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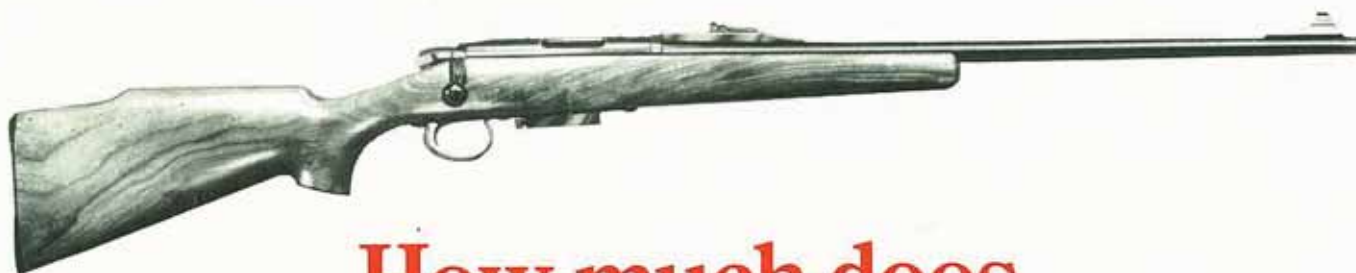
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Jim Finis (right) winner of the Australia Day Trench
Championship at A.C.T. International Gun Club is con-
gratulated by Club President Norman Simms. At rear is
Winchester Representative, Geoff Salmon. A report of this
match will appear in April C.T.S.N.

Contributions:

Club or shooter contributions are welcome, either
manuscript or photographs, or both. Preferred photos
are black and white glossy prints.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S NOTES

A long standing cry from within the ranks of the shooting sports has been that shooters receive insufficient publicity.

Well, the Queenslanders are really playing their part in reversing that trend.

Prior to Christmas, the Brisbane Gun Club committee successfully negotiated with a television station to have advertisements put to air Friday nights and Saturday mornings. In these commercials, clay target shooting is shown as a challenging recreation, then details of current club programs are put to air.

The project has been sponsored on a monthly basis by a number of commercial organizations. Its progress and results are being closely monitored by the Club committee.

In another successful venture, the Queensland Clay Target Association arranged for clay busting to be listed amongst the sports used for a large public display on the Gold Coast during Australia Day celebrations.

The success of this project can be measured by the fact that club teams competed before a crowd that grew at times to an estimated 7500. WOW! What a result!

Meanwhile, many of the Q.C.T.A. coaching personnel have reached a standard of training where they feel confident to undertake public speaking commitments.

As an example, Stafford Smith (Zone Coach for the South Eastern area of Queensland) recently addressed a meeting of the Hervey Bay Rotary Club, where the level of interest and attention was tremendous.

Then, in New South Wales, the Daily Mirror carried a leading article titled "MARKSMEN WHO AIM NOT TO KILL". It was a good piece of journalism directed at putting the positive side of clay target shooting.

Mr Leni Crema, President of Marconi Gun Club was widely quoted in the article, and is to be commended for the way in which he "led" the journo.

The real point to come out of these examples is that **every** clay buster, in almost every social or business situation, has the opportunity to promote his or her sport.

If only we could discipline ourselves to spend more time on this type of promotion, the less time on pulling the work of others apart, I'm sure that our numbers would swell dramatically.

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To completely change the scene, let's talk for a few moments about referees. This person holds one of the highest and most important positions in sport, be it clay target shooting, football or whatever; yet, we frequently see him (or her) being treated like a second rate citizen.

Most (if not all) of the referees who assist in the conduct of shooting competitions are purely honorary and are giving their time and effort to make our sport better.

They have every right to expect a fair go — that is really the only reward they want!

The degree to which referees are becoming "browned-off" is clearly emphasised by the fact that very few have applied to

"stand" at the 1981 Australian Trap and Skeet Championships, to be held at Melbourne Gun Club in April.

As a consequence, it appears likely that referees will be drawn from previous squads, to ensure that the tournament continues.

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A new innovation is to appear in CTSN. The Association's Management Committee has arranged to contribute a monthly column, to keep readers abreast of the types of decisions that are being made, the reasons why, and the anticipated consequences.

The Committee, which consists of President Ron Porter, Vice President Laurie Connors, Roy Holtfreter and Paul Cains, meets regularly, and the new column should create a great deal of interest.

Meanwhile, the Development Sub-committee has been revamped, and is now headed by Paul Cains of Burnie, Tasmania. Elsewhere in this issue, Paul has extended an invitation to all readers to contribute ideas to his committee. After all, it is in the best interests of all participants that new ideas be drawn from the widest possible range.

Good shooting.

NOEL J. SOUTHEY

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TAIPAN LADIES SHIELD RESULTS

The 1980 postal match for Ladies Trap Teams, sponsored by Elva and Sid Churches of Adelaide, has been won by Jeparit Gun Club, Victoria.

This is the club's third successive win, and makes the team seem invincible.

Eleven teams contested the match, and recorded the following scores:

| | |
|----------------------------|--------|
| Jeparit Gun Club | 85/100 |
| Dysart Gun Club | 84/100 |
| Katanning Clay Target Club | 84/100 |
| Hobart Gun Club | 82/100 |
| Brisbane Gun Club | 78/100 |
| South Aust Gun Club | 76/100 |
| Morwell Gun Club | 75/100 |
| Echuca Gun Club | 74/100 |
| Townsville Gun Club | 71/100 |
| Alexandra Gun Club (S.A.) | 67/100 |
| Gladstone Gun Club | 60/100 |

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GIANT CLAY BUSTING FESTIVAL ON GOLD COAST

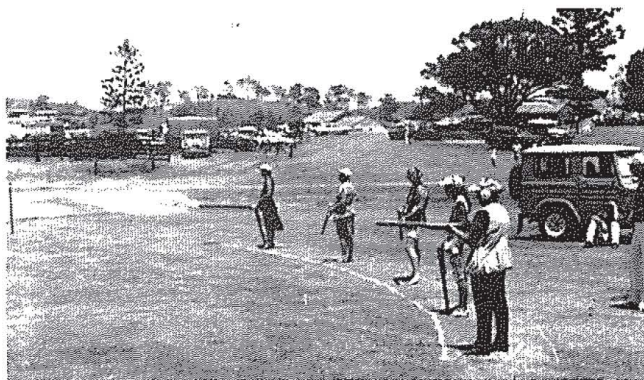
On Australia Day, January 26, the Albert Australia Day Foundation held a major carnival to celebrate the birth of our Nation, on a 70 acre block of land on the Nerang River at Carrara.

Forty-six clay target shooters representing six clubs attended this carnival to compete in the Australia Day Teams Championship which was organized by the Foundation and the Gold Coast Gun Club.

This gave clay target shooters a golden opportunity to **PROMOTE THEIR SPORT** to the general public. (7500 people were recorded entering the gate).

Eley & Winchester assisted the Association by giving it pamphlets and books to give away to the public. During the course of the day, we were kept busy answering enquiries and explaining the sport.

The following gun clubs fielded teams for this event: Brisbane (Mens & Ladies team), Ipswich: Toowoomba: Sunshine Coast; Gold Coast (two teams); Terranora Lakes.



• Brisbane Gun Club Ladies' Team on tracks at Gold Coast promotion.

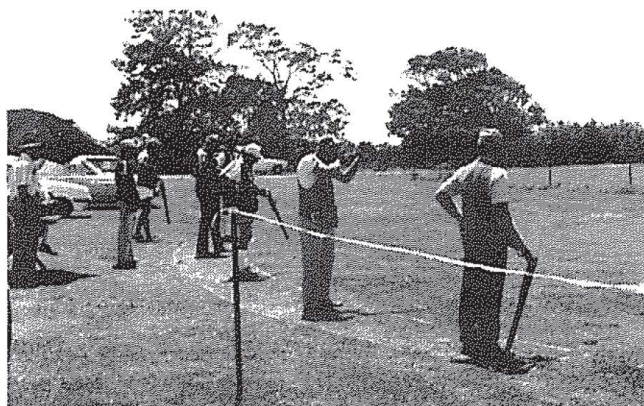
These clubs must also be congratulated for their enthusiasm in promoting their clubs in the sport. Toowoomba team members all wore the same coloured T-shirts with a club badge printed on the front. They looked great, and quite a lot of remarks were made about them. Other clubs wore their club jackets with badges on the back, and all of this promoted the vast areas serviced by gun clubs.

Following a 40 target elimination event in the morning, Toowoomba Gun Club consisting of R. Donovan; D. Wells; M. Hass; M. Manning; and V. Tipman qualified with the highest score for the Grand Shoot-Off; the other team qualifying was Ipswich which consisted of W. Stevens; P. Freeleagus; G. Stevens; P. Stein and K. Stevens.

At 4pm the GRAND SHOOT OFF was commenced and all other functions on the grounds were halted while the match proceeded.

Ipswich was the eventual winner, beating Toowoomba by the narrow margin of 5 points. Ipswich scored a total of 291-300.

(from Bev Grice)



• Terranora Lakes Country Gun Club Men's Team competing.

The elimination scores were as follows:—

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|------------------------|-------------------------|
| BRISBANE MENS 553-600 | GOLD COAST 1. 554-600 |
| TERRANORA 544-600 | GOLD COAST 2. 551-600 |
| SUNSHINE COAST 529-600 | IPSWICH 556-600 |
| TOOWOOMBA 558-600 | BRISBANE LADIES 463-600 |

The Foundation presented a beautiful Perpetual Trophy to the winning club, plus individual trophies for the winning team members and sashes. It also donated \$300 for sweepstakes on the elimination events.

The first twenty targets S/S went to:—

B. DUNNE (S.C.G.C.) K. Cameron (Gold Coast) with a score of 60-60 D. Smith (Bris): W. Stevens (Ipswich): G. Stevens (Ipswich) A. Hicks (Gold Coast) scoring 59-60.

The second twenty went to:—

D. Wells (Tmba): K. Cameron (Gold Coast): C. Witt (Gold Coast) score 60-60.

Keith Cameron from Gold Coast Gun Club was the only shooter to shoot the possible of 120-120 on the eliminations. W. Stevens of Ipswich won the O/A High Gun with a total score of 178-180 (Good shooting Bill!).

The Q.C.T.A. was proud to be a part of this Australia Day Carnival and we look forward to a bigger and better display of OUR SPORT in 1982.

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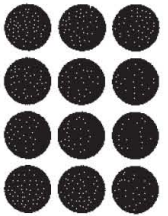
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THE ELEY REPORT



"The best laid plans of mice and men..." I am afraid we had a massive boo-boo recently which just goes to prove this old saying. It was decided last April a responsible approach to the 1981 Duck Season would be to print a coloured brochure identifying the various types of duck most commonly found throughout Australia and to show those which are protected.

This was especially relevant, we thought, because of the tragedy in S.A. when a large number of Freckled Duck were slaughtered, possibly innocently, by inexperienced shooters mistaking them for the most popular species in Australia, the Black Duck.

A great deal of trouble went into the production of, firstly, a 4-page colour brochure; then, as the idea grew, a full coloured poster and a limited set of 12 coloured coasters, all on the same theme of improving the shooters' knowledge of identifying ducks and so, hopefully, protecting the duck population as a whole whilst, simultaneously, perpetuating the sport. But, despite the precautions of recruiting an artist who was also commissioned by the Victorian Fisheries and Wildlife Department, and some great co-operation and expert advice from officers of that Department, we still managed to goof. Some birds which are protected were not indicated. The posters were reprinted but the initial distribution of brochures did go out, some in Clay Target Shooting News, and so these should be altered by also marking the Coot, the Grass Whistle Duck, the Musk Duck and the Blue-billed Duck.

At the same time, we realise these protected species vary from State to State, and season to season, and so shooters should always check with their particular Wildlife Department to ensure they are familiar with the current regulations for each season.

The Coasters were received so well (the limited printing was completely sold within days of their release) it is our intention to continue the series with, for 1982, a set on hunting dogs and, in 1983, one on famous firearms.

A method of reserving sets of these will be announced shortly.



George Biggs, one of the best-known figures in the Clay Target world, has just finished writing and publishing an instructional book on

Trap and Skeet Shooting. George, with Newton Thomas, must rank as the most knowledgeable shooter in this country, and he has prepared a fascinating book, not only on technique but on the entire spectrum of trap shooting in Australia, delving back into the history of the sport and uncovering many interesting documents and photographs.

At \$5.95 its value for money is unsurpassed in this day and age; in fact, we think it is too cheap as the production is top class and many prospective buyers may think, at that price, all they may be getting for their money is a home-print job. Nonetheless, George wanted to keep the price down because, as he says, the sport is expensive enough as it is.

As George has always been an enthusiastic user of ELEY, naturally we have supported him by subsidising production costs of the book itself and distributing it through our channels on his behalf.

In fact, it is our intention to donate a book to every school library where there may be possible interest in trap and skeet shooting.



ELEY has a number of films available for clubs to hire at special nights. Previously these have been available via the ICI film library but, with the change of company ownership, the films have been transferred to:

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ing-in Your Rifle", "Ten Commandments
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Grand Prix - Olympic Trench Shooting",
"Franchi Film" and, at least, 15 other titles.

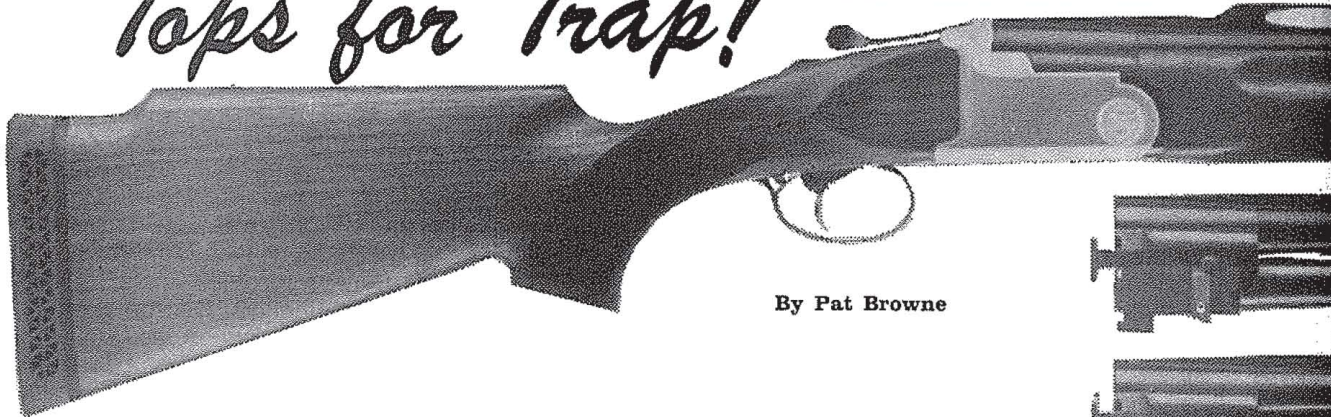


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ROTTWEIL AAT

Tops for Trap!



By Pat Browne

The Rottweil AAT is certainly a startling gun to look at. But despite its futuristic looks, the pedigree remains very much intact.

Some time ago when we looked at the Rottweil Model 72 trap and skeet guns we thought they were real good pieces of ordinance. In the intervening period we have not changed our mind but what brings the name Rottweil back to these pages is the introduction of another version of the Model 72, the Model 72 AAT.

The gun has a funny pedigree that perhaps we should look at briefly. Designed by Conrad (Conny) Wirnhier for Dynamit Nobel of West Germany, the gun is made by Gamba of Italy for the American market. Wirnhier incidently is twice World Champion and an Olympic Gold Medal winner in Skeet.

The gun comes to the Australian market through Dieter Schuster of Eurocut in Sydney.

Americans love to hang labels on guns. This model Rottweil is no exception. To give it the full moniker it is a real tongue teaser...Rottweil 72 Adjustable American Trap Gun with IVPI. Now before you run off into the distance screaming, let

me explain the IVPI.

It stands for **Infinitely Variable Point of Impact** and is in fact the most remarkable feature of the gun. But more of this later.

Essentially, the gun is a basic 72 with all the features we have discussed before when we summed up the mechanical features thus, "the gun is a box lock and works on the 'bifurcated lump' principle. Anybody who follows gun tests in this magazine would know what this means. The locking wedges are concealed and the final lock-up is very firm."

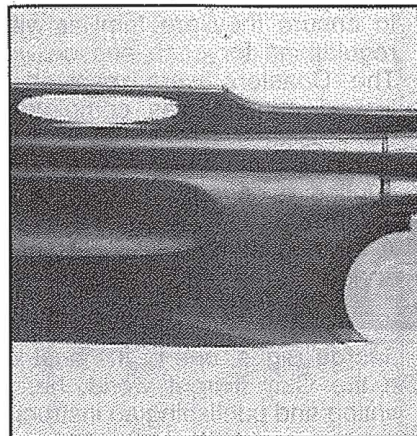
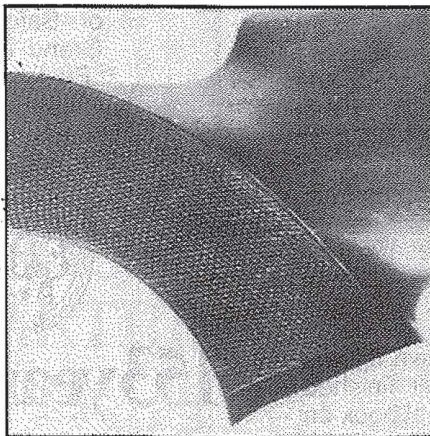
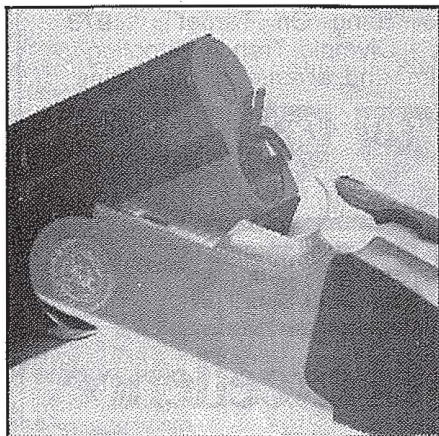
"Ejectors are selective, automatic and are triggered by the cocking rods. These cocking rods or bars run through the action floor and the gun cocks on opening" — and this has not altered.

What has altered however is the barrels we hang on this action. The full set consists of a set of 81 cm (32") double barrels, a single barrel of the same length and a massive 86

• In the S.B. version the top barrel is a dummy with a built in snap cap.

• Woodwork and checkering are superb.

• The Rib takes a sharp step-up just in front of the hinge pin.



cm (34") single barrel. The double set has a free floating bottom barrel and the single barrel has the IVPI.

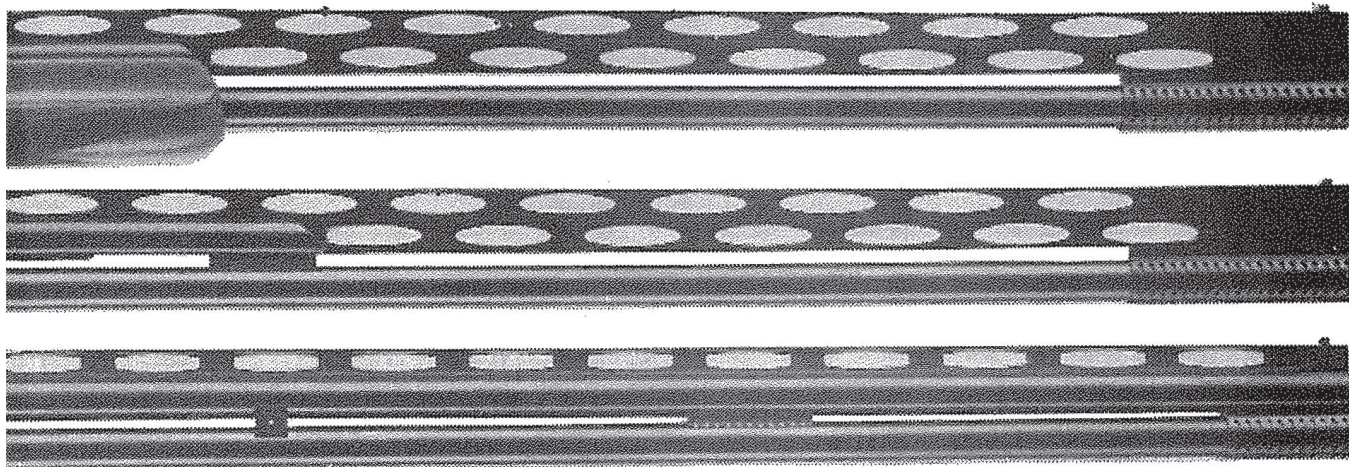
What makes the gun stand out however is the treatment given to the single barrel. In simple terms, all that happens is that the top barrel is removed at the forend, plugged and the rib extended down to the bottom barrel. With the long barrel up it looks like something out of 'Star Wars'.

But there are some very important handling characteristics in this form of gun design. First, balance is not altered and second, the moment of inertia is kept low. This reduces muzzle whip to almost zero.

higher than the point of aim. When pulled fully back the collar effected a point of impact 44 cm below point of aim.

Now, the ability to be able to alter your point of impact upwards has a lot going for it insofar as the trap shooter is concerned. Back mark handicap shooters find a high shooting gun a distinct advantage, a lot of them do not like so much height at the common mark.

One can argue that the level of trapshooting expertise in this country would not warrant such a device. But as we become more sophisticated in our approach to the game it will become more important. More so now that there is a trend to



Right up front though is the interesting part and it is here that Infinitely Variable Point of Impact feature comes into play. The system is ingenious and relatively simple.

On the bottom of the rib near the muzzle is a slight incline up. This matches, and is in fact dovetailed with the 10 cm long collar which surrounds the barrel. In the front face of the rib is a screw. When removed you find a small hex wrench on the end and this you will find engages with a grub screw in the top of the rib about 5cm back from the muzzle.

Using this wrench, the grub screw can be loosened and the collar freed to slide backward or forward. On the left side of the collar are some graduation marks, in fact six of them either side of the centre mark. By sliding the collar backwards & forwards the point of impact of the barrel can be altered at will. Each graduation represents a movement of about 8 cm at 35 metres.

The most remarkable thing about this is the real movement you can get of your pattern. With the collar set at the centre mark the gun should shoot to point of aim. In patterning tests it did. Racked fully forward the gun shot a whopping 50cm

shoot more of the American brand of the single barrel style of game.

We remain a bit puzzled as to the requirement of making a gun shoot lower. If there is an instance whereby any trapshooter had a reason to have his pattern print 40 odd centimetres below his point of aim, his approach to the game leaves a little to be desired.

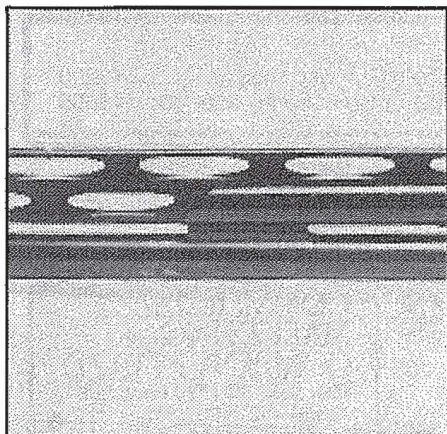
Far be it for me to give Conny Wirnhier any advice on gun design, but it would be more logical to have the availability for more upward movement and a little less down.

We have overlooked the double barrel set in our enthusiasm for the single barrel mechanics. At the present time this set would be the workhorse for the Australian gunner. They are as well made as the single barrel but have no point of impact adjustment. In our tests they shot just a whisker high, about 10 cm. At 81 cm long most would regard them as not suitable for Australian shooting conditions.

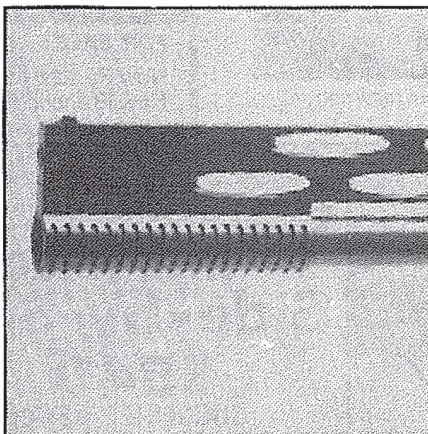
This is just not so. Firing tests on trap and trench with many different users indicated that they did not know that it

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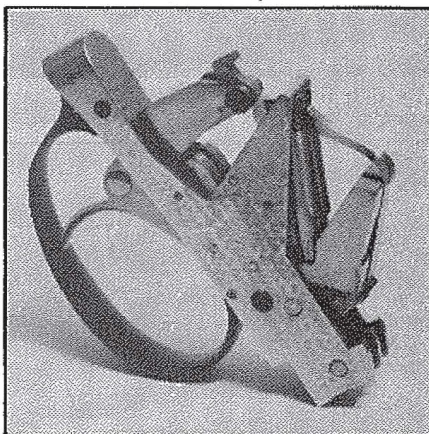
• Top barrel cuts off and is covered by the forend.



• IVPI is all contained in this mechanism at the muzzle.



• Triggers are hand detachable, shown here are the release/pull combination.





• New South Wales 1980 Skeet Team: (from left to right) Back row - R. Wilson, C. Burt, F. Rees, N. Philipps, B. Boggiss; Middle row - R. Palmer, J. Fryer, R. Clarke, A. Hayes; Front row - E. Hawkins, B. Wenban, R. Melville, R. Gosling, J. Wooley.

REPORT ON STATE SKEET CARNIVAL HELD AT TAREE-WINGHAM GUN CLUB

The State Skeet Carnival was held at the Taree-Wingham Gun Club, on Saturday & Sunday, 22nd and 23rd November. The conditions on Saturday were rather poor, however it fined up on Sunday for a perfect day. The attendance was very pleasing, especially the number of shooters from Victoria. Paul Krumins, the 1979 N.S.W. Championship winner, flew from Melbourne to defend his title this year.

There were many shoot-offs, most with cliff-hanging results. The shoot-off for the Sunday high gun was between R. Melville, Adrian Hayes and Bob Wilson, with R. Melville being the eventual winner with 117/118. Another exciting shoot-off was between R. Gosling and Paul Thompson, for the 0 to 1 handicap group, in event 4, the Holiday Coast Championship. R. Gosling was the eventual winner with 114/114, over Paul with 113/114.



• Bob Wilson (left) N.S.W. Skeet Champion receiving his prize from Vince Phillips, Pres. NSWCTA.

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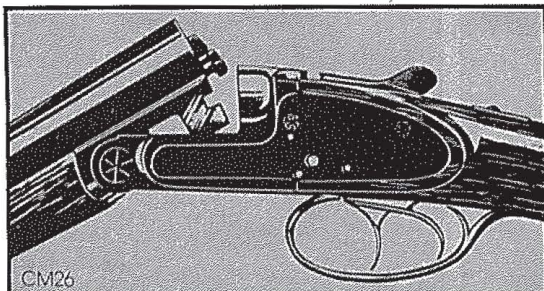
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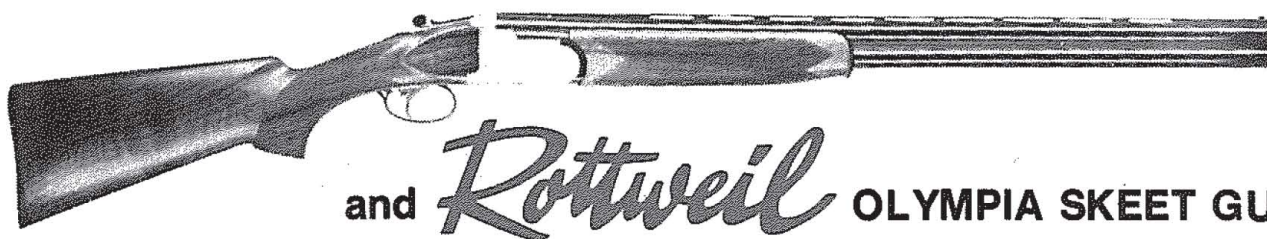
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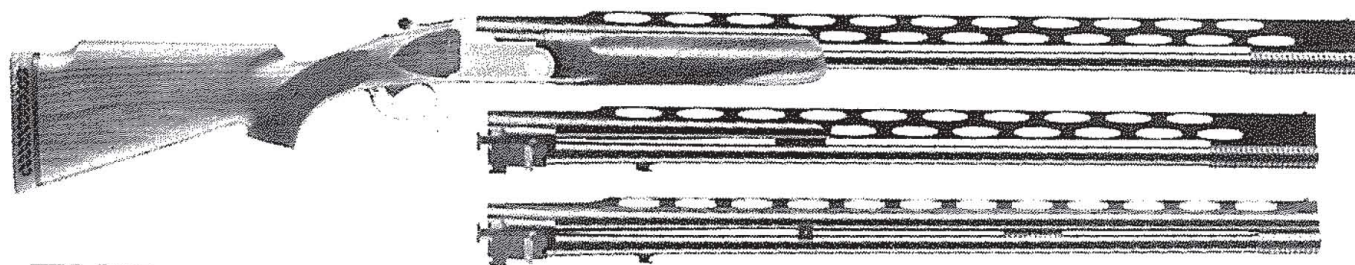


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• Skeet Shooting Champions of Tomorrow, and all members of Victorian Junior State Team. From left to right: S. McElvogue (Melbourne), L. Pisconeri (Mildura), S. Haberman (Corio Bay), C. Wakefield and L. Brown (Mildura).

AUSTRALIAN SKEET RECORD BROKEN TWICE AT VICTORIAN SKEET CARNIVAL

(from Laurie Connors)

Sensational shooting at the Victorian State Skeet Carnival at Mildura Gun Club on October 1980 saw the Australian record broken on consecutive days.

The record of 222 was broken by N.S.W. shooter, Barney Rooke from Wagga, with 230 straight, but this record fell within 24 hours, to Ian Hale from Melbourne Gun Club, Victoria, who shot 258 consecutive targets to again set a new record.

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• President of the Victorian Clay Target Association Bob Buchan (centre) looks happy, as Ian Hale (left), Melbourne Gun Club wrested the Australian Skeet record from Barney Rooke (right), Wagga N.S.W. at the Victorian Skeet Carnival. Ian is presenting Barney with his sash and trophy after his win in the State Skeet Carnival Championship.

B Grade: Bill Stephenson (Wonthaggi, Korumburra Club) 56/57 1; John Dunstan (Kerang) 49/50 2; Alex Bremner (Morwell) 83/85 3.

C Grade: Steve Haberman (Corio) 47/50 1; Tup Pedersen (Drouin) 46/50 2; Vic Butler (Korumburra) 41/50 3.

Best Lady Shooter: Karen Williams (Corio) 48/50 1; Christine Wakefield (Mildura) 45/50 2.

Best Junior: Steve Haberman (Corio) 47/50 1; Christine Wakefield (Mildura) 45/50 2.

Veteran: Adrian Hayes (Hawkesbury, NSW) 49/50.

Event 2: **VIC-NSW CHALLENGE CHAMPIONSHIP: A Grade:** Overall winner, Geoff Izard (Mildura) 86/86 1; Adrian Hayes (Hawkesbury) 85/86 2; Joe Murphy (Bordertown, SA) 62/63 3.

B Grade: Brian Loxton (Mildura) 49/50 1; Chris Wilkinson (Korumburra) 57/58 2; Riad Jabarin (Geelong) 56/58 3.

C Grade: Vic Butler (Korumburra) 48/50 1; Steve Haberman (Corio) 46/50 2; Tup Pederson (Drouin) 44/50 3.

Best Lady: Christine Wakefield (Mildura) 47/50 1; Karen Williams (Corio) 46/50 2.

Best Junior: Christine Wakefield (Mildura) 47/50 1; Steve Haberman (Corio) 46/50 2.

Veteran: Ted McRae (Timaru, New Zealand) 50/50.

Event 3: **STATE SKEET CARNIVAL CHAMPIONSHIP: A Grade:** Overall winner, Barney Rooke (Wagga) 160/160 1; Graeme Boyd (Wangaratta) 159/160 2; Bob Kennet (Goulburn) 53/54 3.

B Grade: Cecil Herbert (Gunnedah) 49/50 1; Bill Stephenson (Korumburra) 59/61 2; Bill Finnigan (Melbourne) 58/61 3.

C Grade: Steve Haberman (Corio) 47/50 1; Stephen McElvogue (Melbourne) 45/50 2; Stuart Bethune (Goroke) 43/50 3.

Best Lady: Deserie Huddleston (Mildura) 48/50 1; Karen Williams (Corio) 47/50 2.

Best Junior: Stephen Haberman (Corio) 47/50 1; Stephen McElvogue (Melbourne) 45/50 2.

Veteran: Peter Torok (Geelong) 55/56.

Event 4: **VICTORIAN SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP: A Grade:** Overall winner, Ray Melville (Tamworth) 101/101 1; Ian Hale (Melbourne) 100/101 2; Geoff Salmon (Hawkesbury) 86/87 3.

B Grade: Riad Jabarin (Geelong) 49/50 1; Frank Guilano (Melbourne) 54/56 2; Bill Stephenson (Korumburra) 53/56 3.

C Grade: Stephen McElvogue (Melbourne) 47/50 1; Stephen Haberman (Corio) 46/50 2; Larry Piscioneri (Mildura) 44/50 3.

Best Lady: Karen Williams (Corio) 48-50 1; Deserie Huddleston (Mildura) 51/55 2.

Best Junior: Stephen McElvogue (Melbourne) 47/50 1; Stephen Haberman (Corio) 46/50 2.

Veteran: Ray Melville (Tamworth) 50/50.

Event 5: **WINCHESTER SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP: A Grade:** Overall winner, Neville Moore (Melbourne) 84/84 1;

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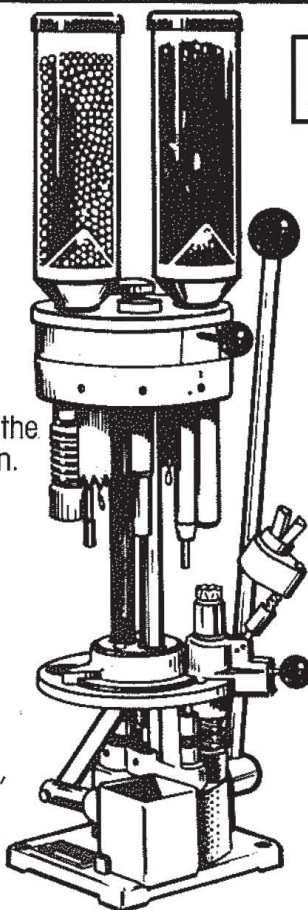
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AUSTRALIAN SKEET RECORD BROKEN TWICE (Cont'd)



• Agnes Connors (left) Mildura, entertains visiting shooters wives attending the Victorian State Skeet Carnival. (Left to Right) Val Whitelaw, Marj Abbott, Virginia Moore and Olga Finnigan, all from Melbourne.

Peter Scott (Mildura) 83/84 2; Ray Melville (Tamworth) 79/80 3.

B Grade: Kevin Law (Wangaratta) 49/50 1; Ralph Dellar (Mildura) 48/50 2; Stephen McElvogue (Melbourne) 55/58 3.

C Grade: Roger Thomson (Mildura) 43/50 1; Lauren Brown (Mildura) 42/50 2; Stuart Bethune (Goroke) 40/50 3.

Shooters to make the open State team were:— Ian Hale, Neville Moore, Mal Hastie, Laurie Mauger, Bill Attwood, Alan Blackmore, John Summers all from Melbourne Gun Club, Graham Roberts, Paul Krumins, Bill Stephenson, Korumburra, Graeme Boyd, Wangaratta, Riad Jabarin, Geelong, Jim Finis, Ron King and Gordon Wakefield, Mildura. Team High Gun went to Ian Hale, Melbourne 183/183.



• The Melbourne Gun Club won the George Biggs Perpetual Trophy. The team consisted of (from L to R) Mal Hastie, Neville Moore (holding trophy), Bob Buchan (President of the Club, who gave moral support only), Merv Whitelaw, Ian Hale and Paul Krumins.

The Ladies State team consisted of Karen Williams, Corio, Sally Cousens, Bairnsdale, Carol Ogden, Metropolitan, Deserie Huddleston, Christine Wakefield and Lauren Brown, Mildura. Team High Gun went to Karen Williams 24/25.

Junior State Team was Stephen Haberman, Corio, Stephen McElvogue, Melbourne, Christine Wakefield, Lauren Brown and Larry Piconeri, Mildura. Stephen Haberman collected team High Gun with a score of 23/25. In the contest between Victoria and New South Wales, over the program, N.S.W. came out the victors in this department, scoring 970/1000.

Top Victorian Skeet club Melbourne Gun Club took out the perpetual Geo Biggs trophy.

The South East were Zone premiers for 1980 by winning this section at the keenly contested competition.

The Victorian State Association through this medium would like to express its appreciation to all trophy donors for the various Championships, which assisted in making this Carnival such a financial success.

To sum it up, the weather was excellent for shooting. There was a great roll up of top line skeet shooters, individual scores were exceptionally high and shooters witnessed some of the greatest shoot-offs ever seen at a Victorian Skeet Carnival.

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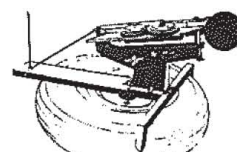
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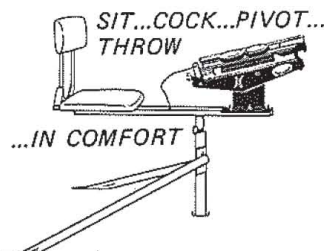
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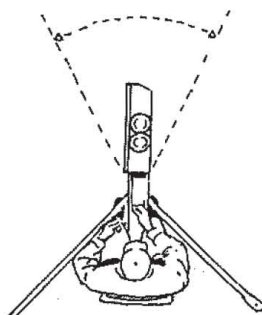
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INTERNATIONAL SHOOTING SCENE

The annual invitation to attend the Pesta Sukan Shooting Festival in Singapore has arrived.

The match will be held from August 5 to 12, and will include Olympic Trench and ISU Skeet.

For the first time the organizers are expecting an entry from the People's Republic of China, a country which has made great progress in the Olympic disciplines in recent times.

Mr Stephen Yap, who is Secretary of the Singapore Shooting Association, has advised that, to comply with local regulations, entries will close on May 31, 1981.

Any Australian shotgunner who wishes to compete in this match should contact the National Office as soon as possible, as entry will be restricted to six trench and six skeet shooters.

The local scene insofar as trench and ISU skeet is concerned is quite buoyant.

West Wyalong Gun Club will celebrate the opening of its O.T. facility with a major tournament to be held on March 7 and 8.

More exciting news from New South Wales is the creation of a State "International Sub-committee". The committee was formed at a meeting held at Taree-Wingham Gun Club in January, with Bruce Noll as Chairman. The group's secretary is Kevin Loy.

The National Sub-committee of similar name then invited the NSW group to submit the name of a person who could sit on the National Sub-committee. The nominee is Roger Walker and it appears certain that the recommendation will be accepted.

Then, the ACTA International Sub-committee will consist of Mr L. Connors, (Chairman), and Messrs Abbott, Buchan and Walker.

The ACTA International Sub-committee met in Melbourne on January 16, and the following is a summary of its decisions:

AIR NEW ZEALAND ELIMINATION MATCH

Through the generosity of Air New Zealand (The Pacific's Number One) the ACTA has been able to make available a trans-Tasman return air ticket to each State Association.

The tickets are to be used to move seven Australians to compete in the New Zealand South Island Championships, to be conducted later this year.

The selection matches will be known as the AIR NEW ZEALAND ELIMINATION SERIES and will be staged by State Associations, either as part of State Trap Carnivals, or as separate tournaments.

The event will have a maximum nomination of \$20, and will be held over 25 targets single barrel, 25 targets pointscore and 25 targets double barrel.

OLYMPIC TRENCH AND ISU SKEET TEAM SELECTIONS

Because no official invitation has been received from the host Association, the ACTA has had to cancel its plans to field a team in a competition being held at Nagoya, Japan.

However, selection procedures for the 1981 South Pacific Regional Championships, to be held at Brisbane in October, have been decided.

They are:

1. A 200 target O.T. and ISU Skeet match to be held in New South Wales during August (venue and dates yet to be advised).

2. The O.T. and ISU Skeet National Championships to be held at Melbourne Gun Club, on September 4, 5, 6 and 7.

The teams will be announced immediately after the conclusion of the National titles.

The selection procedure for shotgun representatives for the 1981 Commonwealth Games has also been defined.

The team will consist of two trap (O.T.) and two skeet shooters, with reserves to be named where necessary. Qualifying events will be:

(a) The 1981 National titles in Olympic Trench and ISU Skeet.

(b) The 1982 National titles in Olympic Trench and ISU Skeet (to be held at Brisbane Gun Club during Easter 1982).

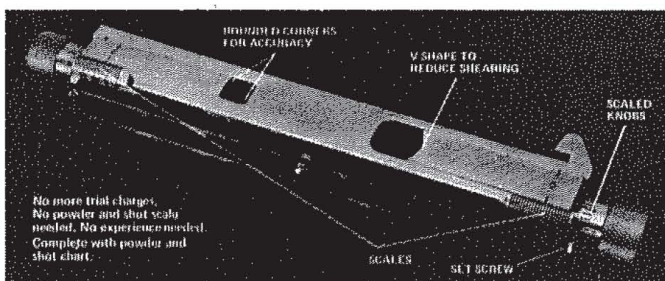
(c) A 200 target event to be conducted in each state, preferably using the State Championship as part of the event. However, in cases where it is impossible for State Association to program its State Championships within the time span between the two National events, a specially programmed 200 target event in each discipline will be acceptable.

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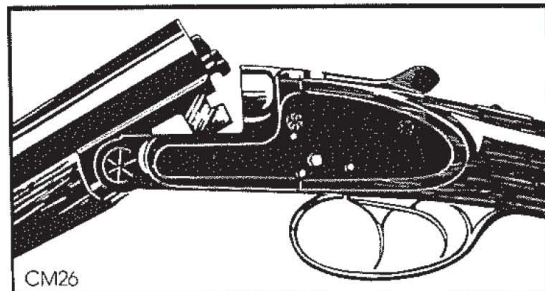
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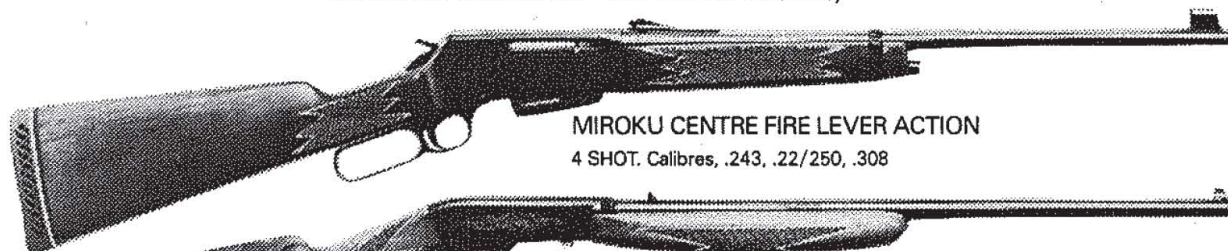


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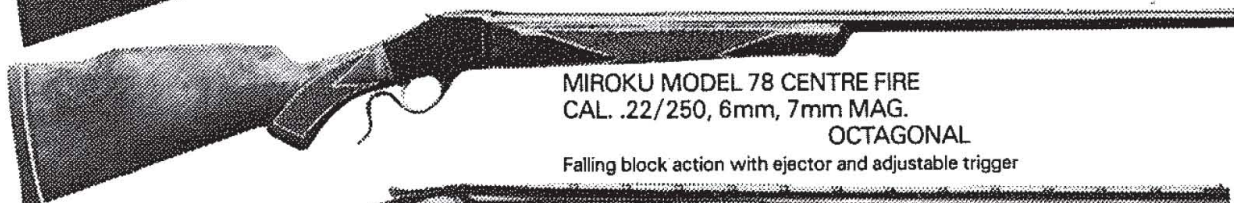
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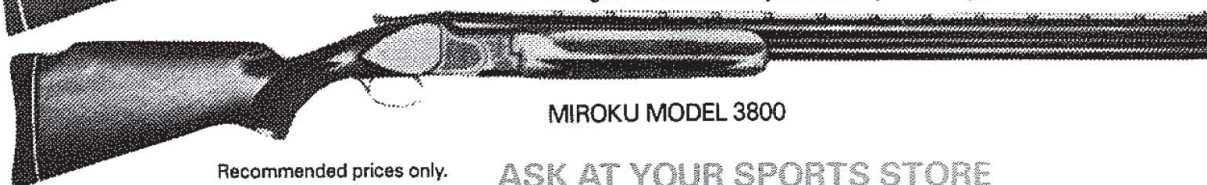
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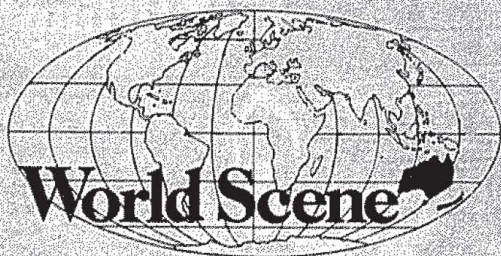


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by Pat Browne

November saw the Grand Prix of Brazil and some of the results are interesting. Skeet scores were high and Trap scores rather ordinary by world standards.

It was an Argentinian in Robert Firmo who streeted the field by 2 targets with a world class score of 197/200 to take the final in the Skeet event. He won from Alfonso Irurizaga, a Chilean on 195/200 and two targets further back was American Matt Dryke with 193/200.

The interesting part though was the results in the Skeet Teams event where the Englishmen got up to tie with the Americans and win by a countback. Details from Brazil are sketchy but it is known that Wally Sykes, Paul Bentley, Steve Mutton and Roger Ford were all there and all finished in the final 10, Sykes shooting a good 191. Makes the Commonwealth Games look a bit interesting next year!

Trench prospects for the Commonwealth Games seem to be the Canadians, perhaps. Whilst Michael Carrega the famous Frenchman took top honours with 192/200 from American Ernie Neal, three targets behind him on 189, two Canadians figured prominently in the results. Ed Shaske was third, also on 189 and John Primrose came fifth with 186. It will be interesting to see if they compete in Brisbane.

There are a couple of Canadian Skeet shooters that should be kept in mind also from this tournament. Fred Altmann ran a good 188/200. Whilst not showing in the final 10 individuals, a Dan Kwasnycia ran a creditable 143 in the first 150 targets of the match.

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For the first time in many years (or for as long as I can remember) the New Zealand Nationals will be held before ours here in Australia. The 1981 event is at Hamilton and will run from March 14th to 20th. We will have a look at the results in this column next month, maybe it will give us some idea of what sort of talent from across the Tasman will arrive in Melbourne in April.

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While on the subject of the Kiwis, they have introduced a couple of administrative changes that have had mixed reactions from the rank and file.

The first is the new Handicapping formula based broadly on the one we use here in Australia. There are some differences

however that are interesting. Working on the shooters' ability to break targets under MATCH conditions, records will be kept in the five major competition areas.

In NZ these are DTL (our common mark) and cover Single Rise (our DB), single barrel and points score (broken targets only to count), American Skeet, Olympic Skeet (our ISU Skeet), Olympic Trench and Automatic Ball Trap.

One interesting point is that SHOOT-OFF scores no NOT count in the handicapping process nor do novelty shoots it seems to be the intention to enforce the rule of 'no card-no shoot', it will be 'targets only' without a card at club level and no entry at all at provincial and national level.

The comment is made in "Gunshot" the official journal of NZ claybusting that, "once the new system has been in operation for a while and shooters get used to it they will wonder why we didn't adopt it years ago." Well good luck Kiwis, experience in Australia is that no system is perfect but perhaps you are on the right track.

You may remember the furore some years ago when the ACTA introduced a 50c 'Shooter Levy' to boost Association finances and support the ISU disciplines. The measure was shortlived due to adverse reaction and was tossed out only a year later. Well the NZ Association is introducing the same thing over there.

However, the reasons for it differ and are primarily caused by the increasing price of ammunition and the switch to reloading by many association members.

When the majority of Kiwi shooters shot factory loads which were supplied through the Association both the Club and the Association made 20c each commission on each packet sold. With the wholesale shift to reloading this source of revenue has dried up, hence the requirement for the levy.

If my mail is any indication the reaction across the Tasman is likely to be same as it was over here.

One other interesting point is that reloads are now permissible in all events at New Zealand National Championships. There are plenty in this country who would applaud that move here.

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For those interested in the 'facts and figures' department here is one for you. The ATA in the States has just released their official **Registered Target Usage** table for 1980. They in actual fact add up all the registered targets shot at in the USA and Canada during the year. We should run a competition to see if anybody could get close to the figure but I doubt if anybody would comprehend the massiveness of the usage.

So, without further ado, the total figure of targets shot at, in competition was 68,300,015.

Yes, that is correct, nearly sixty eight and one half MILLION targets.

The breakdown is also revealing, singles accounted for 33,194,250 which is 48% of the total. Handicap targets, at 26,739,675 represents 39% indicating a higher participation rate than Australia. In Doubles, just 8,366,090 targets were shot at which is 12% of the total. Some would say that Joe Loitz must have shot at them all to be as good as he was at Perth last year.

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(Staff Writer)

"Barney" Rooke who is Director of Coaching for the New South Wales Clay Target Association, has arranged a live-in seminar for existing and potential clay target coaches. It will be held at the Borambola Sport and Recreation Centre, east of Wagga, on May 29, 30 and 31.

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Skills sessions specifically relating to Clay Target Shooting including safety, gun position and stance, eyesight and

shooting techniques will be led by the N.S.W. and Victorian Director of Coaching, Zone Coaches and the National Executive Director.

Registration will cost \$12 for the complete weekend.

The project is fully supported by the New South Wales Department of Sport and Recreation, and further information may be obtained from Mr John Harding, Regional Director, Department of Sport and Recreation, P.O. Box 699, Wagga, 2650.

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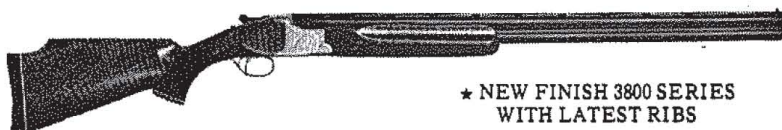
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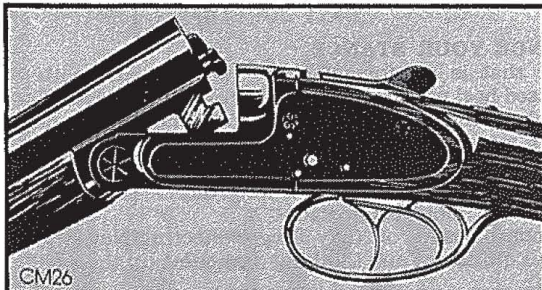
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ISU SKEET

by Ian Hale
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Over the years shooting instruction has become so involved that most shooters overlook the beautiful simplicity of the basic concepts.

THE BASICS

Let us start on the right foot together, as unless the basics are mastered, and strictly adhered to, you will have a frustrating time around the skeet field.

To shoot I.S.U. Skeet I can't over emphasise that firm understanding of the basic in skeet be learnt. These can be mastered better on the American skeet ground where the targets (being slower) give the shooter more time to improve his or her skills.

There has been many a championship where the wind is blowing or the rain has been pelting down or both, that by just sticking diligently to the basics has seen me through.

So where do we start? — let's have a look at the gun

Perhaps the most misused piece of equipment, it shouldn't be the most important, and in I.S.U. the position of the hands on the gun is most important because the further the gun moves away from the shoulder more emphasis must be placed upon the control of the gun. Let's have a look at correct gun hold. With the gun held by the forend with the left hand, keep your eyes looking in front of you and with your right hand simply slap the pistol grip, at the same time taking a grip, you will notice that your hand is spread naturally around the pistol grip, the trigger finger is in a comfortable position and the remaining fingers are wrapped comfortably around the pistol grip with the thumb around the top pointing down. You will notice this is a comfortable grip. Try it a few times — this is your natural grip. You will also notice how flexible your wrist is, this also will enhance the speed at which your gun will travel towards your shoulder.

The Left Hand — Holding the gun by the pistol grip in your right hand, eyes looking forward, hold out your left hand and simply let the gun fall into your left hand. You will notice that the gun falls with the forend in your hand and your hand is on the middle of the forend, fingers wrapped around the right side of the wood and the thumb of the left comfortably placed on the left hand side of the forend.

Now that we are holding the gun properly, practise both these steps as much as you can, in time you will pick up your gun and unconsciously hold it correctly.

Whilst we are on the subject of practice the old saying is true, practice makes perfect, you cannot do enough of it. If you can handle your skeet gun every day for a few minutes, it would only help to enhance your game.

Bring the gun up smoothly — in I.S.U. Skeet the movement from the gun down position to the gun to head position is critical, it must be fast but at the same time smooth. Practise holding the gun in the correct position. On the hip, arms relaxed, start off slowly at first, two or three minutes a day will do.

Keep your head in a natural relaxed position and bring the gun to your head. **NEVER** take your head to the gun! Taking your gun to your head will ensure that cheek and eyes are naturally aligned with the barrels and the butt of the stock is in the softest part of your shoulder.

If you tighten up and take your head to the gun you will lift your head and the gun will inevitably never mount in the same spot thus causing a jerky uncontrolled shot.

Practise bringing the gun up to your head, run it along a picture railing in your house somewhere, from left to right, right to left, two or three minutes every day will hold you in good stead, also it will train the exact muscles that you will need to help you control that gun swing and movement all day.

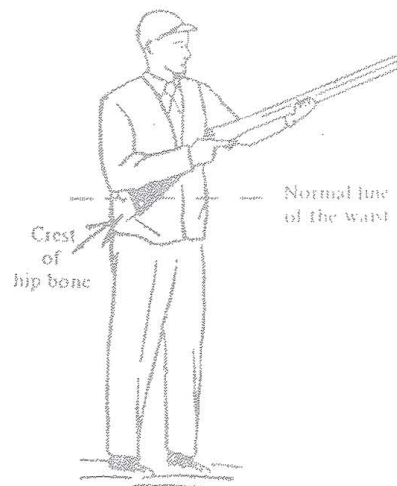
STANCE

The stance is very important in I.S.U. Skeet, it should be natural, comfortable and solid.

Stand and just take a look at people standing around talking, you will notice that their feet are apart approximately the width of the shoulders, in a comfortable relaxed position. Their body is comfortably balanced, they are unconscious of standing naturally. The same should apply on the skeet field. This exact **natural** stance is what you require.

A good rule of thumb is to keep this same natural position, but point your left foot approximately in the vicinity of where you are going to hit your target.

The right foot will be behind and to the right of the left foot but the width apart should still be the same distance as the shoulders. When you are happy and comfortable with your stance slightly bend BOTH knees as this will help to relax you and enhance your swing. **ALWAYS ADDRESS YOURSELF TO APPROXIMATELY WHERE YOU ARE GOING TO HIT YOUR TARGET.**



TO ENHANCE YOUR STANCE

Footwear that is comfortable, not worn out and with a slightly raised heel will keep you on the balls of your feet. The sole should be of the non slip type. Flat soled shoes do not help the shooting stance nor do high heeled boots or shoes. A nice pair of socks, not too thick, not too thin and preferably made out of wool, these will help to make a long day of training or competing much more comfortable.

In next month's issue of "Clay Target Shooting News", Ian talks about Equipment and Clothing and sums up the advice given so far.



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TRADE TOPICS

You know, it seems a strange fact of life that the greater the effort a person or an organization make to improve things, the greater the risk of disaster.

Take for instance the Eley Ammunition effort in producing a leaflet designed to assist hunters to identify game birds. Extensive planning went into the project, and a top class artist was used to ensure that each illustration was authentic.

The "finished" job was distributed as an insert in the February issue of "Clay Target Shooting News" and looked very colorful.

However, disaster struck, because certain protected species were not marked, thus creating the possibility that shooters would shoot at protected species, believing that no restriction existed.

Eley management has reacted quickly to rectify the problem, and a revised version of the insert is enclosed with this issue of CTSN.

Please read it carefully if you are one of the thousands of clay busters who will be duck hunting in southern Australia early in March.

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In January issue of CTSN, the Trade Topics column carried a report on the SKB Arms Company.

Well, the good news is that the SKB brand name is alive and well.

Brian Shakes, who is Marketing Manager for Michaelis Bayley Trading (the Australian agents for SKB shotguns) has reported that the SKB branded range of firearms is now being manufactured by the NEW SKB ARMS COMPANY, under the control of executives of the original group. He concludes, "We wish your Association every success with the forthcoming Australian Championships and you will be glad to know that the SKB Company have, once again, donated a Model 5700

U/O trap gun to be used as a high gun trophy. The recommended retail value of this shotgun is \$1,395."

The Association's management is extremely grateful for the generous donation, which will be presented to the overall winner of the 1981 Australia-New Zealand Trap Championship.

AAT — TOPS FOR TRAP (Cont'd from page 7)

was a long barrelled gun they were using. The handling characteristics with all barrels was superb.

At present the big long 86cm barrel is full choke, the 81cm single, improved modified (three quarter) and the 81cm double barrel is choked improved modified/full. All these chokings were verified at the pattern plate using a mixture of Rottweil 'Club 32's' and 'Winchester AA 300's'.

As for the rest of the gun, it is the same good quality that we have discussed before. There is a distinct improvement in the checkering which we applaud.

The triggers are detachable and are of superb quality. We tested with conventional pull/pull and the very well made release/pull combinations. They are delight to use and go a long way towards making this particular gun one of the most versatile on the Australian market.

To sum up, this is one of the best specialist guns we have looked at. The full combination set is not cheap but then most top products are not. We compared it in 1979 with the Browning, Perazzi and Beretta S04. We think it has an edge on them in this version and is now on a par with the Browning Supertrap 80.

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BELMONT BREAKTHROUGH

Staff Writer

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One of the big news items to break on Australia Day was the announcement that the deadlock on provision of funds for the upgrade of Belmont shooting complex had been resolved.

A running battle has continued for two years between the Australian Shooting Association and government authorities. At the centre of the feud was the need to upgrade the Belmont complex, which is located a few kilometres south-east of Brisbane. The complex is to be used as the venue for the shooting section of the 1982 Commonwealth Games, and requires improvements estimated to cost \$520,000.

An additional factor involved in the dispute has been the lack of certainty that has surrounded the long term tenure of the site, which is currently administered by the Queensland Rifle Association by agreement with the Federal Department of Administrative Services.

It is believed that a ten year lease is to be offered to ensure continuity of tenure.

The funding problem has been resolved by the Federal and Queensland Governments agreeing to accept equal shares of the upgrade bill. Although no money has yet changed hands sources close to both governments have advised that the decisions are firm.

As a consequence, work will shortly commence on the upgrade project, which will be directed by a Brisbane based sub-committee of the Australian Shooting Association.

The shotgun events connected to the 1982 Games will be held at Brisbane Gun Club, where about \$120,000 of the grant will be spent. The improvements will include the provision of a second Olympic Trench field, and new equipment in the existing trench and I.S.U. skeet fields.

Additionally, the club house will be improved, and a second building to be used as an administrative centre for the skeet events, will be erected.

There is now a great urgency about the project, as the Games organizers have planned a "mini games" for October 1981 to be used as a "dress rehearsal".

The Australian Shooting Association will stage the 1981 South Pacific Regional Championships for all disciplines excluding Running Board. An Open International Championship will be programmed in conjunction and an invitation to compete will be extended to all Commonwealth countries plus other countries in the Pacific Basin.

Already, there are indications that pistol teams from U.S.A., Korea and Sweden will attend.

The "mini games" are only eight months away, so there is an immense challenge in front of the clubs that operate on the Belmont complex.

EDITOR'S MAILBOX

"Lower Plains".
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Mr N. J. Southey.
Executive Director.
A.C.T.A.

Dear Sir,

We are disappointed to see that you could not be bothered to print our Club News, which was posted down on our Shoot Report sheet dated 8.11.80.

The item we wanted published is as follows:

The Annual General Meeting of St. George Gun Club was held on November 8th, 1980. The following office bearers were appointed. President, Mr H. T. (Tom) Siddins; Immediate Past President — Mr J. Siddins; Hon. Secretary, Mrs Y. Siddins; Treasurer, Mr J. Bucknell; Captain, Mr S. Halpin.

Yours faithfully,

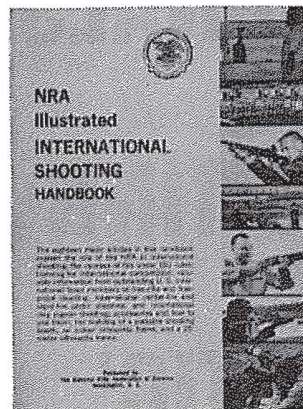
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(Ed. Note: Would Club Secretaries please note that information such as this should be listed separately from shoot results.)

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Although dated it is very interesting reading for any shooter with a leaning towards the ISU disciplines.

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The members of this committee are nationally known leaders in the world of finance and business expertise, and they are also registered shooters.

They understand the problems of clay target administration but are INDEPENDENT of the National Executive. As a result of their deliberations, they recommended to the Management Committee that from January 1, 1982 there be a registration fee increase of \$10.

The basis for their recommendation was two-fold. The first, and most obvious, was on the grounds of an inflation rate of 10% per annum. The last increase in fees occurred at the end of 1977 and the following chart will show how the fees should have increased just to maintain the 1978 figures.

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For the last three years, it can be seen that the fees have fallen behind that amount needed to maintain our reserves, and indeed the 1980 Financial Report, which club secretaries will soon have, shows that the Association has just about "broken even" despite the short fall in the fees. The budget plan for 1981 shows a similar situation. The reserves have been maintained only due to stringent "house-keeping". For example, salaries for all personnel at the National Office will be exactly the same this year, \$77,000 as in 1976, and the cost of publishing this magazine this year will be \$4,000, whilst in 1976 it was \$10,000. In addition, there has been no increase in advertising rates for clubs since 1977.

At present, the Australian Clay Target Association holds reserves of \$100,000 which is less than the assets of a number of clubs throughout Australia. These funds are earmarked for development projects. It is the intentions of the Executive Committee that the Association become self-supporting through its involvements. This would enable any future fee increases to be kept to a minimum with the objective of keeping our sport within the financial reach of as many as possible.

In addition, a referendum of all member clubs committed the Association to the development of a National Ground and administration centre. Such a project will require much more than the available funds. The proposed fee increase, together with stringent economies could help build out present inadequate reserves.

One State Association has suggested that an independent financial assessment be made to determine that such an increase is justified. The Executive already has the services of financial experts who understand our sport, and their advice is being followed.

At the A.G.M. to be held at the Melbourne Nationals, club delegates will be asked to vote on the proposed fee increase. This article has been prepared by the Management Committee because it is so concerned that our sport continue to develop.

By forward planning, the Association can protect shooters' investment in our sport. It must not be allowed to stagnate.

Signed:
Ron Porter
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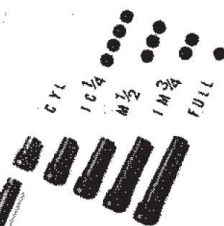
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EDITOR'S MAILBOX

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Dear Friends from Down Under.

We missed you at the Club and at the Grand this year. But we hear rumors that a group may come next year, and we hope that you are among them. If so, the welcome mat is out.

Tommy and I have relatively little to report — at least out of the ordinary. I guess we are in a rut, but a fairly comfortable and lazy one. Both of us are in good health, if we ignore creaking joints.

I made my usual hunting trip to Canada with my buddy, spending almost all of October in Saskatchewan (half way up, and near the Alberta border). Duck hunting was different than usual. It had rained for half of August and most of September, so almost no barley was harvested. It was still in swaths — a cafeteria for ducks. However, the ducks decided to eat their meals at night, after shooting time in the evening and before shooting opened in the morning. That was partly caused by previous shooting by local people who couldn't harvest. As a result we had no shooting over decoys in the fields. But we did get some good pass shooting between some sloughs. That is more fun anyway. Altogether we got 104 ducks, 1 goose, 13 ruffed grouse (very badly down this year), and 16 sharptail grouse (lots of them, but we do not hunt them much). Perfect weather, and thoroughly enjoyable. Visited with a lot of friends up there. Fine people — almost as nice as Aussies and Kiwis!! Most are of German extraction, and some of them are the original settlers in that area of the 1930's. Interesting.

While I was up there, Tommy visited friends and relatives upstate and in Iowa.

The only hunting we did in Wisconsin this year was deer hunting, which opened November 20th. This year neither of us received a Hunters Choice permit, so we were limited to bucks only. The first day I saw and shot at five bucks by 1 pm, at ranges of from 30 to 100 yards. Never have seen more than two in a whole season. We also saw 47 other deer that day. That was in a shotgun-only area, so I used my Rem. 870 skeet gun and rifled slugs. Killed the first and fifth ones. Flinched on one and missed two more, assisted by Tommy's misses on one of them. The one I brought home weighed about 125 pounds and had 3 points on each side. Not big, but a nice one and good eating. Gave the other one (about the same) to the people with whom we stay. Some of you met them here in 1974 — Bill and Norma Johnson. I shot a Canada goose on the way home from there at Horicon Marsh. This makes a lot of dope on hunting, but some of you are hunters and may be interested.

I had a **very bad** year on trap except for two good scores at the Grand, 196 and 199 on Sunday and Monday, which won me the Senior Veteran (over 70) trophies. Broke 99 in the state skeet shoot for a Senior Veteran trophy also.

Our winter season weekly events started at the Club in December and run through April. That will keep me busy on Saturdays and Sundays. Our total targets thrown at the Club this year will be about 1,800,000, which is down 4.4% from 1979. All of the difference is accounted for by two registered shoots practically rained out. The State shoot had 891 shooters in the 16 yard event, down from 918. (We have had 1001 and 1111 in recent past years). The 457,025 state shoot targets represented a 6.6% drop from 1979. Our "depression" has hurt shooting some, but not too bad, especially locally. Milwaukee area industry has helped us better than that in most of the country.

We recovered shot at the Club again. We do that every 6 or 7 years when it accumulates sufficiently. We got 256 tons this time, mostly sold at 31c per pound. That came in handy.

These figures are given, as I know many of you are involved with club management etc. over there. Have any of your clubs recovered shot?

Our winter is just getting a start. We had 4 or 5 inches of snow a couple of weeks ago, but it all melted again. What we get from now on will stay until March. But with snow plowing it doesn't inconvenience us very much. Of course, we have to

plow it off several acres at the Club to clear 6 traps and 5 skeet fields, plus the parking lot, for our winter shooting. But that isn't too bad with a six-foot plow on our pickup truck. Once we did have to get in some heavy machinery to move it, as it was too deep.

Winter is our best season at the Club from the standpoint of participation by our own members. We have from 60 to 150 shooters every Sunday morning for our little 50 and 25 target trap and skeet events. We will probably have 150-200 next Sunday for our annual Xmas Basket shoot. Prizes for that are baskets full of everything for a Xmas dinner for a family. Last week we had 125 trap and 49 skeet entries.

I just received my October issue of the Australian Clay Target News. I noted several of your names in it for various achievements.

Our people here, who met you at the Club, wish you the very best for the coming year. We are always glad to see you, and even to just hear from you.

Sincerely,

Vic and Tommy Reinders
Waukesha Gun Club
Wisconsin U.S.A.

VALE

Clay target shooting in the Australasian area lost some strong supporters during the first part of 1981.

Stan Marsden of S. Marsden & Co. died early in the year. Mr Marsden was the principal of the sportsgoods distributor which handled the distribution of Winchester products in the South Island of New Zealand.

He has had a long association with the shooting sports, and was well known to many Australians because of his regular attendance at New Zealand National Championships.

Don Marsden, son of the principal, has been well groomed in the company's operations, and will now hold the reins.

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Closer to home, one of the most active administrators on the Victorian clay target scene died on February 5. He was George Breman, of Melbourne Gun Club.

George has been one of Australia's most experienced referees, in spite of the fact that he participated as a competitive clay target shooter only for a limited time.

George Breman first became involved in the sport when, after marrying into the Henwood family, he used to be the sole voice talking about football at a time that everybody else was talking about clay busting.

Accepting the old axiom that "if you can't beat 'em, join 'em!" George took up clay target shooting. However, it did not take him long to realise that as a competitor, his future was severely limited. So, he turned to refereeing, and quickly became very knowledgeable, especially in terms of procedures.

In 1978, George was appointed as Shoot Marshall for the Australian Trap and Skeet Championships, which were held in Adelaide.

Since that time, he has been appointed a Trap and Skeet Referee Examiner, and has spent much of his time in the training of young referees.

President Ron Porter and his Executive Committee wish to express the deep sympathy felt by all clay busters throughout Australia for Mrs Evelyn Breman and her family and the Henwood clan in their tragic loss.

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EDITOR'S MAILBOX

Dear Noel,

Through the pages of CTSN, I wish to advise readers of the wonderful book that has just been launched by clay busting notable George Biggs.

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TASMANIA'S FIRST MAJOR SPONSORED CARNIVAL A GREAT SUCCESS

from Ken Coppleman, State Publicity Officer.

The Tasmanian Amateur Shotgun Association's Trap Carnival sponsored by "Skilled Engineering" in November last proved to all the critics that Sperry Marshall is the State's top shooter, backed up by his High Gun win and numerous trophies gained over the two day shoot.

The Saturday's events got under way in cool, overcast conditions but surprisingly good light for shooting. The 30 Targets Double Barrel was the first of Sperry Marshall's victories but not until after a hard tussle with Rod Cannell. Sperry's winning score was 50/50. The "B" Grade winner, Nannette McCallum, as predicted, proved the top woman shooter of the Carnival. As with Sperry, this was her first of numerous wins for the weekend with a score of 30/30. The "C" Grade winner was Bryan Anderson with a top score of 29/30. The front markers' trophy went to Ian Aylett with 27/31.

The second event, 30 Targets Single Barrel, saw the position reversed in "A" Grade with Rod Cannell winning

outright 29/30. Claude Conlan from Huonville took "B" Grade honours with 27/31. The "C" Grade winner, Brett Smith, showed his ability with a fine score of 28/32. Saturday's final event, 15 pair Double Rise, was a great victory to Robbie Elmer, considering the fact he was using a borrowed gun after a mishap with a lever in his own. Robbie's score was a fine 27/30. "B" Grade was Nannette McCallum's second victory for the day with 24/30. "C" Grade saw Bruce Norton notch his first win for the Carnival with 22/30. The Ladies shared the victory honours with Janet Browning taking the front markers trophy 14/30.

Sunday's shooting was fortunately conducted under much better conditions but the competition proved just a little fierce compared to the previous day. The first event was a repetition of Saturday with Sperry Marshall taking the honours with a brilliant 90/90. Nannette McCallum also continued her good form with a fine 86/100 to win "B" Grade. "C" Grade was Bruce Norton's second win for the weekend with 80/90. Brett Smith continued his winning form with 78/90 to win the front markers' trophy.

The 30 target Handicap was the second event for the day and evened up the battle between Rod Cannell and Sperry Marshall with Rod emerging in first place with 35/36. Second place was mainland visitor, R. Christopher, who deserved his trophy after shooting consistently but without "Lady Luck" at his side. Third place saw that familiar name, Nannette McCallum, with 30/31.

The final event for the Carnival was 30 targets A.T.A. Single Barrel and was a departure from the usual with "A" Grade going to Leon Gray 30/30. The North West Coast got into the act with Burnie shooter, Richard Gardam taking "B" Grade with 29/30. Hobart Club Committeeman Stan Mansfield took "C" Grade honours with 29/30. Brett Smith capped off a good weekend with the front markers' trophy 29/30.

The High Gun winners over the Carnival were:—

"A" Grade: Sperry Marshall 264/295; "B" Grade: Nannette McCallum 218/250; "C" Grade: Bruce Norton 211/250; Front Marker: Brett Smith 179/250.

The "Skilled Engineering" State trap team was also decided at the Carnival. This team will compete at the Melbourne 1981 National Championships shoulder to shoulder teams match, and are sponsored in the form of airfare paid by "Skilled Engineering", the inaugural sponsors of the State Trap Carnival.

The team members are:—

Sperry Marshall, Rod Cannell, Nannette McCallum, Paul Marshall and Claude Conlan.



• Victorian visiting shooter R. Christopher (left) congratulates Sperry Marshall on Sperry's win in the shoot-off to decide high gun for the 2 day carnival.

NEW DEVELOPMENT SUB-COMMITTEE

At the Management Committee meeting held in Canberra in January, Paul Cains was appointed Chairman of the Development Sub-committee.

The development of our sport is essential for it to withstand the challenge of the eighties. Four elected representatives have been charged with the task, and the National Ground is obviously our top priority and every effort is being made with this project.

There are other ideas which have been initiated by the Executive of its own accord, or from members' State Associations. One such idea which is in the pipe-line is a promotional poster for clubs to display in their local gun-shops, advising customers when and where their clubs shoot. The object of this idea is to try and get more shooters into your club — development of membership.

Whilst there are other schemes awaiting our attention, this committee was reconstituted on the understanding and full approval of the Management Committee that suggestions be invited from every reader of our magazine.

This is a direct channel for your ideas and we are looking forward to your response. Any subject relating to the sport will be considered be it related to membership drives, financial matters, publicity, promotions or anything you like.

In the first instance these suggestions will be considered by the Sub-committee and an initial evaluation made. Those which require a particular knowledge will be referred to experts in the field who will be co-opted onto the sub-committee for that purpose.

If these experts give a favourable report, the project will be referred to the National Executive for its approval.

The sub-committee is very aware of the need for communication within our sport, and therefore subsequent reports will be made on the nature and progress of your suggestions. We look forward to your response which should be marked "Development" and addressed to the National Office — P.O. Box 198, BLACKBURN Vic. 3130.



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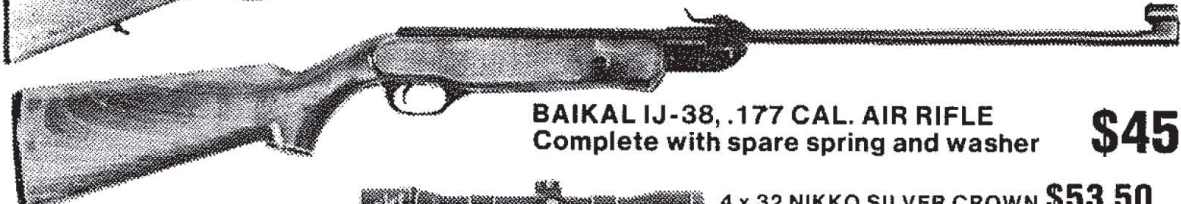
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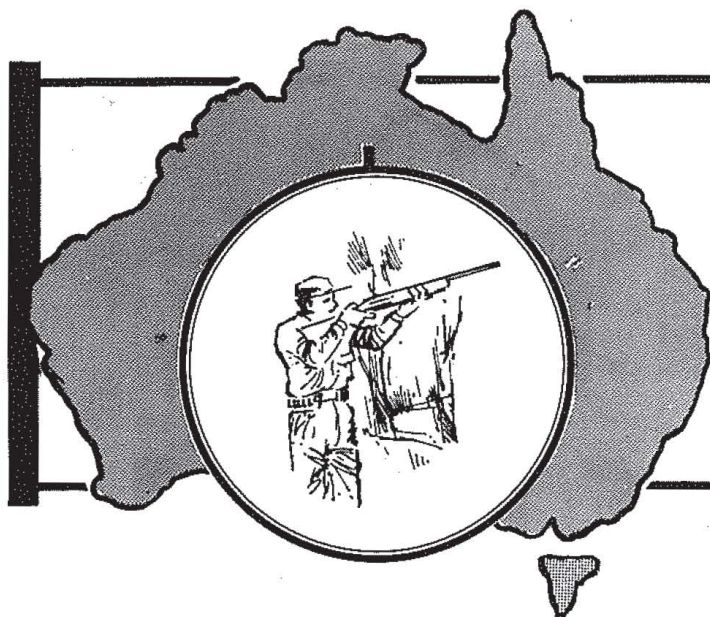
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CLUB NEWS

Berridale Gun Club (NSW) Joining the growing list of clubs which are offering jackpot sweeps on monthly programs, is the Berridale Gun Club. At the time of writing, the jackpot stands at \$250, which is the maximum level.

The club recently held its Annual General Meeting, at which Mr Lyn Britt was elected President. Noel Carter of P.O. Box 879, Cooma, 2630 is Secretary, while Bob Walters is Club Captain.

The club shoots on the second Saturday of each month, commencing at 1.30 p.m.

Dubbo Gun Club (NSW)

During February, the Dubbo Gun Club moved to its new shooting grounds, which are situated on the Mendooran Road, about 11 kilometers north-east of Dubbo. The grounds feature a large modern brick clubhouse, with all supporting facilities.

The site is flat and open, with a background that can be matched by few clubs in Australia. Provision has been made for four DTL fields, and ample room exists for future skeet and simulated field installations.

To find the club travelling from Dubbo, take the Newell Highway north to Brocklehurst, then turn right and follow signs along the Mendooran Road to the club site.

As soon as the initial testing of facilities and equipment is completed, the club intends to hold a Grand Official Opening.

Bendigo Clay Target Club (Vic)

There was great excitement at Bendigo Clay Target Club in Central Victoria early in January, when Dean, the son of the club Secretary Glenn Woodhatch, won the Club Double Barrel Championship. Dean is only 12 years old, and shot like a veteran to outlast a field which included many well known names.

The question is now being asked whether Dean is the youngest competitor ever to win an open championship in Australian clay target shooting history.

Weipa Gun Club (Q'ld)

The Weipa Gun Club is located in far northern Queensland, and is one of Australia's most remote.

However, its inaccessibility does nothing to dampen the enthusiasm, and regular visits to the club are made by other clay target enthusiasts, who normally travel by plane.

The club held its Annual General Meeting recently, and elected Mr J. Williamson to the position of President.

Secretary is the popular Peter Hutchinson, who is also Club Coach.

Kallangur Gun Club (Q'ld)

Advice has been received from Kallangur Gun Club that Secretary John Smith has resigned.

The incoming Secretary is Mr Bruce Jones of 11 Edith St. Alderley, Queensland, 4051.

Roma Gun Club (Q'ld)

Two of the most influential and popular members of the Roma Gun Club were recently farewelled, following their decision to move to the Queensland coast.

The famous two-some are Richard and Rhondda, who have sold their property "Avenell" which ends an era in the Roma area.

The club took the opportunity of combining the farewell with the Christmas shoot, and the attendance was a great compliment to the popularity of Richard and Rhondda.

Richard has been the Western Zone Roach whilst based at Roma, in addition to being one of the two Queensland delegates to the National Executive Committee.

Heathcote Gun Club (Vic)

At the Annual General Meeting of the Heathcote Gun Club, Mr J. Maxwell was elected as President.

Mrs Jan Williams of 38 High St., Heathcote was elected Secretary, and replaces Mr Ray Koch who has held office almost since the inception of the club.

Ray was involved in a tragic shooting incident during 1979, in which he was critically injured.

Ray is Officer-in-charge of the Heathcote Police Station, and was shot whilst trying to apprehend a notorious armed offender.

Fortune and courage looked favorably on Ray, who has now made a sufficiently good recovery that has enabled him to return to work.

Echuca Gun Club (Vic)

Office bearers for the Echuca Gun Club for 1981 are: President, Mr Bill Wickham; Secretary, Mr Laurie Bernard, of South Boundary Rd, Kyabram, 3620.

The club is settling in well to its new spacious surroundings, which featured in a story that appeared in the February issue of Clay Target Shooting News.

Korumburra Gun Club (Vic)

Club Publicity Officer Tom Gannon, advises that despite a general fall in attendances at club matches during 1980, the club experienced a rise in its operating surplus. The biggest single factor in the increase seems to have been the resurrected Friday night shoots, which culminated in an attendance of 56 in December.

Half price nominations for junior and women had also helped attendances.

These points were made by re-elected President Alan Sydenham of Leongatha, at the club's Annual Meeting.

The club has entered 1981 with a credit balance of \$2,200, which is \$400 more than at the same time in the previous year. This is a remarkable performance when one considers the club has paid \$2,100 for a pair of new automatic skeet traps.

Shayne Wishart of Wonthaggi, is the incoming Secretary, and takes the place of Ken Brown who is a foundation committeeman of the 15 year old club.

Bunbury Clay Target Club (W.A.)

Mrs June Roach, Secretary of Bunbury Clay Target Club, has advised that at the recent Annual General Meeting, Ross Sylvester was elected President. This club is another in the growing list of clubs which are experiencing tenancy problems due to development of other community activities in adjoining areas.

Tennant Creek Clay Target Club (N.T.)

The list of 1981 office bearers for the Tennant Creek Clay Target Club includes the following: President, Nevill J. Seis; Secretary, Edward Mein, of P.O. Box 533, Tennant Creek, N.T. 5760.

Deniliquin Gun Club (NSW)

This club held its 1980 Annual General Meeting on December 15.

The meeting resulted in the election of the following office bearers: President, John Whittakers; Secretary/Treasurer, Denise Barkley.

Barmera Gun Club (S.A.)

The 1980 Annual General Meeting of the Barmera Gun Club saw the end to an era when Mr R. C. Wylie retired as Club Secretary.

His position has been taken by Mr P. Winzen, of 1 Coneybeer St, Berrie, 5343.

Peter Caddy has been elected for a further term as Club President.

Lake Ablert Gun Club (S.A.)

Mr D. R. Semmler was re-elected as President of the Lake Albert Gun Club, when it held its Annual General Meeting late in November 1980. However, the meeting saw a change in Secretary, with the incoming officer being Mrs V.J. Semmler, of Falkner St, Meningie, 5264.

West Wyalong Gun Club (NSW)

The Annual General Meeting of the West Wyalong Gun Club was held on December 4, and resulted in the following members being elected to office for 1981. The President is Mr Vic Kalms, who replaces Mr Graham Bolte although Graham has remained on the Committee as Vice President.

The incoming Secretary is Mr Rob Fuller, of 46 Maitland St, West Wyalong.

AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED, THE West Wyalong Gun Club will open its new Olympic trench facility on March 7 and 8.

Dorriggo Gun Club (NSW)

As proof that a dedicated clay target shooting administrator can never completely leave the scene, Mrs Dianne Davis has accepted a position as Secretary of the Dorriggo Gun Club.

Dianne has just retired from her previous position as Secretary of the New South Wales Clay Target Association, and will be a great asset to Dorriggo.

At the club's Annual General Meeting held recently, Mr A. Mitchell was re-elected as President for a further term. ○

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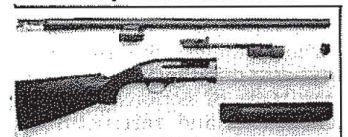
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WEST AUSTRALIA

ALBANY, 11-1-81 — Hot & Stormy (18). Opening shoot 50 DB Pts Common Mark: Norma Ball (Kojonup) 140-150. D. Slee 135-150. S. Leach (Katanning) 134-150.

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ESPERANCE, 16-1-81 — Fine, cool (24). 30DB Night Shoot: L. Naylor 28-30. E. Gorrett 27-30. M. Tester 22-30.

PERTH, 17-1-81 — Fine, warm, fresh S/W wind (35). 50T Trap DB Grd: 'A' J. Eddy 58-59. M. Callaghan 57-59. 'B' W. Kennamer 58-60. D. Fracaro 57-60. 'C' I. Cargeeg 45-50. R. Franklin 44-50.

AUSTRALIAN SHOOTING ASSOCIATION RESTRUCTURE

(Staff Writer)

The Council of the Australian Shooting Association met in Canberra during the Australia Day Weekend, and approved a time table of actions, which will lead (hopefully) to a re-constituted and restructured ASA being operational soon after July 1981.

An outside consultant is being considered as the best means of directing the procedures, and government support for such an appointment is being sought.

Existing and potential affiliates of the ASA will be kept fully informed of developments and will have the opportunity to be involved in the planning stages.

The final details will be confirmed at a formal conference to be held towards the end of June. Further information will be reported in CTSN as it becomes available.



SOUTH AUSTRALIA

ALEXANDER, 18-1-81 — Warm & pleasant (43). Milang Skeet Ch: OA & 0-1 Ray Kimber 66-68. 2-4 Rick Brown 47-52. 5-10 Don Peek 45-56. K. & B. Jarvis DB Ch: OA 'A' Ron Wimshurst 70-70. Tony Rohlach 69-70. 'B' John Fleetwood 47-47. Ron Hill 40-47. 'C' Ron Mueller 24-25. D. Freundt 30-33. DB Grd Event: 'A' Leighton Martin 31-31. Ron Wimshurst 30-31. 'B' John Fleetwood 31-31. Ron Hill 30-31. 'C' Don Peek 28-30. H. Chibnall 29-33. Taipan HG: Ray Kimber 141-150.

Special thanks to Ken and Bev Jarvis for terrific trophies and to Sid and Elva from Taipan, for the High Gun Cup. Phone (08) 337 8453 Leighton Martin, President.

BARMERA, 3-1-81 — Fine & Hot (27). 25T Skeet Hop Sweeps: Div by 12 shooters. 20T S.A. Sportsgoods Hop: B. Harrington 21-21. R. Howell 20-21. A. Dipaolo 31-33. 11-14 G. Koch 19-20. 15-17 B. Spencer 19-20. 18-25 P. Winzen 19-20. 25T Anniv. Skeet Chp: P. Winzen 25-25. G. Izard 38-39. R. Maywalk 37-39. High Gun: P. Winzen 68-70.

BARMERA, 4-1-81 — Fine - Warm (33). 50T Grd Skeet: 'A' G. Bollen 49-50. P. Tassone 57-80. G. Wakefield 56-60. 'B' L. Seibert 47-51. G. Koch 48-51. L. Moia 45-50. 'C' Rita Maywald 41-50. B. Harrington 38-50. State DD Chp: C. Kneebone & R. Duthie 19-20. P. Tassone & R. Robertson 19-23. 30T Local Products Hop: 18-25 L. Pfeiler 29-30. J. Blythman 30-32. P. Winzen 29-32. 15-17 T. King 29-30. B. Prevedello 32-34. H. Nunn 31-34. 11-14 A. Dipaolo 29-30. G. Koch 25-30. High Gun: L. Pfeiler 77-80. High Gun Sash over 2 days: J. Blythman 137-150.

BORDERTOWN, 1-1-81 — Hot & Sultry (23). Williams Family Hop: R. Hinge 20-20. N. Block 30-31. D. Flavel 30-32. DB 25T Grd Chp: OA & 'B' C. Jarred 27-27. G. Dinning 26-27. 'A' D. Flavel 43-44. R. Pitt 42-44. 'C' B. Case 28-29. E. Jarred 27-29. Veteran G. Dinning. Ladies L. Andrews. FM G. Parham.

We thank Mr & Mrs Williams for their trophy. Mrs Williams also won the ladies drawn trophy.

LAKE ALBERT, 4-1-81 — Fine & Warm (38). 10T Jnr Event: T. Ayres 10-10. 25T Hop: W. Cornwell 25-25. R. Semmler 37-38. A. Harding 36-38. Best 11-14m G. Steer 28-30. 25T New Year PS Chp: 'A' & OA K. Harding 78-78. D. Beelitz 65-75. 'B' M. Harding 75-78. T. Selby 71-75. 'C' D. Howell 72-75. C. Steer 69-75. High Gun M. Harding 98-100.

MALLALA, 11-1-81 — Fine & Hot (33). 20T DB 15M J. Kallin OA Trophy: G. Nelson 22-22. R. Franks 21-22. P. O'Sullivan 20-21. 20T Cont 15m Club Trophies: B. Carter 19-20. G. Nelson 20-22. I. Newell 19-22. 10T DB 25M: B. Finch 9-10. J. Ellis 8-10.

MALLALA, 26-1-81 — Hot with rain (24). 20T Hop Mallala Hotel Trophy: G. Nelson 37-38. B. Finch 36-38. B. Carter 28-30. 20T DB 15m J. Ronan Trophy: B. Finch. T. Rohrlach 20-20. G. Nelson. R. Franks 19-20.

MANNUM, 28-12-80 — Windy (39). 25T Cash Div: 'A' D. Lymn. A. Rohrlach. P. Mules 25-25. 'B' R. Thompson 24-25. D. Hurst 23-25. 'C' M. Hein & I.J. Richardson 22-25. Jr Prize D. Gawley 21-25. M. Cornish 19-25. Mannum SB Ch: 25t: 'A' D. Lymn 24-25. J. Finis 23-26. 'B' C. Wohlfeil 21-25. R. Thompson 21-27. 'C' I.J. Richardson 21-25. M. Hein 20-25. High Gun Medallion was won by D. Lymn 49-50.

MANNUM, 11-1-81 — Warm & Fine (23). Patrons Grade Event 25 T: 'A' J. Holder 24-25. B. Hill 33-35. 'B' A. Williams 25-25. D. Hurst 28-29. 'C' D. Howell 22-25. K. Braun 21-25. Lower Murray D.B. Chp 25T: OA Badge & Sash A. Rohrlach 73-73. 'A' A. Rohrlach 73-73. J. Blain 72-73. 'B' D. Hurst 35-36. C. Wohlfeil 34-36. 'C' F. Ezley 24-25. D. Howell 22-25. 20T Cash Div: 'A' K. Sandercock & A. Rohrlach 20-20. 'B' I. Hein & D. Humphrey 20-20. 'C' K. Braun 19-20. High Gun Medallion was won by A. Rohrlach 60-62.

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MILLICENT, 18-1-81 — Overcast & Windy (29). 20T Winchester Hop: N. McKinnon 25-26. W. Irvine 24-26. L. Stone 23-25. 25T Cont Chp: OA & 'A' R. Hammat 28-29. T. Denardis 22-25. 'B' A. McIntyre 27-29. G. Todd 35-37. 'C' I. Minge 21-25. W. Sinclair 20-25. FM M. Zema 17-25. 15T Cont Cash Div: G. Steele 15-15. W. Irvine and T. Reschke 14-15.

MT. GAMBIER, 4-1-81 — Fine & Warm (59). EO Medley 5 DB. 5 SB. 5 DR: J. Humphris. T. Reschke 19-20. Taylor & Schleter Medley Marathon 20 DB 20 SB 10 Pr DR: OA & 'A' M. Medhurst 56-60. J. Humphris 61-68. 'B' A. Cowin 61-68. A. Bant 59-68. 'C' W. Sinclair 48-60. P. McQuade 47-60. FM I. Minge Trophy Hop 15t: G. Johnstone 25-25. H. Squires 28-29. T. Niven 27-29. BM F. Taylor.

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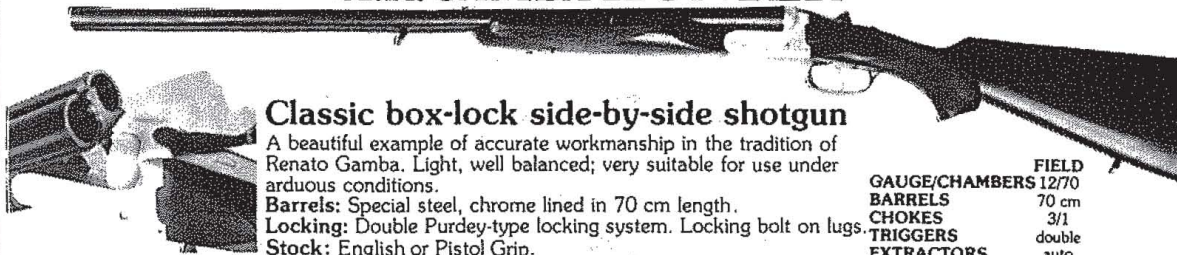
NOARLUNGA CITY, 7-1-81 — Excellent (39). 10T PS CD: I. Shand. W. Chibnall 30. 20T PS Grade D 15m: 'A' J. Gerogies. 'B' I. Shand. 'C' W. Chibnall. 20T DB Hop Cash Div: 1 possible M. Gawley. 10 pr DR: W. Chibnall. High Gun J. Gerogies.

PT. LINCOLN, 1-1-81 — Overcast & Windy (16). 25T Skeet Hop: G. Docking. M. Johnson. M. Ward. A. Phillips. R. Pitt. P. Myketasch. D. Lawrie & T. Stratford. 50T A.T.A. PS: Max Curtis 147-150. M. Ward 139-150. P. Myketasch 137-150.

SOUTHERN, 11-1-81 — Fine, warm, slight breeze (49). Spilsbury's Hardware DB Hop 20T: J. Fishlock 16.0 20-20. H.J. Chibnall 15.0 34-35. K. Hobbs 15.0 33-35. Ydge G. Paterson 11.0 19-21. Sthn G.c. db chp 25T: 'A' R. Mules 32-33. J. Gerogies 31-33. 'B' R. Hill 28-31. B.C. Newell 28-31. 'C' & Badge D. Gawley 28-28. J. Fishlock 22-28. Ladies enc Mrs B.R. Dower 25-29. 11-12.0 enc Mrs D. Humberstone 20-25. Hotel Victor High Gun Trophy J. Fishlock 45-45.

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BAIRNSDALE, 3-1-81 — Warm & Overcast with wind gusts (34). 10T Pts CD: J. Aukema, M. Huggins, R. Laurence, J. Hollonds, G. Bennett, S. Hollonds, W. Bird, L. Curtis. 30T DB Chp: OA & 'B' L. Hine 30-30, F. Curtis 47-48, 'A' L. Curtis 32-34, B. Hall 31-34, 'C' A. Collins 32-35, R. Pollomounter 42-46. 20T Hcp: J. Guy 38-38, B. Hopkins 38-39, J. Aukema 37-39. 50 T Skeet: A. Cousins 57-60, A. Brown 56-60, J. Aukema 45-50. Cake Shoot L. Hine.

BANDIANA AREA ARMY, 25-1-81 — Fine & Hot (21). 10T DB EO: Peter Simmons, Brian Liersch, Esmond Muller, Karen Sojkowski. 20T DB Chp: OA & 'A' Brian Liersch 54-55, 'B' Peter Simmons 25-27, 'C' Mick Tschirpig 53-55. 20T DB Hcp: Hank Hauck 25-25, Mick Tschirpig 24-25, Jim O'Bryan 24-25. OA High Gun Mick Tschirpig 48-50, Jnr High Gun Darren Wright 21-50.

BENDIGO, 3-1-81 — Windy, humid. (54). 10T DB EO: Shot by 16 shooters. 20T DB Grd Chp: 'C' & OA D. Woodhatch 29-29, B. Billing 26-27, 'A' J. Shepherd 28-29, G. Willett 28-29, 'B' G. Bollen 28-29, J. Landry 24-25. 20T SB Grd Chp: 'A' & OA J. Whittaker 23-23, R. Allen 22-23, 'B' G. Woodhatch 24-25, B. Treloar 23-25, 'C' R. Harvey 19-20, G. Jones 23-25. 5T off 11m, 5T off 20m DB Cash Div: B. Treloar, A. Johns, T. Boucher, A. James, R. Allen, J. Woodhatch, L. Brown & G. Woodhatch 10-10. High Gun R. Allen.

BENDIGO, 21-1-81 — Good (51). 15T DB Hcp: G. Hartley 33-33, N. Lindrea 32-33, G. Woodhatch 25-26, BM R. McKenzie 13-15. 20T DB Grd Chp: 'A' N. Nappier 20-20, A. James 31-32, 'B' G. Woodhatch 25-25, B. Harrington 24-25, 'C' G. Hartley 20-20, R. Cambridge 26-27, FM Darren Knight 16-20.

BENDIGO, 26-1-81 — Very hot with rain storms (96). 20T PS Grd Chp: 'A' A. James 105-108, J. Shepherd 72-75, 'B' & OA A. Calandro 108-108, T. Foster 74-75, 'C' N. Garland 69-72, A. Breen 63-68. 20T Gp Met Hcp: 11-14m & OA G. Hartley 47-47, K. Elliott 46-47, 15-17m P. Calandro 34-35, R. Durbridge 21-22, 18-20m D. Diaz 31-32, R. Christopher 24-26, 21-25m W. Calaby 19-20, G. Willett 22-24. 25T C'wealth Walk up Grd: 'A' & OA B. Rafferty 23-25, C. Knight 26-29, 'B' P. Tate 22-25, R. Lamaro 34-40, 'C' E. Calandro 20-25, B. Pay 23-30. High Gun B. Rafferty 134-145, Ladies High Gun Mrs J. Woodhatch 89-105.

G. G. Woodhatch, 43 0552.

BOORT, 11-1-81 — Fine & Warm (26). 20T DB Grd Chp: 'A' K. Burton, B. James, 'B' & OA R. Durbridge, T. Trainor, 'C' G. Chalmers, G. Broad. 20T SB Chp: T. Hill, R. Coombes, K. Burton. 10T Trophy Hcp: G. Broad, F. Taylor, N. Lehman. 10T SS 5 off 15m, 5 off 20m: B. Napier 10-10, B. James, L. Baker, K. Burton, R. Coombes, M. Burbridge, G. Broad and N. Napier 9-10.

BOORT, 23-1-81 — Fine & cool, strong southerly breeze (26). 10T EO 15m: L. Knight, B. James, L. Baker & A. Coutts. 20T Mysia Grd Chp: 'A' & OA B. James 20-20, C. Reid 18-20, 'B' A. Coutts 26-28, L. Baker 25-26, 'C' G. Broad 18-20, G. Tallis 17-20. 10T Trophy Hcp: L. Baker 11-11, A. Coutts 10-11, R. Rigney 17-18.

CALLAWADDA/STAWELL, 17-1-81 — Hot (47). 50T DB Chp: OA D. Flavel 67-67, 'A' P. Bloomfield 60-61, C. Dooly 57-58, 'B' M. Martin 66-67, R. Bell 53-54, 'C' L. Pitt 49-50, A. Krantz 48-50. 20T Hcp: E. Pitt 25-25, J. Weston 25-25, R. Durbridge 25-25, BM (22-25m) D. Flavel 18-20.

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Tuesday April 14, Commencing 9 a.m.

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Event 1

50 TARGET PRE-NATIONAL DOUBLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP GRADED

O/A Winner Sash & Trophy, Two Grade Winners Ribbon & Trophy.
Trophy 2nd Each Grade, Trophy Ladies & Junior. \$1.00 O/A Sweep.

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25 TARGET PRE-NATIONAL SINGLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP GRADED

O/A Winner Sash & Trophy, Two Grade Winners Ribbon & Trophy.
Trophies 2nd Each Grade, Trophy Ladies & Junior.

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Event 3

25 TARGET WINCHESTER SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP

1st Sash & Trophy, Trophies 2nd & 3rd, Trophy Ladies.

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Wednesday April 15, Commencing 9 a.m.

SPONSOR FOR THIS DAY ELEY AUSTRALIA

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50 TARGET ELEY PRE-NATIONAL SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP GRADED A B C

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Trophies 2nd Each Grade, Trophies Ladies & Junior. \$1.00 O/A Sweep.

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Event 2

50 TARGET ELEY PRE-NATIONAL POINTS CHAMPIONSHIP GRADED

Trophies 2nd Each Grade, Trophies Ladies & Junior. \$1.00 O/A Sweep.

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VICTORIAN CLAY TARGET ASSOCIATION PRE-NATIONALS PROGRAM APRIL 14, 15 & 16, 1981

HOSTS THE FINAL SHOOT OF WINCHESTER TOURNAMENT

LOCATION : MELBOURNE GUN CLUB

Thursday April 16, Commencing 9 a.m.

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1st Sash & Trophy, Trophies 2nd & 3rd, Trophies Ladies.

GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 17

COMMENCING 2 P.M.

**TRAP & SKEET
PRACTICE**

25 TARGETS FOR \$3.00.

CERBERUS, 3-1-81 — It did not snow (32). 20T Pts: 'A' R. Garth 80-60, P. Heywood 59-60, 'B' D. Walker 92-99, A. Chandler 89-99, 'C' W. Clapham 53-60, C. Chandler 51-60, O.A. R. Garth. 20T Cerberus Circles: 'A' G. Ash 19-20, N. Quick 36-40, 'B' A. Chandler 27-30, P.R. Arnold 26-30, 'C' P. Bacon 17-20, W. Clapham 16-20, O.A. G. Ash. 20T DB Chp: 'A' N. Quick 46-46, G. Scarce 45-46, 'B' B. Woodward 29-30, P.R. Arnold 23-24, 'C' P. Collins 27-28, C. Chandler 26-28, O.A. N. Quick.

COHUNA, 9-1-81 — Fine, hot (50). Novice: P. Kelly 10-10, G. Ricky 9-10. 10T SB PS EO: B. Treloar, P. Dickinson, B. Reade, M. Makeham, F. Day. Club SB Grd Chp: 'B' & O.A. K. Fletcher 20-20, J. Saville 19-20, 'A' L. Knight 19-20, N. Napier 20-22, 'C' K. Bruns 20-21, R. Lungghusen 19-21, C.G. & T.M. O'Brien 10T Hcp: P. Kelly 42-42, N. Turner 41-42, C. Turvey 27-28, FM R. Warren 11-12, B.M.L. Knight 9-10. Off fence: S. Wilkins.

COHUNA, 24-1-81 — Day Program... Very Hot (72). 10T PS EO: G. Lee, A. James, L. Brown, R. Warren, J. Makeham, N. Rogers, D. Head, C. Bowman, T. Dehne, A.C. Penny, J. Saville, P. Dickinson, W. Calaby, G. Willets. 20T Gunbower Island SB Grd Chp: 'B' & O.A. T. Gean 47-48, R. Rigney 25-27, 'A' A. James 46-48, L. Brown 34-36, 'C' A. Mabin 23-25, S. Rigney 29-22. 20T Club Chp/Chp DB Grd Chp: 'C' & O.A. S. Rigney 83-83, T. Dehne 29-30, 'B' J. McElvogue 51-52, F. Jones 44-45, 'A' G. Willets 82-83, R. Fowler 54-55, 10 pr Murray River DR Grd Chp: 'A' & O.A. A. James 27-30, K. Burton 25-30, 'B' R. Rigney 40-50, T. Gean 39-50, 'C' C. Bowman 31-40, A. Mabin 30-40. 10T SS: A. James, L. Brown, R. Warren, N. Rogers, T. Gean, K. Walton, S. Wilkins, F. Jones, B. Reade, P. Dickinson, S. Rigney, G. Willets, J. Doyle, J. Boote shared cash Div.

COHUNA, 24-1-81 — Night Program, Fine, hot (52). 10 pr DDEO: W. Calaby - G. Willet, G. Lee - N. Turner, B. Reade - J. Saville shared cash Div. 20 pr State night DD Chp: A. James - L. Brown 20-20, W. Calaby - G. Willets 19-20. 30T North West Zone SB Grd Chp: 'C' & O.A. K. Bruns 38-41, A. Mabin 28-31, 'B' R. Rigney 37-41, F. Jones 30-33, 'A' A. James 34-37, G. Lee 33-37. Off Fence: G. Lee, Ladies High Gun: E. Rogers 72-90. Mens High Gun Sash & Trophy: R. Rigney 83-90.

COLBABBIN, 10-1-81 — Night, cool, fine (45). 20T Red Cross DB Chp: O.A. & 'C' T. Sofra 38-38, 'C' D. Cheong 22-23, 'B' B. Santon 20-20, T. Boucher 44-45, 'A' N. Berry 37-38, J. Whittakers 34-35. 20T Grd Hcp: 11-15m Mrs Rogers 28-28, 11-15m D. Cheong 44-45, 16-19m M. Davis & A. Johns 20-20. 20-25m G. Willett 33-33, 20-25m N. Berry 32-33.

DONALD, 4-1-81 — Warm (22). 10T EO 15m: D. Flavel, R. Hounsell 10-10, G. McKenzie 10-10. 20T Club DB Grd Chp: O.A. & 'A' S. Newcombe 20-20, 'A' D. Flavel 27-28, 'B' G. Thatcher 18-20, June Gawth 19-23, 'C' D. Williams 18-20, M. Burbidge 17-20. 20T Novelty 10T 11m, 10T 18m: M. Martin 20-20, June Gawth 20-20, D. Flavel, S. Newcombe, P. Bloomfield 19-20.

ECUCLA, 11-1-81 — Windy (105). DB Chp 20T: O.A. 'A' N. Berry 50-50, R. Allen 49-50, 'B' B. Griffin 31-32, M. Leonard 59-60, 'C' R. Lungghusen 22-23, W. Hickford 21-22. Ladies A. Grice 18-20, F.M.B. Bradley, SB Chp 15T: O.A. 'A' F. James 32-32, G. Veith 25-26, 'B' W. Woodhouse 19-20, W. Wickham 15-16, 'C' C. Calandro 31-32, T. Sofra 15-16, Ladies J. Woodhatch FM P. Kelly 14-15. 15T Hcp: 11-14m G. Prior 23-23, 15-18m A. Calandro, 22-25m G. Willett 19-19, Ladies J. Treloar 22-23. 50T Skeet Chp: 'A' J. Whittakers 50-50, 'B' Anne Grice 45-50, 'C' K. Bruns 47-50.

EUROA, 25-1-81 — Hot & still (32). 30T Medley Chp: G. Willet 50-50, A. Breen 119-120, K. Mourey 118-120, FM Mark Leonard 47-50. 20T Trophy Hcp: M. Leonard 110-110, P. Calandro 109-110, Mark Leonard 49-50, BM J. King 20-21. 20T Cont Chp: J. King 123-123, G. Willet 122-123, K. McKendrick 58-59, FM L. Braybon 34-35.

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MARCH PROGRAM

SUNDAY, MARCH 1

- 12 noon start
- Event 1 10T P.S. EO CD Noms \$3.00
- Event 2 20T GRD DB CHAMP
1st & 2nd each Grade
Sash for OA Winner. Ribbons other Grades
Noms \$6.00
OS \$1.00
- Event 3 15T GRD CONT CHAMP
1st & 2nd each Grade
Sash for OA Winner. Ribbons other Grades
Noms \$4.50
OS \$1.00
- Event 4 10T NOVELTY TOWER EVENT
(Duck Shooting practice)
1st, 2nd & 3rd
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OS \$1.00
- Event 5 50T GRADED SKEET CHAMP
1st only each A.B.C.
Sash for O/A Winner. Ribbons other Grades.
Noms \$10.00
OS \$3.00

* * OTHER EVENTS TIME PERMITTING * *

SUNDAY, MARCH 8

NO SHOOT

SUNDAY, MARCH 15

- 12 noon start
- * * ALL CASH DAY * *
- Event 1 10T P.S. EO CD Noms \$3.00
- Event 2 50T GRADED DB
1st & 2nd each A.B.C.
Noms \$11.00
OS \$3.00

- Event 3 50T GRADED SKEET
1st only each A.B.C.
Noms \$10.00
Graded OS \$3.00
- Event 4 15T HANDICAP EVENT
1, 2, 3 and best 22-25 mtr.
Noms \$4.50
- Event 5 10 PAIR DD
Cash return to 1st & 2nd pairs
Noms \$3.00
OS \$1.00

SUNDAY, MARCH 22

ZZ SHOOT

SUNDAY, MARCH 29

- 12 noon start
- Event 1 10T P.S. EO CD Noms \$3.00
- Event 2 50T DB GRADED CHAMP
1st & 2nd each A.B.C.
Noms \$11.00
OS \$3.00
- Event 3 "15T GUN HANDICAP"
1st Shadow Auto Retail \$360
2nd Mec. Reloaded Retail \$130
3rd Tub Red Dot Powder Retail \$70
B/M 22/25 Tub Red Dot Powder Retail \$70
Noms \$10.00
OS \$1.00
- Event 4 25T BALL TRAP
3 groups 11-14, 15-19, 20-25.
1st & 2nd each Group.
Noms \$6.00
OS \$1.00
- Event 5 50T SKEET CHAMP
3 Groups 0-1, 2-4, 5-10.
1st each Group
Noms \$10.00
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The Committee reserves the right to amend the Program.

FOSTER, 10-1-81 — Cloudy (40). 10T Pts CD: 30-30 K. Gannon, R. Brand, J. Shellcot, N. Blunden. 15T DB Hcp: 11-12m Rex Jennings 18-18, P. Moss 17-18, 13-16m S. Wishart 15-15, S. Stokes 35-36, 17-25m J. Shellcot 15-15, J. Chapple 14-15. 10T SB Hcp: 10-10 L. Johnson, H. Wishart, K. Mayze, 5 pr DR: 10-10 Ken Lowry, 25-30 Laurie Skinner 23-30 R. Brand, High Gun L. Skinner, Fish Shoot K. Lowry.

FRANKSTON AUSTRALIAN, 28-12-80 — Hot, windy (73). 20T Pts Chp: 'A' A. Perdon 59-60, K. Rose 58-60, 'B' A. Blease 57-60, N. Sepe 58-60, 'C' M. Crofts 53-60, R. Pollamounter 52-60, OA A. Perdon 59-60, 20T DB Chp: 'A' K. Rose 28-29, G. Long 23-24, 'B' R. Standeven 29-29, N. Sepe 23-24, 'C' J. Law 18-20, M. Shandley 19-22, OA R. Standeven 29-29, 20T DB Hcp: A. Colvin 21-21, K. Rose 25-26, N. Quick 24-25, 20T SB Chp: 'A' S. Collins 34-36, G. Steele 33-36, 'B' K. Law 25-26, A. Blease 20-22, 'C' M. Crofts 18-20, L.G. Johnson 17-20, 50T Trench Chp: 'A' G. Long 67-75, I. Buchanan 64-75, 'B' G. Ash 68-75, M. Sepe 64-75, 'C' G. Steele 42-50, L. Chaplin 38-50, 50T Skeet Chp: 'A' R. Marshall 52-54, L. Johnson 48-51, 'B' S. Burke 47-54, N. Quick 43-54, 'C' L.G. Johnson 48-54, I. Murray 47-54.

FRANKSTON AUSTRALIAN, 6-1-81 — Fine (63). 20T Pts: 'A' R. Christopher 92-93, R. Schwarz 89-93, 'B' A. Cousens 59-60, R. Jennings 60-63, 'C' M. Shandley 54-60, P. Schwarz 55-63, OA R. Christopher, 20T Hcp: K. Rose 31-31, R. Russell 30-31, W. Buchanan 22-23, 20T DB Chp: 'A' W. Iles 71-71, D. Diaz 70-71, 'B' A. Blease, W. Woodward 33-35, 'C' W. Buchanan 24-25, L. Chaplin 26-27, OA W. Iles 71-71, 20T SB Chp: 'A' & OA G. Ash 29-30, W. Iles 21-23, 'B' W. Jennings 28-30, W. Woodward 25-27, 'C' L. Chaplin 24-25, M. Shandley 23-25, 50T Skeet: 'A' L. Johnson 67-68, I. Hale 51-53, 'B' L. Mirabella 64-66, S. Collins 52-55, 'C' L.G. Johnson 46-50, R. Thomas 43-50, OA L. Johnson, 50T Trench: 'A' I. Buchanan 46-50, K. Rose 43-50, 'B' B. Shandley 44-50, J. Mollica 43-50, 'C' L. Chaplin 57-75, G. Steele 55-75.

FRANKSTON AUSTRALIAN, 11-1-81 — Fine (60). 20T Pts Chp: 'A' D. Diaz 99-99, L. Cornell 98-99, 'B' C. Jarred 59-60, H. Warner 66-72, 'C' R. Pollamounter 58-60, W. Clapham 55-60, 20T DB Chp: W. Iles 69-69, G. Ash 55-56, C. Jarred 68-69, K. Seymour 22-23, R. Whittle 20-20, M. Shandley 21-22, 20T Hcp: T. McCarthy 37-37, H. Warner 34-35, W. Clapham 31-32, 20T SB Chp: 'A' K. Dawe 20-20, G. Ash 21-22, 'B' H. Warner 19-20, A. Blease 18-20, 'C' R. Marshall 18-20, C. Cerchi 17-20, 50T Trench Chp: 'A' T. Rowe 43-50, G. Long 42-50, 'B' L. Cornell 45-50, G. Ash 44-50, 'C' G. Osborne 39-50, R. Wood 38-50, 50T Skeet Chp: 'A' W. Altwood 58-60, M. Delorenzo 57-60, 'B' B. Cerchi 47-50, G. Long 76-81, 'C' R. Pollamounter 48-50, D. Kendall 46-52.

FRANKSTON AUSTRALIAN, 18-1-81 — Hot north winds, late storms (56). 20T Pts Chp: 'A' T. Rowe 60-60, 'B' B. Dickson 45-60, 'C' R. Tremul 61-66, 20T DB Chp: 'A' K. Rose 63-63, K. Flentjar 62-63, 'B' J. Honeysett 25-26, B. Dickson 19-20, 'C' R. Tremul 24-25, W. Clapham 23-24, 20T Hcp: A. Cousens 20-20, M. Gleeson 29-30, B. Flina 28-30, 20T SB Chp: 'A' D. Diaz 20-20, 'B' J. Chapple 18-20, 'C' R. Tremul 26-28, 50T Trench Chp: 'A' K. Rose 68-75, I. Buchanan 68-75, 'B' D. Parsell 45-50 (OA) L. Cornell 43-50, 'C' M. Shandley 30-50, J. Honeysett 18-25, 50T Skeet Chp: 'A' K. Lowry 49-50, L. Johnson 48-50, 'B' J. Schnida 47-50, B. Cerchi 46-50, 'C' L.G. Johnson 48-50, R. Pollamounter 43-50.

FRANKSTON AUSTRALIA, 25-1-81 — Very hot (53). 50T DB Chp: 'A' B. Hall 86-86, G. Ash 65-66, 'B' V. Tomasino 85-86, C. McKinlay 64-65, 'C' B. Hopkins 55-56, M. Crofts 51-52, 50T SB Chp: 'A' G. Ash 48-50, B. Webley 46-50, 'B' B. Faux 49-50, W. Smith 47-54, 'C' M. Wangman 44-50, R. Hopkins & OA B. Faux 49-50, 20T Hcp: W. Smith 41-41, A. Cousens 40-41, W. Clapham 38-37, 50T Trench Chp: 'A' M. Whitelaw 45-50, 'B' D. Luelf 47-50 & OA, 'C' M. Crofts 41-50, 50T Skeet Chp:



ECHUCA GUN CLUB

'RICH RIVER COUNTRY'

Sunday March 8

SKEET 12.00

D.T.L. 12.30

- Event 1.
20 Tgt Duck Opening S.B C'ship
A, B, C.
- Event 2.
20 Tgt Campaspe Valley D/D C'ship
- Event 3.
15 Tgt Handicap
- Event 4.
Skeet
Ladies Trophies.

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GEELONG Clay Target Club

PROGRAM MARCH 1981

SATURDAY, MARCH 14

1pm. start

- Event 1
10T PTS E.O. \$3.00
- Event 2
20T STINGRAY BAY DB GRD CHP
Equal Cash Divide A.B.C. (50% of nomination) \$6.00
- Event 3
20T HANDICAP S/S \$6.00
- Event 4 & 5
TIME PERMITTING. SKEET & D.T.L. S/S

SATURDAY, MARCH 21

1 pm. start

- Event 1
10T PTS E.O. \$3.00
- Event 2
25T STH WEST ZONE DB GRD CHP
Sash O/A Trophy each grade A.B.C. \$6.00
- Event 3
20T TROPHY HANDICAP
Trophy 1st, 2nd, 3rd & BM (21 = 25)
- Event 4
20T VIC. STATE DB TOWER CHP
1st sash & trophy. Trophy 2nd & 3rd \$8.00

SATURDAY, MARCH 28

1 pm start

- Event 1
100T PRE-NATIONALS DB GRD CHP \$20.00
Sash O/A Trophy 1st, 2nd. Each Grade A.B.C.
- Events 2 & 3
TIME PERMITTING SKEET D.T.L.

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MARCH PROGRAM 1981

PRE-NATIONALS MONTH

SUNDAY, MARCH 1

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| Event 1 | 25PR DR GRADED 1 pr sighter | \$11.00 |
| Event 2 | 50T DB GRADED | \$11.00 |
| Event 3 | 30T V.F.G.A. CUP HCP | \$10.00 |
| Event 4 | 50T TRENCH GRADED | \$11.00 |
| Event 5 | 50T SKEET GRADED | \$10.00 |

SUNDAY, MARCH 8

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| Event 1 | 50T HANDICAP 1.2.3. and 19-21, 22-25 | \$11.00 |
| Event 2 | 20T D.B. GRADED | \$6.50 |
| Event 3 | 20T SB GRADED | \$6.50 |
| Event 4 | 50T TRENCH GRADED | \$11.00 |
| Event 5 | 50T SKEET GRADED | \$10.00 |

SUNDAY, MARCH 15

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| Event 1 | 50T SB GRADED | \$11.00 |
| Event 2 | 30T DB GRADED | \$7.50 |
| Event 3 | 15T HCP 1.2.3. | \$6.00 |
| Event 4 | 50T TRENCH GRADED | \$11.00 |
| Event 5 | 50T SKEET GRADED | \$10.00 |

SUNDAY, MARCH 22

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| Event 1 | 20T SB GRADED | \$6.50 |
| Event 2 | 50T POINTS GRADED | \$11.00 |
| Event 3 | 30T DB GRADED | \$7.50 |
| Event 4 | 100T TRENCH GRADED | \$21.00 |
| Event 5 | 50T SKEET GRADED | \$10.00 |

200T TRENCH Champ. Sat. & Sun., March 28 & 29

SATURDAY, MARCH 28

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| 100T ISU SKEET GRADED | \$20.00 |
| 100T TRENCH GRADED | \$21.00 |
| Nominations for Trench \$40.00 for both days Elimination for State Training Squad | |

SUNDAY, MARCH 29

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| Event 1 | 25T PTS GRADED | |
| Event 2 | 25T DB GRADED | |
| Event 3 | 25T SB GRADED | |
| | | Nominations \$7.50 each Plus voluntary \$5.00 for Overall (your discretion) |
| Event 4 | 100T TRENCH GRADED | \$21.00 |
| Event 5 | 100T AMERICAN SKEET | \$20.00 |

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GEELONG, 24-1-81 — Very good, hot (59). EO 10T: P. Hewitt, R. Wiffen, J. Napoli, J.J. Hehir, W. Robertson, P. Torok, I. Baker, K. Baillie, N. Wenning 30-30. 50T Grd Chp: 'A' P. Hewitt 87-87, 'B' P. Rado 76-76, 'C' A. Sayers 54-56. 20T SB Chp: 'A' W. Robertson 20-21, 'B' I. Knox 21-21, 'C' A. Sayers 20-21. SB Twr Chp: R. Schwarz 20-20, H. Brooksby, P. Torok 26-27. High gun W. Robertson 69-70, also medal given by Australia Day committee.

HAMILTON, 3-1-81 — Fine & Hot (40). 20T Club DD Chp: Outright winner A. Flack 112-112, 'A' R. Schleter 52-53, 'B' M. Smith 111-112, 'C' C. Smith 21-22. 20T Reloader Hcp: E. Tanner 26-26, M. Smith 25-26, T. Smith 23-24. 20m & Over R. Schleter 20-21.

HAMILTON, 17-1-81 — Hot & Windy (27). 30T S.W. Zone PS Chp: O.A. M. Dumesny 94-96, 'A' C. Kneebone 93-96, 'B' T. Smith 86-90, 'C' G. Smith 84-90. 15T Trophy Hcp: A. Sutherland 36-38, G. Smith 35-36, T. Smith 31-32. 20m & Over C. Kneebone 13-15.

HEATHCOTE, 17-1-81 — Very Hot (26). 5T EO Pts: Mrs J. Williams, A. Breen, W. Whitaker, J. McAllister, J. Maxwell, B. Graggill & M. Spencer. 20T DB Hcp: K. Shearer 20-20, J. Jones 27-28, C. Koch 26-28. 10T SB CD: J. Maxwell, M. Davis, K. Shearer.

HORSHAM, 10-1-81 — Fine & Warm (54). 20T Twilight Hcp SS: Geoff Ough, Bruce Papst, Ross Machar, Ian Taylor, Kevin Willey & Jenny Ey. Wimmera Night PS Chp: 'A' & O.A. Ron Newell 90-90, Bruce Jenkins 89-90, 'B' Terry Foster 73-78, Helen Flavel 72-78, 'C' Lance Tucker 67-75, Ian Taylor 78-87.

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KERANG, Day 1-1-81 — Very Hot (82). 15T SS off 15m: N. Cracknell, A. Rogers, J. Taylor, S. Kerr, D. Howden, A. James, B. Papst, K. Charleson, R. Allen, M. Makeham, J. Holloway, L. Brown, R. Ridgeway, C. Penno, B. Napier. 20T DB Chp off 15m: 'A' A. James 37-38, G. Kerr 33-34, 'B' & O.A. S. McFarlane 40-40, L. Saunders 39-40, 'C' I. Napier 28-29, I. Long 20-21, FM G. Daimasi 17-20, Lady J. Ey 15-21. 15T Allister Walker Shield off Hop: 11-14m M. Tschirpigg 34-35, W. Bourke 22-23, 15-17 & O.A. N. Cracknell 35-35, R. Lungghusen 25-26, 18-21m C. Penno 22-23, G. Kerr 20-21, 22-25m Grant Bollen 21-22, R. McKenzie 14-15, Lady J. Makeham 12-15. 20T SB Chp off 15m: 'A' F. James 30-31, D. Howden 27-28, 'B' & O.A. N. Cracknell 31-31, G. Ough 20-22, 'C' J. Ey 19-20, R. Warren 20-22, FM B. Apollo 14-20, Lady J. Makeham 14-20. 15T Twr DB Chp: R. Coombs 95-95, H. Dee 94-95, A. James 90-91, A. James 90-91, Ladies J. Makeham 11-15.

KERANG, Night 1-1-81 — Windy (53). 10pr DDEO off 22m: G. Lee & N. Turner. 20 pr Nth West Zone DD Chp: L. Brown & N. Cracknell 19-20, L. Knight T. Boucher 18-20, 11-15m S. Rigney & B. Billing 15-20, 20T DB Chp off 15m: 'A' & O.A. A. James 21-21, G. Lee 20-21, 'B' J. Holloway 26-27, T. Boucher 25-27, 'C' S. Rigney 35-36, Bruce Billing 34-36, FM J. Dimasi 15-20, Lady J. Makeham 15-20. High gun over day and night won by N. Cracknell with 87-90.

KORUMBURRA, 2-1-81 — Perfect (22). 10T DB off 15: K. Brown, B. Harmer, N. Quick, K. Rose, S. & A. Wishart 10-10 comp div. 20T DB Chp: K. Seymour 24-25, J. Waas 23-25, W. Stephenson 21-23, 20T Cont: K. Rose 38-40, K. Seymour 37-40, A. Sydenham 28-30. DD Cont drawn partners: B. Harmer, K. Rose, L. Haywood, B. Dixon. Cake shoot: K. Seymour 1, K. Bradley 2.

KYNETON, 11-1-81 — Fine & Windy (38). 10T EO: 17-25m N. Paterson 30-30, N. Guy 30-30, G. McLure 29-30, 11-16m K. O'Meara 29-30, G. Russell 28-30, G.

CORIO BAY GUN CLUB

March 14

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| Event 1 | 10T EYE OPENER | Nom \$2.00 |
| Event 2 | 25T GRADED SKEET TROPHY | Nom \$5.50 |
| Event 3 | 20T D.B. C'SHIP GRADED | Nom \$5.50 |
| Event 4 | 20T P.S. GRADED C'SHIP | Nom \$5.50 |

Badge Overall on EACH of events 2, 3, 4.

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MARCH 26 Novice C'ship & C.D. Events.

March 28

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| Event 1 | 15T D.B. C'SHIP GRADED (Badge Overall) | |
| Event 2 | 30T D.B. C'SHIP | |
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SOUTHERN PENINSULA MONTHLY GUIDE

MARCH PROGRAM

Cerberus Gun Club SATURDAY, MARCH 7

NO SHOOT. Duck Opening.

Location: Navy Base Crib
Pt. Melway Map No. 195 A3,
Sec. C. Carrol (059) 78 2926.

Mornington Clay Target Club SATURDAY, MARCH 14

10T Pts C/D
20T Pts Graded C'ship
20T Handicap

SATURDAY, MARCH 28

10T Continental C/D
20T Continental Graded C'ship
20T Handicap

Location: Craigie Rd.
Mornington, Melway Map No.
145 F9, Sec. G. J. Mathews
(059) 87 1060

Nepean Gun Club SATURDAY, MARCH 28

10T D/B C/D
25T D/B Graded C'ship
25T D/B Group Meterage
11-15 16-20 21-25
*1st & 2nd Each group

Location: Boneo Rd.; Fingal
via Rosebud, Melway Map
No. 200 G.5, Sec. G. Quick
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MARCH 1981 PROGRAM

SATURDAY, MARCH 7

DUCK OPENING
NO SHOOT

SATURDAY, MARCH 14

Commencing 12 noon

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| Event 1 | 50T GRD TRENCH CHP Commencing 1 pm | Nom 11.00 |
| Event 2 | 25T SB GRD CHP American Angles & Distance | Nom 7.00 |
| Event 3 | 50T DB GRD CHP | Nom 11.00 |
| Event 4 | 15PR DR GRD CHP | Nom 7.50 |
| Event 5 | 50T GRD SKEET CHP | Nom 10.00 |

SATURDAY MARCH 21

Commencing 12 noon

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| Event 1 | 25T GRD TRENCH CHP Commencing 1 pm | Nom 7.00 |
| Event 2 | 25T DB PTS GRD CHP | Nom 7.00 |
| Event 3 | 50T DB GRD CHP | Nom 11.00 |
| Event 4 | 25T SB GRD CHP American Angles & Distance | Nom 7.00 |
| Event 5 | 50T GRD SKEET CHP | Nom 10.00 |

SATURDAY MARCH 28

Commencing 12.45 pm

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| Event 1 | 50T DB PTS GRD CHP | Nom 11.00 |
| Event 2 | 50T DB GRD CHP | Nom 11.00 |
| Event 3 | 25PR DR GRD CHP | Nom 11.00 |
| Event 4 | 50T GRD SKEET CHP | Nom 10.00 |
| Event 5 | 50T GRD SKEET CHP | Nom 10.00 |

HIGH GUN OVER EVENTS 4 & 5

1981 NATIONALS

Events on SATURDAY APRIL 4 and SATURDAY APRIL 11 will offer pre-national type of events to allow visitors to acclimatise to local conditions. The grounds will be open for practice on MONDAY APRIL 13, FROM 10.30 AM. PRE-NATIONALS will take place on APRIL 14, 15 & 16. Brief Practice session on Good Friday, April 17.

Nationals Commence SATURDAY, APRIL 18

Close April 24 - with presentation Dinner commencing 7.30 pm at REMBRANDTS.

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MARYBOROUGH, 24-1-81 — Very hot (40). 10T Cont Hep: R. Durbridge 26-26, M. Haintz 25-26, J. McLeish 24-25, BM R. Wright 20-21. 10T Hep: N. Scott 38-38, R. Harvey 37-38, R. Wright 36-37, BM R. Wright 36-37. 10T Chp: R. Durbridge 95-95, B. Rafferty 94-95, P. Tate, FM J. Western.

The club wishes to congratulate Jim McLeish High Gun winner. Gavin Davy, secretary, (054) 61 3473.

MELBOURNE, 1-1-81 — Fine & Hot (104). 50T Grd Trench Chp: OA & 'A' J. Woolley 49-52, H. Warner 48-52, 'B' B. Clark 46-51, J. Mollica 45-51, 'C' B. Laughlin 46-50, B. Flint 49-56. 20T SB Grd Chp: OA & 'A' D. Diaz 40-40, R. Morrison 39-40, 'B' S. Stokes 19-20, A. Sydenham 34-35, 'C' G. Ranaletta 26-27, J. Law 25-27, 11m J. Bugeja 22-24. 20T Group Chp: 11-15m P. Calandro 32-32, E. Bullmore 31-32, 16-18m H. Weitzel 29-29, J. Michelini 28-29, 19-21m P. Clancy, 68-68, W. Woodward 67-68, 22-25m N. Berry 61-61, J. Woolley 60-61, Best lady C. Ogden 15-20. 20T DB Pts Grd Chp: OA & 'A' N. Berry 75-75, W. Henwood 74-75, 'B' T. Trainor 65-66, N. Sepe 62-66, 'C' J. Finch 65-66, W. Langham 74-81, 11m B. Hoekstra 64-72. 50T Grd skeet Chp: 'A' & OA N. Berry 68-68, W. Attwood 67-68, 'B' B.L. Sanger 47-50, B. Clark 60-64, 'C' B.J. Stokes 46-50, B.J. Svensson 47-53, 5-10 Hep R. J. Wright 43-50. Skeet 12 monthly aggregate taken by P. Krumins with 526-550.

MELBOURNE, 3-1-81 — Overcast & Humid, patchy rain (63). 25T Grd Trench Chp: OA & 'A' R. Pitt 26-27, G. Long 25-27, 'B' B. Shandley 26-28, S. Stevens 25-28, 'C' E. Bullmore 22-25, S. McElvogue 21-25. 25T ISU Grd Skeet Chp: Cancelled. 25T SB Grd Chp: 'A' V. Mollica 59-60, D. Diaz 58-60, OA & 'B' K. Law 38-38, N. Sepe 37-38, 'C' A. Wishart 25-27, M. Burton 24-27, 11m S. Brooks 21-25. 25T DB Pts Grd Chp: 'A' P. Clancy 73-75, R. Christopher 72-75, OA & 'B' M. Deroxe 78-78, K.

Law 77-78, 'C' A. Wishart 74-75, M. Burton 73-75, 11m R. Russell 64-75. 25T DB Grd Chp: OA & 'A' D. Diaz 71-71, R. Christopher 70-71, 'B' H. Warner 59-60, J. Schmidt 43-44, 'C' S. Sacchetta 26-27, A. Wishart 35-36, 11m R. Russell 23-25, Best Lady Mrs C. Ogden 19-25. 50T Grd Skeet Chp: 'A' & OA M. Hale 54-54, M. T. Hastie 53-54, 'B' Carol Ogden 55-62, J. Schmidt 54-62, 'C' E. Vercillo 44-50, L. Brookes 43-50, 5-10 Hep 35-50 G. Storey. High Gun over events 3, 4 & 5 125-125.

MELBOURNE, 10-1-81 — Overcast showers light breeze (102). 100T Trench Elimination event: 'A' B. Clark 92-100, 'B' B. Hall 92-100, 'C' G. Leech 82-100, 100T ISU Skeet Elimination event: 'A' I. Hale 101-104, 'B' P. Blackmore 91-100, 'C' M. Bond 76-100. 25T DB Pts Grd Chp: OA & 'A' G. Ludbrook 162-162, C. Leech 159-162, 'B' J. Schmidt 129-132, R. Osborne 71-75, 'C' B. Hookstra 71-75, P. Francis 66-75, 11m N. Smyth 65-75. 50T DB Grd Chp: OA & 'A' W. Iles 185-185, T. Naah 184-185, 'B' W. Smith 70-71, J. Schmidt 49-50, 'C' J. Grasso 47-50, R. Blackwell 46-51, 11m B. Hookstra 45-51, Best Lady C. Ogden 42-50. 50T Grd Skeet Chp: 'A' & OA I. Hale 66-66, P. Blackmore 65-66, 'B' W. Gibb 47-50, Stan Draper 47-52, 'C' N. Dadds 47-50, I. Murray 45-50, 5-10 Hep J. Furnari 40-50.

MELBOURNE, 17-1-81 — Fine & Hot with strong breeze. 25T Grd Trench Chp: OA & 'A' K. Lowry 25-25, B. Clark 22-25, 'B' M. Vipond 23-25, A. Blease 26-31, 'C' R. Giles 20-25, J. Pearce 19-21. 50T DB Grd Chp: 'A' N. Berry 96-97, B. Ireland 71-72, OA & 'B' W. Henwood 97-97, R. Osborne 68-68, 'C' P. Calandro 49-50, K. Hodge 48-50, 11m G. Kaneko 43-60, Best Lady G. Ogden 47-50. 25Pr DR Grd Chp: OA & 'A' N. Berry 55-60, K. Lowry 53-60, 'B' S. McElvogue 59-70, B. Pyke 57-70, 'C' G. Furnari 33-50, G. Ranaletta 31-50, 11m G. Kaneko 27-50. 50T Grd Skeet Chp: 'A' & OA W. Attwood 75-75, P. Crikis 74-75, 'B' Stan Draper 50-50, J. McGregor 48-50, 'C' N. Dadds 46-50, T. Gean 44-50, 5-10 Hep W. Eagle 43-50. 50T Skeet Chp: 'A' & OA I. Hale 55-55, W. Attwood 54-55, 'B' A. Berteri 47-50, W. Lonie 50-55, 'C' N. Dadds 46-50, N. Buckland 42-50, 5-10 W. Eagle 39-50. High Gun events 4 & 5: W. Attwood 100-100.

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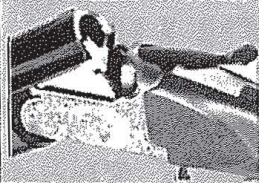
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MELBOURNE, 24-1-81 — Fine & Warm (73). 25T Grd Trench Chp: 'A' M. Whitelaw 23-25, V. Mollica 28-31, 'B' L. Smith 22-25, B. Scotta 21-25, OA & 'C' B. Flint 24-25, J. Veldpaus 21-26, 50T DB Pts Grd Chp: OA & 'A' J. Jenkins 150-150, M. Whitelaw 147-160, 'B' A. Blease 147-150, L. Godfrey 143-153, 'C' D. Kendall 138-150, B. Hopkins 136-150, 11m R. Russell 109-150, 25T DB Grd Chp: OA & 'A' V. Mollica 51-51, K. Lowry 50-51, 'B' M. White 38-39, B. Hall 34-35, 'C' P. Collins 47-48, K. Rath 24-25, 11m C. Cerchi 22-25, 15T SB Grd Chp: 'A' J. Schmidt 43-44, K. Lowry 14-15, OA & 'B' W. Henwood 44-44, M. White 27-28, 'C' D. Kendall 18-19, B. Hopkins 14-15, 11m C. Cerchi 11-15, 50T Grd Skeet Chp: 'A' & OA P. Blackmore 50-50, A. Crikis 49-50, 'B' Carol Ogden 49-50, N.A. Dodds 49-51, 'C' T. Dawe 42-50, N. Buckland 42-51, 5-10 hcp C. Cerchi 39-50.

MELBOURNE, 26-1-81 — Fine & Hot (26). 50T DB Grd Chp: 'A' B. Hall 83-85, 'B' A. Cousens 48-50, 'A' & 'C' M. Crofts 49-50, 11m Mrs M. Hailes 24-50, 50T Grd Skeet Chp: OA & 'A' N. Moore 58-59, 'B' Miss K. Williams 48-50, 'C' M. Crofts 38-50.

METROPOLITAN, 4-1-81 — Fine & Warm (45). 10T Pts EO: H. Weitzel, R. Coombes, G. Scarce, G. Ranalletta, D. De Carolis, N. Varchone all 30-30, 50T Skeet: 0-2 S. Daymond 49-50, P. Krumins 48-50, 3-10 J. Bale 45-50, L. Maccorra 44-50, 20T DB: 'A' G. Ludbrook 37-37, H. Weitzel 36-37, 'B' N. Varchone 20-20, R. Shiels 19-20, 'C' W. Whittaker 20-20, A. Breen 19-20, 20T DB: 'A' H. Weitzel 25-25, P. Thomson 24-25, 'B' R. Shiels 20-20, B. Craggill 19-20, 'C' D. Casamento 20-20, W. Whittaker 19-20, 10T Tower Pts: M. Mollica 30-30, D. Casamento 29-30, G. Rahalletta 28-30, D.T.L. High Gun H. Weitzel 70-70, OA High Gun P. Thomson 138-150.

METROPOLITAN, 18-1-81 — Very Hot - Windy (38). 50T Skeet Chp 1st & 2nd 0-2 3-10: 0-2 P. McVicar 49-50, W. Attwood 80-83, 3-10 V. Vaina 45-50, N. Rogers 45-54, 25T Ball Trap 11-15 16-19 20-25: 11-15 T. Gean 30-35, N. Rogers 28-35, 16-19 R. Brown 22-25, I. Eichfuss 21-25, 20-25 G. Willett 44-45, E. Lobley 43-45, 10T Pts Score EO CD: I. Brock 30-30, G. Willett 30-30, T. Spence 30-30, B. Craggill 30-30, 50T Grd DB: 'A' R. Cook 52-54, M. Piccolo 51-54, 'B' B. Craggill 49-50, I. Eichfuss 48-50, 'C' T. Moscatl 52-54, W. Whittaker 51-54, 10T Hop Event: W. Whittaker 18-18, N. Sepe 23-24, L. Maccorra 22-24, OA High Gun P. Thomson 133-145, DTL High Gun R. Cook 67-70.

MORNINGTON, 10-1-81 — Fine & Mild (37). 10T Pts CD: Peter Noy 29-30, Manny Alaimo, Bill Woodward 28-30, 50T Cont Grd Chp: 'A' & OA N. Quick 49-50, 'A' P. Heywood 47-50, 'B' L. Heywood 47-50, R. Standeven 46-50, 'C' M. Alaimo 47-50, A. Wooley 75-80, FM M. Wangman 42-50, 20T Hep: B. Hunter 26-26, P. Collins 25-26, K. Rose 21-22.

MORNINGTON, 26-1-81 — Hot (39). 10T Pts CD: J. Shellcott 30-30, R. Garth, R. Wykes, M. Alaimo 29-30, 20T SB Chp Grd: 'A' & OA R. Garth 23-24, P. Heywood 19-21, 'B' S. Henwood 22-24, B. Stokes 21-23, 'C' B. Garth 18-20, Allan Woolley 17-20, FM J. Tailby 16-20, 20T DB Chp Grd: 'A' W. Woodward 53-54, J. Shellcott 41-42, 'B' & OA S. Henwood 54-54, N. Quick 25-26, 'C' P. Nay 24-27, M. Parsons 23-27, FM J. Stone 17-20.

We hosted the second round of the Morwell v Mornington. Shield shoot 1980 and as expected the class of the home club won out eventually 250-280 to visitors 231-280.

MORWELL, 17-1-81 — Hot & Fine (38). 10T Pts 15m CD: 30-30 R. Jennings, M. Brown, S. Wishart, T. Hill, L. Curtis, L. Johnson, J. White, J. Shellcott, M. Edgar, 50T Gippsland SB Chp 15m: S. Wishart 47-50, M. Edgar 49-53, L. Curtis 48-53, FM L. Johnson 45-50, 20T Club Tower Chp: L. Hine 37-37, M. Edgar 36-37, A. Wishart 32-33.

MT BOGONG, 4-1-81 — Fine & Warm (18). 15T DB Chp from 15m: 'A' B. North 15-15, 'B' P. Birch 15-15, 'C' V. Tomasoni 15-15, 20T Hcp: F. Iaria 45-45, E. Tomasoni 44-45, K. Connors 35-36, 10T SB off 15m: 'A' K. Maurey 10-10, 'B' P. Birch 10-10, 'C' K. Connors 12-12.

NEPEAN, 27-12-80 — Fine & Warm (45). 30T 16m Grd Chp: 'A' & OA R. Garth 30-30, K. Rose 29-30, 'B' A. Ferlazzo 27-30, B. Faux, 'C' B. Hunter 28-30, P.A. Collins 27-30, FM J. Thornton, 20T 16m Yardage: 11-14 P.A. Collins, D. Pessato, 15-18 P. Arnold 20-21, P. Noy 19-21, 19-22 W. Woodward 20-20, A. Sydenham 18-20, 23-25 R. Garth 20-20, R. Burgess 19-20, 10T Hep: P.A. Collins, G. Roxburgh, C. Carrol.

BENALLA GUN CLUB

Friday March 20, 1981

NIGHT SHOOT

Start 7.00 p.m.

Cash Division

Founded 1965.

KORUMBURRA GUN CLUB

2 kilometres past the town
on the South Gippsland-hwy.

Saturday February 28

at 10.00 a.m.

2ND ROUND S.E. ZONE TEAMS PREMIERSHIP

- Event 1 20 Tgts HANDICAP
Event 2 20 Tgts D.B. Graded CH.

Friday March 13

at 7.30 p.m.

NIGHT SHOOT DUE TO DUCK OPENING

- Event 1 10 Tgts POINTS
Event 2 10 Pr D.D. Black Friday C'ship 20m
Event 3 15 Tgts D.B. HCP Trophies 1st 2nd & 3rd

Saturday March 28

12.30 p.m.

- Event 1 10 Tgts POINTS
Event 2 20 Tgts D.B. HCP 1st 2nd & 3rd; BM 19-25m
Event 3 30 Tgts D.B. Graded 1st 2nd each grade.

Lunch & Afternoon Tea Available.

PRES: A Sydenham
(056) 62 2613

SEC: S. Wishart
(056) 72 2008

NEPEAN, 17-1-81 — Fine & Warm, light wind (53). 10T DB CD: R. Burgess, B. Hunter, C. Quick, W. Woodward, P. Collins, K. Rose, S. Henwood, R. Henwood, R. Garth, C. Carroll, J. Scholes, P. Noy, R. Staneven. 25T DB 'Crayfish' Chp: 'A' K. Rose 52-53, D. Brown 44-45, N. Quick 36-37, 'B' & OA S. Henwood 53-53, B. Treloar 34-35, R. Staneven 29-30, 'C' W. Clapham 32-33, T. Preston 31-33, P. Thomas 29-31, FM M. Wangman 27-29, 20T Hcp: M. Wangman 61-61, J. Talley 60-61, A. J. Wooley 22-23, BM K. Rose 19-21, High Gun K. Rose 44-45.

RAAF POINT COOK, 18-1-81 — Very hot, windy, and wet (25). 20T DB Pts CD: D. McLeod, C.A. Chandler 57-60, P.H. Baldock 55-60, 20T DB Grd Chp: 'A' J. Dawson 19-20, F. Reade 17-20, 'B' P.H. Baldock, A.W. Chandler 20-20, Best 11m R. Russell 18-20, 20T DB Hcp: R. Russell 43-44, P. Baldock 42-44, L. Briskey 19-21.

PORT ARLINGTON, 1-1-81 — Stormy (40). 10T PS: K. Wright R. Jorgensen jnr. 30-30, Bellarine DB PS: N. Patterson 59-60, R. Toner 81-87, D. Patterson 80-87, St. Leonards DD Chp: N. Paterson 20-20, D. Paterson 20-20, R. Toner 17-20, R. Jorgensen 11-20.

PORT ARLINGTON, 4-1-81 — Windy, stormy (30). 10T PS: R. Toner, L. Vertch. Port Arlington PS Chp: R. Toner 19-20, W. Wilde 24-26, W. Attwood 23-26, Port A. DR: R. Toner 22-24, B. Mark 21-24, W. Wilde.

SEYMOUR, 10-1-81 — Fine, very windy (26). 25T SB Chp: N. Berry 25-25, J. Whittakers 28-29, R. Allen 27-29, FM A. Semmler 20-25, 25T DB Cont Chp: N. Berry 25-25, G. Willett 50-51, A. Petersen 49-51, FM B. Findlay 23-25, 20T DB Hcp CD: B. Findlay, R. Lembden, P. Rickard, A. Semmler, D. Rachele & N. Berry 19-20, 20T DB Pts 16M CD: T. Sofra, G. Willett & J. Whittakers 60-60.

SHEPPARTON, 4-1-81 — Windy (80). DB Chp: L. Brown 169-169, N. Berry 168-169, E. Calandro 144-145, Pts Chp: J. Whittakers, N. Berry, L. Brown.

SWAN HILL-NYAH, 10-1-81 — Fine, hot, overcast (34). 10T SS 15m: R. Leach, R. McGillivray, G. McFarlane, R. Ridgeway, P. Luke, R. Dalton, M. Whitelaw, 20T DB Grd Chp 15m: J. Dunstan, C. Dalton, A. Mills, A. Whitelaw, A. Blackmore, OA M. Whitelaw 50-50, A. Mills 49-50, 'A' M. Whitelaw, R. Ridgeway, 'B' A. Mills, A. Blackmore 46-47, 'C' G. McGillivray 29-29, G. McFarlane 28-29, 25T Skeet Hop SS: R. Leach, D. Leach, C. Bonnici, N. Lippie, L. McFarlane, P. Hutchinson, A. Mills, N. Simmons.

SWAN HILL-NYAH, 24-1-81 — Fine, hot (15). 10T Hcp EO: 10-10 A. Day, S. McFarlane, I. Boyd-Law, C. Bonnici, A. Mills, 20T Trophy Hop: G. McFarlane, A. Mills, P. Luke and R. Ridgeway, Results P. Luke 47-47, G. McFarlane 46-47, A. Mills 27-28, 10T SS 15m: 10-10 G. McFarlane, L. McFarlane, C. Bonnici, P. Parsons, N. Lippie and R. Ridgeway.

TATURA, 18-1-81 — Hot (25). 10T DB (CD): G. Bennett, H. Hawking, Neil McPherson, R. Fowler, N. Berry, Tatura & Dist DB Chp: M.J. Leonard 28-28, H. Hawking 27-28, R. Fowler 26-27, FM 11-12m G. Prior 24-25, 15T Trophy Hop: G. Prior 40-40, M.J. Leonard 39-40, N. Berry 24-25, Ladies Trophy Mrs D. McPherson 16-18, 5 pr DR (CD): N. Berry 60%, Neil McPherson, C. Trembath 40%.

TOOLONGO, 4-1-81 — Fine & Hot (30). 5T PS EO: G. Ough, C. Budde, G. Smith, A. Flack, A. Cameron, R. Scott, D. Harris, H. Mitchell, R. Newell, R. McDonald 15-15 pts, 20T Club PS Chp: OA & 'B' B. Papst 102-102, J. Taylor 101-102, 'A' A. Cameron 59-60, G. Eagles 79-81, 'C' J. McKenry 92-93, G. Smith 59-60, 10T Hcp SS: J. Ough, G. Smith, J. Taylor, R. Denby, G. Heard, R. Rees, S. Durbridge, I. Taylor, S. Heard 10-10, 10T SB 15m SS: J. Aitken 10-10 60%, 40% G. Eagles, J. Ough, G. Ough, A. Flack, A. Cameron, R. Scott, H. Mitchell, J. Taylor 9-10.

VENETO, 25-1-81 — Fine & Hot (36). 10T EO DB CD: R. Coombes, E. Vercillo, R. Wiffen, G. Ranalletta, G. Henwood, B. Ireland, J. Pettinato, M. Deroze, V. Dalsanto, H. Warner, D. McLeod, J. Rooke, J. Svenson, D. Diaz, L. Beida 10-10, 20T DB Grd Chp: 'A' R. Coombes 32-32, B. Ireland 31-32, 'B' E. Scotta 50-50, D. McLeod 49-50, 'C' G. Ranalletta 20-20, L. Bussolaro 19-20, 11m E. Bertollo 22-24, 20T DB Pts Grd Chp: 'A' J. Henwood 60-60, U. Dalsanto 59-60, 'B' F. Spinosa 72-72, H. Warner 71-72, 'C' G. Ranalletta 59-60, R. Bertollo 58-60, 11-13 m R. Russell 53-60, 1st Hcp: N. Sepe 32-32, P. Baldock 31-32, L. Vercillo 28-29, 22-25 M.V. Dalsanto 15-15.

WANGARATTA, 17-1-81 — Hot & Windy (62). 15T Hcp: G. Reid 49-49, K. Maurey 48-49, B. Liersch 23-24, BM G. Willett 21-22, 30T DB Chp. Guns 1st 3 places & \$30 trophies for next 5 places: J. Whittakers 51-51, V. Ryan 50-51, K. Maurey 48-49, B. Liersch 31-32, G. Willett 30-31, G. Robinson 39-40, R. Lowry 36-38, A. Penney 64-66, 20T DB Hcp: B. Braybon 39-39, G. Willett 38-39, D. Gittings 30-31, BM Bill lies 19-20, 25T Owens Valley PS Chp: 'A' & OA Bill lies 117-117, K. Maurey 114-117, 'B' T. Pfeiffer 78-81, B. Braybon 76-78, 'C' V. Tomasini 74-75, N. Rogers 72-75, OA High Gun Ken Maurey 140-140.

Results Skeet shoot Sunday 18-1-81 — Event 1: K. Law 29-30, K. Auld 28-30, I. Crockett 29-31, Event 2: C. Sanders 25-26, J. Law 24-26, G. Robinson 33-35.

WARRNAMBOOL, 1-1-81 — Fine (45). Premier Town SB Chp: Outright Malcolm Smith (Tyrendarra), 'A' F. Taylor (Mt Gambier), A. Foack (Hamilton), 'B' G. Carbury (Noorat), 'C' S. Durbridge, D. LeStrange, Premier Town DB Chp: Outright Ron Winhurst (Mt Gambier).

The club would like to thank the City Council for the donation of the sashes for this shoot, also many thanks to the Mayor Cr John Lindsay who presented the sashes to the club.

WARRNAMBOOL, 10-1-81 — (35). 10T EO Pts: S. Durbridge 30-30, A. Bant 30-30, H. Brooksby 29-30, R. Tremul 29-30, Club Pts Score Chp: Outright A. Flack 58-60, 'A' M. Holloway, C. Kneebone, 'B' T. Smith, W. Crawford, 'C' R. Tremul, P. Coolahan, 15T Hcp: A. Kennear, C. Smith.

COHUNA GUN CLUB

8 p.m. FRIDAY, MARCH 6, 1981

Event 1. 10T PD E/O

Event 2. 30T N.W. ZONE P/S GRD CHP

Event 3. 10T TROPHY HCP

President:

Mr C. Bowman

Secretary:

Mrs V.J. Reade
9 Rosalind St.
Cohuna 3568

WANGARATTA GUN CLUB

Tuesday March 3

Start 6.30 p.m.

Duck Opening Shoot

Event 1 10 Targets D.B. Handicap C.D. Nom \$3.00

Event 2 10 Targets D.B. Handicap Nom \$5.00
1, 2, 3 & BM Trophies.

Event 3 10 Targets D.B. 15m Nom \$5.00
1st each group 11-15, 16-19, 20-25.

Trophies on Event 2 Donated by ERN WILLIAMS GUN SHOP.

Saturday March 21

Start 1 p.m.

Event 1 10 Targets D.B. Eye Opener Nom \$2.50

Event 2 20 Target D.B. Handicap Nom \$5.00
1, 2, 3 & BM. O/S \$1.00.

Event 3 City of Wangaratta D.B. Championship Nom \$6.00
1, 2, 3 & FM. O/S \$1.00.

Event 4 20 Targets D.B. Grouped Hcp Nom \$5.00
1st ea group 11-15, 16-18, 19-21, 22-25. O/S \$1.00.

\$25.00 Cash High Gun over 1-4 Donated by NORTH EASTERN WINDSCREENS & RADIATOR SERVICE.

SKEET

Sunday March 29

Start 12 noon

Event 1 25 Target Trophy Handicap Nom \$5.00
1, 2, 3 & 0-1 Trophies. O/S \$1.00.

Event 2 King Valley District Skeet Championship Nom \$5.00
1, 2, 3 & 4-10 Trophies. O/S \$1.00.

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NEWSLETTER TO ALL VICTORIAN ACCREDITED ZONE AND CLUB COACHES

During the latter part of 1980, the A.C.T.A.'s National Coaching Council had submitted its coaching scheme for approval, at level one, with the Federal Government sponsored body. This is known as the Australian Coaching Council which has been created to co-ordinate the coaching schemes being implemented by other National Sporting Associations. The direction of this council is being handled by a number of people selected from sport, State Government and Federal Government.

As a direct result of the above action, our National Coaching Council Scheme has been accepted at level one by the Australian National Coaching Accredited Scheme. In other words, our **accredited** zone and club coaches do now qualify for acceptance into the National Project — all you have to do is

(From George Biggs,
Victorian Director of Coaching)

send a cheque for \$6 to me, made out to the A.C.T.A. and I'll complete the necessary forms and paper work for your acceptance. The \$6 is to cover the cost of the "coach" identification parcel, which includes an I.D. card and a cloth badge.

Unfortunately, we still have a number of club coaches who have been trained but have not yet done their accreditation test. To these coaches I'd advise that they contact their zone coach who will help you to complete your accreditation.

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SATURDAY, APRIL 11, 1981

20T Group Handicap

11-15 16-20 21-25

1st each Group 10ft Alum Duck Punt Val \$440
Trophies 2nd 3rd Each Group.

**WHERE? -
MORNINGTON
Clay Target Club**

**WHY? -
Charity Shoot 3AW
Sun Miss Teenage**

Sec: G.J. Matthews

TATURA GUN CLUB

Sunday March 15, 1981

1 p.m. start

2 Goulburn Valley Championships

- Event 1. 30T Goulburn Valley D.B. Championship
- Event 2. 30T Goulburn Valley S.B. Championship
- Event 3. 15T D.B. Trophy Handicap

THIS SHOOT SPONSORED BY
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VICTORIAN COACHING NEWSLETTER (Cont'd)

Below is a list of Victorian Accredited Zone and Club Coaches and their home clubs:

Zone Coaches:

- Berry (Shepparton) — H. Brooksby (Warrnambool)
- J. Green (Foster) — F. James (Kerang)
- I. Hale (Melbourne)

Club Coaches:

- J. Shellcott (Foster) — N. Moore (Melbourne)
- L. Connors (Mildura) — R. Henwood (Melbourne)
- P. Bloomfield (Donald) — I. McArthur (Cobden)
- M. Edgar (Korumburra) — J. Clark (Warracknabeal)
- S. Collins (Bairnsdale) — A. Blain (Noorat)
- T. Ferlazzo (Mornington) — P. Pettit
- G. Matthews (Mornington) — (St. James Gun Club)
- J. Shepherd (Castlemaine) — J. Honeysett (Tatura)
- L. Saunders (Boort) — K. McKendrick (Euroa)
- B. Rafferty — G. Trevaskis (Shepparton)
- (Maryborough) — G. Willet (Seymour)
- R. Newell — A. Cameron (Toolondo)
- (Warracknabeal) — M. Sullivan (Macarthur)
- S. Harding — L.T. Drummond (Goroke)
- (R.A.A.F. Point Cook) — P. A. Vaughan (Condah)
- R. English (Wangaratta) — J. E. Lucas
- J. Boote (Alexandra) — (Warrnambool)
- P. Scott (Callawodda) — L. Veitch (Sebastopol)
- A. Franceswilliams — N. J. Paterson
- (Metropolitan) — (Sebastopol)
- L. Mauger (Melbourne) — J. A. Ridgeway
- D. Afford (Hopetoun) — (Swan Hill Nyah)
- K. Miller (Jeparit)

VICTORIAN GUN CLUB

Will shoot each Wednesday night during March, commencing at 7 p.m. A Match will also be held on Saturday March 7, at 1 p.m.

SHEPPARTON Clay Target Club

SUNDAY, MARCH 1

12.30 pm.

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| Event 1. | 5T CRAZY QUAIL E.O. | Nom \$1 |
| Event 2. | 10T CRAZY QUAIL CHP | Nom \$4 Opt Sweep \$1 |
| Event 3. | 10T DB HCP | Nom \$4 Opt Sweep \$1 |
| Event 4. | 5 PAIR D.R. S/S | Nom \$3 |

Afternoon Tea & Cartridges on sale.

Secretary G. Miller
Phone(058) 21 2593

ZZ CHAMPIONSHIP KEYSBOROUGH GUN CLUB

**Sunday
March 15, 1981**

commencing at 12 noon

**KEYSBOROUGH
DOUBLE BARREL
ZZ**

CHAMPIONSHIP

**Over 15 Targets
From 26 Metres**

SASH & TROPHY FOR OVERALL WINNER
TROPHIES FOR 2ND & 3RD

Other Events
Time Permitting.

Total Noms. \$25

**SPECIAL
NOTICE**

The Monthly ZZ
Tournament at
**METROPOLITAN
CLAY TARGET CLUB**
will be held on
SUNDAY, MARCH 22
commencing at 12 noon



NEW SOUTH WALES

NEW SOUTH WALES CLAY TARGET ASSOCIATION REPORT

TRENCH & I.S.U. SKEET

A meeting was held at Taree-Wingham Gun Club to form an International sub-committee of the State Association. This meeting was attended by 28 shooters who are members of various clubs that have Trench and I.S.U. Skeet facilities in N.S.W.

The Committee will be charged with the responsibility of advising and recording information for the State body and fostering more active participation by trap shooters. Also, the National Committee has requested State Associations to form training squads in both disciplines and this will also be a responsibility of the sub-committee.

The Committee elected are.

B. Noll — Taree-Wingham (Chairman).

K. Loy — Royal Aero Club. (Secretary).

N. Sims — A.C.T. International.

R. Walker — N.S.W.G.C.

B. Dent — West Wyalong.

J. Stewart — Downside.

A.M. Burgess — Cobar (N.S.W.C.T.A. appointee).

I know that, with the keenness of these delegates, all trench and I.S.U. shooters in N.S.W. will benefit.

Royal Aero Club of N.S.W.

Bankstown Aerodrome, Sydney

ELEY SHIELD TEAM SHOOT

MARCH 22 - 1.00 pm start

Event 1. Noms \$10.00
Optional Sweeps \$3.00
50T 'Piper' DB Chp
15m - Prizes 1st & 2nd
Grades A.B. & C.

Event 2. Noms \$8.00
Optional Sweeps \$1.00
Eley Shield Team Shoot
20T 18m. 5 man teams

Sweeps 60% First Team & 40% Second

PRESIDENT:
H. Somers
(02) 969-9339

SECRETARY:
Pam Trew
(02) 601-3460

MORISSET GUN CLUB OPEN SHOOT CHAMPIONSHIP DAY



MARCH 29, 1981

10 a.m. START

Event 1. \$6.00
\$1.00

WESTLAKES PS CHP

25T. 15M...Sweeps (Points)
Trophies O/A A.B.C.

Event 2. \$6.00
\$1.00

WATTAGAN FOREST DB CHP

25T. 15M...Sweeps
Trophies O/A A.B.C.

Event 3. \$6.00
\$1.00

WESTLAKES SB CHP

25T. 15M...Sweeps
Trophies O/A A.B.C.

Event 4. \$7.00
\$1.00

NTHN ZONE MIXED TGT CHP

Sweeps. Trophies O/A (plus Sash) A.B.C.

Event 5. \$6.00
\$1.00

WATTAGAN FOREST DR CHP

10 Pr. D/R...Sweeps
Trophies O/A A.B.C.

Trapper .50
\$36.50

HIGH GUN TROPHY...(Targets to count)
Refreshments...lunch...Cartridges available

Committee reserves the right to alter Program.

Enquiries
Phone L. Milligan
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(049) 732643

STATE CARNIVAL — TAMWORTH — 4th, 5th & 6th September 4, 5 & 6

Tamworth Club is in the process of installing its 5th trap to allow this Carnival to be shot under the new rules. This is early notification but we wish to bring the change of shooting date to your attention so that you can arrange your business activities to allow you to attend.

CHAMPIONSHIP SHOOT — CHANGE OF DATE

The Cowra Gun Club, which has traditionally shot its two day championship shoot on the 1st week-end of September for 20 years will be shooting this program over the holiday week-end in October. This has been changed because of the change of date for the State Carnival and is in the new program book.

SHOOTING PROGRAM BOOK

The 1981 issue has now been printed and distributed to all member clubs. Quite a few clubs are not over energetic in distributing these books so, in your own interests — ask your club secretary for your copy.

NATIONALS '81

To all N.S.W. shooters going to the Nationals in Melbourne. Best of good luck and good shooting from the N.S.W.C.T.A.
Len Bird, Publicity Officer.

NEW SOUTH WALES RESULTS:

ALBURY-WODONGA, 11-1-81 — Fine & hot (38). 30t DB Ch: 'A' & OA B. Liersch 54-54. 'B' G. Witham 33-34. 'C' T. French 53-54. 15t Hcp: T. Koopman 22-22. P. Whitlock 21-22. E. Tomasoni 18-19. BM K. Gittings 14-15. 15t SB Ch: 'A' & OA A. Penney 21-21. 'B' P. Birch 16-17. 'C' F. Iaria 16-17.

ALBURY-WODONGA, 2-1-81 — Night, perfect (46). 15t Hcp: T. Trabant 20-20. L. Mitsch 19-20. H. Gentsch 18-19. Albury & Dis DB Ch: 'A' & OA A. Penney 26-26. 'B' Chris Brown 24-25. 'C' L. Mitsch 21-22. 10t SB: 'A' P. Whitlock 10-11. 'B' P. Birch 11-12. 'C' & OA T. French 12-12.

BATEMANS BAY, 18-1-81 — Very warm (41). 10t EO Hcp: 4 possibles G. Tweedie. J. Mitchell. F. Match. P. Gumley. 20t WU Sth Coast Ch: M. Holden 16-20. G. Smeaton 23-30. N. Teale 22-30. FM R. Dale 14-20. 20t Mixed Club Ch: S. Balogh 33-35. J. Ford 32-35. L. Saunders 31-35. FM G. Smeaton 30-35. 20t DB Hcp CD: 8 possibles 20-20 R. Blake. L. Blake. G. Tweedie. B. Koorey. N. Teale. G. Smeaton. High Gun: J. Ford and G. Smeaton divided 74-85.

Secretary: J. Ford 72 4712; President: B. Barter 72 4751.

Parkes Gun Club

SAT. MARCH 14, 1981 at 2.00 pm.

Event 1. 10T D.B. 15M \$2.00

Event 2. **GOLDEN WEST S.B. CHAMP**
25T S.B. 15M \$6.00

1st Badge plus Trophy, 2nd, 3rd, 11m Fm, 12-15m
Sweeps 50c, 50c, 50c (\$1.50)

Event 3. 15T D.B. HCP TROPHY \$5.00

1st each group 11-14, 15-18, 19-22, 23-25.

High Gun 1-3 (Noms next shoot)
Other events time permitting

SAT. APRIL 11, 1981 at 2.00 pm.

Event 1. 10T D.B. 15M \$2.00

Event 2. **PARKES GUN CLUB P.S. CHP**
25T P.S. 15M \$6.00

1st Badge plus trophy, 2nd, 3rd, 11m Fm, 12-15m
Sweeps 50c, 50c, 50c (\$1.50)

Events 3. 15T DB HCP TROPHY \$5.00

1st each group 11-14, 15-18, 19-22, 23-25.

High Gun 1-3 (Noms next shoot)
Other events time permitting

PRES: C. Bradley
Phone 52 2616

SEC: D. Rogan
P.O. Box 514, Parkes 2870

**MARCONI
GUN CLUB LTD.**

Ground Location:
Sydney/Marconi Clay Target Complex,
Heathcote Road, Menai.

Sunday March 15 1981

10.00 a.m. start

**7TH ANNUAL
MARCONI/WINCHESTER
100**

and in conjunction

**MARCONI 500
TEAMS EVENT**

**100 TARGETS D/B
FROM 15M**

IN 4 ROUNDS OF 25 TGTS

Nom \$20.00

Veterans, Ladies
& Juniors \$12.00

O/P Sweeps

\$1.00 each 25
\$1.00 O/A

**TROPHIES 1ST, 2ND, 3RD & 4TH
A B & C GRADE.**

**HIGH GUN ON THIS EVENT
DONATED BY**

WINCHESTER AUSTRALIA.

**O/A WINNER HOLDS PERPETUAL TROPHY
FOR 12 MONTHS AND ALSO RECEIVES SASH
IN ADDITION TO WINCHESTER HIGH GUN
AND GRADE TROPHY.**

**Teams of Five Shooters for the Marconi 500 to
be nominated prior to the commencement of
the 1st round.**

Nom \$2.00
per shooter

(Div 60%

winning team

40% runners up

**THIS EVENT IS A COMPULSORY EVENT FOR THE
SOUTH AUSTRALIAN TEAMS ELIMINATION.**

PAST WINNERS

M/W 100

1975 B. Kable 99-100
1976 M. Quirk 100-100
1977 B. Kable 214-214
1978 B. Kable 100-100
1979 W. Every 133-133
1980 S. Phillips 115-115

500 TEAMS EVENT

N.S.W. G.C. 485-500
Sydney G.C.
N.S.W. G.C. 493-500
Sydney G.C. 490-500
Sydney G.C. 491-500
Royal Aero 488-500

**Lunch, Morning & Afternoon Tea, and Ammunition
Available on the Grounds.**

**THE COMMITTEE RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ALTER THE
PROGRAM**

President:
L. Crema
(02) 604 0125

Secretary:
N. Banko
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LEETON GUN CLUB

Sunday March 22, 1981

9.30 a.m.

EVENT 1

10 TGT CASH DIVIDE D/B 16m

Nom \$2.00

EVENT 2

THE ELEY WARATAH STATE CLASSIC

Nom \$12.00

Juniors Nom \$6.00

Opt. Sweeps \$2.50

30 Tgts 16m D/B

1st Franchi Gas operated Shot Gun Retail \$465.00

2nd 500 Eley Trap Cartridges Retail \$163.00

3rd 250 Eley Trap Cartridges Retail \$81.00

Best Ladies Engraved Trophy Retail \$70.00

Best Junior Engraved Trophy Retail \$70.00

In the case of any Shooter or Shooters scoring a possible 30-30 they will then shoot off to determine the Division winner. The winner may then shoot on for a long run break and thus be eligible for the Eley Waratah State Classic High Gun 1981. It will be a suitably Engraved Trophy. The Eley Waratah State Classic High Gun 1981 will be presented at the pre-Nationals in 1982 to the shooter with the longest run break of the six divisions. If that shooter attends the 1982 Nationals, Eley Ammunition will pay his nominations.

Nom \$6.00

Opt. Sweeps \$1.50

EVENT 3

25 TGT LEETON DISTRICT P/S C'SHIP

Trophies: 1st, 2nd, 3rd, Front Marker &
Lady Shooter

EVENT 4

20 TGT CASH DIVIDE D/B 15m HIGH GUN OVER EVENTS 1-4

Nom \$3.00

The Club reserves the right to alter the program.

★ Barbecue Lunch ★ Afternoon Tea ★ Refreshments ★
★ Cartridges - all available at the Club ★

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Phone: (069) 53 3138

SECRETARY:

K. Wardman
P.O. Box 745, Leeton
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BEGA, 4-1-81 — Cool pleasant day (37). 10t SB Graded event: 11-12m Ron Summerell, 13-16m Ron Peachy, 17-25m H. Kennedy, 30t DB 16m: H. Kennedy, R. Elliott, R. Brown, 10t PS Graded event: 11-12m N. Teale, 13-16m G. Taylor, 17-25m E. Koellner, Quail Shoot: B. Millard, R. Brown, G. Fielen, High Gun Trophy: H. Kennedy.

BERRIDALE, 10-1-81 — Warm, gusty winds. 10t EO: G. Sheedy, G. Feilen, R. Elliot, L. Britt, N. Carter, T. Hayden, 10t PS: O. Benson, R. Hain, FM P. Freebody, 10t 5t SB 5t DB: J. Stubbs, 15t DB Hep: R. Brown, G. Feilen, FM P. Freebody, 5pr DR: T. Hayden, R. Hedger, FM P. Freebody, High Gun: L. Britt.

BOMBALA, 17-1-81 — Fine (21). 10t DB: divided T. Kennedy and L. Britt, 5t SB 5t DB: Club Trophy O. Feilen, 20t ASA SB: T. Kennedy, D. Badewitz, FM G. Pagden, 5pr DR: L. Britt, T. Kennedy, FM R. Platts, 10t PS: divided T. Kennedy, T. Hayden, L. Britt, High Gun T. Kennedy.

COONAMBLE, 17-1-81 — Overcast & warm (17). 20t DB 15m: Rick Murray & Terry Moore 20-20, Hank Thuinissen 19-20, Peter Conn & Hans Ptaszinski 18-20, 30t Mixed Hep: Peter Conn 49-50, Lloyd Smith 47-50, Ken Fisher 45-50, 20t DB PS 15m: Hans Ptaszinski & Rick Murray 58-60, Lloyd Smith 57-60, David Bellamy, Peter Conn & Hank Thuinissen 56-60, 30t DB Hep: Hank Thuinissen, Mick Lewis & Kevin Elias 29-30, David Bellamy & Terry Moore 27-30, Rick Murray & Hans Ptaszinski 26-30, 20t DB PS Hep: Hank Thuinissen 59-60, Hans Ptaszinski 58-60, David Bellamy, Kevin Elias and Lloyd Smith 51-60, 20t DB 15m: Rick Murray & Hank Thuinissen 20-20, Mick Lewis & David Bellamy 19-20, Ken Fisher, Hans Ptaszinski & Kevin Elias 18-20, High Gun won by Hank Thuinissen 132-140 from Rick Murray 129-140.

COROWA, 4-1-81 — Hot & humid (45). 20t DB Hep: A. Jamieson 44-44, D. J. Fraser 43-44, B. Cooper 29-30, BM K. Gittings 18-20, Ladies Mrs M. Gittings 19-20, Junior J. Mills 19-20, 20t DB Ch: 'B' & OA Chris Brown 98-98, 'A' A. Collins 97-98, 'C' Mrs M. Gittings 37-38, FM R. McCrum 36-37, 10t PS off 15m: 'A' N. Schneider 30-30, 'B' D. J. Fraser 29-30, 'C' T. French 45-45.

COWRA, 3-1-81 — Hot & windy, 15t Hep EO: P. Coddington, G. Sinclair, P. Walmsley, N. Dwight, J. Owen, T. Campbell, D. guihot, D. Heilman, C. Corcoran, J. Gorman, 20t Hep Jackpot Trophy: P. Walmsley, S. Gittos, FM E. Picker, BM J. Smith, Cowra G.C. DB Trophy 20t 15m: G. Brunton, N. Dwight, J. Smith, FM J. Lawrence, 15t Sweep: event not held due to lack of time, 10t 15m Night EO: B. Warren, R. Murphy, J. Gorman, R. Sacchetti, Lachlan Valley DB Night Ch: 'A' & OA D. Kiss, 'B' J. Gorman, 'C' R. Murphy, High Gun J. Gorman.

Secretary: Mrs J. Mould, P.O. Box 264, Cowra 2794.

DENILIQUIN, 19-1-81 — Very hot (39). 20t DB Ch: R. Glenn 42-42, S. Nisbet 41-42, D. Bond 36-37, FM M. Laffy 19-20, Ladies Ros Allen 18-20, 20t PS Ch: AO R. McKenzie 60-60, 'A' J. Whittakers 155-156, 'B' K. McKendrick 58-60, 'C' W. Koopman 59-60, FM W. Roe 59-66, 20t Hep: D. Dudley 23-23, W. Iles 22-23, D. Barkley 21-22, BM R. Glenn 19-20.

DOWNSIDE INTERNATIONAL, 17-1-81 — Hot & cloudy (12). 25t Skeet CD: D. Simpson 24-25, J. Parr 23-25, R. Patterson 22-25, 50t Skeet Trophy Hep: W. Scott, J. Parr, J. Stewart, A. Jones, 25t Skeet CD: R. Paterson 24-25, J. Parr and J. Stewart 23-25.

GOULBURN WORKERS, 10-1-81 — Fine & windy (20). 10t DB Hep SS: 9 possibles C. Rowe, I. Shuttle, S. Lambert, R. Churchill, L. Hearne, R. Hayes, W. Webster, R. Tetley, R. Jewell, 10t DB 15m SS: 8 possibles E. Hunt, S. Lambert, R.

Berridale Gun Club

Two-Day Easter Shoot

April 18-19, 1981

SATURDAY April 18 at 10 a.m.

D.B. Trophy
Southern District D.B. C'ships
Eley Gold Cup Teams Shoot

(Cup at present held by "Dad's Army" team, Berridale).

SUNDAY April 19 at 10 a.m.

Southern District P.S. C'ships
Monaro District S.B. C'ships
Handicap Trophy

OTHER EVENTS BOTH DAYS, TIME PERMITTING.
Location of Club: 1 km from Berridale, off Adaminaby Road.

Postal Address: P.O. Box 879,
COOMA, N.S.W. 2630.

Please Note
Bombala Club Shoot changed
from April 18 to April 11, 1981

N. Carter
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(0648) 21079.

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President
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WAGGA GUN CLUB

TWO DAY SKEET SHOOT

Four Championships SKEET

Saturday March 28, 1981

commencing 9.00 a.m.

Event 1 Nom \$9.00

50 tgt Riverina Zone C'ship

(Graded 0-1, 2-3, 4-10)

Opt Sweeps each 25 and OA (\$3.00)

Event 2 Nom \$9.00

50 tgt Wagga Gun Club C'ship

(Graded 0-1, 2-3, 4-10)

Opt Sweeps each 25 and OA (\$3.00)

SKEET & BALL TRAP

Sunday March 29, 1981

commencing 9.00 a.m.

(Events 1 & 3 both i.e. the District Skeet & Ball Trap
will both commence at 9.00 a.m.)

Event 1 Nom \$9.00

**50 tgt Wagga Wagga
District C'ship**

(Graded 0-1, 2-3, 4-10)

Opt Sweeps each 25 and OA (\$3.00)

Event 2 Nom \$9.00

50 tgt President's C'ship

(Graded 0-1, 2-3, 4-10)

Opt Sweeps each 25 and OA (\$3.00)

Event 3 Nom \$17.00

100 tgt NSW Ball Trap C'ship

(AA, A B C Grades)

Opt Sweeps each 25 and OA (\$5.00)

Ladies & Junior Shooters 1/2 Noms.

"Ladies and Junior Trophies
on each Skeet Championship"

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THE
Sydney
Gun Club
Winchester
Pre-National
Weekend
MARCH
7 & 8, 1981**

**"4 TRIPS TO
THE NATIONALS
PLUS
NOMINATIONS
TO BE WON"**

**REFER TO FEB
CTSN FOR DETAILS**

President:
R. Alvaro
521 1587.

**ALBURY WODONGA
Clay Target Club**

**PRE DUCK OPENING
TWILIGHT & NIGHT**

FRIDAY - FEBRUARY 27

6.30 start

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| Event 1. | 10T HANDICAP | \$3.00 |
| Four metre groups 11-14, 15-18, 19-22, 23-25. | | |
| Event 2. | 10T DB OFF 15M | \$2.00 |
| Trophy Each Grade | | |
| Event 3. | 20T POINTS SCORE | \$4.00 |
| Trophy Each Grade. | | |
| Event 4. | 10T SB OFF 15M | \$3.00 |
| Trophy each metre group 11-13, 14-16, 17-19, 20-22, 23-25. | | |

CANCELLATION NOTICE

Programs set down for March 6 and 8 cancelled
due to duck opening.

**FRIDAY APRIL 3
TWILIGHT & NIGHT**

6.30 p.m. start

15T HANDICAP
20T DB CHAMPIONSHIP
10T SINGLE BARREL

SUNDAY APRIL 12

1.00 p.m.

25T DB CHAMPIONSHIP
25T POINTS SCORE CHAMPIONSHIP
25T SINGLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

A. Collins,
President
060 25 5957

R.J. Giles,
Secretary
060 25 2577

Churchill, R. Gooch, L. Hearne, R. Hayes, R. Tetley, G. Mooney, 20t SB Ch: OA T. Mooney 19-20, 'A' G. Mooney, 'B' B. Churchill, 'C' C. Rowe.

Consistency Leader T. Mooney.

GRIFFITH, 31-12-80 — Clear & hot (41). Griffith C.T.C. DB Ch: 'A' & OA J. Whittakers 71-71, M. Mitchell 70-71; 'B' A. Salafia 34-35, B. Osborne 28-29; 'C' W. Coraci 24-25, R. Kocaj 23-25, Griffith C.T.C. PS Ch: 'A' & OA J. Whittakers 93-93, A. Walker 110-111; 'B' R. Huddleston 90-93, C. Wakefield 59-60; 'C' R. Kocaj 59-60, W. J. Daniels 58-60, 5t Elim: M. Mitchell, G. Osborne, J. Ford, C'wealth Night DB Ch: 'A' & OA A. Balogh 39-40, D. Sullivan 38-40; 'B' R. Huddleston 50-54, G. Bennett 50-54; 'C' M. Weymouth 35-40, F. Matich 32-40.

GRIFFITH, 1-1-81 — Clear & hot (87). M.I.A. PS Ch: 'A' & OA M. Mitchell 75-75, T. Salafia 74-75; 'B' F. Casella 74-75, B. Osborne 73-74; 'C' F. Matich 71-75, M. Weymouth 70-75, M.I.A. SB Ch: 'A' K. McCumstie, J. Whittakers, 'B' & OA G. McDonald, J. Evans; 'C' B. Wild, G. Mitchell, Griffith C.T.C. Grand Prix: 11-13m R. Davidge, D. Lindsay, G. Mitchell and B. Wild shared trophy: 14-16m S. Guest, F. Matich, J. Ford and A. Lucas shared trophy: 17-19m F. Crawford, K. McCumstie, A. Poanne; 20-22m G. McDonald, V. Borg, E. McCullough; 23-25m A. Del-Ben, T. Salafia, I. Evans; Ladies Trophy C. Wakefield, High Gun M. Mitchell 246-250.

GRIFFITH, 11-1-81 — Cloudy & hot (14). 100t Trench Ch: 'A' & OA G. Castellaro 94-100, T. Salafia 89-100; 'B' D. Huddleston 89-100, A. Poanne 85-100; 'C' P. McWilliams 76-100, W. Coraci 71-100.

GULGONG, 25-1-81 — Hot (39). 10t DB EO: 9 shot possible, 20t DB 15m: A. Turner 39-39, J. Costa 38-39, T. Young 24-25, 10t SB Hcp: A. Turner 11-11, L. Knowles 10-11, 10t PS 15m: A. Turner 57-57, J. Steightholme 54-57, R. Davis 35-36, 10pr DD: C. Dorman & R. Carr, T. Young & R. Davis, High Gun Trophy T. Young, Best Novice shooter Milton Miller.

Thankyou to Mr Arthur Turner for donating one of his prizes to be given to the shooter with the worst score, but tried the hardest. This was won by Grahame Wall.

HAWKESBURY, 26-12-80 — Night, calm, fine (29). 20t DB Ch: OA A. Hayes 95-95, V. Gatt 94-94, E. Patterson 42-43, 20t DB Ch Graded: 'A' A. Hayes 53-54, P. Miller; 'B' P. Hunter 21-23, V. Gobbo 19-20; 'C' C. Scieluna 19-20, B. Meek 20-22.

HAWKESBURY, 2-1-81 — Fine, night (40). 20t SB Ch 15m: OA J. Allotta; 'A' V. Gatt, G. Salmon; 'B' D. Watson; 'C' J. Desanti, T. Ridge, 30t Monthly Hcp: 11-15 F. Pace, L. Moon; 16-20 B. Casey, J. Gobbo; 21-25 J. Agius, A. Piazza, 30t Monthly Hcp December: 11-15 P. Hunter, C. Portelli; 16-20 V. Abela, J. Vella; 21-25 K. Bosanko, G. Bedington, N.A.S.A. Shield round 1: OA J. Agius; 'A' V. Gatt, F. Smith; 'B' R. Dawson, V. Abela; 'C' W. Dolesko, C. Gatea, 25t DB Ch: 'A' P. Muscat, K. Bosanko, 'B' P. Hunter, E. Zadroz; 'C' J. Desanti, T. Ridge.

ILLAWARRA, 4-1-81 — Hot & windy (35). 25t Hcp Trophy: P. Thomas 25-25, J. Masters 24-25, A. Sewell 29-31; FM M. Lieske 28-31; BM L. Scott 21-25, 25t Lake Illawarra PS Ch: F. Harley 72-75, M. Galli 90-93, K. Perkins 89-93; FM B. Bruce 62-75, 25t Wongawilli DB Ch: W. Jones 41-41, K. Perkins 40-41, J. Maxwell 30-31; FM W. Markham 24-25.

ILLAWARRA, 17-1-81 — Overcast & humid, January Mugs Cup: monthly winner K. Perkins 48-48, 25t Nebo DB Ch: M. Galli 39-39, L. Scott 38-39, K. Perkins 35-36; FM W. Markham 24-25.

JUNEE, 28-12-80 — Fine & warm (32). 10t DB EO Hcp: 11 divide 10-10, 20t DB Trophy: W. Scott (Downside) 40-40, B. Goddard (Junee) 39-40, M. O'Dowd (Junee) 35-36, 10t PS: 7 divide 30-30, 10t Cont.: 13 divide 10-10, 10t SB Night EO: R. Osborne 9-10, 11 divide 8-10, Junee SB Night Ch: K. Longemore (Junee), B. Brady

COONAMBLE GUN CLUB

SATURDAY, MARCH 21, 1981

3 pm Start

20T DB P/SCORE 15M
30T MIXED HCP
50T SB CHAMPIONSHIP 15M
20T DB HCP

Other events, time permitting

Secretary
Hans Ptaszinski
Phone Walgett 120 B/H

ILLAWARRA GUN CLUB

Bong Bong Road, Dapto



SUNDAY, MARCH 29

Start 10.30 a.m.

EVENT 1

NOM \$8.00

30T Ern Webb Hcp

Groups 11-13, 14-17, 18-21, 22-25.
1st each group Mens Digital Watch

EVENT 2

NOM \$15.00

30T Ern Webb '500' \$500 cash

1st \$250.00, 2nd \$100.00, 3rd \$50.00
Best 11-13, 14-17, 18-21, 22-25 \$25.00 each

EVENT 3

NOM \$7.00

30T ATA SB Chp

Graded A, B, C, 1st and 2nd each grade

High Gun - Free nomination and badge

DON'T FORGET: QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY
WEEKEND AT ILLAWARRA — SEE
PRELIMINARY ADD, APRIL CTSN

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DOWNSIDE INTERNATIONAL GUN CLUB

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

SUNDAY MARCH 1, 1981

start 9.30 a.m.

Trench Championship
also I.S.U. & American Skeet

SATURDAY MARCH 21, 1981

Skeet Handicap,
D.T.L. Club S.B. Championship
& Handicap Events.

Shooters Note:

D.T.L. Events for March 28 cancelled and
incorporated in program for March 21.

President:

J. Stewart

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Mrs L. Parr

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NEW ENGLAND GUN CLUB

SAPPHIRE SHOOT

SUNDAY, MARCH 8, 1981

9.00 am start

**CLUB IS LOCATED 12 KM NORTH OF GLEN
INNES**

Event 1. 10T CONT PS 15M CASH DIV. Noms \$2.50

Event 2. 25T NTHN ZONE SB CONT 15M \$5.00

Badge & Trophy OA. Badge & Trophy 1st each grade.

Event 3. 50T DB 15M TROPHY EVENT \$10.00

Trophies valued \$800.

4 Sapphires divided 11-14m, 15-19m, 20-25m & Best Lady
50c op sweeps each 10

2.50
\$20.00

*Ammunition - Lunch & Afternoon Tea - Refreshments
available. Club reserves the right to alter program*

John McPhee, President
Ph: 633 Glen Innes

Andrew Futter, Secretary
Ph: Glencoe 23-K

MOULAMEIN GUN CLUB

(AFFILIATED A.C.T.A. & N.S.W.C.T.A.)

1981 SHOOT PROGRAM

MARCH — Sunday - March 22

APRIL — Sunday - April 26

MAY — Saturday - May 30

JUNE — Saturday - June 20

JULY — Saturday - July 18

AUGUST — Saturday - August 29

(ANNIVERSARY SHOOT)

**SEPTEMBER — Saturday
- September 19**

OCTOBER — Sunday - October 25

NOVEMBER — Sunday - November 22

(GARY WEBB MEMORIAL)

DECEMBER — Sunday - December 13

(CHRISTMAS SHOOT)

**The Moulamein Clay Target range is 3.0 km
from Moulamein on the Barham Road.**

Robert Weaver
President
Tualka Terrace
Moulamein

Norm Lippie
Secretary
Phone 93
Code No. 0585741

N.S.W. GUN CLUB LTD.

131 BOORALIE ROAD, TERREY HILLS 2084

Program - March to December 1981

Sat March 7 10.00 a.m.
100T Metro Skeet C'ship
25T Handicap Trophy
25T 15m P.S. Trophy

Wed March 11 7.30 p.m.
30T N.S.W. S.Z. Night S.B. C'ship

Sat March 14 1.00 p.m.
50T N.S.W. Gun Club D.B. C'ship
50T N.S.W. Gun Club P.S. C'ship

Sat March 21 10.00 a.m.
100T Terrey Hills Trench C'ship
50T 15m Graded Trophy

Sat March 28 1.00 p.m.
50T Terrey Hills Mixed T'get C'ship
30T D.B. Handicap Trophy

Sat April 4 10.00 a.m.
100T Duffy Forest Skeet C'ship
25T Handicap Trophy
25T 15m P.S. Trophy

Sat April 11 1.00 p.m.
50T Ku-Ring-Gai D.B. Cont C'ship
50T Ku-Ring-Gai S.B. Cont C'ship

Sat April 18 10.00 a.m.
100T Metro Trench C'ship
50T 15m Trophy 1st-2nd-3rd

Sat April 25 1 p.m.
30T Sydney District D.B.
15 Pr Sydney Dist D.R. C'ship

Sat May 2 10.00 a.m.
50T Duffy Forest ISU Skeet C'ship
50T Terrey Hills Skeet C'ship

Sat May 9 1.00 p.m.
50T Duffy Forest D.B. Cont C'ship
30T D.B. Cont H'cap Trophy

Sat May 16 1.00 p.m.
50T 15m Graded Trophy D.B.
50T 15m Graded Trophy S.B.

Sat May 23 1.00 p.m.
30T Sydney Dist D.B. Cont C'ship
30T Sydney District P.S. Cont C'ship

Wed May 27 7.30 p.m.
50T N.S.W. State Night D.B. Cont C'ship

Sat May 30 10.00 a.m.
100T Sydney Dist I.S.U. Skeet C'ship
50T 15m D.B. 25T S.B. Trophy
30T D.B. H'cap Trophy

Sat June 6 1.00 p.m.
20pr Terrey Hills D.R. C'ship
30pr Terrey Hills D.D. C'ship

Sat June 13 1.00 p.m.
101 Annual General Meeting - Presidents & Vice Presidents Trophy MEMBERS ONLY

Sat June 20 1.00 p.m.
30T Metro D.B. C'ship
30T Metro S.B. C'ship

Sat June 27 10.00 a.m.
50T Trench Trophy
50T Graded Trench Trophy
100T I.S.U. Skeet Trophy

Sun June 28 10.00 a.m.
100T R. L. Tooth Trench C'ship
100T R. L. Tooth I.S.U. Skeet C'ship

Sat July 4 1.00 p.m.
50T Duffy Forest P.S. C'ship
50T 15m D.B. Trophy 1st 2nd 3rd

Sat July 11 10.00 a.m.
50T Ku-Ring-Gai Chase Skeet C'ship
50T Skeet Trophy H'cap

Sat July 18 1.00 p.m.
50T Duffy Forest M.T. C'ship
50T Terrey Hills P.S. C'ship

Sat July 25 10.00 a.m.
50T Skeet Trophy
50T Skeet Handicap

Wed July 29 7.30 p.m.
30T N.S.W. S.Z. Night M.T. C'ship

Sat August 1 1.00 p.m.
50T N.S.W.G.C. D.B. Cont C'ship
50T N.S.W.G.C. S.B. Cont C'ship

Sat Aug 8 10.00 a.m.
100T N.S.W.G.C. Trench C'ship

Sat Aug 15 1.00 p.m.
25T Ku-Ring-Gai Chase S.B. C'ship
25T Ku-Ring-Gai Chase P.S. C'ship
25T D.B. H'cap Trophy

Wed Aug 19 7.30 p.m.
50T N.S.W. S.Z. Night Skeet C'ship

Sat Aug 22 1.00 p.m.
50T 15m D.B. Graded Trophy
50T D.B. H'cap Trophy

Wed Aug 26 7.30 p.m.
30T N.S.W. S.Z. Night D.B. Cont C'ship

Sat Aug 29 10.00 a.m.
100T N.S.W.G.C. Skeet C'ship
(in conjunction Skeet Teams Match)

Sat Sept 5 1.00 p.m.
50T Terrey Hills D.B. C'ship
50T Terrey Hills S.B. C'ship

Sat Sept 12 1.00 p.m.
N.S.W.G.C. C'ship MEMBERS ONLY

Sat Sept 19 10.00 a.m.
50T N.S.W. Sthrn Zone Skeet C'ship
50T Sthrn Zone Team Elim Match

Sat Sept 26 1.00 p.m.
25pr Duffy Forest D.R. C'ship
15pr Duffy Forest D.D. C'ship

Wed Sept 30 7.30 p.m.
15pr N.S.W. S.Z. Night D.R. C'ship

Sat Oct 3 1.00 p.m.
50T 15m Trophy Event Graded
50T D.B. H'cap Trophy

Sat Oct 10 1.00 p.m.
30T Sydney Dist S.B. C'ship
30T Sydney Dist P.S. C'ship

Sat Oct 17 10.00 a.m.
50T Ku-Ring-Gai I.S.U. Skeet C'ship
50T N.S.W. S.Z. I.S.U. Skeet C'ship

Sat Oct 24 1.00 p.m.
30T Metro D.B. Cont C'ship
30T Metro P.S. Cont C'ship
30T Metro S.B. Cont C'ship

Sat Oct 31 10.00 a.m.
50T Graded Trench C'ship
50T Graded H'cap Trophy

Sat & Sun Nov 7 & 8 10.00 a.m.
7th Annual Charity Shoot
To be advertised

Sat Nov 14 10.00 a.m.
100T Sydney Dist Trench C'ship

Sat Nov 21 10.00 a.m.
50T Metro Skeet C'ship
50T Skeet H'cap Trophy

Sat Nov 28 1.00 p.m.
N.S.W.G.C. Club Ch MEMBERS ONLY

Sat Dec 5 1.00 p.m.
50T N.S.W.G.C. S.B. C'ship
30T Metro P.S. C'ship

Sat Dec 12 1.00 p.m.
Open Christmas Shoot

Sat Dec 19 1.00 p.m.
Members Christmas Shoot

Wednesday Night Programs

1st Wed 7.30 p.m.
Life Members Trophy
5T 12m S.B., 5T 15m P.S., 5T 18m D.B.

2nd Wed 7.30 p.m.
Jack Edgell Trophy 20T

3rd Wed 7.30 p.m.
Charles Hlavaty Skeet Trophy
25T Skeet
Eley Trophy
25T Trench A.B.C. Grades

4th Wed 7.30
Bob Broder Cont Trophy
20T D.B. Cont

Note: Saturday competition Skeet and I.S.U. Events to start at 10.00 a.m. SHARP. All nominations will close one (1) hour after advertised starting time.
D.T.L. Events to start 1.00 p.m. SHARP. All nominations will close one (1) hour after advertised starting time.
First Event of the day one (1) sighting target to each shooter to shoot or look at.
Club Trading Hours: Practice available between the hours of 1.00 and 5.30 p.m. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Wednesday Evenings 6.30 till 9.30 p.m. Day-light saving 6.30 till 10.30. Saturday 10.00 a.m. till 5.30 p.m.

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MARCH 1981

Saturday March 7

10 a.m. start

100T Skeet Championship Noms \$20.00

1 p.m. start

25T Handicap Trophy Noms \$8.00

25T 15m P.S. Trophy Noms \$8.00

Wednesday March 11

7.30 p.m. start

30T N.S.W. Southern Zone Noms \$8.00
Night S.B. Championship

Saturday March 14

1.00 p.m. start

50T N.S.W. G.C. D.B. C'ship Noms \$10.00

50T N.S.W. G.C. P.S. C'ship Noms \$10.00

Saturday March 21

10 a.m. start

100T Trench C'ship Noms \$20.00

1.00 p.m. start

50T 15m Graded Trophy Noms \$12.00

Saturday March 28

1.00 p.m. start

50T Mixed Target C'ship Noms \$10.00

30T D.B. H'cap Trophy Noms \$10.00

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2 DAY OPEN SKEET SHOOT SATURDAY MARCH 21 & 22

NEWCASTLE GUN CLUB

SATURDAY, 9 am start

Event 1. \$10.00
50T Newcastle Skeet Chp

\$1.00 Op sweep Ea 25 Tgt
Graded - O/A, 0-1, 2-3, 4-10

Event 2. \$10.00
\$2.00

50T Merewether Skeet Chp

\$1.00 Op sweep Ea 25 Tgts.
Trophy 1st, 2nd, 3rd.

SUNDAY MARCH 22, 9 am start

Event 3. \$10.00
\$2.00

50T Novocastrian Skeet Chp

\$1.00 Op sweep Ea 25 Tgts.
Graded O/A, 0-1, 2-3, 4-10.

Event 4. \$10.00
\$2.00

50T Lower Hunter Skeet Hcp

\$1.00 Op sweep Ea 25 Tgts.
1st, 2nd, 3rd.

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WARREN GUN CLUB

★ 1981 OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP SHOOT ★ ★ WESTERN ZONE CARNIVAL ★

SATURDAY & SUNDAY, APRIL 4 & 5, 1981

Saturday, April 4, Commence 9 am sharp

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| Event 1. | 15T DOUBLE BARREL CASH DIVIDE - 15 M | Nom. \$5.00 |
| Event 2. | 25T LOWER MACQUARIE DOUBLE BARREL CHP - 15M Opt Sweeps \$1.00 each half (12-13) \$1.00 overall | Nom. \$6.00 |
| Event 3. | 30T WESTERN ZONE DOUBLE BARREL CHAMP - 15M Opt. sweeps \$1.00 each 10, \$1.00 overall | Nom. \$8.00 |
| Event 4. | 30T WESTERN ZONE SINGLE BARREL CHAMP - 15M Opt. Sweeps \$1.00 each 10, \$1.00 overall | Nom. \$8.00 |

Sunday, April 5, Commencing 9 am sharp

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| Event 5. | 30T WESTERN ZONE POINTS SCORE CHAMP - 15M Opt. Sweeps \$1.00 each 10, \$1.00 overall | Nom. \$8.00 |
| Event 6. | 30T DOUBLE BARREL \$2000.00 DIAMOND CALCUTTA 15T off 15m. 15T off Handicap. Opt. Sweeps \$1.00 each 15, \$1.00 OA 1st, 2nd & 3rd Trophies-Diamonds | Nom. \$25.00 |
| Event 7. | 25T LOWER MACQUARIE SINGLE BARREL CHAMP - 15M Opt. Sweeps \$1.00 each half (12-13)-\$1.00 overall | Nom. \$6.00 |
| Event 8. | 15T DOUBLE BARREL CASH DIVIDE - 15M | Nom. \$10.00 |

- * HIGH GUN AND INTERMEDIATE HIGH GUN ON ALL EVENTS *
- * BAR-B-QUE AND CALCUTTA DRAW ON SATUDAY NIGHT *
- * WESTERNZONE TRAP TEAM ELIMINATION ON EVENTS 3, 4 & 5 *
- * MEALS — REFRESHMENTS — CARTRIDGES AVAILABLE *

Committee reserves the right to alter the program.

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TAREE-WINGHAM GUN CLUB

Situated Comboyne Road, Wingham.

11TH ANNIVERSARY OPEN SHOOT

SATURDAY & SUNDAY — APRIL 4 & 5, 1981

SATURDAY, APRIL 4

Event 1

MANNING DISTRICT DOUBLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

50c op. sweeps each 10 and overall
Badge and trophy for overall winner.

Trophy for A, B, & C grades, plus 11 & 12 metre trophy.

Noms \$6.00
1.50

Event 2.

5 TARGET DOUBLE BARREL HANDICAP

50c op. sweep on 5 targets. Trophies for 1st, 2nd & 3rd

Noms \$5.00
.50c

Event 3.

50 TARGET DOUBLE BARREL OFF 16 METRES

50c op. sw. each 10; \$1.00 overall.
Graded 11 to 15; 16 to 18; 19 to 21; 22 to 25
Trophy for 1st in each group, plus 11 & 12 metre trophy.

Noms \$8.00
3.50

CALCUTTA SATURDAY NIGHT ON EVENT 6
COMPLIMENTARY TEA SATURDAY NIGHT.

SUNDAY, APRIL 5

Event 4.

MANNING DISTRICT POINTS CHAMPIONSHIP

50c op. sw. each 30 points, 50c overall.
Badge and trophy for overall winner

Trophies for A, B & C grades, plus 11 & 12 metre trophy.

Noms \$6.00
1.50

Event 5.

50 TARGET DOUBLE BARREL OFF 15 METRES

Graded A, B & C. Prize for overall, plus 1st, 2nd & 3rd in each group and an 11 & 12 metre trophy.
Sweeps — \$1 each 25; \$1 overall.

Noms \$10.00

Event 6.

11TH ANNIVERSARY TROPHY EVENT - 20T DB HCP

50c op. sw. each 10 tgts.; 50c overall.
Graded — 11 to 15; 16 to 20; 21 to 25.
Total value of trophies, approximately \$1,000.

Noms \$20.00
1.50

OVERALL WINCHESTER HIGH GUN ON EVENTS 1 to 6 — POINTS TO COUNT

DAILY HIGH GUN PLUS OVERALL INTERMEDIATE HIGH GUN

Ladies and juniors — half nominations on all events. Shooters please note that ladies and juniors are not eligible for main trophies if only half nominations are paid.

Refreshments, luncheons, cartridges on grounds. Full camping facilities. On site vans available on request. Motel or Hotel accommodation arranged if desired

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(June). R. Osborne (Wagga). High Gun K. Woodbridge (Tumut); FM I. Crisp (Tumut). Cock-O-Walk K. Woodbridge (Tumut).

MARCONI, 4-1-81 — Fine (47). 20t DB CD: L. Trew, S. Toson, K. Loy, 20t PS Ch: A'OA P. Bortolin 72-72, C. Bailey 68-72; B' J. Chiapetta 57-60, L. Galea 54-60; C' W. Robertson 49-60, G. Naggar 47-60, 20t DB Ch: OA H. Theunissen 87-87, A. Dez Ben 86-87; B' J. Morgan 19-20, J. Chiapetta 38-38; C' G. Naggar 21-22, F. Twarloh 20-22, 20t DB Cont Ch: OA C. Bailey 46-46, L. Abela 45-46; B' L. Galea 35-38, J. Szabo 19-19; C' W. Robertson 19-22, F. Fenton 19-23; Best 11-12 S. Kerr 14-20, High Gun C. Bailey 118-120.

MARCONI, 18-1-81 — Fine, windy (68). PS Ch: A' L. Abela 96-99, M. Galli 74-75; B' E. Shute 80-81, M. Bianconi 58-60; C' & OA V. Spiteri 99-99, P. Sablinovski 57-60; Best 11-12m Mrs A. Sewell 54-60, DD Ch: G. Fitzgerald & V. Watson 39-40, P. Politi & W. Valentine 38-40, S. Phillips & F. Luccarda 27-29, DR Ch: OA L. Abela 29-30, V. Borg 28-30; B' L. Chalkier 18-20, L. Galea 17-20; C' F. Twarloh 16-20, P. Rose 14-20; Best 11-12m Mrs A. Sewell 13-20, High Gun L. Abela 104-105.

MOULAMEIN, 25-1-81 — Fine, very hot (23). 10t 15m SS: 10-10 R. Weaver, G. McFarlane, C. Bonnici, N. Lipple, C. Gorey, K. Beet, R. Ridgeway, 20t Trophy 15m: 2 possibles G. McFarlane, N. Lipple won by N. Lipple 21-21, G. McFarlane 20-21, 10t Hcp Trophy: possibles R. Weaver, G. McFarlane, C. Bonnici, C. Gorey, K. Beet, D. Hall; won by Chris Gorey 18-19, G. McFarlane 18-19, 10t Novice 11m: C. Orr 10-10.

A trophy for the best local shooter not winning a sweepstake or trophy was won by Darryl Hall.

NARRANDERA, 10-1-81 — Night (29). Mixed Tgt EO 5t SB 5pr DR: A. Salafia 14-15, A. Walker 13-15, D. Walker, K. Langley, R. Bushby, M. Stanmore, T. Salafia 12-15, Mixed Tgt Trophy Event 5t DB, 5t SB, 5t PS, 5pr DR: R. Bushby, A. Walker, T. Salafia, FM M. Ierano, Novelty Event 5t DB 11m, 5t DB 25m: N. McDermott 10-10, Alice Walker, T. Salafia 9-10.

NARRANDERA, 18-1-81 — Hot (41). Mixed Tgt EO 5t DB, 5t SB Hcp: T. Kirk, G. Tuckett, M. Weymouth all 10-10, Mixed Tgt Trophy Event 10t DB, 10t SB Hcp: A. Pannone, C. Ceely, F. Schmetzer, FM E. Davies, BM M. Mitchell, Lady G. Duncan, High Gun C. Ceely, OA High Gun M. Weymouth, DD 10pr: 6 pair of shooters shot 9-10, Mixed Tgt CD 5pr DR, 5t DB: T. Salafia 15-15, M. Mitchell 14-15, E. Davies, D. Walker, A. Walker 13-15.

NEWCASTLE, 3-1-81 — Fine (24). 20t DB 15m: divided R. Hancock, I. Lee, J. Zacc, J. Dunn, P. Zikman 20-20, 50t SB Ch: OA K. Cummings 52-56, A' R. Wilson 51-56, B' K. Hall 47-52, C' I. Clarke 39-50, 10pr DR: R. Wilson 19-20, C. Bentley 15-20, I. Lee 15-20, P. Zikman 15-20.

Secretary: Ian T. Clarke (049) 25809.

NEW ENGLAND, 11-1-81 — Hot & sunny (36). 20t DB 15m: Peter Wright, Dale Ellis, E. Redman, C. Blossome, J. Williams, R. Hammond all 20-20, 20t SB 16m: A. Kempton, R. Kiehne 20-20; J. McPhee, G. Baxter, G. Dawson 19-20, 20t DB Hcp: A. Futter, R. Kiehne 20-20; J. Denrose, G. Baxter, Dale Ellis, Peter Wright 19-20, High Gun Ron Kiehne 58-60; FM High Gun Geoff Baxter 57-60.

Andrew Futter phone Glencoe 23-K.

ROYAL AERO, 28-12-80 — Fine (51). Bankstown SB Ch: A' H. Theunissen 20-20 & OA. B' L. Galea 21-22, C' D. Goodwin 18-20, Half Century DB Ch: A' C. Davenport 116-116 & OA. S. Phillips 115-116; B' P. Abela 53-54, S. Suboni 49-50; C' T. Jerfy 46-50, F. Twarloh 45-50, Centennial DR Ch: A' S. La-Rosa 28-30 & OA. B' L. Galea 24-32, C' T. Jerfy 20-30, High Gun S. Phillips 95-100.

ROYAL AERO, 11-1-81 — Fine (72). Trophy Hcp: H. Theunissen 41-42, S. Zuffo 40-42, J. Chiapetta 33-34, Bankstown Half Century: A' T. Ronamello 83-83 & OA. G. Fitzgerald 78-79; B' L. Galea 82-83, P. Abela 74-75; C' V. Spiteri 56-56, J. Corsini 55-56, High Gun H. Theunissen 75-75.

TAREE-WINGHAM, 10 & 11-1-81 — Hot, humid and clear (48). Mid N-C Skeet Ch: B. Rooke, B. Noll, J. Stewart, N.S.W. ISU Trap Ch: AA' K. Loy 97-100, A' W. Jones 94-100, B' N. Simms 91-100, C' D. O'Brien 74-100, Nthrn Zone Skeet Ch: B. Rooke 93-100, B. Noll 92-100, C. Hawkins 90-100, Nthrn Zone Trap Ch: A' J. Maxwell 98-100, AA' T. Rumbel 95-100, B' B. Dent 91-100, C' J. Quartermain 82-100.

The New South Wales Trap Team is as follows - K. Loy 43-50, R. Duncan 46-50, A. Kavanagh 45-50, T. Rumbel 48-50, J. Maxwell took out the Team High Gun with 49-50 and T. Budd 45-50. The OA Trap High Gun went to Terry Rumbel after a shoot-off with John Maxwell, the score being 215-225. The Skeet High Gun went to Barney Rooke with 183-200. The N.S.W. ISU Sub-committee was formed at a meeting on Saturday night, 10th January, to promote ISU shooting. President is Bruce Noll of Taree-Wingham Gun Club, with Kevin Loy, secretary.

TERRANORA LAKES, 11-1-81 — Fine and hot (25). 15t DB Cont 15m SS: 11-14m A. Bailey, N. Buffier 13-15, L. Weeks, D. Hanger, S. Iles 12-15; 15-18m J. Kent, M. Swale, L. Cobden, G. Turrell 14-15; 19-25m J. Duyker 15-15, W. Chandler 14-15, R. Potter, R. Turner, P. Turner 13-15; FM D. Hanger, 30t DB Cont Club Ch Graded: OA M. Swale 30-30, A' R. Potter 30-30, B' J. Kent 28-30, C' J. Dawkins 27-30, 10t SB Hcp Rose Sagre Cup: L. Cobden 14-10, 15t DB Hcp SS: L. Cobden, A. Bailey, M. Swale, W. Chandler all 15-15; FM A. Bailey, 20t A.T.A. 15m: 11-14m G. Cliff & P. Bailey 19-20, L. Weeks, D. Hanger, S. Iles, A. Naumann 17-20; 15-18m M. Swale, G. Turrell 20-20, J. Kent, P. Harvey 19-20; 19-25m J. Duyker 20-20, R. Turner, I. Bateman 19-20.

Bob Ridler, secretary, phone (075) 35 3444.

TUMUT, 4-1-81 — Fine and hot (30). 10t SB 15m: 5 possibles A. Povey, J. Gilpin, G. Sheedy, S. Harding and G. Thatcher, 25t SB 15m Tumut G.C. Ch: OA K. Woodbridge 25-25, A' J. Power 23-25, B' C. Trve 24-25, C' J. Gilpin 24-28, 20t DB Hcp CD: 6 possibles G. Lindley, R. Percival, R. Baker, C. Rowland, P. Coddington and T. Elliott, 30 Mixed Tgt off Hop Metreage Div: 11-14m B. Goodard 48-50, 15-18m S. Harding 47-50, 19-25m B. Mayo 47-50.

Secretary R. Baker, phone (089) 47 1243.

TYAGARAH, 4-1-81 — Fine (11). 5t EO: J. Duyker, G. Turrell 5-5, 25t Cont Ch: J. Duyker 25-25, I. Bateman 40-42, D. Sloan 39-42, 10t SB Mug: I. Bateman 10-11, 20t Pts SS: J. Duyker 59-20, P. Flack 57-20, I. Bateman 57-19, 10t Hcp SS: D. Sloan, J. Duyker, P. Flack, M. Bertoli 10-10, Box Sweep: J. Duyker, High Gun J. Duyker 68-70; Inter High Gun A. Cox 60-70.

Phone (066) 85 7042.

WAGGA, 4-1-81 — Hot breezy (45). 75t A.T.A. Trophy 15m: OA E. Vincent 99-100, A' B. Duncan 98-100, B' R. Osborne 70-75, C' R. Jewell 71-75, 20t DB Trophy Hcp: 11-15m B. Goodard 57-57, 16-20m G. Osborne 44-45, 21-25m J. Blain 19-20, High Gun Trophy was won by Ray Jewell 91-95.

Secretary Don Clout, 112 Grove Street, Koorlingak, 2650, Phone (069) 22 6631.

WEST WYALONG, 28-12-80 — Hot and stormy (29). 100t Trench Trophy: A' D. McKenzie 91-100, B. Duncan 90-100; B' G. Bennett 83-100, S. Dunstall 79-100; C' J. Blain 84-100, D. McKenzie Jnr 83-100; Novice J. Lawrence 47-100.

WYONG, 10-1-81 — Hot (18). 10t DB EO: I. Lee, K. Drea, P. Zikman, P. Jessop, R. Britton 10-10, Wyong G.C. WU Ch: R. Hayward 14-20, E. Hill 13-20, I. Lee 15-25; FM D. Singleton 8-20, 30t DB CD 15m: R. Britton, G. Casey 30-30, 20t SB CD 15m: I. Lee, J. Mercer 18-20.

YAMBA, 18-1-81 — Fine, slight breeze (33). 10t DB SS: D. Harrison, T. Cotton, R. Holder, K. Handsaker, M. Short, I. McDonald, T. Simmons 10-10, 10t PS SS: S. Godwin, R. Bartlett, C. Fuller 30-30, 20t DB Trophy 15m Trophy Hap: 11-13 R. Bartlett 19-20, C. Fuller 24-24, 18-25 I. McDonald 20-20, 15t American Style Trophy: D. Harrison, M. Short, T. Simmons 15-15; shoot-off M. Short 17-17, High Gun C. Fuller 70-75.

YOUNG SOLFERINO, 18-1-81 — Very humid (40). 10t DB EO 15m: R. Percival, B. Spees, P. Walmsley, D. Rowland, C. Warren, S. Harding, R. Shaw, K. Woodbridge, J. Power, 80t Champions of Champions: R. Shaw, K. McCumstie, J. Power, S. Harding, I. Halls, C. Warren; FM C. Myers.

"THE FEW" or "APATHY IS A THIRD BARREL"

Winston Churchill's famous comments are familiar to most of us, especially the one relating to the British and Allied fighter pilots referred to as the "Few". For those of us who are unable to recount this comment, it goes — "Never in the field of human conflict, have so many, owed so much, to so few".

Churchill's comment can be directly related to our sport, today! How many of us go to a club, put a gun in the rack, nominate, and then wait our turn to shoot? Sound familiar? The "Few" in our case are the administration of a gun club. How many times have you heard comments like, "There are no drinks left", "They (the club) have run out of cartridges" or "Where is the referee for our squad?" You could go on forever! For all these cases the job of procuring refreshment and running a shoot fall to **all too few**. The people that do the menial tasks are never so much as given a pat on the head for the work they do, but let something go wrong and the line-up for "throwing the stones of criticism" makes the "Great Wall of China" look like a suburban front fence.

The long term effect on any club is that the "Few" become fewer, the small mistakes become more frequent, the grumbles grow louder, and the attendance dwindles. Inevitably the tasks fall to one or two, or, if you're lucky, three people. But they will throw it in, as the ingratitude of the masses continues to grow, and grow it will!

Somehow, sometime, somebody will try to pull it together. He or they, have to engender a sense of club pride and participation and make a team effort, in order that the club may survive.

This situation has existed in the majority of clubs in Australia, but still the "knockers" persist, and the "Few" keep changing.

Every member of a club must accept that he gives to his club as much as he expects to receive.

The many tasks that a club member may undertake to help his club run a shoot include such things as —

1. Ensure target stocks in trap houses are adequate.
2. Assist in squad chasing.
3. Pencilling for a referee etc. etc.

Things like club maintenance on grounds, fences, traps, clubhouses etc. can be made very easy by many hands.

It is **your** club, **your** sport, you can only get out of it what you put in.

If the attitude of many was to be copied by all, the only "BOOM" this sport will have will be the club door closing, and that act will be performed by the last of the "Few" ... saying "I have had enough, let somebody else bash their head against the wall!"

Peter Hunter
Hawkesbury Gun Club





QUEENSLAND

QUEENSLAND CLAY TARGET ASSOCIATION REPORT

Early in December, S.E. Zone Coach Mr Stafford Smith was invited to be the guest speaker at an evening organized by the Hervey Bay Rotary Club.

Stafford chose to speak on the following subjects in the time allocated to him:— (a) What clay target shooting is all about. (b) Gun safety. (c) Introduction of clay target shooting & gun safety into the school program.

Stafford utilized the "Sales Kit" which is now available for club coaches to use when approaching their local High Schools for participation in the Clay Target shooting and gun safety program. This 'kit' was passed around among the members attending as well as copies of the A.C.T.A. "Introduction to Clay Target Shooting" booklet.

Following his address, Stafford reported he answered several questions which created great interest to the listening members. This is an example of the P.R. available to each shooter in Queensland to promote this great sport to the general public in each town and city. Congratulations Stafford — keep up the good work.

Once again referring to the recent Art Union run by the Association, it is interesting to note that first and second prizes went to non shooters, let's hope this converts them.

Club secretaries are advised that copies of the club administration manual used during the 1980 seminars are still available. if your club did not receive one please advise the State Office.

ROMA GUN CLUB

DATE CHANGE

Annual Shoot set down for April 18 & 19 is now to be held April 4 & 5, due to clashes with annual shoots in nearby zones.

SEE ADVERTISEMENT THIS ISSUE

WANDOAN GUN CLUB

ANNUAL SHOOT

Saturday March 21

start 12.30 pm

- EVENT 1 **Wandoan & Dist DB Chp** NOM \$6.00 O/S \$1.00
25T DB 15m. Badge O/A Trophies 1 & 2 A B C
- EVENT 2 **Andy Turner Mem. Shoot** NOM \$6.00 O/S \$1.00
20T SB Hcp. Trophies 1, 2, 3.
- EVENT 3 **Medley** NOM \$6.00
10T SB 15m. 10T DB Hcp. Sweepstakes
- EVENT 4 **Wandoan & Dist DB Night Chp** NOM \$6.00 O/S \$1.00
25T DB 15m. Badge O/A Trophies 1 & 2 A.B.C.

Sunday March 22

- EVENT 5 **Wandoan & Dist SB Chp** NOM \$6.00 O/S \$1.00
25T SB 15m. Badge O/A Trophies 1 & 2 A.B.C.
- EVENT 6 **\$500 Cash Hcp. 40T DB Hcp.** NOM \$20.00
\$100 each 11-15m 16-20m 21-25m, \$200 O/A
- EVENT 7 **Presidents Trophy** NOM \$6.00
20T DB Pts Hcp. Trophies 1st 2nd 3rd
- HIGH GUN OVER PROGRAM**
B.B.Q. Saturday Night. Lunch Sunday.

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148 Wandoan

Secretary
Ross McMillan
13 Clonduff

MARCH 21 & 22, 1981

The Association glassware is selling well. One club advised it is using the ashtrays as an incentive prize for novice shooters — perhaps your club would like to do this also.

I have been advised by the Dept. of Sport that some of the clubs whose subsidy applications were approved last year have already received their cheques. Clubs whose applications were approved should send in the specified requirements, so payments can be made before the end of the 1980-81 Financial year.

The 1981-82 applications will be issued to each club early in March PLEASE follow the guidelines laid down by the Department when applying for subsidy. If you have any enquiries contact the State Secretary.

ANNUAL SHOOT: WANDOAN GUN CLUB: CHARLEVILLE GUN CLUB.

DID YOU KNOW?

Wandoan is in the Western Zone and is 417 km from Brisbane. This club was formed in 1961 with a membership of twenty, the secretary was J. J. O'Donnell. In June 1961 a 50 pound handicap event was on the programme, but due to a good attendance the prize money was increased to 60 pounds. Visiting shooters are assured of a friendly welcome when attending the Wandoan Annual 2 Day shoot.

Charleville Gun Club hold its One Day Annual Shoot this month. Charleville is also in the Western zone and is 763 km from Brisbane. John Raleigh a western zone councillor assures us all visitors are made most welcome.

BEV GRICE
STATE SECRETARY

QUEENSLAND RESULTS:

BRISBANE, 11-1-81 — Hot and Windy (29). 5T DB, 5T SB 15m: 'A' Guy Bedington 31-31, 'B' Peter Mariner 10-10, 'C' Duncan Gillespie 15-18, 1st DB Hcp 1,2,3: Karl Walker 18-18, David Smith 17-18, Paul McGregor-Jones 15-16, 15T DB Pts 15m: OA Guy Bedington 48-48, 'A' Steve Follett 44-45, 'B' Trevor Mariner 47-48, 'C' Kevin Reedman 43-45, 5 pr DR Grd SS 15m: 'A' Ross Pennisi, Guy Bedington 9-10, 'B' Peter Mariner, Tony Tomasulo 8-10, 'C' Keith Hutchison 7-10, High Gun Guy Bedington 78-80.

BRISBANE, 21-1-80 — Warm, (night shoot) (38). 20T DB Grd SS 15m: 'A' S. Follett, D. Evans 20-20, 'B' R. Casagrande, G. Mariner, A. Cox, David Smith, G. Turnbull 20-20, 'C' K. Hutchison 20-20, 20T DB Trophy 15m: OA Rick Casagrande (Bris) 27-27, 'A' Alan Witt (Kallangur) 26-27, 'B' Peter Mariner (Bris) 19-20, 'C' Kev Reedman (Bris) 29-30.

CENTRAL BURNETT, 18-1-81 — Overcast & Showery, (27). 15T Cont Sweeps 15m: J. Johnson, C. Payle, J. Hayne, V. Rossi, 30T Cont Pts Chp 15m: 'A' & OA V. Rossi, 'B' J. Hile, 'C' J. Johnson, 15T DB Hcp: H. Harmon, D. Jones, L. Harris. Front marker high gun went to H. Harmon & backmarker high gun to G. Darlington.

CHARTERS TOWERS, 4-1-81 — Overcast, with showers (21). 20T DB Hcp: R. Scott, N. Giddy, D. Storeman, B. Morgan, J. Janecsek, B. Gayton, G. Bennett, 20T SB trophy: N. Giddy, P. Bell, D. Killick, 10T DB Tower Trophy: A. Scott, A. Kenna, W. Eggerstedt, 8 pr DD: Event cancelled due to rain.

GOLD COAST, 7-1-81 — Fine night (26). 25 T DB 15m: 11-14m Garry Davison & Alan Naumann 23-25, 15-17m Ian Sleigh 24-25, 18-25m Bill Chandler 24-25, 25T SB American ATA 15m: 11-14m Peter Bailey 25-27, 15-17m Col Goldup 24-25, 18-25m Athol Hicks 27-27.

GOLD COAST, 17-1-81 — Fine slight wind, Saturday (72). Bauman Gold Cup 25T DB 15m: OA & 'A' Doug Smith 73-73, Greg Newey 72-73, 'B' D. Wyland 30-31, David Smith 29-31, 'C' W. Frith 25-27, Garry Davison 24-27, 25T DB 15m Trophys by State services Co-op store: 'A' P. Stein, K. Munday, S. Blomfield, 'B' G. Turrell, G. Watson, W.J.R. Chandler, 'C' R. Walpole, I. Sleigh, J. Dawkins, Lee-Hogarth Cup 25T S.B, 15m: OA & 'A' G. Newey, O. Walsh, 'B' J. Farrow, B. Herbert, 'C' I. Sleigh, G. Davison.

GOLD COAST, 18-1-81 — Fine, Sunday (72). Pacific Coast DB Pts Chp 25 T 15m: OA & 'A' S. Reinke 93-93, M. Swale 90-93, 'B' P. Mariner 74-75, C. Goldup 76-81, 'C' R. Watling 72-75, A. Bailey 70-75, Jnr W.H.R. Chandler 65-75, \$700 cash Hcp 40T DB Calcutta: OA M. Swale 44-40, OA I. Sleigh, B. Powell, J. Ferrett T. Mariner, A. McClymont, B. Lowry, 39-40, 21-25m K. Cameron & J. Duyker 34-40, W. Stevens 35-40, 17-20m M. Swace 40-40, J. Ferrett, T. Mariner, A. McClymont 39-40, Ditto Cont: 14-16m I. Sleigh & B. Powell 39-40, A. Naumann & R. Walpole 38-40, 11-13m B. Lowry 39-40, A. Bailey 38-40, D. Bennett 37-40, Gold Coast Chp of Chp 25T DB 20m: OA W. Stevens 35-35, 20-25 G. Newey 34-35, 15-19 M. Swale 27-28, 11-14 G. Cliff 23-25.

High Gun over the 2 day carnival Mike Swale 206-215, FM High Gun A. Bailey 165-215.

GLADSTONE, 28-12-80 — Fine (38). 10T SB 15m: A. Williams, B. Goody, W. Nioa, 100T DB 15m: W. Scarborough 99-100, A. Williams 97-100, J. Elliot 96-100, N. Deeley 95-100, D. Shaw 94-100, B. Herbert 98-105, E. Young 97-105, L. Tselepy 95-103, J. Dickens 94-102, K. Midgley 93-101, 25 pr DR: J. Elliot 52-58, L. Tselepy 51-58, K. Mackay 40-50, B. Herbert 38-50, R. Hannah 38-52, N. Deeley 37-52, Metrage groups 11-14 R. Bartlem 29-50, 15-18m W. Scarborough 38-54, 19-21m E. Young 38-54, 22-25m W. Nioa 35-50.

GYMPIE, 11-1-81 — Fine & Sunny (22). 20T DB 15m: Bill Stolberg, T. Groundwater, Barry Stolberg, A. Bott 20-20, 20T Pts Hcp: 11-15m R. Owen 58-60, 16-19m G. Foster 68-75, 20-25m E. Kath 54-60, Gympie S.B. Chp: OA & 'A' E. Kath 29-30, 'B' R. Duffin 29-34, 'C' R. Owen 26-31, 20T DB Hcp: G. Durre 20-20, Bill Stolberg 19-20, B. Rowsell 32-34, High Gun Ron Owen 116-130.

GLADSTONE GUN CLUB

5TH ANNUAL EASTER TWO DAY CARNIVAL

SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 1981 - 9.00am

SUNDAY, APRIL 19, 1981 - 8.00am

7 EVENTS

230 TARGETS

TOTAL NOMINATIONS -

Saturday - \$26.00

Sunday - \$34.00

Full program and details will appear in APRIL C.T.S.N.

NOTE —

Easter is Harbour Festival time in Gladstone. Please book accommodation early.

For any further enquiries please phone -
Tony Coronos (079) 72 1881

or write -
Gladstone Gun Club
P.O. Box 907,
GLADSTONE QLD 4680

NORTHERN ZONE Q.C.T.A. ANNUAL ZONE TRAP CARNIVAL

April 18 & 19, 1981

MT. ISA GUN CLUB

Saturday April 18, 9.00 a.m.

Event 1. Nom. \$7.50

N.Z. Carnival D.B. Championship

30 Tgts Double Barrel off 15 metres

Trophy and Sash for Overall, Trophy and Badge for 1st in A, B and C Grades
and Trophy for 2nd in A, B and C Grades.

Trophy for Best Front Markers (11-15m) and Lady Shooter.

(Limited 1 Trophy each shooter in each event).

Optional Sweepstakes \$1.00 each 15 targets (\$2.00).

Event 2.

Nom. \$7.50

N.Z. Carnival S.B. Championship

30 Tgts Single Barrel off 15 metres

Trophies as for Event 1. Optional Sweepstakes (\$2.00)

Event 3.

Nom. \$7.50

N.Z. Carnival Points Scoring Championship

30 Tgts Point Scoring off 15 metres

Trophies and conditions as for Event 1.

Optional Sweepstakes \$1.00 each 15 targets (\$2.00).

Northern Zone Team for Interzone Trap Teams Match is selected on total of Events 1, 2 and 3. (Points to count) with highest six scorers becoming the team.

The team will shoot 30 targets Point Scoring off 15 metres.

Sunday April 19, 9.00 a.m.

Event 4.

Nom. \$7.50

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Event 5.

Nom. \$7.50

N.Z. Carnival Double Rise Championship

15 pair - 15 metres

Trophies and conditions as for Event 1. Optional Sweepstakes \$1.00 each 15 targets (\$2.00)

Event 6.

Nom. \$10.00

N.Z. Carnival Handicap

30 Targets Double Barrel from Handicap

Sash for 1st, Sweepstakes payout estimated at \$500.00.

Optional Sweepstakes \$1.00 each 15 targets (\$2.00)

A mini Calcutta (Sweep) will be conducted on this event. Ground Fee 50c.

High Gun on program, also High Gun Trophy for Front Marker (11-15) Junior (under 17)
and Lady Shooter.

Club President: J. Hart
Club Secretary: J. Weedon

Zone President: S. Sciacca
Zone Secretary: N. Sciacca

BALLANDEAN GUN CLUB

SOUTH EAST QUEENSLAND

MAY 16 and 17, 1981

commencing at 9 am each day

SATURDAY — MAY 16

- Event 1. **GRANITE BELT DOUBLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP** Nom \$6
25 Targets from 15 metres, Donated by W. Stevens & Sons
Badge & Trophy 1st Trophies 2nd 3rd. Best 11-12 & best 13-14 metres
Optional \$1 sweep Overall
- Event 2. **GRANITE BELT SINGLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP** Nom \$6
25 Targets from 15 metres. Badge & Trophy 1st Trophies 2nd 3rd
Best 11-12 & best 13-14 metres.
Optional 50 cents sweep on each 10.
- Event 3. **BALLANDEAN THOUSAND \$1000 CASH** Nom \$25
30 Targets Double Barrel Hcp. Divided 60% 30% 10%

SUNDAY — MAY 17

- BALLANDEAN TEAMS MATCH**
Queensland v New South Wales
Shooters will shoot for the state in which they reside
- Event 1. **ELIMINATION EVENT** Nom \$13
30 Targets Points from 15 metres
The twelve top shooters from each state will represent the two states with the 10 top scores to count. \$50 for the top scorer in each of the following groups 11-13, 14-16, 17-18, 19-21, 22-25
- Event 2. **BALLANDEAN TEAMS MATCH** Nom Free
20 Targets Points from 15 metres
Badge for each member of the winning team. High Gun trophy
- Event 3. **\$500 CASH HANDICAP** Nom \$12
\$200 - 20 Targets Double Barrel divided 60% 30% 10%
\$200 - 20 Targets Points divided 60% 30% 10%
\$100 Overall on Broken Targets 60% 30% 10%
- HIGH GUN DONATED BY WINCHESTER AUSTRALIA
11-14 METER HIGH GUN TROPHY ON BROKEN TARGETS

ALL PRIZES ARE GUARANTEED

The committee reserves the right to alter the number of targets in the handicap events.

Practice shoot Friday 15th at 3 pm
Lunch - Refreshments - Cartridges available
Plenty of space for campers. Water & toilets available

Shooters & their wives are invited to a banquet at the Stanthorpe Civic Centre on Saturday night at 6 pm

A. J. Smith President
Phone (076) 841131

For Motel Reservations contact

Noel Smith Secretary
Phone (076) 841239

TOOWOOMBA GUN CLUB

Easter Weekend — Open Shoot — April 17, 18 & 19, 1981

4 TRAP LAYOUTS

Friday, April 17

COMMENCING 2 PM

GRADED SWEEPSTAKES

Saturday, April 18, 1981

COMMENCING 9 AM

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| Event 1 | DARLING DOWNS DOUBLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP | Nom \$7.00 |
| | 30T from 15 metres - Graded. Badge Overall - Trophies 1st, 2nd, A, B, C Grades. | \$1.00 |
| | Optional Sweeps - \$0.50 each 15T. | |

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| Event 2 | | \$12.00 |
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\$300.00 CASH HANDICAP

30T Double Barrel from A.C.T.A. Handicap divided 60% 30% 10% in 30T

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| Event 3 | | \$6.00 |
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PRESIDENT'S HANDICAP TROPHY

20T Double Barrel from A.C.T.A. Handicap. Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd.

SATURDAY NIGHT DINNER AND CALCUTTA AT TELEFORDS

Sunday, April 19, 1981

COMMENCING 9 AM

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| Event 4 | DARLING DOWNS POINTS CHAMPIONSHIP | \$7.00 |
| | 30T Points from 15 metres - Graded. Badge overall - trophies 1st, 2nd, A.B.C. Grades | \$1.00 |
| | Optional Sweeps - \$0.50 each 15T. | |

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| Event 5 | | \$20.00 |
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\$1,000.00 CASH HANDICAP — CALCUTTA EVENT

40T Double Barrel from A.C.T.A. Handicap. \$100.00 div. 60% 30% 10%
Metreage prizes - 11-15m \$300.00, 16-20m \$300.00, 21-25m \$300.00

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| Event 6 | | \$6.00 |
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DARLING DOWNS D.B. CONTINENTAL CHAMPIONSHIP

25T DB from 15m - Graded. Badge overall - trophies 1st, 2nd, A.B.C. Grades

High Gun - over two day advertised program - B.T.T.C.
Best 11-15 metre shooter - over two day advertised program - B.T.T.C.
Veteran High Gun - over two day advertised program (over 60 years of age)

AMMUNITION, LUNCHES, REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE ON THE GROUNDS

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Wilsonton Motel 342033
Bridge Str. Motor Inn 343299
Gowrie Motor Inn 300277
Telefords 322433
Charlton Caravan Park 304195

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KALLANGUR, 4-1-81 — Fine, Hot (44). 20T DB SS 15M Grd A.B. & C: 17 shooters shared the SS. 20T DB "Murrumba" Chp 15m: OA A. Witt 32-32, 'A' G. Woodbine 58-59, 'B' S. Jackson 22-23, 'C' W. Daniels 20-20, FM H. Hermans 15-20. 20T SB "Murrumba" Chp 15m: OA M. Gough 28-30, 'A' J. Kelly 23-26, 'B' R. Daniels 19-21, 'C' S. Burlison 18-20, FM G. McGrath 14-20. 10 pr DD Trophy (S, lit Hep): H. Hermans & J. Wardrop 20-20, J. Burlison & S. Burlison 19-20. 10 pr DR SS 15m: 10 Shooters shared the SS. High Gun Winners: 'A' G. Woodbine 73-80, 'B' C. Rohlf 70-80, 'C' W. Daniels 64-80, FM H. Hermans 54-80. Ladies T. Meadows 62-80.

KINGAROY, 4-1-81 — Fine & Warm (24). 20T DB 15m: 11-12m W. Gurney 17-20, 13-16m W. Alexander 19-20, 17-25m E. Ransom 51-51 in shoot off from P. McDonald 50-51. 15T SB 15m: 11-12m A. Thorp 13-15 shoot off from M. Willett 12-15, 13-16m W. Schultz 14-15, 17-25m S. Reinke 22-22 shoot off from P. McDonald 21-22. 15T Pts Hep: W. Alexander 45-45, W. Gurney 42-45, W. Schultz 41-45. High Gun P. McDonald 46-50.

MOUNT ISA, 10-11/1-81 — Fair, windy, light rain (45). DB 10T Cont off 15m: R. Bentley, P. Baron, J. Sebastian, T. Kittila. 25T DB Night Cont Chp 15m: OA Gus Buerchler 25-25, 'A' Gary Cooke 14-25, 'B' T. Kittila 23-25, 'C' M. Byrne 24-25. Skeet 25T: Top Score T. Kittila 22. 60t - 1st 30T Sweeps 15m, 2nd 30T Hep Perpetual Trophy: Gary Cooke, R. Magdics, 12-14m J.K. Joyce (M.K.U.), 11m J. Grech. 30T A.T.A. SB off 15m SS: N. Onton, T. Kittila, F. Novinetz 19-20, OA High Gun T. Kittila 129-140, D.T.L. High Gun T. Kittila 107-115.

Our club house is almost completed and will be in readiness for the zone carnival during easter weekend.


ROCKHAMPTON, 4-1-81 — Hot-Humid (32). 1st Rnd Hep: D. Casagrande 25-25, D. Houston & W. Scarborough 25-25. 2nd Rnd off gun: A. Atcheson 23-25, G. Huff & J. Dickens 22-25. 40T DB Chp: OA 'A' J. Elliot 39-40, 'B' W. Scarborough 39-40, 'C' W. Warner 39-40. 20T Medley off Hep: B. Stuart 19-20, E. Young 19-20, L. Dalton 18-20. 10 pr DR: J. Elliot & D. Wust 17-20, C. Deeley 16-20. High Gun won by E. Young 57-60.

ROMA, 17-1-81 — Wet, overcast (15). 20T DB Hep: D. Thompson 20-20, C. Reid 22-23, J. Biddulph 21-22. 20T Pts 15m: J. Biddulph 57-60, E. Denton 54-60, O.E. Bryant 54-60. 15T SB 15m: C. Reid 15-16, D. Bowman 14-16, O.E. Bryant 13-15, R. Nugent 13-15. Night Shoot 15T DB Hep: R. Rashford 15-15, C. Reid 15-15, R. Bain 14-15. 15T SB 15m: C. Reid 14-15, R. Nugent 14-15, D. Bowman 13-15.

ST. GEORGE, 10-1-81 — Fine (17). 10T DB 15m: M. Stewart, J. Bucknell, L. Schmidt, S. Standfast, C. Stewart, T. Siddins, H. Siddins, J. Sting, R. McKane. 10T SB 15m: H. McDonald, H. Siddins, G. Pinches, T. Siddins, J. Sting. 20T DB Hep: H. Siddins, T. Siddins, J. Sting. 10 pr DD: H. McDonald & J. Sting, J. Bucknell & N. McKane, G. Pinches & L. Schmidt, High Gun H. Siddins.

TOOWOOMBA, 11-1-81 — Fine (26). Skeet, 50T ISU Chp: D. Wells 45-50, M. Haas 43-50, R. Donovan 37-50, 'A' D. Wells 45-50, 'B' J. Jefferies 36-50, 'C' C. Reid 28-50. Trap, 30T DB 15m: 'A' C. Reid 40-40, 'B' R. Donovan 30-30, 'C' C. Gates 27-30. 30T DB Hep: 11-15m J. Jefferies 29-30, 16-20m C. Reid 34-35, 21-25m W. Hughes 28-30. Trap High Gun - C. Reid 59-60, OA High Gun - D. Wells 99-110, Veterans Trap High Gun - W. Hughes 57-60.

WARWICK, 28-12-80 — Overcast (49). 75T ATA: OA K. Steven 25/A 74-75, 'A' J. Porter 25-A 73-75, P. Evans 20-A 71-75, 'B' P. Nielsen 16-B 71-75, A. Finlayson 19-B 68-75, 'C' F. Fiechtner 15-C 69-75, K. J. Harlow 18-C 68-75.



CLAY TARGET NATIONALS '81

MELBOURNE GUN CLUB

(LILYDALE, VICTORIA)

April 18 to 24, 1981

Full Program
Details in April
Issue of CTSN.

ROMA GUN CLUB

ANNUAL SHOOT 1981

APRIL 4 & 5, 1981

Saturday, April 4

commencing 11.00 a.m.

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| Event 1. | MARANOA DB CHP 25T - 15M 1, 2, 3 & best 11-12m badge overall | Nom \$6.00 |
| Event 2. | MARONOA SB CHP 25T - 15M Trophy & Badge overall A B C | Nom \$6.00 |
| Event 3. | 30T HANDICAP 60% Nominations back to shooters | Nom \$10.00 |

— NIGHT SHOOT —

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| Event 4. | STATE SB NIGHT CHP 50T - 15M Trophy & Sash overall A B C | Nom \$9.00 |
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Sunday, April 5

commencing 9.00 a.m.

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| Event 5. | MARANOA DB PTS CHP 25T - 15M Trophy & Badge overall A B C | Nom \$6.00 |
| Event 6. | 40T CASH HANDICAP 15% each meterage group (Qld. Challenge Shield Teams Match) | Nom \$12.00 |
| Event 7. | W. ZONE SB CHP 30T - 15M Trophy & Badge overall A B C Optional sweeps events 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7. Overall High Gun - Intermediate High Gun | Nom \$6.00 |

*The Committee reserves the right to alter the program.
Ammunition, Refreshments Available. Campers & Caravans
Most Welcome.*

Accommodation - Roma Motel, Phone 222256, Carnarvon Motel 221599, Club Hotel/Motel 221322, Wishing Well Motel 222566, Mandalay Motel.

President: C. REID, Box 536 Roma, Phone (074) 221138
Secretary: D. BOWMAN, Box 536 Roma, Phone (074) 221207

PLEASE NOTE - CHANGE OF DATE



TASMANIA

CRESSY, 27-12-80 — Fine, hot (73). 15T FM Hep: 11m P. Goss 15-15, 12m D. Berry 17-19, 13m P. Marion 22-22, 50T Fred Blake Mem. Chp: 'A' & High Gun B. Iles 100-100, 'B' B. Flint 60-60, 'C' D. Dykstra 53-56. 20T Single Barrel Womens Comm. Trophy shoot: 'A' L. Gray 26-26, 'B' P.J. Saunders 21-22, 'C' I. Aylett 20-21. 50T C.G.C. Grand Hep: P.J. Saunders 50-50, S. Browning 106-107, R. Cannell 105-107, meterage group winners 11-13m T. Von Steiglitz, 14-16m S. Browning, 17-19m P.J. Saunders, 20m & over J. Murphy. High Gun Sash over events 2, 3 & 4 L. Ellis.

DEVONPORT, 17-1-81 — Hot & Sunny (26). 25T Hep Skeet SS: S. Munday, P. Rockliff, E. Mason, P. Cains, M. Elliott, K. Aylett 25 & over. 10T DB EO 15m SS: S. Munday, M. Von Steiglitz, L. Viney 10-10. Club DB Chp Grd Best FM High Gun: 'A' C. Latham 29-30, 'B' P. Rockliff 29-30, 'C' C. Costello 37-40, FM Mrs D. Aylett 13-30, High Gun P. Rockliff 33-34. 20T ASA SB SS: S. Munday 19-20, T. Von Steiglitz & L. Viney 18-20. Secretary: M. Mason (004) 24 5695.

HUONVILLE, 4-1-81 — Warm & Windy (30). 25T sporting Field: 'A' L. Gray 21-25, 'B' B. Sidnell 21-25, 'C' G. Tarrant 18-25. 20T Twr Pts: G. Tarrant 78-81, L. Williams 75-81, L. Gray 74-78, FM M.J. Bennett. 25T Cont DB: 'A' L. Gray 25-25, 'B' G. Tarrant 25-25, 'C' G. Courtney 23-25, 'D' R. Richards 16-25.

ROSEBERRY, 25-1-81 — Hot, EO: R. Gardam 5-5, E. Abblitt 5-5, West Dist. SB: 'C' S. Woods 19-26, 'B' E. Abblitt 24-29, 'A' K. Woods 25-29, DB Hep: R. Gardam 22-22, M. Hart 21-22, R. White 19-20, Walk-up? 'A' R. Ward 4-10, 'B' K. Woods 6-10, 'C' M. Hart 7-10, FM 5-10. Acting Secretary: J. Murray.

Acknowledgement

For four years the distribution of "Clay Target Shooting News" has always been completed on the scheduled date. This speaks volumes for the level of co-operation which the Association receives from the printer, Waterwheel Press, of Shepparton.

In the course of production, the editor travels to Shepparton twice each month. On the first visit to the printer in connection with the production of the issue, the Association car broke down 45 kilometres north of Melbourne.

The editor wishes to record his sincere appreciation to two enthusiastic members in Robert and Brian Hunter (members of Nepean Gun Club) who not only towed the "dead" car back to Melbourne, but also provided a replacement vehicle.

This action ensured the continued "on time" performance of C.T.S.N., and a genuine thankyou goes to the two boys and Hunter's Towing Service of Thornbury, Victoria.

SAFETY STARTS WITH YOU!

TASMANIAN AMATEUR SHOTGUN ASSOCIATION

March 1981 Program

BURNIE GUN CLUB

March 15, 1981, 1 p.m. start

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| Event 1. | 25 TGTS ISU BALL TRAP | \$5.00 |
| | Graded A B C. Ribbon each grade. | |
| Event 2. | 25 TGTS DOUBLE BARREL | \$5.00 |
| | Graded A B C. Ribbon each grade. | |
| Event 3. | 25 TGTS POINTS SCORE | \$5.00 |
| | Graded A B C. Ribbon each grade. | |
| Event 4. | 15 PAIRS DOUBLE RISE | \$6.00 |
| | Graded A B C. Ribbon each grade. | |

NORTH WEST ZONE FUND RAISING SHOOT FOR ANNIE McCALLUM
"MONSTER CRAYFISH RAFFLE"

K. Woods (004) 28 2670

March 21, Night Shoot, 6 p.m.

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| Event 1. | 10 TGT CONTINENTAL D.B. E/O S/S | \$3.00 |
| Event 2. | 25 TGT CLUB NIGHT CONT. D.B. | \$6.00 |
| | Graded A B C. High Gun Ribbon. | |
| Event 3. | 15 PR CLUB NIGHT D/R C'SHIP | \$8.00 |
| | Graded A B C. High Gun Ribbon. | |

March 28, Night Shoot (to be announced)

March 29, Day Shoot, 9 a.m.

EAST BURNIE ROTARY CLUB BURNIE GUN CLUB

ANNUAL CHARITY SHOOT

(Program to be announced)

Secretary: R. Gardam, c/- P.O. Highclere 7321

HOBART GUN CLUB

Saturday, March 28, 9.30 a.m.

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| Event 1. | 25T SKEET HANDICAP S/S | \$4.50 |
| Event 2. | ACTA 75 TGT C'WEALTH SKEET CH. | \$10.50 |
| | Graded ABC + 7 and over. | |

Sunday, March 29, 10.30 a.m.

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| Event 1. | 30T D.T.L. D.B. Graded ABC + FM | \$6.00 |
| Event 2. | 30T D.T.L. POINTS graded ABC + FM | \$6.00 |
| Event 3. | 30T D.T.L. S.B. graded ABC + FM | \$6.00 |
| | HIGH GUN BADGES FOR ABC + FM. Over 90 T's. | |
| | Secretary: W. N. Reeve (002) 49 2026 | |

HUONVILLE GUN CLUB

March 1, 10 a.m.

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| Event 1. | 25 TGT SPORTING FIELD | \$6.00 |
| | Trophy each grade. | |
| Event 2. | 20T TOWER D.B. STATE C'SHIP | \$6.00 |
| | Sash & Trophy 1st, Trophy 2nd, 3rd. | |
| Event 3. | 25T 15M COMMON MARK POINTS | \$6.00 |
| | Trophy each grade. | |

March 14, 2 p.m.

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| Event 1. | 25 TGT SPORTING FIELD | \$6.00 |
| | Trophy each grade. | |
| Event 2. | 4 PR DOUBLE RISE | |
| Event 3. | 10 PR DEAUVILLE DOUBLES | \$4.00 |
| | Selected partners. Trophy 1st and 2nd pairs. | |
| Event 4. | 20 TGT 15M COMMON MARK D.B. | \$6.00 |
| | Trophy each grade. | |

Secretary: J. Gray 72 9853

ROSEBERRY GUN CLUB

Sunday March 22, 12.30 p.m.

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| Event 1. | DOUBLE RISE EYE-OPENER S/S |
| Event 2. | WESTERN DISTRICTS D.R. C'SHIP |
| | 15 pairs graded ABC, Sash each grade. |
| | Trophy each grade plus FM. |
| Event 3. | A.T.A. 15 TARGETS |
| Event 4. | DOUBLE BARREL HANDICAP |
| | 25 Targets Trophy Event. |

President: M. Hart.

Secretary: V. Bennett 4 Giblin St., Rosebery.

ACTA cards must be presented when nominating.
Cartridges & Afternoon Tea available on Ground.

TASMANIAN GUN CLUB

Sunday March 8

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| Event 1. | 1 ROUND OF ACTA SKEET Graded ABC | \$5.00 |
| Event 2. | 25T S.B. DTL graded ABC | \$5.00 |
| Event 3. | 20T CONTINENTAL graded ABC | \$5.00 |
| Event 4. | 10 PAIRS D/R graded ABC | \$5.00 |

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INTERNATIONAL SHOOTING SCENE SCENE (Cont'd from page 14)

INTERNATIONAL MATCH — BRISBANE, OCTOBER 1981

The South Pacific Regional Championships for most shooting events will be held at the Belmont Complex, Brisbane during the first week of October.

This match will be a feature of the "Mini Games" being staged by the Commonwealth Games Foundation, as a full dress rehearsal for the 1982 Commonwealth Games.

The ACTA is taking full advantage of the opportunity to stage a large scale international competition, and invitations have been sent to over thirty nations to compete.

INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION OVERSEAS

At a recent meeting of the Association's Management Committee, the problems of funding overseas competition visits by Australian representatives was discussed in detail.

Resulting from that discussion, it was agreed that **under present circumstances**, no funds from Association sources could be made available to assist teams to enter either the 1981 or the 1982 World Championships.

Nevertheless, in recognition of the fact that private funding may be available for individual competitors, provision has been made for shooters who qualify on a performance rating of 94% or better, to make an application to the International Sub Committee for approval to compete.

Management has kept its options open in connection with other international competition and has asked for further recommendations from the International Sub-committee.

These decisions do not affect the Association's commitment to send a five-man team to the 1981 Grand American Tournament, and management is grateful for the assistance promised by the Federal Government in respect to this project. ○



TASMANIAN AMATEUR SHOTGUN ASSOCIATION



**Coaching and
Administrative Seminar**
Tasmanian Gun Club, Evandale
Sunday March 29, 10 a.m.

COACHING SEMINAR

GEORGE BIGGS

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ADMINISTRATIVE SEMINAR

RAY MASON

National Executive Member

Further Details from your Club Secretary.

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ANNUAL CHAMPIONSHIP

Saturday March 28 1981

- Event 1 10 TGT DOUBLE BARREL
Event 2 10 TGT POINT SCORE
Event 3 10 TGT SILENT RISE
Event 4 **KING ISLAND
CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP**
20 TGT DOUBLE BARREL
Event 5 5 PR DOUBLE RISE

Sunday March 29 1981

- Event 1 10 TGT DOUBLE BARREL
Event 2 **BILL ANTHONY C'SHIP**
(Shotgun Prize)
25 TGT DOUBLE BARREL
Event 3 **KING ISLAND
OPEN C'SHIP**
(Shotgun Prize)
25 TGT DOUBLE BARREL
Event 4 6 PR D/DOUBLES
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