thank you also to office workers Sharon Kidd and Adam Gurnhill, to Janenne Kidd for tirelessly running the canteen and to helpers Paula Purvis and Melinda McGrath who were always on hand to assist with early morning refereeing and scoring and a multitude of other tasks. Thank you to everyone who in some way helped make this tournament such a success. After so much wet weather leading up to the event, ACTA curator, John Winkels, must be congratulated on the great presentation of the grounds.

Targets for the weekend were White Flyer, supplied by Winchester Australia who also sponsored and presented a magnificent Browning shotgun to the ACTA Sporting Clays High Gun. Thank you Winchester for your past and ongoing support.

The weather completely turned around for the 3 days of competition and no one could have asked for better conditions. Although cold in the mornings, bright sunlight, little cloud and only a slight breeze greeted the shooters each day.





Sportrap Champion, Chris Brown

1st National Sportrap Championship

Day one saw the running of the inaugural 100 target National Sportrap Championship. This event is a variant of our other 5 Stand sporting disciplines which dictates that each shooter on each station must shoot at one single target followed by a report pair and a simultaneous pair of targets. Numbers for this event were slightly less than for the following 2 days, but after some withdrawals, 108 shooters nominated.

Shooting a score of 95/100 and after a shoot-off with Sox Pilipasidis, Chris Brown from the Maryborough GC was declared the winner of the 1st National Sportrap Championship with a final score of 119/125.

AA first went to Sox Pilipasidis (MCCCTC)



*Sportrap Championship: A Grade
2nd Michael Kruger-Davis, 3rd Chris Whyte*

118/125, with Robert Hall from the Melbourne GC running second, shooting 94/100 and Adam Shale also from the Melbourne Club taking third.



*Sportrap Championship: B Grade
3rd Matthew Allitt, 1st Wayne Gatt*

In A grade Rhys McGauran shooting 90/100 from Wangaratta placed first, Michael Kruger-Davis, registered with the Newcastle Lake Macquarie Club ran second and



*Sportrap Championship: AA Grade
2nd Robert Hall, 1st Sox Pilipasidis, 3rd Adam Shale*



*Sportrap Championship: Junior Nate Palubiski,
Ladies Renae Birgan, Veteran Michael Kruger-Davis*



*Sportrap Championship:
C Grade 1st Billy O'Grady*



Sox Pilipasidis and Chris Brown shooting off for the Sportrap Championship

Chris Whyte from Wagga GC finished third. B grade was taken out by Wayne Gatt from the Werribee Victorian CTC, with a score of 83/100, Gary Byron Wagga GC ran into second place and Matthew Allitt also from the Wagga GC managed third place. Billy O'Grady, from Werribee Victorian CTC shooting 71/100 took out C grade, Michele Scarfone from the Griffith GC placed second and third place went to Melbourne GC member Joe Tombolato. The Junior prize went to Nate Palubiski from the Wangaratta GC shooting 83/100, MCCCTC member Renae Birgan won the Ladies with a score of 84/100 and the Veteran award went to Michael Kruger-Davis 88/100.

almost full field of 118 competitors. The outright win went to James Saliba from the Werribee Victorian CTC who shot a brilliant 98/100. Second

2022 Commonwealth 5 Stand Sporting Championship

Day two featured the 100 target 2022 Commonwealth 5 Stand Championship, with an



*Commonwealth 5 Stand Sporting AA Grade:
3rd Bart Brighenti, 2nd Sox Pilipasidis*

*Commonwealth 5 Stand Sporting Champion,
James Saliba with ACTA President Malcolm Dyson*



*Commonwealth 5 Stand Sporting A Grade:
1st Rhys McGauran, 3rd Nate Palubiski*

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*Commonwealth 5 Stand Sporting B Grade:
2nd Alistair Kirby, 1st Matthew Allitt, 3rd Frank Sgambellone*



*Commonwealth 5 Stand Sporting: Junior Nate Palubiski,
Ladies Renae Birgan, Veteran Phillip Stowe*



*Commonwealth 5 Stand Sporting C Grade:
3rd Billy O'Grady, 1st Joe Tombolato*

place and winning AA grade was Chris Brown, following on with his form from the previous day shooting 95/100. Second in AA went to Sox Pilipasidis 104/110 after a shoot-off with Bart Brighenti from Griffith GC who ran third.

A grade first for the second day in a row, was won by Rhys McGauran on 89/100, with second in A grade going to Matthew Hannah, Wagga GC and third place to Nate Palubiski. Matthew Allitt 85/100 took home the B grade prize, Alistair Kirby from Werribee Victorian CTC placed second and Frank Sgambellone, Cecil Park CTC managed third. C grade first went to Joe Tombolato shooting a score of 76/100, Darren Bull, Melbourne GC took second place and Billy O'Grady ran third.

The Junior award, for the second day in a row was won by Nate Palubiski 82/100, Renae Birgan 84/100 took her second Ladies section win and Phil Stowe from the Maryborough GC received the Veteran award shooting 80/100.

1st National 5 Stand Sporting Clays Championship

Into the last day and the competition for the first National 5 Stand Championship. 119 shooters made up the field and once again it was Chris



Shooting off for the National 5 Stand Sporting Championship



National 5 Stand Sporting Champion, Chris Brown

Brown, having an exceptional tournament taking out the major win. With a remarkable score of 97/100 and 3 targets ahead of the next best, Chris took away his second National title.

Following a shoot-off between Robert Hall and Jamie Dunn from Mt Gambier first and second place was shared after both shooters scored 112/120. Third place in AA went to Luke Willemsen from the Melbourne GC. William Frazer, Melbourne GC, won A grade 88/100 and after a shoot-off Bill Zogogiannis lost out to Chris Wythe who ran second. In B grade the winner was Frank Sgambellone shooting 88/100

from Wayne Gatt second with Alister Kirby third. Aaron Mackay from Wagga GC won C grade with Joe Tombolato coming second and Darren Bull third.



National 5 Stand Sporting C Grade: 1st Aaron Mackay

For the third time Nate Palubiski 82/100 took away the Junior award, Renae Birgan also picked up her third Ladies section prize and Michael Kruger-Davis, having a great weekend, managed his second Veteran's medal.

27th National Sporting Clays Championship
The ACTA National



National 5 Stand Sporting A Grade: 2nd Chris Whyte, 1st William Fraser, 3rd Bill Zogogiannis



National 5 Stand Sporting AA Grade: 2nd Jamie Dunn, 1st Robert Hall



National 5 Stand Sporting B Grade: 2nd Wayne Gatt, 1st Frank Sgambellone, 3rd Alistair Kirby



*Sporting Nationals Grade High Guns,
B Grade Frank Sgambellone, AA Grade Sox Pilipasidis*



*Sporting Nationals Section High Guns,
Veteran Michael Kruger-Davis, Ladies Renae Birgan, Junior Nate Palubiski*



ACTA President Malcolm Dyson congratulates the A Grade High Gun, Rhys McGauran

Sporting Clays Championship is the combined scores of all 3 days of competition and culminates in the very best of the competitors being rewarded for their consistency over the entire tournament.

After taking out this award in 2018 and 2019 and making it 3 in succession Chris Brown, registered with the Maryborough GC, won the 27th National Sporting Clays Championship with a magnificent score of 287/300. For his win Chris received the Browning under/over shotgun donated by Winchester Australia, a cash prize and he will again have his name inscribed on the prestigious Australian Clay Target Association Sporting Clays perpetual trophy. AA grade went to Sox Pilipasidis 280/300, A grade Rhys McGauran 261/300, B grade Frank Sgambellone 247/300 and C grade Joe Tombolato 212/300. Nate Palubiski 247/300 naturally won the Junior section, Renae Birgan 259/300 completed the quadruple, 4 Ladies section award wins for the weekend and Michael Kruger-Davis 251/300 won the overall Veteran section award.

3 Persons Club Team

This event is open to any team of three members affiliated with the ACTA from the one Club. This year's winning team of Dougal Simson, Jamie Dunn and Gavin Dyson representing the Mt Gambier CTC, shot a combined winning score of 802/900.

State Teams Match:

Six teams competed for the National Sporting Clays Bruce Hall Perpetual Trophy, this was again won by the Victorian team, making it at least



*Mt Gambier, 3 Person Team winners.
L-R: Jamie Dunn, Dougal Simson, Gavin Dyson*



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*Victorian winning team, Robert Hall & Lee Berger.
Chris Brown was also a member of this team*



Chris Brown in action

3 in a row for Victoria. Team members were Chris Brown, Robert Hall and Lee Berger who finished with a total combined score of 827/900.

Other State Teams to enter were: NSW – Robert Yeo, Andrew Garvie and Ken Purvis, NT – Alex Towns, Marcus Karisson and Dan Cox, QLD – Aaron Knowles, Matthew Baldwin and Paul Moloney, SA – Dougal Simson, Tony Sellars and Michael Raper, WA – Dave Knight, Nick Hayes and Paul McGowan.



Australian Defence Force members who competed at the Sporting Clays Nationals





*Victorian Team
Robert Hall, Chris Brown, Lee Berger*



*Queensland Team
Matthew Baldwin, Paul Moloney, Aaron Knowles*



*New South Wales Team
Andrew Garvie, Ken Purvis, Robert Yeo*



*South Australian Team
Dougal Simson, Tony Sellars, Michael Raper*



*Northern Territory Team
Marcus Karlsson, Alex Towns, Dan Cox*



*Western Australian Team
Nick Haynes, David Knight, Paul McGowan*

Annual Two Day Carnival at Bundaberg



Winners L-R: Joe Castellino, Paul Rehbein, Alan McPherson, Des Richardson, Tracey Harker, Ricky Jones, Neil Berry, Irvine Wynyard, Simon Ross & Darren Large

Bundaberg Clay Target Club held its Two Day Shooting Carnival on Saturday and Sunday, 6th and 7th of August, with 50 shooters vying for the trophies and cash in wet conditions on Saturday, but fine on Sunday.

Although down on numbers, shooters travelled from Cloncurry, Rockhampton, Maryborough, Gympie, Central Burnett, Callide Dawson, Springsure, Brisbane, Bairnsdale, Caboolture, Toogoolwah, Mansfield, Ilfracombe, Redcliffe and Bundaberg. Attendance may have been down due to the weather or the cost travelling at the time but those that attended had an enjoyable time.

Shooting progressed well with no interruptions or breakdowns. It is always good to finish reasonably early, letting the travelling shooters get on the road. Targets were good and the shoot was enjoyed by all who attended.

Event 1. The 20 target cash divide produced only two possibles over the grades.

Event 2 was 30 targets Double Barrel Handicap sponsored by Costi Farms. 1st was John Winters 29/30 who took home the \$500 after a short

shoot-off, 2nd Ricky Jones 29/30, 3rd Tracey Harker 28/30 after a shoot-off and 4th Noelene Trost 28/30.

Event 3 was a 30 target Single Barrel Championship sponsored by The Money Edge and Archer River Roadhouse. Overall Ricky Jones 29/30, AA Grade Darren Large 28/30, A Grade Irvine Wynyard 27/30, B Grade Frankie Robinson 27/30 and C Grade Brett Otto 27/30.

Event 4, 30 targets Double Barrel Championship sponsored by Bundaberg Toyota. Overall was taken out by Alan McPherson with 30/30. AA Grade Darren Large 30/30, A Grade Wal Durre 30/30, B Grade was won by Brian Charteris 29/30 and



John Winters, 1st Handicap



Ricky Jones, Overall Single Barrel & A Grade High Gun, with President Darren Large



Erin Guy, Zonta Ladies 1st Double Barrel

C Grade Ryan Howie 29/30. Extra section trophies were added again this year to make it more interesting and shot in conjunction with the Double Barrel Championship. Ladies, 1st, 2nd and 3rd, Veteran, Super Veterans (70+). Zonta Club Bundaberg Ladies Overall Sash went to



Alan McPherson, Overall Double Barrel Championship & B Grade High Gun

Erin Guy 27/30, Veteran 1st Morris Mengel 29/30 and Peter Lynch Super Veterans (70+) 27/30.

Event 5: 30 target Medley sponsored by Ken's Plumbing Plus. Overall was Joe Castellino 49/50, AA Grade Phil Grove 48/50, A Grade Tania Burke 47/50, B Grade Alan McPherson 47/50 and C Grade Simon Ross 46/50.

Event 6 was the 30 target Bundaberg Concrete Casters Double Barrel Points Championship. Overall went to Joe Castellino 89/90, AA Grade Peter Lynch 85/90, A Grade Ricky Jones 86/90, B



Joe Castellino, Overall Medley & Double Barrel Points Championship

Grade Brodie Charteris 86/90 and C Grade Ryan Howie 86/90. Wilma and Neil Berry Ladies was won by Tracey Harker 83/90, Veterans by Des Richardson 83/90, Super Veterans Peter Lynch 86/90. Event 7 was 30 targets Continental Championship sponsored by Coastline Realty. Overall

was won by Greg Mathews 30/30, AA Grade Michael Lynch 29/30, A Grade Irvine Wynyard 30/30, B Grade Brodie Charteris 27/30 and C Grade Simon Ross 26/30.

Outdoor Sporting Agencies Overall High Gun went to Darren Large 265/280. Grade High Guns, sponsored by Ross Gray Motor City and Archer River Roadhouse were AA Paul Rehbein 260/280, A Ricky Jones 260/280, B Alan

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*Tracey Harker, Ladies D/B Points
& Ladies High Gun*



*Darren Large,
Overall High Gun*



*Paul Rehbein,
AA Grade High Gun*



*Greg Mathews,
Overall Continental Championship*



*Simon Ross,
C Grade High Gun*



*Irvine Wynyard,
Veterans High Gun*

McPherson 253/280 and C was won by Simon Ross 247/280.

Section High Guns were sponsored by Rehbeins Guns. Ladies High Gun was won by Tracey Harker 243/280. Veterans High Gun was won by Irvine Wynyard 251/290. Super Veterans High Gun Neil Berry 248/280.

Thanks to all who helped and organised the running of the shoot. Bundaberg Clay Target Club Inc sincerely thank the following sponsors for their support towards our annual shoot.

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Full results can be found in the Competition Results section.

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VCTA STATE BALL TRAP FINAL



The final of the VCTA State Ball Trap was held at the State Grounds, Echuca Clay Target Club on Sunday, 4th September. Although the event had considerable opposition with the day being Father's Day and a major event in Griffith (NSW), the competition was a very successful one.

More than 50 competitors made their way to Echuca to compete in a 100 target event.

While the day started bright and sunny, a cool southerly breeze kept the temperature low until early afternoon. Once the breeze dropped, shooting conditions were excellent and some very good scores were entered over the day.

The event was shot over two traps. A standard ball trap, courtesy of Echuca CTC, and a ball trap machine in Trench 2 layout. It made for some

interesting, but legal according to the rules, challenges.

The Overall winner of the event was Nathan Cassells (Maryborough GC) with an excellent score of 96/100. AA Grade was won by Phillip Matthews (Border CTC) with 89/100 and second was Adam Beechey (Bairnsdale GC) 87/100.

In A Grade, the winner was Mark Crevatin (Echuca CTC) with a score of 93/100 and second place went to James Patterson (Noorat GC) 86/100.



Nathan Cassells, VCTA State Ball Trap winner



Winner of A Grade Mark Crevatin, 2nd James Patterson



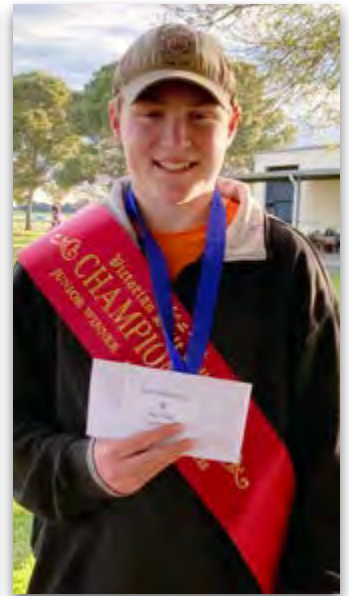
Winner of B Grade Harry Brown, 2nd Tom Clark



Winner of C Grade Nick Dean, 2nd Aimee Norris



Winning Veteran Allan Pollock



Winning Junior Harry Brown



Winning team, South West Zone

The B Grade winner was Harry Brown (Hamilton CTC) shooting 94/100, with second place going to Tom Clark (Hamilton CTC) 86/100.

The C Grade winner was Nick Dean (Echuca CTC) after shooting 78/100 and second place went to Aimee Norris (Melbourne GC) 69/100.

The Ladies winner was Kirsten Wilson (Yarrowonga GC) 80/100, the Veterans winner was Allan Pollock (Hamilton CTC) 85/100 and the Junior winner was Harry Brown (Hamilton CTC) 94/100.

This event also saw the final of the Zone Ball Trap event with each Zone sending a representative team to be part of the challenge. North West Zone came in fourth place with a score of

364/500. Third place went to the North East Zone on 374/500. South East Zone came second with a score of 412/500 and the winning team was the South West Zone, represented by Chris Molan, Stephen Holdsworth, Tom Clark, Harry Clark and Allan Pollock with a team score of 422/500.

Many thanks to all those who made the day so successful, with an extra special mention of Zak Biggin, who ran MCMS for the day and was a wealth of knowledge and assistance.

We now look forward to the State DTL Carnival, to be held from the 10th to the 13th of November. Hope to see you there!



Psychological Skills for Shooting

by Michael Kruger-Davis

Question?

At a local gun club recently, the first event was 25 target double barrel followed by 25 target single barrel. Most people shot the double barrel well, with several possibles. However, the single barrel was a completely different story, with no possibles, and significantly lower scores.

As our squad walked off the layout, a long time shooting friend asked *"Why can you shoot the double barrel with no trouble only to fall in a heap and miss stacks of targets in the single barrel?"*

At the time, I think I said "it just happens," not really knowing what the correct answer, if there is one, was. On the way home I had some time to think about the question and what are likely to be the reasons why single barrel seems much harder. You only have to look at the number of possibles shot in the double barrel nationals compared to the number of possibles shot in the single barrel event. A quick scan of MCMS results also showed a greater number of shooters shooting off for double barrel events compared with single barrel events.

Firstly, the fact you only have one shot it is obviously going to be harder than having two shots at the one target. The probability of hitting

a single barrel target is 50/50 each time. One target, one shell, one attempt, so the probable outcome is either 1 or 0. Double barrel on the other hand, the odds are 50/50 for each shot. The first barrel is either 1 or 0, and the second barrel is also 1 or 0.

Moving away from the probability associated with using one barrel as opposed to two, the reasons move into the realm of psychological factors.

Secondly, the lower scores maybe due to anxiety. The fear of missing the target. As I have said before, anxiety is not because you miss a target but because you are scared you will miss the target. This anxiety is then manifested in several ways, all which make the problem worse.

Thirdly, the anxiety engenders negative self-talk. Even before you get on the tracks you hear people saying things like: single-burial, for single barrel. Because they think it will be harder, it becomes a self-fulfilling prophecy and you miss.

Next, when you miss a target you try harder. What this does is create self-doubt which tenses your muscles. When your muscles stop moving fluidly because of self-doubt, you are likely to miss. You then try harder still, become

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more tense and miss again and again. At the same time you are probably giving yourself more negative self-talk: berating yourself, regretting what you might have won or achieved, focusing on past poor performances and telling yourself you are no good because you are missing targets. When you try harder you change the way you normally shoot. Rather than shooting to 'hit the target' you change how you are shooting and start shooting 'not to miss'. What this does is alter your timing, interfere with the fluid muscle movements such as following through, and makes you try harder which again will increase the tension and stress. This is really critical when you have shot well for the first half of the event. For example, you shoot the first 25 and go out into the round. Subconsciously, you think you need to change how you are shooting to "protect a score you have shot", and as a result you tense up and miss.

The next problem is a 'process' issue. To shoot well you need to focus on the process by concentrating on the technical skills of shooting: pre-shot routine, stance, gun hold, eye hold, see the target swing, fire and follow-through. The problem is that because we have already perceived this event to be more difficult we can sometimes focus on the product: the score. This creates a number of other problems such as thinking about the future: the score, the trophy, a personal best break, etc, and in the process sets you up for negative self-talk and more fear about missing, which will create more self-doubt and make you more tense and the outcome will be you miss the target.

These were the answers to the question I came up with on the way home and these are about the variables we can control. Things we cannot control things like the temperature, rain, wind, light and background. These variables we have to learn to deal with. The internal variables, our thinking, we have to learn to control them as well.

There are some great single barrel shots out there and if we predominately shot single barrel

all the time like they do in the USA, we would probably all become better shots.

But for now the take home message is.

- Focus on the process, let the product look after itself.
- Shoot the target to 'break the target'.
- Do not try to 'shoot to not miss'.
- Leave the negative self-talk to your competitors.
- If you miss a target, breathe, relax, compose yourself and focus back the process of what you have to do to hit the target.
- Limit the self-doubt as much as possible to reduce stress and muscle tension.
- Remember it is a sport, so have fun.

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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Fine partly cloudy (7): 50T SKT HC: 1st M Corbett 58/58, 2nd D Alcock 57/58, 3rd S McIntyre 49/50; 50T SKT: A: M Corbett 50/52; B: S McIntyre 47/52; C: D Blewitt 37/52.

Cowra 06/08/2022

Overcast & cool (63): 25T Gr PS CD: AA: P Lonergan 75/75, C Hawke, K Nealon, A Jones, 74/75; A: R Johnstone 72/75, C Oehm, P Ewart, G Serafin 71/75; B: J Tomlinson 72/75, T Sheridan 71/75, P Taylor 70/75; C: S Tomlinson 75/75, R Peterson 74/75, A Ricketts 71/75; Cladding Aust 50T SB CS: OA: P Jones 49/50; AA: J Nash 50/52, A Lucas 49/52; A: J Dunn 47/50, M Dunn 46/50; B: T Sheridan 45/52, J Tomlinson 44/52; C: F Cummings 44/50, M Horsburgh 42/50; Cowra Services Club 50T DB CS: OA: A Jones 70/70; AA: B Cox 69/70, P Jones 99/100; A: G Serafin 51/52, A Boswell 49/50; B: R Alston 48/50, T Sheridan 48/52; C: A Ricketts 56/58, S Tomlinson 55/58; Agfactor 30T PS CS: OA: G Thatcher 90/90; AA: K Nealon 110/111, P Jones 109/111; A: A Boswell 88/90, G Serafin 86/90; B: R O'Leary 88/90, R Peterson 84/90; C: A Ricketts 88/90, S Tomlinson 86/90; Glenn Sinclair Mem Ch/Ch 18m: OA: P Jones 146/150; AA: D Ferguson 142/150, A Jones 121/125; A: G Serafin 116/125, M Dunn 111/125; B: T Sheridan 118/125, T Lonergan 134/150; C: A Ricketts 114/125, S Tomlinson 110/125; HG: OA: P Jones 382/390; AA: K Nealon 378/390; A: G Serafin 367/390; B: T Sheridan 358/390; C: A Ricketts 360/390; LAD: S Peck 348/390; JNR: R Horsburgh 325/390; VET: A Lucas 371/390.

Cowra 03/09/2022

Chilly breeze (40): 25T Gr DB CD: AA: M Dutton, W Barton, G Barton 25/25; A: C Oehm, T Sheridan 25/25, R Haug 23/25; B: Z Rodgers 24/25, P Phillipott, A Hodges, D Hammond, J Wright 23/25; C: P Taylor 23/25, S Barby 22/25, D Carr, R Bongiorno, J Gray, P Barber, J Maloy 21/25;

Lachlan Valley 50T DB CS: OA: T O'Leary 150/150; AA: G Barton 149/150, C Hawke 102/103; A: R Haug 49/50, G Serafin 71/75; B: R O'Leary 48/50, Z Rodgers 64/67; C: J Maloy 46/50, J Gray 44/51; Central Zone Noel Dwight Mem HC: P Taylor 28/29, S Barby 27/29, M Dutton 33/35; OA HG: M Dutton 98/100.

Hay 28/08/2022

Sunny & windy (25): 30T SB: OA: J Headon 47/49; AA: S Gallagher 46/29, A Depaoli 30/33; A: D Piccoli 26/30, K Rees 24/31; B: J Wall 28/32, P Ledwidge 27/32; C: A Toscan 26/30, C Gallagher 25/30; 30T DB: OA: G Evans 55/55; AA: B Doyle 54/55, R Anderson 61/62; A: K Rees 29/30, V Haidy 27/31; B: P Ledwidge 31/32, J Wall 30/32; C: A Toscan 28/30, E McCullough 26/30; 30T HC Mitchell Cup: 1st J Wall 30/31, 2nd S Evans 29/31, 3rd B Doyle 38/40; 10T GR HC: 1st K Rees 12/13; HG: B Doyle 93/100.

Majura Park 07/08/2022

Cold, dry and slight wind (21): 10T PS EO: OPEN: 1st P Fennell A19 Majura Park 30/30 30/30, OPEN: 1st D Maloney AA23 Majura Park 30/30 30/30, OPEN: 3rd B Higgins B17 Majura Park 29/30 29/30, OPEN: 3rd P Jenkins A25 Majura Park 29/30 29/30, OPEN: 3rd M Harris A24 Majura Park 29/30 29/30, OPEN: 3rd W Cameron VAA23 Majura Park 29/30 29/30. 50T PS Honour Board Club CS: OPEN: J Winters AA25 Majura Park 145/150 145/150; AA: D Maloney AA23 Majura Park 144/150 144/150; A: M Harris A24 Majura Park 144/150 144/150; B: D Reed VB25 Boorowa 133/150 133/150; C: C Goodwin C Majura Park 123/150 123/150; VET: W Cameron VAA23 Majura Park 140/150 140/150. 25Pr DR Honour Board Club CS: OPEN: D Maloney AA Majura Park 45/50 45/50; AA: W Cameron VAA Majura Park 40/50 40/50; A: M Harris A Majura Park 43/50 43/50; B: P Maloney B Majura Park 43/50 43/50; C: P Jenkins C

Majura Park 43/50 43/50; VET: D Reed VB Boorowa 40/50 40/50. OA HG: OPEN: D Maloney AA23 Majura Park 219/230 219/230.

Majura Park 10/08/2022

Cold (21): 40T PS CS: OPEN: P Simon VA22 Cooma 118/120 118/120; AA: A Pagett AA22 Goulburn 117/120 117/120; A: M Harris A24 Majura Park 112/120 112/120; B: B Higgins B17 Majura Park 116/120 116/120; C: C Goodwin C Majura Park 109/120 109/120. 50T UT HC CS: OPEN: 1st M Harris B Majura Park 43/50 43/50, OPEN: 1st P Jenkins A Majura Park 43/50 43/50, OPEN: 3rd P Weber AA Parkes GC 40/50 40/50.

Majura Park 24/08/2022

Freezing (16): 30T PS: OPEN: D Maloney AA23 Majura Park 87/90 87/90; AA: R Fleming AA25 Goulburn 81/90 81/90; A: R Southwell A24 Majura Park 82/90 82/90; B: P Hart B18 Majura Park 90/99 82/90 8 (+0) /9; C: C Goodwin C Majura Park 83/90 83/90. 25T HC: Masters Round 8: OPEN: C Goodwin C15 Majura Park 26/27 24/25 2 (+0)/2, OPEN 2nd D Maloney AA23 Majura Park 25/27 24/25 1 (+0)/2, OPEN 3rd P Place AA20 Goulburn 24/27 24/25 0(+0)/2.

Majura Park 31/08/2022

Cold and still (25): 50T PS CS: OPEN: M Harris A24 Majura Park 147/150 147/150; AA: D Power AA25 Majura Park 146/150 146/150, R Fleming AA25 Goulburn 144/150 144/150; A: P Jenkins A25 Majura Park 139/150 139/150, A Christou A23 Majura Park 139/150 139/150; B: M Bartlett VB20 Majura Park 137/150 137/150, M Scott B18 Majura Park 130/150 130/150, D Tutalo B17 Majura Park 130/150 130/150; C: C Goodwin C Majura Park 132/150 132/150, P Josifoski C Majura Park 113/150 113/150.

Majura Park 04/09/2022

Cold and sunny (31): 10T PS EO: OPEN: B Higgins B17 Majura Park 30/30 30/30, C Bishop B19 Goulburn 30/30 30/30, M Harris A24 Majura Park 30/30 30/30, D Power AA25 Majura Park 30/30 30/30, G Barton AA26 Boorowa 30/30 30/30. 50T President's Cup HC H/Board Club CS: OPEN: G Barton AA26 Boorowa 49/50 49/50, C Bishop B19 Goulburn 50/54 46/50 4 (+0) /4, A Smith LAA23 Boorowa 49/54 46/50 3 (+0) /4, N Hitchenson LB18 Canberra 45/50 45/50, D Power AA25 Majura Park 43/50 43/50. 50T DB H/Board Club CS: OPEN: G Barton AA26 Boorowa 89/89 50/50 39 (+0) /39; AA: A Cumberland AA22 Majura Park 88/89 50/50 38 (+0) /39, W

Barton LAA24 Boorowa 49/50 49/50, D Power AA25 Majura Park 49/50 49/50; A: J Goldstraw A25 Canberra 85/86 50/50 35 (+0) /36, M Harris A24 Majura Park 49/50 49/50; B: B Higgins B17 Majura Park 52/54 48/50 4 (+0) /4, M Ward B17 Majura Park 51/54 48/50 3 (+0) /4; C: Otineru-Benjamin Lio C15 Boorowa 41/50 41/50, P Josifoski C15 Majura Park 40/50 40/50; LAD: W Barton LAA24 Boorowa 49/50 49/50; VET: W Cameron VAA23 Majura Park 48/50 48/50. OPEN: G Barton AA26 Boorowa 129/130 129/130.

Richmond River 13/08/2022

Overcast with Rain (56): NZCTA 50T SB: OA: B Henshall 49/50 (87/88); AA: F Richardson 49/50 (86/88), B Rumbel 48/50 (71/73); A: R Spagnolo 46/50 (67/71), R Aston 46/50 (66/71); B: A Dowley 46/50, T Bregnsdal 45/50; C: L Langer 46/50, L Hannant 45/50; NZCTA 50T DB: OA: G Mephram 50/50 (107/107); AA: B Rumbel 50/50 (106/107), B Henshall 50/50 (92/93); A: R Spagnolo 49/50, J Henshall 48/50 (50/52); B: Archie Smith 48/50, D Hone 47/50 (53/56); C: L Hannant 46/50 (59/63), P Davidson 46/50 (56/63).

Richmond River 14/08/2022

Fine (60): NZCTA 50 HC: 1st: A Davidson 47/50 (58/61). 2nd: B Rumbel 47/50 (60/64). 3rd: D Bodley 47/50 (59/64). 4th: L Hart 47/50 (51/55). 5th: B Henshall 47/50 (47/51). NZCTA 50 PS: OA: B Henshall 149/150. AA: F Richardson 148/150, B Rumbel 147/150 (189/192). A: Dale Smith 146/150, C Overton 145/150. B: A Davidson 138/150, F Binding 135/150. C: L Hannant 137/150, L Langer 129/150. HG's: OA HG: B Henshall 295/300. AA: B Rumbel 292/300 (316/324). A: Dale Smith 284/300. B: A Davidson 272/300. C: L Hannant 271/300. Junior: F Richardson 292/300. Ladies: J Henshall 278/300. Veterans: G Bruce 286/300.

Richmond River 28/8/2022

Overcast: 25T D/RCS: OA Sash: D Bodley 43/50; Intermediate Sash: B Ellison 38/50; AA: D Bodley 43/50, B Wild 41/50; A: Dale Smith 39/50, L Hart 34/50; B: B Ellison 38/50, F Binding 30/50; C: I Priddle 36/50, M Hampson 35/50; 50T PS CS: OA Sash: G Bruce 146/150, Intermediate Sash: M Sullivan 150/162; AA: G Bruce 146/150, P Batson 145/150; A: A Snelling 141/150, A Clarke 140/150; B: M Sullivan 150/162, F Binding 147/162; C: E Snelling 133/150, M Hampson 127/150; 25T HC: 1st: R Spencer 27/27, 2nd: A Snelling 26/27, 3rd: J Oliver 36/37.



NEW SOUTH WALES CLAY TARGET ASSOCIATION INC

2022 NSW STATE TRAP CARNIVAL

NATIONAL SHOOTING GROUNDS - WAGGA WAGGA

FRIDAY 30TH SEPTEMBER- MONDAY 3RD OCTOBER

Friday 30th September, 10.00am Start

Event 1 NSWCTA "Winchester" Champion of Champions

Pre-Nominations: All Entries \$75

75 Targets from 18m

OA - Sash + \$250 + Huglu Trap 32"

1st AA,A,B,C - Medal + \$700ea

2nd AA,A,B,C - Medal + \$550ea

3rd AA,A,B,C - Medal + \$400ea

Ladies, Veterans, Juniors - Sash & \$200 each

WINCHESTER



Followed by-with a 3pm start;

Zone Teams Matches (Open, Ladies, Juniors & Veterans)

Saturday 1st October, 8.30am Start

Event 2 NSWCTA "J & A Geotech" Double Rise Championship

Pre-Nominations: All Entries \$50

25 Pairs from 15m

OA - Sash + \$2000

1st AA,A,B,C - Medal + \$400ea

2nd AA,A,B,C - Medal + \$300ea

3rd AA,A,B,C - Medal + \$200ea

Ladies, Veterans, Juniors - Sash & \$200 each



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Saturday 1st October

Event 3 NSWCTA Double Barrel Championship

Pre-Nominations: All Entries \$50

50 Targets from 15m

OA - Sash + \$1700 + Donated Prize

1st AA,A,B,C - Medal + \$400ea

2nd AA,A,B,C - Medal + \$300ea

3rd AA,A,B,C - Medal + \$200ea

Ladies, Veterans, Juniors - Sash & \$200 each



TRAP SPORTING SKEET GAME



Monday 3rd October, 8.30am Start

Event 6 NSWCTA "RSL Club Wagga" Points Score Championship

Pre-Nominations: All Entries \$50

50 Targets from 15m

OA - Sash + \$2000

1st AA,A,B,C - Medal + \$400ea

2nd AA,A,B,C - Medal + \$300ea

3rd AA,A,B,C - Medal + \$200ea

Ladies, Veterans, Juniors - Sash & \$200 each

Followed by NSW Postal Teams Match at the completion of the High Guns



Nominations are available through My Club My Scores

Pre-Nominations close Wednesday 28th September 2022 at 12pm

Pre-Nominations will be \$325 for the entire program.

Zone Teams Photos from 5pm with The Opening Ceremony, Zone Teams & Ch/Ch Presentations along with the Hall of Fame Presentations of Frazer Roberts & Robert Thompson will be from 6pm on Friday 30th Sept



All events to be shot in one visit - six shooters per squad "shoot and walk". Handicap to be shot 5 per squad, 5 targets per lane then move.

HIGH GUNS SPONSORED BY Bronzewing—NSI

STATE OPEN HIGH GUN - EVENTS 1 to 6 (WINNER TO RECEIVE O/A \$2000 + NSI Ammo, Temp Control Safe, BW Cap, Yellowtail Bubbles + SASH AND GOLD NSW BADGE)

AA, A, B, C HIGH GUN - EVENTS 1 to 6 - (WINNERS TO RECEIVE \$400 + NSI Ammo, Temp Control Safe, BW Cap, Yellowtail Bubbles + SASH) EACH GRADE

LADIES, JUNIORS, & VETERANS HIGH GUN - EVENTS 1 to 6 (WINNERS TO RECEIVE \$400 + NSI Ammo, Temp Control Safe, BW Cap, Yellowtail Bubbles + SASH) EACH SECTION

A three Man Club Teams Match will be conducted in conjunction with the Points Score Championship.

FIREARMS PERMITS MUST BE PRESENTED BEFORE SHOOTING

SHOOT OFFS CONTINUED UNDER LIGHTS IF NECESSARY

ONGROUND CAMPING IS AVAILABLE THROUGH THE ACTA 02 6938 2121

Lucky Door Prize at presentations each day



The BEST Shooting Vests & CEPA Ear Moulds NSW State Teams

Open State Team - 50T Points

Fifteen Highest scores Events 3, 5 & 6

Ladies State Team - 25T Points

Six highest scores Events 3, 5 & 6

Junior State Team - 25T Points

Six highest scores Events 3, 5 & 6

Veteran State Team - 25T Points

Six highest scores Events 3, 5 & 6

Please note: Shoot-off will be used to determine last places in all teams

Nominations on the weekend will be as follows; Ch/Ch \$95, DR \$70, DB \$70, HCP \$70, SB \$70, PS \$70 Totaling \$445 for the entire program



VICTORIA

Ararat 06/08/2022

Cool but some sun (28): 10T CONT PS E/O CD: S Rigin 30/30, A Bolwell 30/30, T Gull 30/30, S Forbes 30/30; 30T CONT PS Gr CS: AA: A Bolwell 88/90, S Pearson 87/90; A: S Ringin 84/90, D Watts 83/90; B: B Sands 86/90, G Horrigan 80/90; C: G Coburn 87/96, K Malcolm 86/96; OA: A Bolwell 88/90; 30T BD Gr CS: AA: A Bolwell 46/46, T Gull, 40/41; A: D Watts 45/46, C Dunn 32/33; B: G Horrigan 35/37, B Sands 34/37; C: K Edwards 28/30, G Coburn 27/30; OA: A Bolwell 46/46; HG OA: A Bolwell 148/150; LAD: K Edwards 135/150; VET: B Sands 139/150.

Euroa 05/08/2022

Cold then windy with rain (140): 75T GR DB: AA: S Towers 71/75; A: P McKendrick 64/75; B: R Logan 68/75; C: J Brousard 44/75.

Hamilton 20/08/2022

Wet and windy (57): 50T DB:

OA & AA: A Hawker 150/150, A Pollock 149/150; A: T Jenkin 50/50, L Thompson 50/50; B: I Harris 54/55, M Tolland 53/55; C: D Robinson 55/58, M Wythe 54/58; 25T DB Pts: OA & A: G Jennings 75/75, T Clark 73/75; AA: G Height & G Harrington 74/75; B: M Tolland 76/78, D Long 73/78; C: W Wombwell 68/75, G Vickers 73/81.

Korumburra 27/08/2022

Fine and sunny (53): 25 Pr D/R: AA: P Smith 43/50, M Oakley 41/50; A: M Coleman 46/50, B Davis 43/50; B: T Kupsch 42/50, B Dantonio 50/60; C: A McGrath 51/60, B Calvi 50/60; 60T DB: AA: T Kupsch 60/61, F Bagnato 59/60; A: L Farley 71/71, T McGrath 70/71; B: W Martin 60/60, B Dantonio 160/161; C: A White 60/60, J O'Reilly 57/60.

Melbourne 06/08/2022

Partly cloudy (56): 25T PS: AA: M Iles 87/90, G Hunt 73/75; OA &

A: L Primavera 90/90, B De Pedro 77/78; B: R Adams 74/75, E Bidese 69/75; C: B Battle 73/75, P Grant 69/75; 25T HC: 1: M Iles 33/33; 2: R Adams 33/34; 3: G Shore 32/34; BM: G Hunt 22/25; 50T DB: AA: M Iles 60/60, B Iles 47/50; A: C Brown 59/60, G McClure 58/59; B: B Tridgell 59/60, R Adams 48/50; C: W Green 46/50; B Battle 45/50; 100T SKT CS: OA: D Sacchetta 105/108; AA: R Miller 104/108, M Buttigieg 100/104; A: A Watson 92/100, M George 86/100; B: W Miller 93/100, P De Silva 93/100; C: T Caldwell 83/100, L Tingate 86/105.

Melbourne 13/08/2022

(117): 25T HC: 1: N McDonnell 43/43; 2: S Allen 42/43; 3: E Bidese 37/38; BM: S Trembath 24/25; JNR FM: D Houston 24/25; 25T DB: OA: S Trembath 164/164; AA: S Pienudomkijert 151/152, M Iles 71/72; A: A Ferrari 163/164, R Foote 137/138; B: B Tridgell 50/51, S Houston 46/47; C: L McKeon 43/44, S Theile 26/27; HG: OA HG: B Tridgell 50/50; LAD HG: C Hudson 65/66; VET HG: B Tridgell 50/50; JNR A HG: C Williams 48/50; JNR B HG: K McCurdy 46/50; JNR C HG: D Houston 47/50.

Melbourne 27/08/2022

Perfect (102): 25T Victorian Police

SKT CS: OA Civillian: P Adams 39/39; AA: R Sammon 38/39; A: A Akkermans 22/25, B Peters 17/25; B: D Mould 24/25, L Shore 23/25; C: L Schroeter 28/33, C Anderson 27/33; OA Police: Colin Anderson; 25T Victorian Police PS CS: OA Civillian: M Appleby 86/87; AA: M Iles 85/87, T Castaldo 73/75; A: D Johnston 72/75, P Haslam 134/138; B: E Bidese 69/75, R Laureano 68/75; C: I Urch 85/90, T Caldwell 84/90; OA Police: Marty McLachlan; 25T Victorian Police SB CS: OA Civillian: M Iles 28/29; AA: M Bravin 24/26, A: B De Pedro 27/29, A Akkermans 34/36; B: A Varchione 24/25, G Shore 27/29; C: P O'Neill 21/25, P Grant 22/27; OA Police: Marty McLachlan; 25T Victorian Police DB: OA Civillian: M Iles 72/72; AA: R Esplin 71/72 A: L Shore 51/52, A Akkermans 35/36; B: M Rocca 25/25, G Shore 32/33; C: L McKeon 25/25, S Caldwell 26/27; OA Police: Marty McLachlan; 20T Mxd Meterage: 1. B DePedro 20/20; 2: V Williams 34/35; 3: M Bravin 33/35; 100T Trench + Final: OA: J Willett 95/100 + 30/35 AA: P Smith 91/100, Skye 89/100; A: B Dunstan 94/100, S Allen 87/100; B: F Sensi 82/100, F Speranza 78/100 C: D Appleby 80/100, P White 66/100; DTL HG Events



Bendigo Clay Target Club Inc.

551 Bendigo – Pyramid Road Woodvale

Tony Moroni Memorial

5th November 2022 10am start



- Event 1. **50 Target Double Barrel Championship** Noms: \$32
Red \$27
1st and 2nd each Grade,
- Event 2. **25 Target Points Score Championship** Noms: \$18
Red \$13
1st and 2nd each Grade,
- Event 3. **50 Target Tony Moroni Memorial Single Barrel C/ship**
Overall – Yildiz Black Sporter AS
U/O Shotgun Value \$1295.00
2nd Place Drifter King Single Swag
Value \$259.00
1st remaining Grades – Norinco JW15
22 Rifle Value \$295.00
2nd Place – 15 Pkts Shotshells
Value \$172.00
Noms: \$50 Ladies, Veteran, Junior \$40

Firearms purchased with the generous assistance of RayTrade and Trellys Bendigo

All Events Graded AA, A, B, C, O/A takes grade

High Gun over Events 1, 2 & 3

Overall High Gun – Sash and Slab Shotshells
Value \$115.00

Full Noms \$100.00 L V J Noms \$80.00

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The Committee reserves the right to alter the programme and prizes if required

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OCTOBER 2022 PROGRAM

All Events - Less than 5 entrants per grade no 2nd place. The committee reserves the right to alter the program.

FREE NOMS FOR ALL JUNIORS

Sunday 2nd October – 10:00am Start
Great warm up for the SEZ DTL Carnival!

Event 1	30 Target Double Barrel Overall Cash + Sash Cash Prizes 1 st and 2 nd AA, A, B & C	\$20.00
Event 2	30 Target 'Lord Birdwood Cup' Handicap Overall \$250 Cash + Sash + name engraved on perpetual cup 2 nd \$200 Cash, 3 rd \$150 Cash, 4 th \$100 Cash, 5 th \$50 Cash	\$25.00
Event 3	30 Target Single Barrel Overall Cash + Sash Cash 1 st and 2 nd AA, A, B & C	\$20.00

Saturday 8th October – 9:00am Start

South East Zone DTL Carnival

25 Target Handicap, 25 Target Double Barrel, 25 Target Single Barrel, 25 Target Pointscore

Pre-nominations preferred through MyClubsMyScores

Canteen available from 8:30am

Free meal on completion of competition

NO PRACTICE AVAILABLE FOR ANY DISCIPLINE ON THIS DAY

Sunday 16th October – 10:30am Start Skeet, 11:00am Start DTL

Event 1	100 Target Skeet Overall Cash 1 st and 2 nd Cash AA, A, B & C (minimum 5 entries per grade for 2 nd to be paid)	\$60.00
Event 2	50 Target DTL Double Barrel AA, A, B & C	\$30.00
Event 3	25 Target DTL Pointscore AA, A, B & C	\$15.00
Event 4	10 Pair Double Rise AA, A, B & C	\$10.00

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VCTA
South West Zone
2022 DTL Trap Carnival

Sunday 23rd October
Noorat Gun Club

McKinnons Bridge Road, Noorat

Starting at 10 am

Event 1: **25tgt South West Zone Double Barrel c/ship**

Event 2: **25tgt South West Zone Single Barrel c/ship**

Event 3: **25tgt South West Zone Points Score c/ship**

Event 4: **25tgt South West Zone Handicap**

High Guns: Overall, Ladies, Junior, Veteran
SWZ Open, Ladies, Veteran and Juniors selection
Overall Junior Double Barrel winner receives sash & cash

Nominations \$25 per event

Juniors shooting entire program ~ reduced noms to \$80

South West Zone President Sam Rundell 0427 784 202
South West Zone Secretary Fiona Dobbins 0447 933 745
Noorat Gun Club Secretary
Gary Hayden 0419 893 007

*Pre-nominations will be available on MCMS.

2.3.4: OA Civillian: M Iles 123/125; OA Police: M McLachlan 114/125.

Mt Bogong 04/09/2022

Sunny (33): 10T CONT E/O: R Taylor, G Evans, K Jones, S Pinner 10/10; 30T CONT PS: AA: G Pinner 86/90, S Pinner 85/90; A: G Evans 83/90, B Leita 77/90; B: B Pieper 86/90, J Hamilton 85/90; C: M Tomasoni 84/90, B Ellis 74/90; 30T HC: 1st: S Pinner 32/32, 2nd: Y Hemmerling 31/32, 3rd: M Tomasoni 29/30; HG: S Pinner 125/130.

Nepean 20/08/2022

Fine and light wind (40): 90T Ch/Ch: AA: G Boyd 141/150, H Crawford 135/150, S Allen 135/150; A & OA: M Horsfall 142/150, S Howlett 184/200, P Haslam 184/200; B: B Sokaluk 151/175, M Treller(L) 148/175, R Collins 127/150; C: S Theile 119/150, M Vella 115/150, R Wiggins (L) 113/150.

Numurkah Shepparton 07/08/2022

Fine (42): 50T PS: AA: D Saunders 147/150, G Hipwell 197/201; A: C Easden 149/153, I Cooksey 148/153; B: C Barnes 142/150, N Dean 141/150; C: G Keir 142/150, B Foster 137/150; 50T DB Shorty Decker Memorial: AA & OA: A Fiek 50/50, D Healey 54/55; A: I

Cooksey 50/50, C Easden 49/50; B: C Barnes 61/62, A Kidd 60/62; C: C Repacholi 54/58, A Bethune 53/58; HG: A Fiek 201/206.

Wangaratta 20/08/2022

Overcast, brief period of rain, clearing later in the day (22): 30T SB: AA: B Thompson 30/30, R Liersch 30/32; A: J Wright 28/30, G Rowe 26/30; B: M Motha 25/31, P Smith 24/31; C: B Foster 26/30, N Palubiski 25/30; 30T PS: AA: T Pigram 88/90, J Wojcik 87/90; A: G Rowe 81/90, B Glossop 80/90; B: M Motha 85/90, S Palubiski 69/90; C: N Palubiski 86/90, B Foster 83/90; 30T DB: AA: J Wojcik 30/30, R Liersch 29/30; A: G Rowe 30/30, J Wright 28/30; B: M Motha 29/30, S Palubiski 27/30; C: N Palubiski 29/30, S Coulston 33/37; HG: OA: R Liersch 165/175; VET: J Wojcik 142/150; JNR: N Palubiski 140/150.

Warrnambool 09/07/2022

Fine and sunny but cold (27): 10T PS E/O: B Johnson, L Hurse, L Stolk, D Dwyer, H Clark, G Bennett 30/30; 25T DB: AA: H Clark 40/40, W Jenkins 39/40; A: G Harrington 25/25, M Fleming, L Stolk 24/25; B: B Wythe 25/25, J Dumesny 34/35; C: J Wood 26/29, G McDonald 25/29; 25T PS: AA: A Pollock 74/75, H Clark 21/25; A: G Harrington 74/75, L

Stolk 73/75; B: P Pearson 96/99, B Johnson 93/99; C: G Mc Donald 75/75, I Unthank 69/75; 25T B/T: AA: A Pollock 22/25, H Clark 21/25; A: G Harrington 23/25, L Stolk 20/25; B: B Askew 22/25, S Holliday 21/25; C: J Dumesny 21/26, I Unthink 21/27.

Warrnambool 13/08/2022

Wet and cold (37): 10T E/O PTS: G McDonald, B Veale, J Wood, B Woodmason, W Jenkins, G Harrington, H Glennen 30/30; 25T D/B: AA: R Duthie 24/25, M Aitken 23/25; A: S Rundell 32/32, G Jennings 24/25; B: P Pearson 31/32, J Dumesny 24/25; C: A Goodall 27/28, G McDonald 26/27; 25T SB: AA: W Jenkins

22/25, R Duthie 21/25; A: A Evans 24/25, S Rundell 24/25; B: C Mason 24/25, L Pringle 22/25; C: B Veale 23/25, G McDonald 23/25; 25T HC: P Pearson 25/25, J Wood 29/30, J Martin 28/30.

Yarrowonga 14/08/2022

Cold & Windy (26): 30T SB CD: AA: T Williams, J Wojcik, 29/30; A: A Grassi 29/30, G Walls 26/30; B: T Hicks 29/30, P Woods, R Rees, P Watkins 26/30; C: P Green 28/30, I Thorpe 25/30; 50T CONT CS Sponsored by Katty East Engineering: AA & OA: D Hunt 56/57, T Pigram 48/50; A: A Grassi 55/57, S Murphy 45/50; B: P Watkins 48/50, P Woods 45/50; C: B Foster; HG: A Grassi 78/80.



WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Peel 14/08/2022

Coolish 20 deg., perfect shooting conditions (55): 100T DB: OA: R Guadagnino 103/104; AA: J Lynch 100/102, G Walker 97/100, M Griffiths 97/100; A: R Riggs

102/104, P Hadida 98/100, G Ryan 97/100; B: J Eddy 98/100, D Shepherd 97/100, M Urquhart 96/100; C: R Bailey 94/100, J Griffiths 94/100, D Evans 93/100.

North East Zone/V.C.T.A. OCTOBER 2022 PROGRAM

SATURDAY 1ST

Bendigo 11.00 am

25tgt H/cap
75tgt Ch/Ch C/ship

SUNDAY 2ND

Mansfield 10:30am

50tgt Skeet C/ship
20tgt Tower C/D

Numurkah Shepparton 11.00 am

20tgt Tower P/S Keith Perry Mem C/ship
80tgt Medley, 20 D/B, 20 S/B,
20 P/S, 20 D/B Cont.
OA High Gun

SUNDAY 9TH

Echuca 11:00am

Rich River Classic
25tgt D/B
25tgt P/S
25tgt S/B
25tgt H/cap

Euroa 11.00 am

20tgt D/B Gr Gift, 20tgt S/B Gr Gift,
20tgt P/S Gr Gift
25tgt NEZ D/B Tower C/ship
High Gun over program

Yarrowonga 11.00 am

30tgt Cont
50tgt D/B C/ship

SATURDAY 15TH

Bendigo 10.00am

75tgt S/C C/ship
2nd Leg of Mountain Duck Trophy

Wangaratta 12noon

100tgt DTL

SUNDAY 16TH

Mansfield 10.30 am

10tgt P/S C/D
50tgt P/S C/ship
50tgt B/T C/ship
Kyneton 11:00am
30tgt P/S C/ship
30tgt S/B C/ship
30tgt D/B C/ship
O/A program Medley Shield

FRIDAY 21ST

Cosgrove 7:00pm

20tgt Twilight D/B Gr C/D
20tgt Twilight P/S C/ship, 4 gr, 1&2
50tgt State Night S/B C/ship, 4 gr, 1&2

SUNDAY 23RD

Colbinabbin 11.00 am

20tgt P/S C/D
25tgt S/B C/ship
25tgt D/B C/ship
20tgt H/Cap

TUESDAY 25TH

Zone Delegates meeting
Terminus Hotel Shepparton 7:30pm

FRIDAY 28TH

Mathoura 7.00 pm

20tgt Night P/S Cont. C/ship, OA, 3 gr
50tgt State Night P/S Cont. C/ship, OA, 3 gr

SATURDAY 29TH

St. James 12:00noon

Murphy Memorial
Wilson Memorial

SUNDAY 30TH

Cosgrove 11:30am

100tgt P/S C/ship, OA, 4 gr, 1-3



QUEENSLAND

Atherton 28/08/2022

Windy, drizzly, challenging (28): 30T DB CD: AA: L Groat (V) 30/30, B Sanderson 29/30, J Smaniotto 29/30; A: B Lansdown (V) 30/30, S Harper 28/30, J Zappala 28/30; B: A Poggioli (V) 29/30; G Braid 29/30; C: J Collins (V) 28/30, A Millwood (V) 25/30; 45T MXD: AA: L Groat (V) 97/100, A Lemphers 94/100, B Sanderson 71/75; A: M Costa (V) 70/75, S Rosendahl 91/100, M Stella 84/100; B: P Luppi (V) 92/100, J Stella (V) 91/100, G Braid 67/75; C: A Millwood (V) 69/75, R Draper (V) 68/75, J Collins (V) 65/75; 30T PS: AA: L Groat (V) 90/90, J Smaniotto 89/90; A: S Rosendahl 88/90, F Scammello 84/90; B: J Stella (V) 80/90, P Luppi (V) 73/90; C: J Collins 76/90, B Price 72/90; 30T HC: OPEN: 1st R Draper (V) 45/47, 2nd G Braid 44/47, 3rd L Groat 39/42.

Bralandean 21/08/2022

(35): 50T DB: AA: G Costanzo 62/63, J Castellino 61/63; A: A Nolan 50/50, F Musumeci 49/50; B: R Esposito 54/55, G Southey 53/55; C: S Favaro 46/50, L Hannant 45/50; 50T CONT: AA: C Favaro 73/73, G Costanzo 72/73; A: T Rogers 50/50, A Nolan 48/50; B: R Delbridge 50/50, G Southey 49/52; C: L Hannant 64/69, S Favaro 63/69; HG: OAT Rogers 114/115.

Brisbane 31/07/2022

Great for shooting (21): Iron Man 25T DB, 25T CONT, 25T Trench, 25T SKT, 13Pr Trench: OA: M Lynch, G Graham 111/126; AA: D Smith 108/126, J Castellino 105/126; A: G Buchanan 109/126, S Hook, D McDonald 108/126; B: B McKechnie 102/126, G Pincham 95/126; C: J McKendrick 92/126.

Brisbane 10/08/2022

Fine and a little cool (44): 50 T Medley: AA: A Incani, M Pain 100/100; A: M Voutounos 99/100, P Freeleagus 97/100; B: F Robinson 97/100, S Patrick 96/100; C: R McHugh 86/100, R Andersen 80/100; 25T SEZ SB Night CS: OA: G Langridge 25/25; AA: D Smith 29/30, C Koutsakis 28/30; A: P Strange 23/25, S Cannizzaro 31/34; B: J Langridge 24/25, L Minnis 24/26; C: A Sheridan 20/25, K Kopitke 18/25.

Brisbane 31/08/2022

Fine (29): 40 Pr D/R Blue Moon:

OA: Joe Castellino 69/80; AA: A Incani 61/80; A: R Esposito 68/80, Shayan Shariati Rad 68/82; B: B Geale 60/80, S Cannizzaro, M Le Mura 58/81; C: M Voutounos 58/80, J Shand 59/82.

Bundaberg 06/08/2022

Wet Saturday, fine Sunday (50): 20T DB CD: AA: P Rehbein & D Large 20/20; A: T Burke & M Mengel 19/20; B: A McPherson & B Fisher 19/20; C: N Trost, T Gardner, C Codrington, G Watson, B Otto, J Riggs 18/20; 30T DB HC: 1st J Winters 29/30, 2nd R Jones 29/30, 3rd T Harker 28/30, 4th N Trost 28/30; 30T SB CS: OA: R Jones 29/30; AA: D Large 28/30, J Castellino 26/30; A: I Wynyard 27/30, D Richardson 26/30; B: F Robinson 27/30, N Berry 26/30; C: B Otto 27/30, M Zipf 26/30; 30T DB CS: OA: A McPherson 30/30; AA: D Large 30/30, P Rehbein 29/30; A: W Durre 30/30; B: B Charteris 29/30m N Berry 29/30; C: R Howie 29/30, B Otto 28/30; LAD: E Guy 27/30, S Raleigh 27/30, T Harker 27/30; VET: M Mengel 29/30; S/VET: P Lynch 27/30; 30T MED: OA: J Castellino 49/50; AA: P Grove 48/50, R Rehbein 47/50; A: T Burke 47/50, G Nuske 45/50; B: A McPherson 47/50, I Boycon 47/50; C: S Ross 46/50, K Charteris 46/50; 30T DB PS CS: OA: J Castellino 86/90; AA: P Lynch 85/90, D Large 85/90; A: R Jones 86/90, M Welke 85/90; B: Brod Charteris 86/90, N Berry 84/90; C: R Howie 86/90, S Ross 81/90; LAD: T Harker 83/90, J Charteris 80/90, C Codrington 78/90; VET: D Richardson 83/90; S/VET: A McPherson 80/90; 30T DB CONT CS: OA: G Mathews 30/30; AA: M Lynch 29/30, P Lynch 29/30; A: I Wynyard 30/30, W Durre 29/30; B: Brod Charteris 27/30, B Fisher 27/30; C: S Ross 26/30, J Riggs 25/30; HG: OA: D Large 265/280; AA: P Rehbein 260/280; A: R Jones 260/280; B: A McPherson 253/280; C: S Ross 247/280; LAD: T Harker 243/280; VET: I Wynyard 251/280; S/VET: N Berry 248/280.

Caboolture 04/09/2022

Windy, cloudy, breaks of some sun (42): 25T DB CD: AA: J Castellino, C Koutsakis, A Incani, R Chounding, K Jarick 25/25; A: M Chounding, M Mengel 24/25, G McClymont, P Freeleagus, J Harris, M Eagle, T Burke, F Mills 23/25; B: G Keegan, N Dalton

25/24, B Brown, R Esposito 24/25; C: T Walden 23/25, G Wason, J Harris 22/25; 25T DB: AA: J Castellino 57/58, A Incani 56/58; A: G McClymont 25/25, P Freeleagus 30/31; B: B Brown 28/29, G Pincham 27/29; C: G Watson 24/28, T Walden 23/28; 25T SB: AA: S Harker 24/25, K Jarick 23/25; A: G Southey 27/30, M Chounding 26/30; B: N Dalton 25/28, B Brown 24/28; C: J Robinson 19/25, J Harris 18/26; 45T CONT Medley: AA: K Jarick 71/75, S Harker 65/75; A: M Chounding 73/75, T Burke 70/75; B: D Reeves 93/100, R Esposito 92/100; C: T Walden 67/75, D Trotter 63/75; HG: Open: K Jarick 142/150; AA: J Castellino 134/150; A: M Chounding 141/150; B: R Esposito 134/150; C: T Walsden 127/150; VET: G McClymont 135/150

Gold Coast 12/08/2022

(60) 50T Night DB CD: AA: G Langridge 50/50, A Incani 50/50; A: B Wiseman 50/50, N Ham 49/50, E Guy 49/50, S Cannizzaro 49/50, S Weeden 49/50; B: R Delbridge 49/50, T Morony 47/50, J Langridge 47/50, B Buncic 47/50, M Le Mura 47/50, G Pincham 47/50, B Barden 47/50; C: R McHugh 47/50, H Roach 47/50; 25T SEZ Night DB CS: OA: J Castellino 93/93; AA: D Smith 92/93, C Witt 86/87; A: A Herron 67/68, M Wooding 60/61; B: P Triantafillou 45/46, J Tait 24/25; C: S Lutter 26/27, R McHugh 25/27; JNR: R Chounding 24/25; LAD: E Guy 31/32; VET: N Ham 26/27.

Gold Coast 13/08/2022

Wet one day perfect the next (93): 30T Medley CD: AA: T Day, A Incani, J Hitchens, P Hill 50/50; A: D Smith 50/50, P Sorby, P Fiorenza, C Diaz, R Moody 49/50; B: J Langridge 50/50, S Kleinschmidt 49/50; C: N Pengelly, D Barletta 44/50; 30T Pacific Coast HC: 1st: C Diaz 32/33, 2nd: J Langridge 31/33, 3rd: M Lawson 29/31, 4th: G Carew 50/52, 5th: A Incani 49/52; 50T DB Pacific Coast CS (JM Bauman Gold Cup): OA: J Langridge 107/107; AA: T Day 91/92, G Battiato 69/70; A: E Guy 106/107, N Ham 69/70; B: T Morony 49/50, F Robinson 59/61; C: E Snelling 50/53, N Pengelly 49/53; JNR: R Chounding 51/52; LAD: M Welke 49/50; VET: C Witt 49/50; 25T DB PS CS: OA: A Martin 84/84; AA: C Witt 92/93, J Hitchens 91/93; A: R McFadyen 77/78, E Guy 76/78; B: A Struhs 73/75, P Creagh 78/81; C: D Barletta 70/75, N Pengelly 65/75; JNR: A Hyde 73/75; LAD: J Shand 71/75; VET: J Porter 115/117; 25T SB Pacific Coast CS (Lee Hogarth Silver Cup): OA: P Strange 30/30; AA: G Langridge

29/30, T Day 42/43; A: N Ham 24/25, D Smith 33/35; B: A Struhs 26/27, G Carew 29/31; C: H Van De Langenberg 24/25, N Pengelly 22/25; JNR: A Hyde 23/2; LAD: M Welke 23/25; VET: C Witt 24/25; 50T DB CONT CS: OA: P Naude 63/63; AA: C Witt 73/74, T Day 72/74; A: L Anderson 63/64, S Weeden 63/65; B: T Morony 48/50, G Carew 47/50; C: H Van De Langenberg 45/50, D Barletta 49/55; JNR: A Hyde 47/50; LAD: E Guy 48/50; VET: P Hill 62/63; HG OA: C Diaz 284/294; AA: J Hitchens 283/294; A: A Martin 267/280; B: J Langridge 287/308; C: N Pengelly 244/280; JNR: R Chounding 265/280; LAD: E Guy 261/280; VET: P Hill 270/280.

Kingaroy 07/08/2022

Fine, Cool (24): 25T DB: AA: P Moloney 24/25; A: G Kocho 25/25; B: B Zelinski 33/35; C: D Reay 22/25; 25T SB: AA: C Brown 24/25; A: R Ridder 25/25; B: J Tully 30/33; C: R Brittain 21/25; 50T CONT: AA: C Brown 78/79; A: G Brown 48/50; B: P Powne 49/50; C: D Reay 46/50; HG: AA: C Brown 96/100; A: R Ridder 95/100; B: A Haig 91/100; C: D Reay 86/100.

Kingaroy 04/09/2022

Cloudy, Fine (20): 100T DB: OA: P Powne 100/100; AA: W Durre 90/100, A Thorp 85/100; A: G Nuske 96/100, C Gurski 93/100, S McCullough 91/100; B: G Carew 96/100, A Oakford 95/100, D Reay 91/100; C: L Bruckhurst 96/106, R Brittain 95/106, C Shaw 86/100.

Port Denison 28/08/2022

Sunny with very strong wind (29): 25T DB Sweepstakes: AA: J Rossato 25/25, A Zarb 24/25, D Diaz 23/25; A: T Robinson 25/25, B Gall, G McHenry, C Edgerton 24/25; B: D Rossato 25/25, A Vassalini 24/25, J Cerqui 23/25; C: T Bartlett, E Farry 21/25, R Zarb, S Ward 20/25; 25T SB Sweepstakes: AA: D Diaz 25/25, A Zarb 24/25, J Rossato 23/25; A: B Farry 23/25, B Gall, G McHenry 22/25; B: D Rossato 23/25, D Bartlett, G Dalton 22/25; C: T Bartlett 17/25, B Bonanno, R Ness 16/25; 25T P/S Sweepstakes: AA: J Rossato 75/75, A Zarb 74/75, D Diaz 65/75; A: G Maltby 73/75, C Edgerton 72/75, G McHenry 69/75; B: D Rossato, J Cerqui, G Dalton 69/75; C: B Bonanno 64/75, P Scott 63/75, P LeBlowitz 62/75; 25T HC: 1st P Scott 24/25, 2nd G McHenry 26/28, 3rd A Zarb 25/28; OA Trophy: AA: A Zarb 145/150; A: G McHenry 138/150; B: D Rossato 138/150; C: R Zarb 117/150; JNR: M Rossato 114/150; LAD: A Vassalini 126/150; VET: B Gall 134/150.

Texas 28/08/2022

Fine (25): 25T PS: AA: R Bartley 74/75, R Waugh & J Sipple 72/75;



Atherton Tableland Gun Club Inc.

2022 ANNUAL TRAP CARNIVAL

Rifle Range Road, Atherton, Queensland

Friday 21st October to Sunday 23rd October

Friday 21st October Practice from 1pm

Saturday 22nd October 9:00am Start

Event 1 - 30 Target Double Barrel Cash Divide

Event 2 - 30 Target Medley 1st/2nd

Event 3 - 30 Target Single Barrel 1st/2nd

Event 4 - 50 Target Double Barrel 1st/2nd/3rd

Sunday 23rd October 8:30am Start

Event 5 - 50 Target Mario Raccanello

Memorial Continental Points Score 1st/2nd/3rd

Event 6 - 30 Target Handicap 1st/2nd/3rd/4th/5th

High Gun over all events -

Overall, AA, A, B, C, Ladies, Junior, Veteran

- On-site camping with power/water/hot showers
 - Friday night BBQ
- Cooked breakfast available Saturday and Sunday
 - Fabulous smoko all weekend
 - Roast dinner Saturday night – all welcome

***Old-fashioned country hospitality on the
beautiful Atherton Tablelands***

The Committee reserves the right to alter the program without notice

For further information:

ATGC President Scott Harper 0400 406510 or
Secretary Rowena Draper 0447 600477



South East Zone QCTA TRAP CARNIVAL



Hosted by the

Gold Coast Clay Target Club

28th, 29th & 30th October 2022

Friday 3:00pm Start

25 Pair SE Zone D/Rise Championship \$40

Sash O/A, 1st & 2nd each grade, L, J, V.

**** Not Included in High Gun ****

Saturday 9:00am Start

EVENT 1. 30 Target Medley 10DB-10SB-10PS \$30

Cash Divide

EVENT 2. 25 Target SE Zone S/B Championship \$30

Sash O/A, 1st & 2nd each grade, L, J, V.

EVENT 3. 50 Target SE Zone D/B Championship \$50

Sash O/A, 1st & 2nd each grade, L, J, V.

Sunday 8:30am Start

EVENT 4. 50 Target SE Zone Points Championship \$50

Sash O/A, 1st & 2nd each grade, L, J, V.

EVENT 5. 50 Target Handicap \$50

Sash and Cash Prizes 1st to 5th

Discount nominations if nominating MCMS events 1 to 5

Open \$190, Ladies/Vets \$180, Juniors \$140

Discounted Nominations must be received via MCMS before 12pm 26/10/22.

Nominations after 12pm 26/10/22 will be at full price with no squad requests and shooters placed in gaps.

Squad waves will rotate on Sunday.

Having trouble nominating MCMS Email: sectreary@sezqcta.com.au

HIGH GUNS

Overall, Grades, Ladies, Juniors & Veterans

****** High Gun on Events 1 to 5 ******

****** South East Zone Teams selected on events 2, 3 & 4 ******

Meadow's Shield Shot on Event 4 - 50 T Points Score

President: Gerard Battiato 0417607895

Secretary: Greg Nuske 0428717747

The SEZ Committee reserves the right to alter the program if required



GYMPIE CLAY TARGET CLUB 2-DAY SHOOT

8TH & 9TH OCTOBER 2022

Saturday 9am

Event 1:	DB SWEEPSTAKES	25T	Graded Cash Divide	\$ 20
Event 2:	SEZ DAY HANDICAP	50T	1 st 2 nd 3 rd 4 th 5 th \$1500 + Sash	\$ 35
Sponsored by: Connection Auto, Pomona Auto Electrics, GCTC				
Event 3	SULLIVAN LIVESTOCK	50T DB Championship		\$ 40
	Sash & Cash \$1500		O/A AA A B C L J V	

Sunday 9am

Event 4	SEZ DAY CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS	45T		\$ 45
	Sash		O/A AA A B C (1 st & 2 nd)	
Event 5	ARB GYMPIE / NOOSA PLASTERERS	30T Points C'ship		\$ 30
	Sash & Prizes \$1500		O/A AA A B C (1 st & 2 nd)	
Event 6	HAYMANS ELECTRICAL	15PR DR CHAMPIONSHIP		\$ 20
	Sash & Cash \$1500		O/A AA A B C (1 st & 2 nd)	

Total Nominations \$190

Pre-Nominations MCMS Full Program:

- L V 2nd Family Member \$155
- Junior \$115
- Open \$165

Practice from 2pm Friday 7th October

4 Layouts
Laporte Traps
White Flyer
Targets

Dinner Saturday
Night
Breakfast
Sunday

ACCOMMODATION: Camping on Grounds (some powered sites)
Verandah Motel (07) 5402 3204
Other accommodation available in Gympie

OTHER SPONSORS: Noosa Shooters Supplies
And



President: David Rodger 0427 120 359

Secretary: Greg Nuske 0428 717 747



60L Engel Fridge IF
Full program shot clean
OR
503T DB break

The Committee reserves the right to alter the program and will adhere to Covid-19 guidelines



40th AUSTRALASIAN POLICE & SERVICES NATIONAL CLAY TARGET CHAMPIONSHIPS



Hosted by Queensland Police Clay Target Club Inc
To be held at the

Toowoomba Clay Target Club

10648 Warrego Hwy, Charlton, Qld 4350

OPEN TO ALL SHOOTERS

Thursday 10th to Sunday 13th November 2022

Thursday 10th November – 11.00am Start

(Practice available from 9.00am)

Event 1: 50 Target Skeet Championship

Friday 11th November – 9.30am Start

Event 2: 50 Target DTL Handicap

Event 3: 50 Target Points Score Championship

Saturday 12th November – 9.30am Start

Event 4: 50 Target Single Barrel Championship

Event 5: 50 Target Double Barrel Championship

Sunday 13th November – 9.30am Start

Event 6: 75 Target Champion of Champions – 18m

Nominations: \$35 each for events 1-5, \$45 for event 6

Total noms: \$220; Ladies & Veterans \$200

FREE NOMINATIONS FOR JUNIOR SHOOTERS

Pre-nominations available through MCMS from 12th October 2022

Police & Civilian sections in all events

**Events 1, 3, 4, 5, 6 – Overall, 1st & 2nd in Grades Event 2 – 1st to 5th
Woodhatch Trophy (Police and Services only) over all events**

Camping and powered caravan sites available on grounds (\$10 per night powered sites)

Food, bar and ammo available at club.

**QPCTC thanks sponsors including: Winchester Australia, NIOA,
Beretta Australia, Kat Concrete Pumping, Optimum Consulting,
FSB Ammunitions, On Target Sporting Arms**

For further information contact Don Mabbutt 0432 223 796
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TOOWOOMBA CLAY TARGET CLUB



"Mad Hatter" Skeet Doubles

"White Flyer" Pitch All Black Targets

22nd & 23rd October 2022

Saturday 22nd - 9.00am start

Event 1 - **\$60**
100 Targets Doubles – Cash Divide
Shot in 2 visits

Event 2 - **\$60**
100 Targets Doubles – Cash Divide
Shot in 2 visits

Sunday 23rd - 9.00 am Start

Event 3 - **\$60**
100 Targets Doubles – Cash Divide
Shot in 2 visits

High Guns -

Overall – Sash & Prize, Grades – Medallion & Prizes

Nominations -

Open - \$180, Ladies, Veteran – \$160, Junior – Free

Lunch -

Saturday and Sunday, Breakfast Sunday

Powered sites - \$10 per night

Practice - \$10 per round - Practice from 1 pm Friday 1pm.

Management reserves the right to change the Program.

A: J Allen 74/75, P Westbury 73/75; B: H Johnson 72/75, J Kennedy 71/75; C: M Lang 62/75, S Heffer 61/75; 90T Medley: OA: J Sipple 157/160; AA: R Bartley 141/150, R Waugh 140/150, J Bartley 138/150; A: M Johnson

144/150, J Finlay 141/150, J Allen 139/150; B: J Kennedy 155/160, S Coventry 136/150, H Johnson 138/160; C: H Finch 121/150, S Heffer 119/150, M Lang 104/150; OA HG: J Sipple 219/225.



SOUTH AUSTRALIA

Broken Hill 13/08/2022

Cold & Windy 16 (14): 25T SKT A: D Nicholls 28/29, R Jones 24/29; B: P McLauchlan 19/25; C: P Smith 23/25, B Gilby 24/29; 25T SB: A: D Nicholls 26/27, J Nicholls 25/27; B: M Barker 22/25, M Dally 29/33; C: H Mashford 17/27, C: P Smith 16/27; 25T DB CONT CS: OA: D Nicholls 39/39, R Jones 38/39; A: B Gilby 24/25, P McLauchlan 21/25; B: W Channing 25/27, M Barker 24/27; C: L Gray 23/25, P Smith 21/25; 10Pr D/R: A: B Grossi 18/21, D Nicholls 17/21; B: D Peters 17/20, M Dally 15/20; C: P Smith 15/20, B Carroll 13/20; OA HG: D Nicholls 90/95.

Lower North 14/8/2022

Partly sunny, cold (21): 50T PS: AA: M Collumb 147/150, J Tapscott 146/150; A: Z Drowing 141/150, R Cook 140/150; B: G Carter 131/150, M Pontifex 127/150; C: P Baldock 132/150, R Spinella 127/150; 50T DB CS: OA: L Smith 51/51; AA: M Collumb 49/50, B Duncan 73/75; A: R Cook 50/51, R Rossi 49/50; B: P Marmorale 48/50, M Pontifex 47/50; C: T Haggerty 44/50, R Spinella 40/50; 20 Pr CZ DD CS: 1st T Carlesso & J Hawker 21/22, 2nd B & B Duncan 20/22; VET HG: R Cook 190/200; OA HG: M Collumb 196/200.

Monarto 14/08/2022

Cold, breezy and sunny (17): 50T PS: Mules Memorial: OA: R Clark 148/150; AA: R Clark 148/150; B: S Rogers 135/150, K Prescott 132/150; C: A Souter 131/150, P Dunn 126/150; VET: M Sutton 124/150; LAD: D Loughhead 97/150; 50T DB: Mules Memorial: AA: R Clark 50/50; B: K Prescott 50/50, A Dunn 48/50; C: M Sutton 44/50, E Gunby 44/51; VET: G Foster 43/50; LAD: D Loughhead 39/50; 25T BT: A: W Daou 24/25, R Clark 23/25; B: A Dunn 21/25, K Prescott 20/25; C: N Crowe 20/29, A Souter 19/29; VET: P Dunn 13/25; OA HG: R Clark 221/225.

Mount Gambier 13/08/2022

Fine (41): 25T B/T: AA: A Hoare

24/25, J Kent 23/25; OA & A: G Height 29/30, D Beyer 28/30; B: W Wombwell 24/25, T Clark 23/27; C: G Blok 20/25, M Copping 20/26; 25T DB: AA: W Hawker 98/98, J Dunn 97/98; A: R Gilcrist 27/27, A Hoare 26/27; B: M Rudd 24/25, J McKinnon 23/25; C: D Blok 23/25, W Wombwell 26/29; 25Pr D/R: AA: J Kent 41/50; OA & A: D Pratt 44/50, J Dunn 52/60; B: W Hawker 42/50, T Clark 47/60; C: W Wombwell 41/50, N Dunn 31/50; HG: D Pratt 104/116.

Southern 30/07/2022

(21): 25T HC: 1st L Higgins 24/25, 2nd R Umback 34/26, 3rd C Botha 33/36; 80T Mxd: AA: L Higgins 118/120, R Schubert 109/120; A: R Smeda 120/130, M Grundy 116/130; B: K Prescott 112/120, R Umback 115/130; C: M Sutton 98/120, D Robinson 97/120; HG: L Higgins 142/145.

Southern Yorke Peninsula 28/08/2022

Sunny light winds (14): 15T PS CD E/O: A Winen, S Bowley 45/45; 50T DB Gr: AA/A: R Damin 48/50, A Winen 44/50; B: S Bowley 45/50, M Bulger 44/50; C: B Grennshields 43/50, S Haggerty 41/50; 20PR DR Gr: AA/A: A Winen 30/40, R Damin 23/40; B: T Johnson 28/40, M Bulger 25/40; C: S Haggerty 27/40, T Haggerty 31/60; OA HG: A Winen 119/135.

Wilkawatt 14/08/2022

Overcast (16) (18): 50T SKT D: A & OA: M Raper 47/50, D McPherson 42/50; B: A Lock 44/50, M Batten 43/50; C: D Beelitz 40/50, K Pfeiffer 34/50; EZ 40T MXD: AA: L Batten 56/60, A Lock 55/60; OA & A: M Raper 59/60, B Peter 51/60; B: V Batten 56/60; R Wheaton 53/60; C: A Ellman-Brown 47/60, L Decandia 46/60; 15 PR DR: AA: L Batten 25/30, M Raper 24/30; A & OA: A Lock 26/30, M Batten 22/30; B: B Peter 21/30, D McPherson 20/30; C: L Decandia 23/30, T Wilton 27/40; HG: OA: M Raper 130/140; LAD: D McPherson 114/140; JNR: V Batten 102/140; VET: D Beelitz 114/140.



TASMANIA

Cressy 07/08/2022

Fine and cold (61): 50T PS: AA: D Freeman 150/150; A: J Murphy 146/150; B: A Phillips 142/150; C: D Pedder 135/151; 50T Pitsch Family HC: 1st: J McBain 49/50; 2nd: J Rose 48/50; 3rd A Pitsch & G Adkins 47/50.

Hobart 28/08/2022

Fine and Sunny (30): 25 T DB: AA: S Browning & C Kenny 25/25; A: B Lane & M White 24/25; B:

P Gourlay 25/25; C: P Sandman 22/25; 25T SB: AA: C Kenny 25/25; A: B Callaghan & B Lane 23/25; B: B Adkins 23/25; C: P Spaulding 22/25; 25T PS: AA: C Kenny 75/75; A: K Chapman 74/75; B: B Adkins 67/75; C: G Tarrant 68/75; 25T B/T: AA: B Smith & S Browning 22/25; A: R Blake & C Kenny 22/25; B: M White 22/25; C: B Adkins 22/25.

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Remembering a Club Stalwart Alan Mason Memorial Shoot

One of Bendigo Clay Target Club's most prestigious shoots is the Alan Mason Memorial. Alan was a valued member of the Club for many years and his generosity was unsurpassed.

Anyone who has visited Bendigo will note that the front of the Clubhouse is all window so that all can view the shooters competing. The entire windowed front was sourced and donated by Alan. In the early 1980's Bendigo decided to start manufacturing their own clay targets from recycled clays. It was soon decided that the negatives of this enterprise outweighed the positives, a for sale notice was placed in the CTSN and a buyer in Western Australia. How do we get the machine to WA? Alan stated he could possibly organise that – machine packaged and it was soon off to WA where it arrived without damage or problems. I am certain that we are still waiting for the transport account.

Alan was well known around Central Victorian clubs with his unique stance, his L Grade

Browning and to say he let targets get out a little before pulling the trigger is an understatement. Alan would almost invariably visit gunsmith and close friend, Norm Scott, after a shoot requesting Norm raise his stock as he believed it to be too low. This would be done and at the next shoot, Alan would just push the stock lower on his shoulder.

The day was not good weatherwise with strong southerly winds and showers from time to time. The conditions tended to pose trouble for the setting of targets, however in the words of wisdom – they are the same for everyone.

The first event of the day was the Double Rise and there is no doubt it was a challenge for all. Overall and A went to Damien Hutchins (Frankston) on 27/40, the AA winner was Stewart Forbes (Maryborough) with 33/50. B grade Ken Balcombe (Morwell) (27/50) and C grade to Oliver Boucher (Bendigo) scoring 25/40.

It was then to the Alan Mason Memorial sponsored by the Mason Estate and try as they

may, 1 shooter only scored 50/50, Tim Knight (Bendigo). Well done Tim. Tim's name will appear on the magnificent gold cup along with Uncles, Leigh Knight and Robert Ross. The winner of AA was Tim's cousin, Darren Knight (Bendigo) scoring 49/50 – it was getting to be an all Knight affair! B Grade saw a win for Syd Anstee (Bendigo) on 48/52 and the C grade winner was



Double Rise winners. C Grade Oliver Boucher, Ken Balcombe, Overall Damien Hutchins

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Above: Double Barrel winners C Grade Harrison O'Connor, B Grade Syd Anstee, AA Grade Darren Knight

Left: Overall Double Barrel winner Tim Knight, Bendigo President, Robert Ross



Points Score winners. AA Grade Darren Knight, B Grade Ken Balcombe, Overall Terry O'Connor, C Grade Liam Marsh

Harrison O'Connor (Loddon District), with his new gun, scoring an impressive 54/59 in the adverse conditions.

On to the 25 target Points Score and a score of 73/75 enabled Terry O'Connor (Loddon District) to score his first Overall and A win at Bendigo. Darren Knight was the AA winner on 70/75, B Grade was taken out by Ken Balcombe (Morwell) scoring 68/75 with C Grade going to Liam Marsh (Bendigo) shooting 65/75.

The Overall High Gun was won by Tim Knight with a score of 146/165.

Left: Robert Ross, Overall High Gun Tim Knight, Brian Taylor



VCTA – Winchester Australia School Students’ Final

The VCTA State School Students final, held on Monday 5th September, is the culmination of the VCTA’s School Student’s program held throughout the month of August.

Each of the four Zones sent twelve individual students, their respective Overall winners and a school team of five that had qualified at Zone finals.

The day saw exceptional weather conditions prevail and with the State Grounds at Echuca were looking a picture and the day promised some excellent clay target competition.

This was the first year that the event had run since 2019 with the outbreak of Covid cancelling the events in 2020 and 2021. With the generous



Rory Bigmore and James Wood



Olympic Gold Medallist Russell Mark with Overall winner, James Wood

sponsorship of Winchester Australia, 59 students made their way to Echuca to compete in this final event.

The competition was a 30 target single barrel event shot in two fifteen target rounds.

Students competed in one of four divisions; Senior Boys, Junior Boys, Senior Girls and Junior Girls and some exceptionally good scores were achieved on the day.

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Aimee Norris and Chelsea Beechey



Junior Girls

L-R: Mia Ponting 2nd, Sara Melrose 1st, Rebecca Hayes 3rd



Sierra Mark on target



Junior Boys

L-R: Jack Bateson 2nd, Dion Flanagan 1st, Archie Doyle 3rd



Jeff Bell, VCTA State Secretary

The Junior Girl Division was won by Sara Melrose (Bairnsdale Secondary College) 22/30. A shoot-off for 2nd and 3rd saw Mia Ponting take the silver medal with 24/35 and Rebecca Hayes third with 23/35.

In the Junior Boys Division, Dion Flanagan (St Arnaud Secondary College) won after a shoot-off with a score of 32/35. In the minor placings we saw Jack Bateson (Bairnsdale Secondary College) 27/39 edge out Archie Doyle 26/30.

Senior Girls was won by Bianca Norris who shot a 28/30. Another shoot off saw second go to Elizabeth Diprose (Hamilton College) 36/40 and Sierra Mark came third with a score of 35/40.

The Senior Boys event was a very hotly contested

affair with two boys, James Wood and Rory Bigmore, both shooting perfect 30/30. In the shoot-off, James Wood (Emmanuel College) prevailed with a total score of 39/40. This gave James the overall winner's championship sash. The Senior Boy title went to Rory Bigmore (St Arnaud Secondary College) 38/40 and then there was a four way shoot-off for 2nd and 3rd. Second place went to Tom Clark (Monivae College) 39/40 and third to Ollie Zielezna (Peninsula Grammar) 62/65 after a lengthy shoot off with Nate Palubiski and Fraser Diprose.



*Russell Mark with Senior Girls
L-R: Elizabeth Diprose 2nd, Bianca Norris 1st, Sierra Mark 3rd*



*Senior Boys
L-R: Tom Clark 2nd, Rory Bigmore 1st, Ollie Zielezna 3rd*

James's name will now be added to the Lyn Barr Perpetual Trophy.

The winning school team was the South-East Zone team represented by Lilydale Secondary College. Ben De Pedro 29/30, Caleb Thompson 24/30, Dylan Naylor 26/30, Riley Hughes-Gage 23/30 and Nathan Rogers 21/30 gave their school a total team score of 123/150.

It was a very special series of presentations with the assistance of Olympic Gold Medallist and Australian Hall of Famer, Russell Mark, who willingly gave up his time to make the presentations to the winning students and be part of the photos taken by very enthusiastic parents and friends.

Many thanks to all of those who assisted with making the event such a success. From the parents and teachers who transported and supported the students, to the volunteers who helped with refereeing and scoring.

Thanks, also, to the volunteers from the

North-East Zone who put on a sausage sizzle and helped cater for everyone in attendance.

Thanks to the members of the VCTA Executive and the South-East Zone who administered the event from the members in the armoury, to those in the office and organising on the grounds. Special mention to the help of Gary Hayden and Garry Cassells with added thanks to Mick Hutchins and Damien Hutchins and Mark Coleman for running the office and MCMS.

These events can only be successfully run with the support of companies such as Winchester Australia. Their sponsorship across all four Zone qualifying finals, as well as the Championship event at Echuca, is greatly appreciated.

I look forward to seeing everyone at next year's final.

*Jeff Bell
VCTA State Secretary*

Photographs courtesy of Mark Zielezna

Winning Team – Lilydale Secondary College L-R: Riley Hughes-Gage, Dylan Naylor, Ben De Pedro, Caleb Thompson, Nathan Rogers



Matthew Stokes Wins Golden Clay Championship at Cobar

At the 45th Annual Golden Clay and NSW Junior Masters Championship and State Night Points Score Championship, shot in August 2022, Matthew Stokes won the coveted Overall Golden Clay Championship. Matt has been supporting this shoot for some years now. Congratulations to Matt, he has been a sterling competitor both at home, regionally, nationally and internationally, and is understandably honoured and over the moon about this achievement.

Again this year the Overall Golden Clay Trophy, sponsored by Peak Gold Mines, was a 9ct solid gold miniature clay. The sponsorship of gold for this trophy is particularly appropriate by Peak Gold Mines and reflects the Peak's continued support to sporting organisations and community events in Cobar. Cobar Club President, Mr Bryan Manns, presented Matt with this prestigious award. on behalf of the Peak Gold Mine. Matt's score was 281/285.

L-R: Peter McDonald, Benjamin De Pedro, Fletcher Richardson, Jack Milligan, Chloe Evans, Wayne Hawker, Matt Patmore, Matt Stokes & Glen Castellaro



The 45th annual event attracted an excellent crowd, and it is plain to see that Cobar Club is renowned for its hospitality. There were shooters from all parts of the country, including Victoria, South Australia, Queensland, and Northern Territory being well represented too. All travelled long distances for the event. The sport of clay target shooting encourages family involvement which was evident with many families seen during the weekend either as spectators or participants. Families from away, including the Turner family were seen, and Leanne in



Diana Barnes, Matt Stokes OA High Gun & Club President Bryan Manns

the kitchen. Similarly, the Schiller family threw themselves into the spirit, and not to be left out was Janene in the office running the program this year, a big thank you, and Betty was on babysitting duties this year. A big thank you to Carol also, who spent the entire weekend in the office,

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to oversee everything ran smoothly. Your knowledge is always valued and appreciated. There were other noticeable absentees from the weekend, but they had commitments elsewhere. Also, some familiar faces weren't seen due to illness and new babies.

All hands were on deck in the kitchen keeping everyone watered and well fed, with some mouth-watering, belly filling, hot meals for the cold nights and beautiful days. An excellent assortment of home cooked meals for dinner on Saturday night and scrumptious desserts were eagerly consumed by all, whilst the Calcutta auction simultaneously created extra excitement.

Friday night was the commencement of the weekend carnival with the sponsor being Cobar Shire Council. Starting the proceedings was the 50 target Night Points Score Championship on 15 metres being contested in fabulous shooting weather and night lights. I know some of our competitors thought it was great to not be shooting in cold weather, as per usual. However, 105 shooters stepped up with the following competitors being successful. 1st C Grade James O'Neill 136/150, with Jack Milligan 132/150 2nd. 1st B Grade Greg Brush 145/150 and 2nd Robert Barden 141/150. 1st A Grade Neil Ham 147/150, 2nd Andrew Estcourt 168/174. 1st AA

Grade Kim Nealon 233/234, 2nd Robert Thompson 232/234. Overall winner of the State Night Points Score Championship event was Matthew Stokes 150/150.

The skies were clear and very crisp on Saturday morning which brought out 149 shooters to commence Saturday and Sunday's Golden Clay and NSW Junior Masters program.

First event was 30 targets FWD Cobar Powerhouse Points Score Championship, with Peter McDonald Overall winner on 325/325. He had to fight for this one. 1st AA Grade Matty Patmore 324/325, then 2nd was Glen Castellaro 296/297. 1st A Grade Kevin Hatch 89/90, 2nd Andrew Estcourt 121/123. 1st B Grade Tony Gray 123/126, 2nd Darren Walker 101/105. 1st C Grade Jack Milligan 88/93, 2nd Mark Horsburgh 87/93. Junior Encouragement award went to Shannen Gallagher.

Event 2, 45 targets FWD CSA Mine Glencore Medley. Overall winner was Glenn Kable 150/150. 1st AA Grade with Matthew Stokes 149/150, and Kim Nealon 99/100 2nd. 1st A Grade Andrew Estcourt 74/75, and 2nd Phillip Headon 97/100. 1st B Grade Tony Gray 72/75, 2nd Sally Evans 120/125. 1st C Grade Kaylene Estcourt 67/75, 2nd



*Peter McDonald,
Overall Points Score*



Matt Stokes, Overall Night Points Score with Kym Miller



*Glenn Kable,
Medley Overall*



*Matt Stokes,
Overall Double Barrel*

Riley Horsburgh
113/125.

44 shooters had possible scores in the final event on Saturday which was the 30 target FWD SH Shooting Double Barrel Championship. Eventual Overall was Matthew Stokes 209/209, giving Fletcher Richardson 208/209 1st AA Grade and Andrew Fiek 2nd on 202/203. 1st A Grade Ray Welch 130/131, 2nd Rodney Anderson 104/105. 1st B

Grade Reyce Bodiam 91/92, 2nd Tony Gray 46/47. 1st C Grade James O'Neill 31/32, 2nd C Grade Peter Johnston 34/35. Junior Encouragement went to Drew Burton. The Schiller family sponsored special awards for Best Score by Lady won by Ash Richardson, Best Score by Veteran won by David Cacciappoli and Best Score by Junior won by Ben De Pedro.

61/62. 1st A Grade Kevin Hatch 55/56, 2nd Phillip Headon 48/49. 1st B Grade Robert Barden 39/40, 2nd Katherine Munn 32/33. 1st C Grade Christie Wheeler 33/34, 2nd Mark Horsburgh 32/34. Junior Encouragement went to Koby Brown.

Second event on Sunday was the 30 target Bryan's Empire Hotel Mafeesh Handicap, which is sponsored by the Hawkins Family in memory of Frosty Singleton who was instrumental in commencement of clay target shooting on Mafeesh Station in Cobar. This event carries a reward of the Mafeesh Cup with placings from 1st to 5th. Additional enthusiasm is generated throughout the weekend with a Calcutta being held in conjunction with this event. A total of 18 competitors shot a possible score, who were then required to participate in the shoot-off until the final placements were achieved. Junior grade competitor, Cameron Ford from Corowa, was the eventual winner with a score of 60/60. Congratulations Cameron. 2nd was Robert Barden 59/60, 3rd James O'Neill 57/58, and equal 4th was Thomas Sheridan 55/56 and Greg Harris 55/56. This event also had a special award, sponsored by the Schiller family, the Best 25 Metre Shooter, which was won by Brian Doyle 42/43.

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*Wayne Hawker,
Overall Single Barrel*

Sunday morning promised another beautiful day, but some competitors were reluctant to face the bright morning sunshine, because of a great night before!! Slowly, a 30 target Single Barrel Championship, sponsored by Epiroc, commenced with 12 shooters making possible, and Wayne Hawker emerged as Overall with 71/71. Adrian Depaoli 1st AA Grade 70/71, and 2nd Glen Castellaro



Mafeesh Handicap winner Cameron Ford with Wayde Hawkins



Mafeesh Handicap final 5. Thomas Sheridan, Robert Barden, Cameron Ford, James O'Neill & Greg Harris

The final event for the weekend was the 15 pair FWD LGB Marine & Contracting Double Rise Championship with Matty Patmore showing how it's done, on 60/60 for Overall winner. 1st AA Grade Rob Anderson 59/60, 2nd Andrew Fiek 49/50. 1st A Grade George Depaoli 29/30, 2nd Bryan Manns 29/30. 1st B Grade Benjamin

De Pedro 38/40, 2nd Brett Ford 37/40. 1st C Grade Jack Milligan 28/30, 2nd Ray Schiller 33/40.

Competition for the NSW Junior Masters Cups saw some close scores. Points Score Junior Masters, sponsored by J Bourke & Family, was



Matt Patmore, Overall Double Rise with Greg Bush



Chloe Evans, Junior Masters Points Score



*Fletcher Richardson, Junior Masters Champion of Champion
with Bryan Manns*



*Fletcher Richardson,
Junior Masters Double Barrel*

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*Matt Patmore,
AA Grade High Gun*



*Benjamin De Pedro,
A Grade High Gun*



*Trevor Harbor,
B Grade High Gun*



Jack Milligan,
C Grade High Gun



Fletcher Richardson,
Junior High Gun



Chloe Evans,
Ladies High Gun



Glen Castellaro,
Veteran High Gun

won by Chloe Evans 93/96. Double Barrel Junior Masters, sponsored by Broughton's Field Services, was won by Fletcher Richardson 208/209. Single Barrel Junior Masters, sponsored by K Grogan Transport, was won by Fletcher Richardson 29/30. The Junior Masters Champion

of Champions, sponsored by J & P Polack, was won by Fletcher Richardson 146/150. Well done Fletcher. Everyone needs to keep their eyes

on these juniors, as they are all exceptional ambassadors of our sport. High Gun winners for the weekend were Ladies sponsored by the Taylor Family. Chloe Evans 267/285; Veterans sponsored by GE & L Jones, Glen Castellaro 278/285; Juniors sponsored by the Nardi Family, Fletcher Richardson 267/285; C Grade sponsored by DTE Electrical Cobar, Jack Milligan 262/285; B Grade sponsored by JnB Industries, Trevor Harbor 268/285; A Grade sponsored by Green Range Pty Ltd, Benjamin De Pedro 273//285; AA Grade sponsored by M & C Parisi & Family, Matty Patmore 293/299. Overall High Gun sponsored by Peak Gold Mine, Matthew Stokes 281/285.

Cobar Clay Target Club would like to say thank you to all the shooters and their supporters for coming to Cobar, yet again, and supporting our annual event. We would also like to acknowledge our sponsors who have helped to contribute and support us to put on a wonderful event.

Everyone had a great weekend, with friendships renewed and mates catching up, doing a sport we all love, which is what makes it such a huge success.

Next year we hope to see you all again.

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Continental and Ball Trap at Bega

With members attending major events at Cowra and Griffith, a reduced field of sixteen shooters attended Bega Gun Club for the September shoot. On offer were two events of fifty targets continental and fifty targets ball trap. Weather was cloudy but dry with a slight breeze to make the targets just a little more interesting.

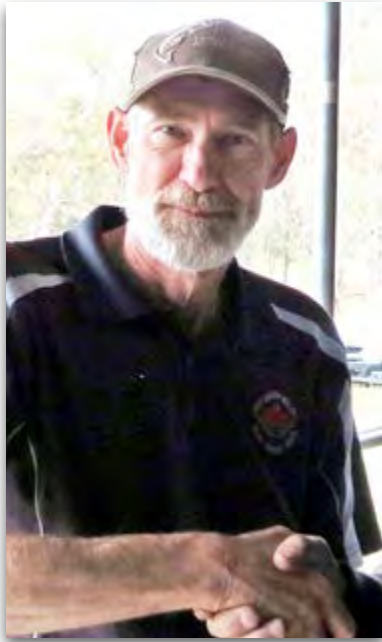
Event one, 50 targets Double Barrel, with 25 targets in each session at the traps, saw Phil Craig take out AA/A combined, with a score of 46/50 from Alf Niesar, second, with a score of 43/50. Just to reinforce that this is a young person's sport, our super vet member, 90+ John Seide, showed the way in B Grade, winning with a score of 46/50, which included a 24/25 in the second round. John was clean until the second last target. Runner-up, Bert Deacon, another "young" member, took a couple of extras for his 47/52 second place.



John Seide 1st B Grade D/B and Bert Deacon 2nd B D/B; 2nd B/T, over a century of shooting



Squad action – Alf Niesar, Keith Pearce, Mick Diss



*Alf Niesar
1st AA/A B/T; 2nd AA/A D/B*



Bert Deacon – 2nd B D/B; 2nd B/T with Keith Pearce

Brian Moffitt did the honours in C Grade with a score of 43/50. Allain Magri and John Walker took an extra nine targets to sort out second, John being successful with a 48/59.

Fifty targets of Ball Trap made up the second event – part of the club’s contribution to members’ reflex training. Alf Niesar and Phil Craig were so keen they took an extra nine targets to sort out AA/A grade, with Alf emerging winner 59/59 to Phil’s 58/59. Keith Pearce showed the way in B grade, winning with a score of 41/50. Bert Deacon followed up his event one effort with a 40/50 for second. In C Grade, George

Adamopoulos shot 39/50 to win first prize, whilst John Walker again needed extra targets to take second 42/56.

High Gun for the day went to Phil Craig with a score of 92/100 and George Adamopoulos generously took the meat tray in the shoot raffle and left treasurer, Allain with the momey.

October shoot will be a mixed event of 30 targets Double Barrel, 30 targets Points Score and 20 pair Double Rise. Should be a great day.

A reminder to members that the AGM will be held at the clubhouse on September 18th at 9.00am.



*Brian Moffitt
1st C Grade D/B*



*George Adamopoulos
1st C Grade B/T, raffle winner*



*Phil Craig displaying the form that won him
High Gun, 1st AA/A DB, 2nd AA/A Ball Trap*

SHOOT CALENDAR

2022

September 24–25	2 Day Central Victorian Grand Prix Supershoot	Maryborough Gun Club
November 10–13	VCTA State Trap Carnival	State Ground, Echuca 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

Break Badges

NAME	HOME CLUB	ACHIEVE	BREAK
Cox,B	Sydney	Sydney	Cont 50
Cummings,R	New South Wales	Sydney	Trap 150, 200
Dantonio,B	Werribee	Korumburra	Trap 75,100
Davis,B	Bairnsdale	Korumburra	Trap 50
Delbridge,R	Toowoomba	Ballandean	Cont 50
Dimeglio,T	The Forest	Sydney	Cont 50
Fairhead,H	Esperance	Esperance	Trap 50
Harris,D	Esperance	West Australian	Trap 50
Harrison,G	Peel & District	Peel & District	Trap 50
Henshall,J	Guyra	Inverell	Trap 100
Hickman,T	Cecil Park	Cecil Park	Skt 28g 50, 75
Kerkhoven,S	South Australian	South Australian	Skt 50,75
Kimber,A	Clermont	Gemfields	Trap 75

NAME	HOME CLUB	ACHIEVE	BREAK
Martin,W	Wonthaggi	Korumburra	Trap 50
Milligan,J	Parkes	Parkes	Trap 50
Muller,N	Toowoomba	Toowoomba	Trap 50
O'Hare,J	Alice Springs	Alice Springs	Trap 50
Shand,J	Brisbane	Brisbane	Trap 50
Shelton,N	Bathurst	Canowindra	Cont 75, 100
Tridgell,B	Melbourne	Melbourne	Trap 50
Veneziano,A	Korumburra	Korumburra	Trap 50,75, 100
Waters,D	Alice Springs	Alice Springs	Trap 50
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