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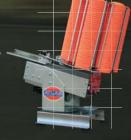


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National President's Notes

World DTL Congratulations to all our DTL Teams that so successfully competed at the International Clay Target Shooting Federation (ICTSF) World DTL Championships in Wales recently, and an even bigger congratulations to Matt Schiller being crowned Junior World Champion. A complete report is in this magazine, but I would like to take this opportunity to thank the team members for the way they represented Australia both on and off the Traps. Well done all.

Olympics Unfortunately, our Olympic Team did not fare so well, and every one of us must feel for Michael Diamond after qualifying with

125/125 only to miss out on a medal after a disappointing final. Many of us would have heard Michael speak after the event and although obviously disappointed he showed himself to be the true sportsman and champion he is, both when victorious and when defeated. Susie Balogh also was close to medal contention. We offer our congratulations to all team members. A complete report from Australian International Shooting Limited (AISL) will appear in a later magazine.

Legal Action The legal matter in which the Association has been involved over the last 12 months has now been concluded. The ACTA suspended Mr. Graeme Boyd from conducting his duties as National Director of Coaching in late January 2011, for purposes of conducting an investigation into an alleged conflict of interest involving Mr. Boyd. The ACTA notes that the allegation against Mr. Boyd was not proven at the conclusion of the investigation. The ACTA's actions in investigating the matter do not reflect in any way upon Mr. Boyd's ability as a coach. The ACTA regrets any feelings of hurt or distress experienced by Mr. Boyd during the suspension, investigation or termination. The ACTA thanks Mr. Boyd for his many years of professional service, some of which were provided voluntarily, to the ACTA and the sport of shooting in general. The ACTA wishes Mr. Boyd all the best with his future coaching endeavors.

ACTA Juniors I recently attended the Gold Coast Two Day Trap shoot and the standard set by the Juniors was impressive. In the State Night Points Score we had Mitchell Iles Overall with 149/150 followed by Sam Bylsma 1st in AA with 148/150. The two boys went on with Mitchell shooting 49/50 in the Single Barrel to take 1st in AA and eventually the AA High Gun only 3 points behind the Overall High Gun winner, Geoff Moore, with Sam taking the Junior High Gun. These boys were competing against some of the best shots in Australia and can obviously hold their own. I look at these boys and the Juniors that just competed in Wales at the World DTL and think the question needs to be asked, with so many good juniors in our ranks how do we lift them into the Olympic disciplines without financially stressing them or their families? This is a problem we will be identifying to AISL. After all, since the World DTL resumed in 1994, Australia has had 8 of the 9 Junior World DTL champions, and one Runner Up. Of these 9 juniors 7 remain members of the ACTA.

NSW Weapons Branch The Executive Officer, Fil Petriella (representing our Sponsors/Traders) and I visited NSW Weapons Licensing last week. The Association deals with them regularly as the displays on the grounds at Wagga during the Nationals are covered under the Associations Dealers Licence. They also authorise our Range approvals and safety templates. The costs associated with the current display requirements including, annual risk analysis, temporary fencing, and security guards prohibit displays at smaller events. We now feel some of these issues may have a possible resolution and we are looking forward to working towards eventually having traders on the grounds at more events. We certainly have a clearer picture of our responsibilities as the licence holder.

Suspension There has been comment around certain clubs about the judicial hearing regarding an incident at the Skeet Nationals, involving Mr. Colin Kneebone, as reported in the August CTSN. To clarify matters, Mr. Kneebone was not "acquitted", the complaint was partially upheld, a written reprimand was issued (which has ongoing consequences and has the effect of a good behavior bond) and a written apology to the complainant ordered.

Camping – Perth The West Australian Clay Target Association (WACTA) are still working hard to have the West Australian government allow campers at Whiteman Park for next years Trap Nationals. At this stage the matter has not been resolved and I urge campers and caravanners to make other arrangements in case the WACTA request is not granted.

Safety I again ask for all responsible members to help curtail the ongoing problem of guns being closed and pointed at places other than the layouts or designated traders areas. We will be monitoring this dangerous practice and this being the second time I have mentioned the problem in the Presidents Notes, I would expect action will be taken against future offenders. It is dangerous, unacceptable and will lead to suspension. I encourage all members to help stamp this out.

Get your ACTA registration free The Association is introducing a new incentive for current

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members who introduce new members to the Association. Current members will be given free registration in the year following them introducing and joining 2 new full members to the ACTA. In other words join 2 and get yours free. We would encourage clubs to consider matching this ACTA offer with their club membership making this an even more worthwhile incentive. More details will be in the next CTSN.

Accounting and membership process upgrade We have had some response from clubs to our proposal to upgrade and modernise our accounting and membership processes, which we welcome. These and our response are printed elsewhere. We welcome input, that's why I try to float ideas in this report, but I would appreciate you keeping the input non-personal. Stick to the issues and any good ideas, and problems you foresee will be considered.

Until next month.

Robert Nugent

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You will notice that the cover of the CTSN includes more sponsors' logo's than normal. It was decided that those sponsors who supported more than one event or activity of the ACTA should be represented on the cover of the CTSN. The sponsors and their support are as follows: Beretta — Events at DTL Nationals, Skeet nationals and separate support for the National Grounds, Casella — DTL nationals, travelling teams, Perazzi DTL National, Junior Teams and Mackintosh Teams event, Winchester — DTL Nationals, Junior Development camps, Eley —

DTL Nationals, Sporting Clays and Skeet Nationals.

These sponsors and the sponsors of individual events at the National Championships are to be congratulated for the support they provide to shooters. As an Association we compete with many other organisations and events in the firearms industry for sponsorship money and prizes. Shooters can assist by supporting those sponsors and advertisers in the CTSN and show that it is worthwhile supporting our sport and events.

At the Sporting Clay National Championships the President and National Executive members held another informal shooters meeting to obtain feedback from shooters on ways to improve their discipline. Good feedback was received as well as new avenues for sponsorship. This should result in a greater level of sponsorship for this event in 2013. A point made at the meeting was that a lot of graded shooters may feel that the Nationals are only for the elite shooters. Many lower grade shooters may not be aware that medals are awarded for all grades and quite often sponsors prizes include all grades. The method of determining prize money for High Gun awards is based on the same \$1.00 per shooter in the grade for all grades.

While we have recently had the Olympic team and the World Championships DTL teams overseas we also have a Skeet team going to the 2012 NSSA World Skeet Championships in the United States in October.

The team comprises Paul Johnston, Craig O'Neill, Glenn Clarke, Shane O'Brien and David O'Sullivan. We wish the team well, hope they enjoy the experience as much as the other teams and shoot to the best of their abilities.

Chris Gibson

Nominations for the 2012 ACTA Presidential Medal close on October 31, 2012.

For information check the ACTA website: www.claytarget.com.au

FRONT COVER

Main photo: Australian Team in Wales.

Back row, L-R: Domingo Diaz, Mike Daden, John Maxwell, Greg Coleman, Sox Pilipasidis, Glen Hayden, John Sleightholme, Tony Ryder.

Front row, L-R: Tracey McDonnell, Brittany Sinclair, Robert Nugent, Geoff Aston, Matt Schiller, John Duryea.

Inset: Matt Schiller holding the World Cups.



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Queen's Birthday Meekend — 2 Day Annual

he Rockhampton Clay Target Club held its Annual Two Day shoot on the Queens Birthday weekend in June with shooters coming from across the State for what was going to be a top weekend of shooting 125 shooters participated over the weekend.

Les the groundsman had the grounds in top order and the campers had the benefit of one of the most picturesque grounds in Australia to enjoy a fantastic weekend of shooting and friendship. The clubs aim is for everyone to have a good time and return again next year.

Vic Hyde had the Gemini traps tuned and polished and targets set for what was going to be a hectic weekend of shooting.

Trophies valued in excess of \$12,000 were up for grabs. As any club would know the key to staging an event is the sponsorship given to the Club. This year we were fortunate to have a number of sponsors and the Club endorses our sponsors' commitment to clay target shooting in Central Queensland. Sponsors for the weekend were Cambridge Hotel Motel, Campco Great Outdoors Centre, Casella Wines, Kennas Chartered Accountants, John Maxwell, Horsley Park Gun Shop, Rural Press (Qld) Pty Ltd, Old Police Clay Target Club, Westco Truck Sales, Hastings Deering and the Berrie and Warnock families.



Jim Riggs OA DB with Sponsor Helen Warnock

The weekend opened with a great dinner totally prepared by Karen Miners and Sandra DeBoer. Some complimentary Yellowtail wines to go with the dinner saw the stage set for a good weekend.

Those who stayed on Saturday night were treated to a carvery supplied by the Cambridge Hotel. With a few Casella Yellowtail Wines and other beverages under our belts most were in bed early preparing for the next days events.

The canteen part of any club is always a problem as it involves a mountain of work with little recognition. This year we had Terry and Vicki Ferguson from Stanage Bay (non shooting volunteers) put their hand up to help

out and they did a magnificent job for two days from daylight to dark. Not only that, they donated 10 mud crabs to the club, some for the raffle and snacks on the bar.

Event One was the 25 Target Points Score Capricornia

Championship and the Overall Winner was Jordan Byrne with the only possible for the event 75/75.

John Rodden

OA winner

Continental

Other results were as follows: 1st AA Grade Sean Dolan 83/84. 2nd Alex Dallas

80/84,1st A Grade Kevin Mott 73/75, 2nd Bill Scarborough 72/75, 1st B Grade Angus McDonald 72/75, 2nd Michael Currie 70/75, 1st C Grade Greg Howard 71/75 2nd Bill DeBoer 63/75.

Event Two was the 25 Target Double Barrel Capricornia Championship sponsored by Kenna's Chartered Accountants and the Overall Winner was Jim Riggs with a 131/131. Other results were as follows

1st AA Grade Eddie Bates 130/131, 2nd Vic Hyde 57/58, 1st A Grade Carlo Barletta 34/35, 2nd Barry Harker 33/35, 1st B Grade Joe Taylor 24/25, 2nd Jordan Byrne 28/30, 1st C Grade George Oats 23/26, 2nd Andrew Loch 22/26.

Event Three was the
15 Pair Double Rise
Capricornia Championship sponsored
by Casella Wines and
the Overall Winner was Frank

Robinson with a 29/30. Other results were as follows 1st AA Grade Jim Riggs 35/40, 2nd Adam

Bylsma 34/40, 1st A Grade John Rodden 32/40, 2nd Donna Nugent 31/40, 1st B Grade Tracey Harker 23/30, 2nd Joe Taylor 27/40, 1st C Grade George Oats 24/40, 2nd Andrew Loch 21/40.

Event Four was the 25 Target Continental Capricornia Championship and the Overall Winner was John Rodden with a 38/38. Other

> results were as follows 1st AA Grade Rodney Woodrow 45/46, 2nd David Robb 44/46, 1st A Grade Shorty Moore 29/30, 2nd Nathan Warnock 28/30. 1st B Grade Tracev Harker 25/25, 2nd Allan



Love 26/29 and 1st C Grade Dick Marriot 22/25, 2nd Matthew Quinn 20/25.

Event Five was the 25 Target Single Barrel Capricornia Championship sponsored by John Maxwell and Horsley Park Gun Shop and the Overall Winner was Alex Dallas with a 46/47. Other results were as follows 1st AA Grade Dylan Noffke 45/47,



OA HG winner Frank Robinson with Club President Brian Muirson

2nd Scott Moore 43/45, 1st A Grade John Rodden 23/25, 2nd Imelda Shilvock 34/37, 1st B Grade Tracey Harker 24/25, 2nd Allan Love 22/26, 1st C Grade Greg Weier 20/26, 2nd Andrew Loch 19/26.

Event Six was the \$2000 Cambridge Hotel Cash Handicap and the Overall Winner was John Maxwell with a 29/29. Other results were as follows 2nd David Robb 28/29, 3rd Nathan Warnock 27/28, 4th Thom Lamb 34/35, 5th Alan Love 31/33.

The Capricornia Team Challenge was held in conjunction with the Handicap event. This year the challenge was won by the Blackall team with a score of 129/150. Team members were John Pay, Joe Taylor, Travis Moore, Shorty Moore, Angus McDonald and Peter Watts.

The High Gun winners were: Overall High Gun Frank Robinson 196/205, AA Grade High Gun Alex Dallas 193/205, A Grade High Gun John Rodden 187/205, B Grade High Gun Tracey Harker 181/205, C Grade High Gun Greg Howard 160/205, Ladies High Gun Julie Allan 183/205, Veteran High Gun Vic Hyde 188/205, Junior High Gun Adam Bylsma 185/205

Last but not least thank you to the travelling shooters, without your support the shoot would not have been the success it was. Be sure to put this event on your agenda next year.

Rockhampton CTC Members

International Clay Target Shooting Federation WORLD DTL CHAMPIONSHIPS

The World DTL team has excelled in its performance at the World Championships recently held in Wales. The Open and Section teams all achieved outstanding results.

OPEN TEAM: *Gold* Greg Coleman, John Sleightholme, Glen Hayden, Anthony Ryder, Sox Pilipasidis.

VETERANS TEAM: *Gold* John Maxwell, Domingo Diaz, Mike Daden.

LADIES TEAM: *Silver* Lisa Hawker, Brittany Sinclair, Tracey McDonnell

JUNIOR TEAM: *Silver* Matt Schiller, John Duryea, Geoff Aston.

In the individual categories some great results were also achieved.

JUNIOR WORLD CHAMPION: Matt Schiller (Matt also featured prominently in the lead-up events), Greg Coleman 3rd Overall. Lisa Hawker 2nd Ladies. John Maxwell 3rd Veterans The individual performances of these shooters, especially Matt Schiller, along with the Team medals has placed Australia at the forefront of DTL shooting this year. Their behavior, demeanor and dress was also a credit to both themselves and the Association. Despite some minor clashes early in the competition with the paid referees, who exhibited very little flexibility, there were no incidents involving team members.

Our sincere thanks and congratulation go to them all, for both their performance and the way they represented the ACTA and Australia.

540 competitors contested the event, conducted at the Mid Wales Shooting Centre which, like most UK grounds is privately owned, in this case by Mr. Arthur Williams. Laporte 12 Volt Traps were used throughout the layouts and performed flawlessly. CPC English made targets were used and also performed well. The ground is set in a very attractive farmland setting, and is serviced by a permanent dealership with over 50 guns on display, and with a wide range of clothing and shells for sale. Other facilities on the grounds

were minimal with catering and bar facilities being temporary in a large marquee. A large number of campers were present, probably more than at our Trap Nationals, but there was no shower facilities and minimal and basic toilet facilities.

Team members found some voice release were delayed and although changes were made, erratic release was still a problem. Targets were set flatter than our normal settings, and generally always appeared to be low. Prior to the final 50 targets of the World the bank of layouts on which the Australian Ladies, Juniors, and Veterans were to shoot were considered too low by team members. In Australia it would be a simple matter to get the height checked. The situation in Wales is that if you want the height checked you pay and risk 100 English pounds to get it checked. The call to have a height check needs to be made by a competitor, which took place and when checked the traps were shown to be significantly low. The paid referees were very well presented, all wore ties and ran their respective layouts all day. There were still some



AUSTRALIAN OPEN TEAM: Gold – Anthony Ryder, John Sleightholme, Greg Coleman, Sox Pilipasidis & Glen Hayden





AUSTRALIAN VETERANS TEAM: Gold – John Maxwell, Mike Daden & Domingo Diaz



AUSTRALIAN LADIES TEAM: Silver – Brittany Sinclair, Lisa Hawker and Tracey McDonnell

instances of inconsistency apparent. Not having to referee or score is certainly popular amongst shooters but in Australia we have to date been unable to get the appropriate people nor afford the cost.

There were 2 incidents involving cheating, one suspected during the leadup events and one during the World itself. When it was realised that scoresheets had been altered for the same competitor twice an investigation proved the suspicion and a member of the French Team was disqualified. Our advice is that his association has since suspended him for 3 years.

International Clay Target Shooting Federation General Meeting

(including 2014 World DTL dates)

The ICTSF held its General meeting on the Wednesday before the event, and I can confirm that the next World DTL in 2014 will be conducted in New Zealand. The New Zealand Nationals will commence on Saturday the 1st March until the 7th with the World DTL from Monday the 10th March until the 12th. They will be held at Waikato Clay Target Club, 556 Holland Road, Hamilton, New Zealand. See www.wctc.co.nz Entries open on 1st June 2013.

The ICTSF Sporting Championships will be next held in Canada in 2013. The event will be run at Galt, Ontario (approximately 1 hours drive from Toronto) on the 31st July until August 4th. Supporting events will be held with the Championships but details are unavailable at this time.

The ICTSF has agreed to admit a new member being French Polynesia. They have approximately 400 members mostly DTL shooters.

The Skeet Championships which were being promoted by the ICTSF has now been removed from events the ICTSF will conduct.

The ACTA now has two items for consideration prior to the next ICTSF meeting in Canada. The first is whether we would support the running of the World DTL annually into the future. The second is whether we support the current practice of dropping the lowest score from each team total, when calculating a winning team. I welcome any letters for the CTSN regarding these matters.

The ICTSF confirmed its position that it will not conduct any of its events in countries that have adopted the compulsory use of Steel Shot.

The meeting concluded by electing Mr. John McCormack from Ireland as President and myself as Vice-President. Secretarial duties will be carried out by NZCTA and the CPSA will handle the finances.

The Association would especially like to recognise the support towards the World DTL Teams by Casella Wines as our Major Overseas Team Sponsor and Perazzi Australia for the extra support shown to our Juniors.

Robert Nugent

Some comments from Team members

What an amazing trip! Being so far from home I was extremely proud to be part of an Australian team that, for the first time, all medalled in the teams match. It has been such a great experience to learn from other well known world class shooters, and not only see old international friends but also meet new ones. Thank you to the ACTA and the support I have been given from my family and friends. Tracey McDonnell

I wish to thank the ACTA for allowing myself the opportunity to compete in Wales. It was a great experience. John Duryea

Before making the trip to Wales, I had never been on an aeroplane. Upon arriving, after 21 hours of flying time, I never wanted to get on one ever again. I was a little bit unwell (a lot unwell really). After a nights rest, I felt much better & was ready for a couple of days touring around Wales.

It was then time to start shooting with the opening event of the 'Festival of DTL Shooting', the British Open. The weather was perfect & this was a successful day for me (scoring 299/300), picking up places in both Juniors & Overall. I was happy to have made a good start to the program.

The European Championship was the next event – shot over two days. Once again, we enjoyed good weather. I finished this with 591/600, taking a cash prize for 2nd in Juniors.

It was now time for the World DTL Championships – our reason for going to Wales. The three days of competition was once again shot under good weather conditions – the second day was a somewhat windy, but otherwise pretty good. I finished with a score of 889/900 – having shot a 300/300 on the final day. The Australians shot well in the 'Worlds', every team appeared on the podium. Aussies were also on the podium in each 'individual' section as well. A great effort by all & we were all very proud of our group achievements.

One of the best things that I take away from the experience is the friendships that were made. We met some really great people. In particular, James Henry & Gerry McCoy from the Irish Team. We met these guys a short time after our arrival at the Mid Wales Shooting Centre. James acted as our guide throughout the events & the boys were most helpful & generous with their knowledge & support – there were a number of shooting procedure differences. We look forward to meeting up again in New Zealand 2014.

I would like to thank the ACTA & Perazzi Australia for their assistance in funding the Junior Team.

On a personal note, I would like to thank all the shooters who contributed to my fund-

raising, either through donation, raffle ticket/100 club purchases or attendance to my fundraising shoot. In relation to the shoot, I would like to send a big THANK YOU to Boorowa Gun Club, Perazzi Australia, Ray Trade, Marlo Motors, Cliff Dykes Photography & the individual shooters who donated shells for prizes. Matt Schiller

I was so happy to finally go Overseas and represent Australia in the Junior Team to Wales. My first successful shoot was the sponsored 100T p/s event in which I placed 1st in the Juniors. This gave my confidence a boost just before the World DTL Event. My next event was the European 200T p/s in which I came 3rd behind Matt Schiller who was 2nd. Next the World DTL in which we the Junior team came 2nd and my team member, Matt Schiller was World Junior Champion. The weather was good, the trip was long and very tiring but overall Australia did very well. Geoff Aston

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ATTENTION SKEET SHOOTERS

At the recent National Executive meeting, it was put to the Championship Committee to invite comment from the Skeet shooting fraternity on the following suggestions regarding the Skeet Nationals.

- Sometime in the near future, should 28g and 410g become individual National 50 target events and not form part of the High Gun, or should they?
- 2. In the near future, if number 1 is adopted, should the Champion of Champions event be decided from the first 25 targets shot from the 410, 28, 20 & 12 gauge National events, and will not be a separate event. In the event that a shoot off is required. All shoot off's will be shot doubles from stations 3, 4 & 5 using the smallest gauge.
- 3. Should banded targets (orange with black rim) be used at National Skeet events?

Please direct your comments, suggestions or thoughts to the Chair of Championships via the ACTA office.

Terry Marsden Chair - Championships Committee

Rule amendments, interpretations and proposed changes

Below is Rule 2.01 in total as it should be read now with changes from August 1st 2012 shown in red. The intent of the rule has not changed from what it was previously only the time regrading happens.

What this is saying is if a shooter has shot 200 targets halfway through a day then these 200 targets plus any further appropriate targets shot will be used for regrading purposes at the end of the day. This also applies to downgrading should this be the third consecutive group of 200+ targets to be recorded.

Also included are proposed rule changes that have been sent to all states for their consideration.

I hope this clarification will make interpretation and implementation of the rules easier.

Ron Traill, Chair, ACTA Rules

HANDICAPPING/GRADING Section 2

2.01 COMMON MARK AND HANDICAP SHOOTING

- (a) All appropriate 15 metre scores (common mark) shall be recorded for percentage performance classification irrespective of how the event is run.
 - Note: All targets that are shot under 15 metre (common mark) competition conditions to be entered on the ACTA shooters record card with the exception of Eye Openers (maximum of 10 targets), Double Rise, and those shot Targets Only.
- (b) (i) A graded event is a competition common mark shooting event in which all the competitors shoot from the same mark and prizes are allocated for various grades of competitor.
 - (ii) A graded meterage event is where a shooters grade is used to determine a mark from where all shooters in that grade shall compete, e.g. AA Grade may shoot from 21 metres; A grade from 19 metres, B grade from 17 metres and C grade from 15 metres. Scores shot in this event shall not be recorded on a shooters handicap card.
- (c) Shooters shall be graded into four grades by their percentage performance over all standard targets fired upon in 15 metre competition day or night, including shoot-off targets, with broken targets to count in Double Barrel and Pointscoring events. Results in events shot from other than 15 metres shall not be included. (Except as in sub-section 2.01(h)).
- (d) Clubs shall have the option of running all Championships other than State or Commonwealth Championships either as graded events or as one class events.
- (e) Grades shall be: AA 97% and over; A 94% and under 97%; B 87% and under 94%; C under 87%.
 - Note: Club Managements have the option of shooting D Grade under 80%.
- (f) Shooters failing to produce their ACTA Score Book at competition shoots shall pay a \$20.00 penalty fee to the club.
- (g) Club Managements have the option of running common mark events OA,AA,A,B,C; AA,A,B,C; First, Second, Third; or by combining. AA & A or A & B or B & C grades.
- (h) It shall be the responsibility of a designated club official to enter individual event scores and progressively mark the shooter's card with his 15 metre results. After each 200 targets double barrel regrade the shooter if necessary. Double Barrel scores will be transposed for any better scores from the other events column of near equal target amounts if possible. (this being a maximum difference of plus or minus 10 targets) i.e. Continental and Single Barrel.
 - If the 200 targets fall during an event or shoot-off, regrading will not take place until the completion of that event. All targets to the end of that event and shoot-off targets are to be used in calculation of percentage.

This calculation shall only be done at the end of a day's shooting

(i) A shooter must shoot a minimum of three (3) consecutive groups of 200 targets, i.e. 600 targets, at a lower grade percentage to be downgraded. He can only be downgraded one grade at a time. All scores after the last

- grading must be carried forward onto a new record card. Other than in the authority vested in Rule 2.04(g).
- (j) Shooters awaiting the issue of a card after registering for the first time shall be allowed to enter in any competition. Scores shot during this period must be kept and entered on his card when received.
- (k) If a shooter has lost his card he shall be allowed to compete providing he is registered with the ACTA. He shall be allowed to compete in his grade in common mark events and shall be allowed to compete in handicap events from the mark he claims to be his correct handicap mark. Should he win prize money or trophies they must be retained by the club until such time as the shooter presents his card to the club for marking.
- (I) Should it be found that the shooter has claimed the wrong handicap mark or grade, the Club shall advise the State Association so that the matter may be investigated. If it is determined that the shooter deliberately misled the Club Management regarding his grade and/or his handicap, the shooter may be suspended for a period of up to three (3) months.
- (m) A shooter must not shoot in a grade higher than his best performance. Once having attained a grade he may elect to remain in that higher grade when due for regrading. If he so elects he must remain in that grade for the next three groups of 200 targets. If the shooter so elects his card must be marked to indicate such. E.g. Prefer A grade.
- (n) Managements conducting graded common mark events shall provide a minimum of one prize or trophy for each grade.
- (o) All wins shall be recorded with a OW (overall) or GW (grade) beside scores on handicap cards.
- (p) Any shooter re-registering after a period of non-registration shall be placed in the same grade and handicap as when he was last registered.
- (q) A shooter registering for the first time shall be graded on the first 50 double barrel targets. These 50 targets will then become part of the first 200 targets for grading purposes. Newly registered ACTA shooters with experience and grade classification in other shotgun codes (e.g. Field and Game) shall for the first 200 targets shoot at the highest grade attained in that code.
- (r) Upgrading of shooters after 200 targets is limited to one grade at a time.
- (s) No shooter will be regraded or re-handicapped until the completion of competition on that day.

PROPOSED RULE CHANGES

"Rule 2.01(e) Change % for B Grade from 87% and under 94% to 90% and under 94% and C Grade under 90%".

The main reasons for proposing these changes are:

- 1. The number of competitors competing in C grade is far below any other grade.
- 2. Presently there is a differential of 3% between A and AA grade whereas there is 7% between C and B grade.
- Currently 90% is used for inward movement in handicap shooting. (Previously it was 87%)

Resolved rule change to be distributed to all states for feedback

"Rule 2.02(c) is changed to:

15 - 124 competitors - 1st 1 metre.

124 - 249 competitors - 1st 2 metres, 2nd 1 metre.

250 + competitors - 1st 3 metres, 2nd 2 metres, 3rd 1 metre".

"Rule 2.02(d) to be changed to 97 - 99% handicapped 1 metre, 100% handicapped 2 metres".

"Rule 2.02(e) - any handicap score of 50/50 will earn 1 metre handicap".

The reasons for the proposed changes to Rules 2.02(c), (d), (e) are to simplify handicap movement by using whole metres only. This has been requested by handicappers and shooters alike.

Resolved rule change to be distributed to all states for feedback

200 Skeet Targets at Broken Hill

The weekend of the 14th & 15th of July was the Broken Hill Gun Clubs Two Day Skeet shoot. We had an excellent attendance with 32 shooters out to have a go at the 200 tgt event. We had 20 visiting shooters, coming from as far away as Melbourne, Dubbo, Renmark and Port Lincoln, it was great to see. Saturday was the worst of the conditions for the weekend, it cold, windy and overcast, it would only get to 14-degs. Sunday



L-R: Ben Murphy Skeet Ground are the very proud Sash winners Bruce Baker, Steve Zadow, John Lemmich, Benn Baker, Shane & Sarah Bennet with their son, and Kennth Carey

was better, clear blue skys a slight breeze but still very cold it only got to 16-degs. With a great display of sashes and trohpies up for grabs the shoot got underway.

The first event for the weekend was sponsored by the Broken's Rifle Club it was a 25pr Skeet Doubles Event. Overall & 1st in A grade was Kenneth Carey with a great score considering how windy it was, he shot 49/50 well done, 1st AA was Benn Baker 48/52, 2nd grade AA Shane Bennett 47/52, 2nd A grade Kevin Mules 48/52. 1st grade B Bruce Baker 46/50, 2nd B grade Robert Thorne 44/50, Robert bought all the bad weather with him from Melbourne, thanks Bob. 1st C grade Paul "Mopsy" Daly 39/50, 2nd C grade Neville Hill 38/50. Vets Wayne Channing 43/50 and Ladies Sarah Bennett 47/52.

The second event on Saturday was sponsored by Broken Hill Bottle & Recycling it was a 50 tgt Graded Skeet Event. Overall & 1st AA grade was Benn Baker 50/50, 2nd AA grade after a shoot off was Evan Stephenson 113/116. 1st A grade after a shoot off and showing the boys how to really shoot sheet was Sarah Bennett 62/64, 2nd A grade Laurie "Lawrence" Irons 61/64. 1st B grade Brian Spring 47/50, 2nd B grade Nando Praino 46/50. 1st C grade Roy Pitt 46/50, 2nd C grade Bruno Mantesso 41/50. Vets again was Wayne Channing 45/50 and Juniors was Jared Nicholls 30/50.

Sunday was the 100 tgt West Darling Skeet Championship, it was sponsored by Old Ted Southern. There were three 100/100's shot in this event which was great to see and after a really good shoot that would give some

for the weekend, Overall went to Ben Baker 139/139. 1st AA grade Shane Bennett 138/139, 2nd AA grade Darren Nicholls 116/117 and 3rd Evan Stephenson 95/100. 1st A grade Sarah Bennett 98/100, 2nd A Grade Brendan Pearson 97/100 and 3rd A grade Les Charles 96/100. 1st B grade John Lemmich 96/100, 2nd B grade Sim Neoh 95/100 and 3rd B grade Bruce Baker 94/100. 1st C grade Paul Daly 90/100, 2nd C

shooters a good long break

grade Roy Pitt 85/100 and 3rd C grade Bruno Mantesso 83/100. Now on this event we ran a "D Grade" as well, it was the idea and was sponsored by Channo and was hotly contested, 1st D grade Rodger Perry 86/100, 2nd D grade Steven Barnes 83/100 and 3rd D grade Tom Davis 81/100. Vets was Barry Foley 94/100 and Jnrs Jarred Nicholls 62/100.

Overall High Gun went to Benn Baker 196/200, well done Benn. Grade High Guns for the weekend were AA Grade Shane Bennett 195/200, A grade Sarah Bennett 192/200, B grade Steve Zadow 185/200 and C grade Roy Pitt 167/200.

Now what skeet is all about trying for those long breaks, there were some good "Long Breaks" shot over the weekend considering the conditions, I worked them out to be, if we take into account the cash divide event we shot on Saturday afternoon to be Evan Stephenson a 146/146, Benn Baker a 150/150, Darryn Nicholls a 152/152 and Shane Bennett with two a 103/103 and a 147/147 good shooting Shane.

Again it was great to see so many visiting shooters, the Broken Hill Gun Club is so lucky to have you come out this way each year, thanks also to our many generous sponsors for the great display of Sashes and Trophies. Thanks to the hard working people in the kitchen, cooking us breakfast each morning and a magnificent dinner on Saturday night, the workers in the office, behind the bar, ref's, scorers, trappers and the many people who help clean up the layouts, well done to you all. It will be on again next year and I hope to see you all again, who knows I might even get my own way and the weekend will be a "300 tgt' skeet shoot.

TRELOAR CLAY TARGET CLUB

The inaugural shoot for this new Club was held on 10 August 2008. The Club is proud of its growth in a few years and the installation of excellent facilities through the hard work of willing volunteers and generous sponsors.

"Sport is a great leveller." Whoever made this observation was on target. Imagine shooting 125 clay targets out of 125 over a couple of days and then missing several targets in the next and final rounds (as Michael Diamond did at the recent Olympics) to the dismay of shooters everywhere. But that is what happens more often than not. Each time the clay target shooter aims at a target the challenge is out there from the wind, rain, sun, background noise, interruption or mind set to miss.

There are some shooters who consider down the line target shooting not challenging enough - some say even boring - but there aren't too many of these critical shooters who can consistently shoot 25 from 25 in various events from double barrel, single barrel, continental or points score.

Despite the cool wind on Sunday, Peter Holmes from Tamworth Club won the High Gun Medal for the day. Peter is a great club man as he is always willing to coach and help out in the office. Trophy winners were Neil Davison, John Lisle from Walcha and Cam McKellar.

A warm welcome was extended to visitors, Hugh Faris from Wee Waa, Grahame Armour from Armidale and new shooter Gordon Gilder from Premer. It was good to see Tony and Will Burgess return after their trip around the Top End.

The Club sends best wishes to member Sam Gall for a quick recovery from ill health.

For night shooting brilliant lights have been installed through the expertise of Steve Traynor Electrical and Matt's Electrical, both from Gunnedah.

For keen shooters, there is no time for their precious shot guns to rust - the shooting calendar is so full and inviting.

Lois Edlington, Hon Secretary

MARYBOROUGH GUN CLUB

JUNE 23rd 2012



Gary Hargreaves GB Door prize winner



Jim Guant, 1st B Grade SB



Neil Cracknell, 1st AA Grand Prix



Denis Comelli, 1st A Grand Prix



Ashley Jorgensen, 1st B Grand Prix



Mark Tarbettl,1st C Grand Prix & C HG

Sath Central Victorian Grand Prix With heavy win loading

With heavy rain leading up to the weekend it was a relief to see the sun come up and reveal a clear, blue sky. Hot egg and bacon rolls around glowing cauldrons welcomed the 150+crowd. Past champions were in abundance with many hopefuls vying for the prestigious title.

Competitors from 44 different clubs (is this a record?) in Victoria, NSW and South Australia converged on Maryborough to compete for this highly regarded event.

The theme was "Are you good enough?" and when the dust had cleared, the chips landed. Wayne Hawker ("The Machine" from Colin Macpherson representing Major sponsor GB Corsivia, Wayne Hawker, the 34th Grand Prix Overall winner with Steve Haberman of SH Shooting, sponsor and supplier of the overall prize the Sabatti Trap shotgun

Jeparit) was just that. A perfect 164/164 booked his place on the honour board plus the under and over trap gun on offer. Wife

Lisa, not to be out-done, took out the AA High Gun over the day's three events ensuring a happy trip

RESULTS Event 1 - Si

Event 1 - Single Barrel Championship. Overall and AA grade Craig Kelly (Horsham) 33/33, 2nd Peter Mills (Frankston) 32/33. A grade Matej Kandus (Frankston) 33/34, 2nd Darcy Watts (Maryborough) 32/34. B grade James Gaunt (Maryborough) 27/28, 2nd David Shepard (Kerang) 24/25. C grade Don Hinks (Shepparton) 21/25, 2nd Sean Hourigan (Benalla) 35/40.

Event 2 - Central Victorian Grand Prix Championship. Overall Wayne Hawker (Jeparit) 163/163, 1st AA grade Neil Cracknell (Warrnambool) 162/163, 2nd Nathan McDonnell 159/160, 3rd Allan Pollock (Hamilton) 140/141. A grade 1st Denis Comelli



Arthur Crawford, O/A & 1st AA PS



David Petrie, 1st B Grade PS



Sean Hourigan, 1st B Grade PS



Danny Hill, A Grade High Gun



David Shepard, B Grade High Gun



Tracy Barton, Ladies High Gun



Graig Kelly, O/A SB & O/A High Gun with a perfect sore of 125/125

(Mornington) 87/88, 2nd Bernard Pay (Bendigo) 35/36, 3rd Neil Hunter (Melbourne) 34/35. B grade Ashley Jorgensen (Callawadda) 2525, 2nd David Shepard (Kerang) 30/31, 3rd Wade Canny (Castlemaine) 29/31. C grade 1st Mark Tarbett (Wonthaggi) 28/29, 2nd Noah Calandro (Cosgrove) 27/29, 3rd Geoff Moorby (Maryborough) 23/25.

Event 3 - Points Score Championship. Overall and AA grade Arthur Crawford (Cerberus) 162/162, 2nd Wayne Jenkins (Warrnambool) 161/162. A grade 1st Anthony Hoyer (Melbourne) 80/81, 2nd Danny Hill (Walmer) 79/81. B grade 1st David Petrie (Maryborough) 86/87,



Wayne & Lisa Hawker. Lisa was the AA Grade High Gun

2nd Shane Allen (Geelong) 83/87. C grade 1st Sean Hourigan (Benalla) 72/75, 2nd Mark Tarbett (Wonthaggi) 71/75.

HIGH GUNS

Overall Craig Kelly (Horsham) 125/125. AA grade Lisa Hawker (Jeparit) 124/125. A grade Danny Hill (Walmer) 122/125. B grade David Shepard (Kerang) 119/125. C grade Mark Tarbett (Wonthaggi) 115/125. Ladies Tracy Barton (Werribee) 120/125. Junior Jack Flintoff

> (Beaufort) 117/125. Veteran Jim Shepherd (Maryborough) 119/125. Hard work and good organisation saw all comevents pleted by 4.30 ensuring a large crowd staying for the presentations. The gen

erous sponsorship of Bruce Burns (GB Corsivia), Steve Haberman (SH Shooting), Rodd "Petal" Flower (A&L Guns) and Wal Britten (Maryborough) deserve special mention. Shooters are reminded to support them as their sponsorship for our sport is invaluable.

A big thank you too the shooters who travel so far each year to make this Victoria's most prestigious one day event. This support has enabled the CVGP to become a must on many shooters' calendar.

Following the shoot, club members enjoyed a well earned dinner at the "local" where the only negative for the day was recanted. John "Giant Killer" Bale had stopped for petrol and splashed petrol on his arm. He drove off, lit a cigarette, his arm caught fire and thrust it out the window trying to put out the flames. He was pulled over by police and booked for an "unsecured firearm"!

Peter Tate



Above: Watching the shoot-off – Allan Pollck (Hamilton), Bill Jorgensen (Callawadda) Col Macpherson from Geelong and Wayne Harris (Ararat)

Right: Arthur Crawford (Nepean), Robert Jorgensen (Callawadda) and VCTA Vice President Malcoln Dyson (Warrnambool)



Darren Watts correcting one of the inevitable shoot day trap breakdowns



Future champions perhaps!!

BUNDABERG CLAY TARGET CLUB

AUGUST 4th & 5th 2012

ay Shooting Inaugural i

Bundaberg Clay Target Club held its first Two Day Shooting Carnival on Sunday the 4th and 5th August, at our new complex with 85 shooters vying for the cash & cartridges in perfect conditions. Everything ran smoothly as the traps purred consistently, thanks to the attention by Tim Gardner with help from Rob Rehbein. An excellent roll up of Shooters traveled from Sunshine Coast, Glad-Rockhampton, Maryborough, Gympie, Central Burnett, Barcaldine, St James (Vic) Narrandera, Warrnambool, Kingaroy, Queensland Police Clay Target Club Callide Dawson, Warwick, Toogoolawah, North Arm, Caboolture, Brisbane, Tarawera The Cohuna and Bundaberg. It was pleasing to see a good roll up of our

own shooters attend. The shoot progressed really well with no interruptions or breakdowns. It is always good to finish the shoot reasonable early letting the traveling shooters get on the road before dark. The shoot produced good targets with no wind and no arguments. Good shoot was had by all.

Results: Event 125 target Double Barrel cash divide. AA Grade shared 1st Irvine Wynyard, Jim Riggs, Frank Robinson, Rob Rehbein, Bill Pavy, Corey Bylsma, Neil Cracknell, Bill Iles and Scot Pendergast 25/25, A Grade Mark Davis, Nick Catasti, Jim Kelly, Peter Wood and Jack Zaric with a score of 24/25, B Grade shared 1st Chris Corington and Kala Weiting and Cameron Brawne, Brian Morrissy, Tracey Harker, Lee Pohlner and Denis Harwood shared 3rd with score of 22/25 and C Grade, Chris O'Brien took out 1st in C Grade and Bill Brawne and Clinton Scott shared 2nd and 3rd 21/25.

Event 2 25 target Double Barrel Handicap sponsored by Margaret and Graham Rudd. 1st Cameron Brawne 25/25, 2nd Corey Bylsma 25/25, 3rd Ken Busteed 24/25 and 4th Barry Fisher 23/25.

Event 3 50T Double Barrel Championship sponsored by NIOA Trading. Overall Mitchell lles 50/50, AA Grade 1st Frank Robinson 50/50, A Grade 1st Ken Busteed 50/50, B Grade 1st Chris Corington 47/50 and C Grade 1st Ben Scott 43/50. AA Grade



McGuirk 21/25, AA Grade 2nd Neil Berry 24/25, A Grade 2nd Grant Mason 23/25, B Grade 2nd Brian Morrissy 20/25 and C Grade 2nd Barry Fisher 20/25. Junior was won by Mitchell Iles 23/25.

Event 5 Bundaberg Toyota 50T Double Barrel Points Championship. Overall Quinto Porfiri 148/150, AA Grade 1st Mitchell Iles 147/150, A Grade 1st Anthony Heuser 125/150, B Grade 1st Cameron Brawne 141/150 and C Grade 1st Barry Fisher 125/150 AA Grade 2nd Neil Cracknell 146/150, A Grade 2nd Mal Zipf 141/150, B Grade 2nd Tracey Harker 139/150 and C Grade 2nd Clinton Scott 122/150. Ladies was won by local lady shooter Lynne Thompson 144/150, Veterans by Bill Iles 146/150 and Junior by



Quinto Porfiri OA Pts CS

local shooter Sammy Bylsma with a score of 137/150.

Event 6 25T Wide Bay Australia Home Loans/ Eley Australia Continental Championship. Overall Scotty Trafford 100/100, AA Grade 1st Bill Iles 100/100. A Grade 1st Kave Rehbein 24/25. B Grade 1st Bill Weedon 23/25 and C Grade 1st Clinton Scott 23/25. AA Grade 2nd Rob Rehbein 99/100. A Grade 2nd Nick Catasti 23/25, B Grade 2nd Lee Pohlner 22/25 and C Grade 2nd Barry Fisher 21/25 and Junior Mitchell Iles 24/25.



Scotty Trafford OA Cont CS

Archer River Roadhouse Overall and Grade High Guns Overall was won by Mitchell Iles 290/300 (Mitchell is only a junior about 13 to 14 years old), AA Grade Neil Cracknell 290/300, A Grade Mark Davis 278/300, B Grade Tracey Harker 248/300 and C Grade Barry Fisher 248/300.

Leanne Rudd CPA "Business Specialists" Veterans High Gun Bill Iles 286/300, The Shed Company Ladies High Gun Lynne Thompson 274/300 and Queensland Police Clay Target Club Junior High Gun Sammy Bylsma 272/300. The Case of Champion Shells for 1st in Raffle was won by Irvine Wynyard and 2nd Slab of Rio donated by Irvine Wynyard was won by Gladstone shooter Ken Busteed. The Basket of Dried Fruit was donated by Cameron Dean and was won by Gerry Chizzotti. The Bundaberg Clay Target Club now has five Trap layouts thanks to the gen-

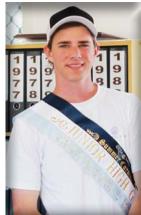
Cameron Brawwne 1st HC

20/25 and C Grade 1st Jason









Lynne Thompson Lad HG

Bill Iles Vet HG

Sam Blysma Jnr HG

Above left: Rob Rehein receiving the Plaque

Left: Annual shoot wording on Rob's Plaque

erosity of a couple of our local members George and Dale Christensen and Tony Giovannoni from C.I. Industries who has donated their time, equipment and supplies building the last two Layouts George, Dale and Tony we would sincerely like to thank you for your generosity. Bundaberg Clay Target Club Inc would sincerely thank the following sponsors for their continuing support towards our Annual shoot.

After the presentations on Saturday Rob Rehbein was presented with a plaque in his honor for all his work working with the Council from 2006 to raise the new complex to what it is.

Our sponsors -Highland Sports,

Nioa Trading, Eley Australia Bundaberg Toyota, Winchester (Olin) Australia, Archer River Roadhouse, Graham & Margaret Rudd, Wide Bay Australia Home Loans, Leanne Rudd CPA "Business Specialists", Queensland Police Clay Target Club, Frank Robinson, The Shed Company, Irvine Wynyard, Cameron Dean and Rehbeins Guns, we thank you sincerely.

Kaye Rehbein



Neil Cracknell AA grade HG



Tracey Harker B grade HG & OA SB



Mark Davis A grade HG



Barry Fisher C grade HG



State Title and First Sash to Ian Andrews at Surat

A beautiful fine warm sunny day welcomed clay target shooters to Surat for the start of the two day annual. The targets were of the finest quality and arrived in the best condition thanks to Wards Transport for their support. The targets being the new enviro targets being produced by Clay Targets Australia. Being the first club to shoot a full carnival with the new targets Mr Mike Murphy, Director of CTA travelled to our club to view our presentation of the new targets. With our club grounds facing north the flat black target suited conditions perfectly with no shine like the previous



pitch targets. Shooters could not find too much wrong with them as they flew nicely, broke easily with minimal trap distortion, I would recommend clubs try these Australian made targets as they are brilliant.

Saturday began with a 25 target Points Score event which was a fine event to warm everyone up with the first red on the board, Frank Robinson and Malcolm Collins hitting all the targets with Frank being the winner after Mal posted the perfect paw paw with this event finalised the next event was 25 target single barrel. This event saw another four shooting the event clean with Frank putting more red on the board but it was Gavin Langridge's turn for the sash at the end of the shoot off.

The Double Barrel Championship soon followed, this event sponsored by CRC Electrical, Condamine, this saw 15 shooters shoot the possible in this event and after a fairly quick amount of targets all that was left was Kiwi (Richard) Morrison from Roma and Malcolm Smith from Wandoan to do battle for the sash with the win to Kiwi on 103/103. Being finished early for the day the club decided to shoot the double rise event early so that the travelers would get to leave early on Sunday, with this event being sponsored by Six Mile Building, Roma, six shooters recorded a 29/30. After ten pairs of targets Shane Fitch from the Gold Coast club took home the honours over club president Geoff Moore.

Saturday night meal was a delicious hot roast and veg with sticky date desert thrown together by Viv, Fay and Callan and their band of helpers that do all the hard work behind the scenes and is much appreciated by all. The evening progressed on to the Calcutta with our local auctioneer Glen Neilson again doing the honours there was \$2100.00 available for the winning syndicate for the handicap event on Sunday.

This year Surat hosted a State Continental Points Score Championship with the winner being awarded a State Red Sash. This 50 Target Championship proved to be a bit hard first up with all the shooters being a bit dull as there was no red posted on the board, the best score being Roma shooter Ian Andrews on 148/150 to claim his first ever sash, a good one to win being a state one.

The last event was the Handicap sponsored by Cleaver Firearms and with a 14 gun Gun Safe up for grabs as first place. There was only one shooter to shoot the possible in this event with a skinner. Nick Sheppard from Dalby, might explain why Bill Allan bought the field at the Calcutta, second was Ian Andrews, third was Dean Cusack, fourth Gavin Langridge, and fifth was a previous year's winner Terry Haynes. This

concluded the program for the weekend with our usual office staff of Rodney Woodrow, Julie Allan, Brett Brown and Jamie Barker keeping the squad sheets and books up to date at all times therefore enabling us to let the travelers go home at a respectable hour. A big thanks to all the people that keep on giving their time to help clubs to run successful carnivals you are very much appreciated.

The High Gun awards sponsored by Roma Powder Coating and made by Sam Moore. The garden chairs are a big draw card each year for shooters to compete for. Big thanks to Cherilyn from Roma Powders Coaters for their ongoing sponsorship and is also one of our newest members. The Overall High Gun sponsored by Guns and Ammo (Gavin Langridge) Daryl Stevens Stockmaker and Signasaurus Roma.

Overall High Gun was won by the sponsor Gavin Langridge with a score of 346/355, AA Grade High Gun winner was club president Geoff Moore with a score of 362/377, A Grade High Gun winner was Scott Bain Roma 341/355, B Grade High Gun Peter Driscol Roma 316/355, C Grade won by Moree shooter Tabatha Schultz 274/355, Ladies was awarded to Jess Robb 329/355, Junior High Gun Daniel Andrews 340/355, Veterans Graham Rudd 310/355.

PHOTO COMPETITION NO. 7

Already several clubs have won a 14 MP Compact Digital Camera for their photographic efforts, and Blackall Clay Target Club, the outright winner in 2011 have already made use of their prize, a free Full Page Gloss Advertisement in the CTSN.

Clubs/members can send photo's (Digital only) to the CTSN email address. If space permits we will publish the best of these.

A winner will be selected every 3 months with the winner's photo being published in the CTSN with an article & receive a camera for their Club.

The overall winner will receive a full page gloss colour advertisement in the magazine for a shoot event (to be used in the next 12 months)

- * Each photo needs to be less than 6 months old.
- *The photo will need to be picture-ready for publication in the magazine (no touch-ups required).
- * Must be of Clay Target shooting or related to a shooting event.

Avon Valley Clay Target Carnival

Hosted by the Northam and Districts Gun Club the Avon Valley Carnival was kicked off in perfect conditions with a warm, sunny day on Friday. Breaking with club tradition, Friday consisted of two events, a 50T Points Score, sponsored by Bushy Tanks and a 25T Single Barrel sponsored by Plantagenent Wines. The 50T Points Score was taken out by local Northam member, Mark Middleton. The 25 Single Barrel was won by Katanning's Tim Catling.

A frosty start Saturday morning was soon to be followed by another impressive day for shooting. 63 shooters congregated to begin the day's shooting with the 30T Medley. This event was sponsored by Fenwick Farm which was ironically won by Fenwick Farm's owner/manager Corey Glass after a shoot off with CMT veteran Ivan Halbert.

Next on the program, a 50T Points Score. Neil Suckling eventually took overall after a shoot off with Russell Jaggard and Northam's Arthur Ward. A perfect score eluded Jason Oliveri after scoring 49/50 in the 50T Single Barrel but he was unchallenged for the overall for the event as a result of his great shooting.

A crisp, frosty morning again on Sunday was following by sunshine but a slight westerly breeze picking up through the middle of the day. Generously sponsored by Better Wear Welding, the 25T Single Barrel was a hotly contested event with a shoot off between 7 shooters all on 25/25. Included in the shoot off was Northam's Colin Blanchett who was in C grade for the event and earned his 25 Break Badge. Although the overall title eluded Colin, his great shooting was rewarded by being regraded to B Grade soon after. Strangely enough the person responsible

for doing the handicap books, Anthony Burnard, took out overall. Well done Tony!

The inaugural Roy Holtfreter Memorial Trophy was the 50T Double Barrel. NDGC's man of the moment, Corey Glass, was uncontested for overall with his excellent shooting and earned his 50 Break Badge simultaneously.

The last event for the carnival was the 20 Pair Double Rise which came down to a shoot off between Jason Oliveri and Russell Jaggard with scores of 37/40. Jason eventually got up over Russell to take out the overall in a highly competitive atmosphere. Special mention goes to a local boy, Tom Richards (14) who was unfortunately shooting targets only but could have been in his first shoot off for 3rd in C grade in the double rise event after only being introduced to the sport 3 months ago. Great shooting, Tom!

Although failing to win an overall, Russell Jaggard was soon rewarded for his consistency by taking out the Overall High Gun with 357/365, knocking off Jason Oliveri by just 1 point who scored 356/365. Arthur Ward took out Veteran's High Gun, Carol Scheer won Ladies High Gun and won herself a balloon ride from Windward Ballooning. Connor Hart from Edgehill took out the Junior High Gun and took home a swag for his efforts. In the Graded High Guns Jason Oliveri took AA High Gun, Northam members Corey Glass and Mark Middleton took out A Grade and B Grade High Guns respectively, with Patrick Cream of Geraldton taking C Grade High Gun.

By and large the Avon Valley Carnival held in Northam was a great success. Although down in numbers from last year the weather was fantastic and competition was fierce. Special thanks go to the all the shooters (especially those that travelled from as far away as Geraldton & Leonora), all the sponsors, kitchen staff and NDGC members who helped out beforehand and during the event. Hopefully next year will be bigger and better.



NSW State Skeet Carnival - August 2012



With nearly 100 shooters coming together to compete over

the 3 days we were sure to see some excellent results, and the competitors, who travelled from all corners of Australia, did not let us down. The small gauge event was shot under windy conditions but the standard of shooting was high and this set the precedent for the whole weekend.

The ground looked magnificent, the targets were flying true, the weather conditions improved for Saturday and Sunday and so did the level of competition.

NSW would like to thank all their sponsors and everyone who assisted at the carnival, this includes our Shoot Marshall Ben Buhagiar, Tournament Director's (Senior) Les Aberley, (Junior) Scott Wright, IT Professional Frank Auditore, Handicapper Alison Farish, Trap Mechanic Fred Rapley, Canteen Ladies Donna Campbell & Elaine Reid.

The following is a breakdown of competitors for the carnival: 97 shooters: 57 NSW (2 from ACT), 28 VIC, 10 QLD, 1 SA, 1 WA, 19 veterans, 13 ladies and 6 juniors

NSW Clay Target Assoc looks forward to seeing you all next year at the new venue of Cecil Park in Sydney.

Event 1 NSW 20 Gauge Skeet Championship was shot over 50 targets with sponsorship from Winchester Australia, 2nd in C went to Logan Wemyss of Corowa CTC with a score of 44/50, 1st in C went to Craig Stephen of Bendigo CTC with a score of 47/50, 2nd in B went to Tracey Ashton of the Gold Coast with a score of 48/50, 1st in B went to Sim-Hee Neoh of SA GC with a score of 49/50, 2nd in A went to Rodney Kniepp of Canberra International CTC with a score of 49/50. 1st in A went to Todd Pickering of Bendigo CTC with a score of 50/50, 2nd in AA went to David O'Sullivan of Bairns-



20 Gauge L-R OA winner Shane Bennett, Jnr Christian Lagos, Vet Sim-Hee Neoh & Lad Tracey Ashton

dale CTC with a score of 60/61, 1st in AA went to Leigh Roberts of Bendigo CTC with a score of 61/61.

Overall went to Shane Bennett of Dubbo Gun Club with a score of 85/85. Shane was awarded the G Brothers Shield. Veterans went to Sim-Hee Neoh, Ladies to Tracey Ashton, Junior to Christian Lagos.

Event 2 NSW 28 Gauge Skeet Championship was shot over 50 targets with sponsorship from Richmond Wheel & Castor Company, 2nd in C went to Craig Stephen with a score of 38/50, 1st in C went to Donald Badewitz of Cooma Gun Club with a score of 44/50. 2nd in B went to Michael Kruger-Davis of Downside Gun Club with a score of 47/50, 1st in B went to Dan Lagden of NSWGC with a score of 48/50, 2nd in A went to Neal Dimmick of Gold Coast CTC with a score of 60/62, 1st in A went to Laurence Irons of Melbourne GC with a score of 61/62. 2nd in AA went to John Guberina of NSWGC with a score of 62/63, 1st in AA went to Eddy Elder of Melbourne GC with a score of 63/64.

Overall went to Michael Buttigieg of Frankston with a score of 64/64. Michael was awarded the Peter Vella Perpetual Trophy. Veterans went to John Guberina, Ladies Lorraine Hughes, Juniors Eddy Elder.

Event 3 NSW Skeet Doubles Championship shot over 25 pair, 2nd in C went to Craig Stephen with a score of 40/50, 1st in C went Logan Wemyss with a score of 44/50, 2nd in B went to Michael Kruger-Davis with a score of 46/50, 1st in B went to Chris Everett of Mendooran Gun Club with a score of 48/50, 2nd in A went to James Curtis of NSW GC with a score of



Skeet Doubles Lad Sarah Bennett & Inr Daniel Wear

57/62, 1st in A went to Daniel Wear of NSW GC with a score of 55/58, 2nd in AA went to Harry Bader of NSW GC with a score of 63/66, 1st in AA went Shane O'Brien of The Eastern Goldfields CTC with a score of 64/66, O/A went to Laurie Chelepy of Rockhampton CTC with a score of 57/58. Laurie was awarded the Rooke Family Perpetual Trophy. Veterans went to John Guberina, Ladies Sarah Bennett, Junior Daniel Wear.

Event 4 NSW Skeet Handicap was shot over 50 targets with sponsorship from Glenn Walker

of Hidefspex, 5th Overall went to James Curtis with a score of 195/196, 4th Overall went to Glenn Walker of Brisbane with a score of 212/213, 3rd Overall went to Alberto Muoio of NSW GC with a score of 247/248, 2nd Overall went to Peter Vella of Bathurst Gun Club with a score of 304/305, and 1st Overall went to Paul Johnston of Melbourne GC with a score of 305/306. Paul was awarded the Coleman/Aberley Shield.

Event 5 NSW Skeet Championship was shot over 100 targets sponsorship from Max Kavanagh House Relocators, 2nd in C went to Doug Watchorn of Illawarra CTC with a score of 88/100, 1st in C went to Mark Rosenboom of Griffith Gun Club with a score of 98/100, 2nd in B went to Hugh Fairfield-Smith of Wagga Gun Club with a score of 105/111, 1st in B went to Sim-Hee Neoh with a score of 96/100. 2nd in A went to Neal Dimmick with a score of 132/134. 1st in A went to Mark Corbett of Cooma Gun Club with a score of



2011 Skeet CS winner Lorraine Hughes presenting the Perpetual Trophy to 2012's OA winner Paul Johnston



Handicap L-R 4th OA Glenn Walker, 3rd OA Alberto Muoio, 1st OA Paul Johnston, 5th OA James Curtis & 2nd OA Peter Vella



President Paul Watchorn & 2nd B Grade in the 100T Skeet CS Hugh Fairfield-Smith

133/135, 2nd in AA went to Glenn Clarke of Melbourne GC with a score of 111/112, 1st in AA went to Harry Bader with 138/139.

Overall went to Paul Johnston with a score of 139/139. Paul was awarded the Skeet Champion Perpetual Trophy and the James Norman Miatt Memorial Shield. Veterans went to Neal Dimmick, Ladies Lorraine Hughes, Junior James Willett.

High Guns

Overall Junior High Gun went to Edward Elder with 288/300. Edward was awarded the NSW State Skeet Championship Junior High Gun Shield. Overall Ladies High Gun went to Lorraine Hughes with 284/300, Overall Veteran High Gun went to John Guberina with 290/300, Overall C Grade High Gun went to Craig Stephen with 251/300, Overall B Grade High Gun went to Michael Kruger-Davis with 281/300. Overall A Grade High Gun went to Todd Pickering with 288/300, Overall AA Grade High Gun went to Michael Buttigieg with 295/300, Overall Carnival High Gun went to Harry Bader with 296/300. Harry was awarded the Clarke Naudin Wright Perpetual Skeet High Gun Trophy.



Lad HG Lorraine Hughes & Vet HG John Guberina



OA HG Harry Bader holding the Clarke Naudin Wright Perpetual Skeet HG Trophy



B Grade HG Michael Kruger-Davis & AA Grade HG Michael Buttigieg

Interstate Teams Skeet Match in qualifying order 1st to last

Open Team Harry Bader, Peter Vella, Mark Corbett, Rodney Kniepp, Anthony Hickman, Alberto Muoio, Dwayne Taylor, Wayne Peterson, Shane Bennett, John Guberina, James Curtis, Mauro Conti, Arthur Willett, Mark Rosenboom and Paul Kouroupis. Ladies Team Sarah Bennett, Lesley Wojtowyez, Helen Devlin, Nancy Badewitz and Jacqui Wemyss.

Junior Team James Willett, Jack Kerfoot, Daniel Wear and Logan Wemyss.

Veterans Team Reg Petts, Frank Marcellino, John Cunningham,



Open State Team HG Harry Bader



Ladies State Team HG Sarah Bennett



Junior State Team HG James Willett



Vet State Team HG Reg Petts

Anthony Annechini, Hugh Fairfield-Smith and Bernie Evans.

NSW State Skeet Teams

(in qualifying order 1st to last)

Open – Harry Bader, Peter Vella,

Mark Corbett, Rodney Kniepp and

Anthony Hickman.

Ladies Sarah Bennett, Lesley Wojtowyez and Helen Devlin.

Junior James Willett, Jack Kerfoot, and Daniel Wear. Veterans Reg Petts, Frank Marcellino and Anthony Annechini.

NSWCTA Zone Teams Match: The Hawkeye Shield went to Southern Zone with 148/150. They were James Curtis,

John Guberina and Mauro Conti.

NSWCTA Skeet Three Member Club Team: The Wakehurst Clay Target Club Perpetual trophy went to David O'Sullivan, Glenn Clarke and Michael Buttigieg with a score of 443/450.

NSW Skeet Two Person Team:

The NSW Skeet Carnival Perpetual Trophy 2 Man Team was Shane O'Brien and Michael Buttigieg with a score of 391/400.

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2 Man Team winners Michael Buttigieg & Shane O'Brien



3 Man Club Team winners David O'Sullivan, Glenn Clarke & Michael Buttigieg of Bairnsdale Clay Target Club



SZ Open Team, 1st in the Zone Teams event L-R Mauro Conti, John Guberina & James Curtis

28th Golden Fox Open

The first weekend of June 2012, Dubbo Gun Club hosted the 28th Golden Fox Open. As Saturday morning rolled n so did the rain, with such an outlook the committee's hopes were down as to the number of shooters willing to brave the wet conditions, the forecast being for rain both days of the weekend, However as noms come in and squads filled there were 92 competitors representing 27 different clubs from across N.S.W. willing to give it a go.

First up on Saturday was the 30tgt Medley sponsored by Dubbo Tool Centre. Overall taken out by Brian Doyle from Hay Gun Club with the only possible of 50/50 under these wet conditions. First in AA was Allan Jones from Cessnock with 73/75 from Dubbo's Ben Fairman on 95/100. John Polack from Cobar claimed A grade with 49/50 in front of Scott Anshaw on 73/75. Ben Howard of Dubbo was 1st in B grade with 47/50 just in front of Robert Hosking from Goolma on 46/50 with Nik AndriaOpoulas on 43/50 claiming 2nd.

The second event on the card for Saturday was the Macquarie Valley Single Barrel with three shooters lining up to shoot off, Arty Del-Ben claimed O/A with 41/41, Brian Doyle first in AA with 40/41 from Peter Fitzalan of Dubbo on 35/36. Errol Tucker claimed A grade with 34/35 after a shoot off with Paul Jackson and Scott Anshaw seeing Paul Jackson from Singleton take second with 33/35. B grade went to junior shooter Dane Doyle on 29/30, Steve Cassar from Illawarra 2nd on 24/25. Anthony Holzigal collected 1st from Danial Barry from Goolma on 21/26.

Event three the Ryan & Rankmore 50tgt Double Barrel had five squads lined up for the overall shoot off, after the first round of 25 targets the field had narrowed to 12 competitors, after round 4 just 6 remained, Kate Schiller and Greg Coleman both bowed out on 108. Wayne Dunbar from Hay Gun Club let one go on the 129th target leaving Jeff Nash and John Crompton to carry on until Jeff lost his 142nd target letting John Crompton from Sydney G.C. collect the cash and sash with an impressive score of 192/192. Kate Schiller from Boorowa was 1st in A grade with 157/158, 2nd going to Peter Phillpot from Marconi with 65/66. B grade went to Robert Hosking on 51/52, 2nd Steve Cassar with 49/50. C grade saw Mendooran's Roy Butler claim 1st placing with 51/53 from Dubbo's Peter Tremble on 50/53.

Sunday morning started with a slight fog but cleared before shooting began.

The first event for Sunday was the 30tg points



L-R Robert Hosking B grade HG, Kate Schiller A grade HG, Dane Doyle Sub Junior HG, Charlie Sherry AA grade HG, Glen Castellaro OA HG, Anthony Holzigal C grade HG, Jeff Nash Veteran HG

score sponsored by Macquarie Valley Pest Management. Overall taken out by Charlie Sherry with an excellent 213/213, Matt Schiller collected 1st in AA with 201/213, Glen Castellaro captured 2nd with 125/126. A grade going



Charlie Sherry PS winner

to Dubbo's Marcus Bruce with 90/90 leaving Alex Nohra and Yilmaz Neziz to shoot off for second, resulting in Yilmaz winning with 119/120. Goolma's Bradley Mitchell shot well to take B grade with 88/90, Steve Cassar had to shot off with Andrew Murphy to secure 2nd place on

105/108. A three way shoot off was required to decide C grade with Anthony Holzigal from Cobar winning on 107/120 from Roy Butler 2nd with 106/120.

Next was the 30tgt Dave Funt Buildings Handicap in 1st place was Ross Hibbert from N.S.W. Gun club gaining a metre with 45/45, 2nd went Duncan McPhee from Mendooran on 44/45, Peter Boland from Hermidale 3rd with 41/45, Lawrence Doyle claimed 4th



Captain Ben Luck with Ross Hibbert HC winner

with 35/36 from Charlie Sherry on 31/21.

The Dubbo Meat & Seafood Centre's Double Rise was to round out the weekend shooting with only one possible of 40/40 shot by Cobar's Glen Castellaro. Wayne Dunbar was 1st in AA with 48/50



Glen Castellaro OA HG

with Peter Boland 2nd on 46/50. A grade was won by Duncan McPhee on 46/50 from Graham Baylis of Narrabri on 45/50. Robert Hosking collected B grade with 36/40 from Ben Howard on 41/50. C grade was collected by Nick AndriaOpoulos with 30/40, Jason Wall came in 2nd with 37/50.

For the second year in a row no shoot off was required to decide the High Gun winners with the Sub Juniors going to Dane Doyle with 240/285, Juniors going to Brian Camilleri on 265/285, Helen Overton from Brewarrina the Ladies on 270/285, Veterans was Jeff Nash on 273/285, Anthony Holzigal won C with 252/285, B grade went to Robert Hosking with 263/285, Kate Schiller collecting A grade with 269/285, AA was Charlie Sherry with 278/285.

The Golden Fox and \$500 in cash for Overall H/G was won by Glen Castellaro of Cobar shooting an excellent score of 281/285 to only be four points down for the weekend.

A big thank you to all our sponsors for their support, the C.W.A. ladies in the kitchen, the trapper boys from the Scouts, Peter, Shane & Errol in the office, Geoff, Ben, Andrew, Ashley, Dave, Les & Ben on the lanes for a well run shoot. To all who helped ref or score or in any other way a big thank you to you all.

The Fox

Blustery conditions for CLONCURRY ANNUAL SHOOT

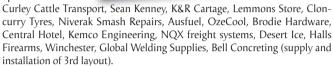
With gale force winds coming directly from the polar ice caps the stage was set for another blustery Cloncurry Annual Shoot. Each morning dawned calm and not too cold, but in true Curry style it only took the announcement of "Squads One, Two and Three to the tracks" to herald the start of the wind. Yes, you did read right, there were three squads to a wave at this year's Annual!

Arguably Queensland's most rapidly growing club (membership increased from 7 in 2011 to 28 in 2012), in the last six months they have hosted a Coaching Weekend to help their new shooters get off on the right foot (two of whom won C Grade prizes at the State Trap Carnival), replaced an existing trap house and installed a third layout. The club has applied for a GCBF grant and assistance from a local mining company to purchase two new Canterbury traps. These will hopefully be approved by the end of the year. In the meantime a quick phone call to neighbouring club Normanton arranged the loan of two Canterbury traps and club members volunteered to transport them four hours each way.

New local shooter and Lemmon's Store owner Allan Abdy had a trade tent set up displaying guns and shooting accessories and arranged to have George Barton from Beretta to fly up and promote their wares. It was great, particularly for newer shooters, to have access to gun-fit advice from George and try guns from Beretta.

With 42 shooters in total it was a fine effort to end up with a total Calcutta pool of \$3500. Generous sponsors helped to provide a well laden trophy table.

Special thanks to



Jason Williams shot consistently well over the weekend to win his first Overall High Gun in tough conditions. George Barton outlasted "The Gulf Grey" Wayne Reeves in a shoot-off for the AA Grade High Gun, and "The Old Fox" Mick McGill in career best form took out the A Grade High Gun. Locals Mick Richards and Matthew Nielsen won the B and C Grade High Guns, respectively, and Diane Reeves took out the Ladies.

Cloncurry club members pulled together to put on a great shoot, providing excellent meals and a welcoming atmosphere. With a little help from a couple of Normanton members the office ticked along nicely, allowing a timely finish on Sunday. Next year's Annual Shoot will be on 27th and 28th July, and this go-ahead little club would appreciate your support.



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Letter to the Editor



SINGLETON CLAY TARGET CLUB INC. 17th July 2012

Our club notes with interest the National President's Notes on page 1 of the August 2012 Edition of the CTSN and the proposal that the ACTA again wants to collect its own membership fees directly from members and its reasons why this will "supposedly" increase membership retention. (Even though in the same article the President makes mention of the fact that the Executive know that it was "reacted to negatively by the membership" the last time they proposed this last year)

Can we address some of the statements in the article?

Statement

An Industry Forum organized between Board members and representatives of the Firearms Industry took place at Melbourne Gun Club on 13 June 2012 to explore ways to grow our sport.

Clubs Response/Question

- 1. To be honest we cannot see the clear connection between a forum with the Firearms Industry and growing our sport unless they were discussing more sponsorship. If as the article suggests they were discussing membership retention ("The single issue we considered, following input from industry, that would help retention is the way we collect our shooters registration fee") we believe this is not a subject that they would be fully versed on or truly understand.
- 2. If the ACTA executive are serious about a Forum regarding how to retain membership it should and **must** take place with the true stake holders in the sport namely the clubs & members themselves.
- 3. It appears to us that the only reason not to do that wouldbe that the ACTA doesn't want to hear the **REAL** reasons membership is suffering.

4. Later in the article is this state-ment "Following a recommendation from the Association Auditors ..." The Auditors would not know how to retain membership and are not interested in what happens on the "shop floor" so any recommendation from them about this matter is worthless in solving the problem.

Statement

"The benefits from this proposal could be immense.

Clubs Response

The benefits from this will be immense for whom? The clubs and their members had already rejected the collection of membership fees last year and for good reason. If you truly think that a governing body like the ACTA will do a better job at retaining members than a club secretary who has an intimate understanding and friendship with all of the clubs members you have "got rocks in your heads"!

If it wasn't for the efforts of the club secretaries and other members of the club in convincing members to rejoin for the friendship and camaraderie of being part of the club there would be a huge number of members not rejoining. Take away that personal contact at renewal time and give them the opportunity to just say no to a letter from a governing body that they have no real relationship with and see what **will** happen!

Already this year our club has lost over 10% of its members and we can assure you that trying to collect the fees from them directly would have made **ZERO** difference to them rejoining. In fact we would have lost a lot more members had it not been for the hard work of the executive committee in convincing some members to stay on for another year.

If the ACTA took the time to contact those shooters who had not rejoined this year instead of running a talk fest with groups that have no idea what's happening out there in the real world of shooting, you would have the true answer to all your problems or is the ACTA, as we suspect, too scared of the truth or not really seeking it anyway!

The **No 1** reason why members are leaving the sport in droves and new members are hard to convince to rejoin after their first year is that there is no ability for the clubs to offer them a membership at a reasonable price if they only want to shoot at their own clubs competitions or more importantly to shoot for targets only for an unrestrictive time. Surprise, surprise, not everyone who wants to shoot clays wants to do that competitively.

Shooters who don't want to be part of any competition or shooters who only want to shoot competitively at their own club (probably make up over 60% of the membership) or shooters because of work commitments or rosters can only get to the club a few times a year are now priced out of shooting in their own minds because of the high cost of membership that they see as excessive for the amount or type of shooting they are doing.

Want more members and want to retain them? Simple, bring back "Club Only " Memberships at a realistic price and also change the "New Start" Category to make it available to any shooter, new or current at the fee of \$50.00 for an unrestricted amount of time.

Now the benefits from this will be immense

If our club could offer the above we already know that 90% of the members we lost last year would return to the sport they really enjoyed and there are numerous potential new members out there who would also sign up if we could offer them a cheaper membership option that suited their needs.

The Wash-up

Each club would have heaps more members thus making more money by throwing more targets, the shooters would be happier because they would feel they are getting a fair deal on their fees for what they want to do (happy shooters telling other non-shooters how great the sport is not disgruntled former shooter telling everyone how expensive the sport is and how inflexible the governing body is.)

Even the ACTA would benefit from not only the increase number of fees they will collect from the increased number of members but even the members coming into the sport as target only ("new start") shooters may well enjoy the sport that much that they decide to take up Full Membership and become more competitive.

Don't believe our club? Try dicussing the above with as many clubs as you can, you will find the answer is as we have outlined.

You can do this by getting into the 21st century; communicate with the clubs and their members by email with questionnaires etc. on a semi regular basis to find out what the majority of shooters want and the direction they want the governing bodies to take them and their sport.

There's a wealth of knowledge out there in shooters who have been involved in the sport for a very long time, all you have to do is ask them.

You might not like or agree with everything they have to say but we guarantee that the sport of clay target shooting will be the better for finding out.

Yours truly,

The Executive Committee of the Singleton Clay Target Club & their members.

President Bruce Smith, Vice President Lionel Finlay, Secretary/Treasurer Denis Pearce

Response to letter from Singleton Clay Target Club Inc.

The ACTA welcomes letters such as this as they help us to identify many of the myths which plague the sport.

The first point mentioned is the ACTA wants to collect its own membership fees, This is not correct. The ACTA is looking at a proposal to allow members to renew membership on the web site which would include club, zone and state payments which would automatically be directed to the respective accounts and information provided to all levels of

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membership. This process would in fact reduce work for club volunteers in that they would not have to do the work themselves nor send returns to the ACTA, State or zone. It would allow the Club to immediately see who has not re-signed for their own follow up. This would also ensure that the ACTA could send out stickers immediately and not when the club is able to forward the membership to the National Office.

Contrary to the comments made in the letter from the Singleton Club the Firearms Industry has a vested interest in the sport. In fact their livelihood depends on it. For business to grow the sport needs to grow. All of the industry members at the meeting were current members of the ACTA as well as regular shooters. The firearms industry has on-going contact with a range of members from most clubs in the Association. Shooters regularly talk to them about their sport and clubs. The industry also

speaks to a range of shooters in different associations as well. They are in an ideal position to listen and compare comments from club to club and organizations. Also contrary to the comments made by the author of the letter, the Association Auditor has an involvement with, and is regularly in contact with, a number of sports and also sees what is being done by other sports.

The writer is absolutely correct in savina that local club staff are the most effective method of keeping members who are re-considering their membership. While we talk about the cost it should be noted that most sports are just as if not more expensive than the membership rates for Clay Target Shooting. It should also be noted that the Singleton club indicated that the removal of club only membership had lost members. The Club only had 2 "club only" members in the year before this was removed. As was indicated in the CTSN previously the initial reason for club only membership was to allow some of our older and more experienced shooters, who no longer wished to shoot competitively, to remain in the club and was restricted to 10% of membership. In certain clubs this policy was ignored with some having 25-35%. This then moves the costs of services onto full paying members and the clubs. Similarly new start was a method of getting people in to the clubs who had never shot before, to get them interested, and then to become full members. The advantages of a graded entry into our sport are obvious and may we respectfully suggest that clubs should concentrate on converting those people to full members. The ACTA, however, would be interested in hearing from other members on this issue.

Unfortunately in our litigious society personal liability is a major issue which we cannot ignore. The facts are that any person who shoots at an affiliated club, irrespective of whether in competition or not, represents a similar risk to

our insurers and therefore cost to our members.

The ACTA does not rely just on comments from the Industry Forum to develop policy. The National Executive comprises 2 members from each state who have come through their respective club, zone and state executives. These members provide feedback from all levels of their representation. In addition the National Office receives letters, such as this, phone calls from members and the executive are also out at shoots in their states on a regular basis obtaining feedback from shooters. The National President conducts informal shooters' meetings at national championships to get feedback on a range of issues.

All of these matters under consideration have been brought to our attention by various stakeholders in our Sport. We would be negligent if we did not consider stakeholders suggestions. Outlining these ideas in the magazine provides a forum for stakeholders to have input to assist the executive to make a more informed decision.



Calcutta for Sunday Event to be held before 11.00am

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WANGARATTA CLAY TARGET CLUB JUNE 9th, 2012 Top Shots at DTL Championship



good attendance of almost 50 keen trap shooters turned up to compete at the Wangaratta Clay Target Club Down The Line championship shoot on Saturday 21 July. A perfect, sunny and windless day provided ideal shooting conditions for the two championship events held. The day finished relatively early, which was good considering the short daylight hours at this time of year.

The 10 tgt Points Score eye opener was divided amongst 8 shooters, which then led into the 30 tgt Points Score Championship event. AA grader Terry Walls shot a perfect score of 105/105 winning him the overall sash and in 2nd place was John Gemmill on 104/105. A score of 87/90 was enough to win A grade for Peter Wilkins, ahead of Robert Taylor on 104/108. Hayden Smith shot 85/90 points to secure him the sash in B and Dave Harley took out 2nd place with 81/90. C grade was sorted out with first going to Corey Wilkinson 81/90 and 2nd won by Andrew Box 80/90.

The last event was 50 pair Double Rise championship and local AA grade shooter Daryl Hunt, suffering with a bad cold, won with a tally of 46/50 ahead of Tim Peacock 64/70. Logan Wemyss succeeded as A grade champ on 42/50 and 2nd went to Robert Taylor 41/50. Lou Rech returned a score of 42/50 winning him B grade, defeating Dave

Above: Megan Grassi takes aim Left: Reg Phefley & Dave Harley

Harley, 2nd place with 39/50. This event saw Andrew Box win first in C grade this time with 33/50 and Jacob Taylor on 31/50 taking out 2nd.

After all the results were tallied up the O/all High Gun was taken out by Daryl Hunt 164/170. The Juniors trophy was won by Harry Ward 157/170, Ladies to Megan Grassi

142/170 and Veterans awarded to Doug Thomas 159/170.

For information about the club and future shoots, please visit our website www.wangclaytarget.com.au

NARRABRI Clay Target Club

Narrabri CTC held its monthly shoot on Sunday 17th June in good conditions.

Skeet shot before lunch was won by Troy Holman from Brian Holcombe. After lunch at 1pm the trap shoot commenced.

1st Event was a 50 target Double Barrel off 15 metres. 1st AA grade was Troy Holman 52/54 after shoot off with Graham Baylis 51/54 2nd. 1st A grade was David McInnes 47/50 after shoot off with Frank Hedley 2nd. 1st B grade Justin Man 43/50 after shoot off with Hugh Faris coming in 2nd C grade went to Ped Johns 20/50 after a two years shall feet.

L-R. Back: Justin Turner, Graham Baylis, Std. Kinsey, Ben Mulligan, Graham Battan: Front: Sarah Mulligan & Jessica

coming in 2nd. C grade went to Rod Johns 30/50 after a two year spell from shooting due to travelling around Aussie.

The next event was a 25 target Points Score and 25 Single Barrel combined. 1st AA grade was Troy Holman 98/100, 2nd John Harris 94/11 after a shoot off with Graham Baylis (lost another one to the young fellas). A Grade went to Frank Hedley 94/100 from Dean Thomson 92/100. B grade with 90/100 went to Hugh Faris from Bruce Ping-Kee from Moree 79/100. C grade went to Rod Johns 71/100.

ECHUCA CLAY TARGET CLUB

JULY - SKEET

75 targets of Skeet was the July 2012 program at the Echuca Clay Target Club, and even though it was a bitterly cold day, it still attracted a reasonable roll up of competitors, some from as far as Swan Hill and even South Australia.

Event one, was a 50 target Skeet Championship, and although not one shooter could down all 50 targets, two managed a very respectable 47/50 score, Echuca member Howard Hawking and Mathoura

Above: Roger Kerslake OA Skeet Championship Right: Fred Guyatt 1st Skeet Handicap

Gun Club member, Roger Kerslake. Just four targets into the shoot off and it was all decided, with Roger Kerslake hitting all four, earning him the Overall Winners



Championship Sash, and the 1st in B grade cash dividend, Roger ending on a 51/54 score. Howard, after missing his fourth shoot off target, had to settle for 2nd in B grade. C grade 1st was taken out by Echuca Club's President, Ron Traill, Ron having shot a 42/50 score, Hugh Nihill shot a 32/50 and that earned him 2nd in C grade. Strangely there were no A grade shooters in attendance.

The second event was a 25 target Skeet Handicap, and although there were a considerable number of shooters in the shoot off, having been eligible via their handicap numbers, newcomer Fred Guyatt, a member of the South Australian Gun Club outlasted all others to secure 1st place with a well shot 47/48 result. Roger Kerslake shooting well on the day earned himself 2nd place with an excellent 45/47 score. Swan Hill member Geoff Charleston shot a 43/45 in the shoot off and that earned him the 3rd place cash dividend.

All competitors at the presentations were thanked for attending on such a cold day, and the Skeet shoot, apart from the weather conditions ended up as a very successful shoot.

AUGUST - DTL

August 12th saw eight squads of shooters arrive at the Echuca Clay Target Club to compete in the five events on offer for the day. Clear and sunny for most of the day, but with an intermittent very cold south west breeze, that moved the targets considerably, making it very difficult for the shooters to post good scores. Shooters came from a wide area, even including Melbourne, and something that does not happen very often, there were an almost even number of participants in all four shooting grades.

A 25 target Points Score Championship was event one, and after only two targets into a shoot off Echuca's Drew Healey won the Overall Winner's

Sash and the 1st in AA grade trophy with an end result of 79/81.

Event two was a 25 target Single Barrel Graded Cash and Echuca member Craig Fitzgerald was the only shooter able to post a full score, earning him 1st place cash in AA grade with his 25/25 result, 2nd in AA grade was shared between Steve Traill and Drew Healey, both Echuca shooters and both shooting a 24/25. A grade 1st was shared between J Wilson and P Keck both on a 24/25. B grade 1st was Lindsey Torney 23/25, with S Peatling taking B 2nd



Steve Traill, 1st in Club Mug Comp

cash with a 21/25 result. C grade 1st was shared between N Ham and N Calandro both having shot a 16/25.

A 25 target Handicap was event three, and once again after a shoot off only lasting two targets, R Neilsen was the 1st place winner with a 27/27 score, 2nd place went to Warrick Kelvy 26/27 and 3rd place went to Craig Fitzgerald ending on a 25/26 score.

25 targets of Double Barrel Championship was event four, and after a shoot off that lasted to the 103rd target of the event, Melbourne Cricket Clay Target Shooting Club member, William Preston, was the only one able to shoot the 103rd target and that made him the recipient of the Overall Winners Sash and also earned him 1st place in A grade. That 103/103 score added to his already good shooting record also earned him a rise to AA Grade, well shot Bill, congratulations.

10 targets of Club Mug was the last event, and Echuca member Steve Traill hung on to be the last man standing, and that earned him a handy \$90.00 reward. Other results are as follows, Event 1 P/S AA 2nd C Fitzgerald 72/75, A 1st J Wilson 78/81, A 2nd J Costa 71/75, B 1st S Housten 71/75, B 2nd A Wilson 70/75, C 1st J Hogan 61/75, C 2nd T Bertalli 59/75. Event 4 D/B, A 2nd G Rathbone 80/81, AA 1st C Fitzgerald 102/103, AA 2nd S Traill 30/31, B 1st Scott Houston 31/32, B 2nd Alan Wilson 26/27, C 1st Tom Bertalli 21/25, C 2nd N Ham 19/25.

With almost 50 shooters to shoot 110 targets each, spread over five events, the program ran very well the entire day, with presentations over by the respectable time of 5.30pm.

Murray Roberts

Taipan Perpetual Ladies Team Postal Competition

Teams to consist of 5 Women Club Members registered with the ACTA

Nominations to be received prior to October 31, 2012

ACTA, PO Box 466, Wagga Wagga 2650 Email admin@claytarget.com.au

For full details see ACTA website www.claytarget.com.au

THE AUSTRALIAN CLAY TARGET ASSOCIATION

presents the

2013 ACTA – ISSF CHAMPIONSHIPS

TO BE HELD AT BRISBANE GUN CLUB

Monday January 21 To Saturday January 26, 2013

Events to commence at 9.00am daily.

SUNDAY JANUARY 20

Double Trap Training Day Skeet Training Day

Monday January 21

125 Tgt Commonwealth ISSF Skeet Championship (first 75tgt)
75 Pair Commonwealth ISSF Double Trap Championship + Final
75 Tgt Commonwealth Women's ISSF Olympic Skeet Championship + Final

Tuesday January 22

125 Tgt Commonwealth ISSF Skeet Championship (last 50tgt) + Final 75 Pair National ISSF Double Trap Championship + Final 75 Tgt National ISSF Women's Skeet Championship + Final

Wednesday January 23

125 Tgt National ISSF Skeet Championship (first 75tgt) 125 Tgt Commonwealth ISSF Trap Championship (first 75tgt)

THURSDAY JANUARY 24

125 Tgt National ISSF Skeet Championship (last 50tgt) + Final 125 Tgt Commonwealth ISSF Trap Championship (last 50tgt) + Final 75 Tgt Commonwealth ISSF Women's Trap Championship + Final

FRIDAY JANUARY 25

125 Tgt National ISSF Trap Championship (first 75tgt) 75 Tgt National ISSF Women's Trap Championship + Final

SATURDAY JANUARY 26

125 Tgt National ISSF Trap Championship (last 50tgt) + Final

High Gun awards to Open, Women's & Juniors in Olympic Trap, Olympic Double Trap and ISSF Skeet.

THE ACTA EXECUTIVE RESERVES THE RIGHT TO ALTER THE PROGRAMME



Signed: _

2013 NATIONAL ISSF CHAMPIONSHIPS NOMINATION FORM

Shooter No. (Office use)							

ACTA I	No.	First Name	First Name Surname					
Addres	ss				Club			
Suburb		State Postcode		tcode	Phone No.			
Email						Mobile/ Day Contact		
TICK ONE or MORE THAN ONE of the boxes if you are ELIGIBLE to compete in the Categories shown below:								
LADIES JUNIOF	R	All FEMALE competitors must tick this box All Shooters aged Under 21 years in the year of competition				Date of Birth	1 1	
TICK Your GRADE AA B C								
Please note: ALL PRE-Nominations CLOSE at 5.00 pm on Friday 4th January 2013 (Eastern Summer Time)								
Nominations to be received by close of business Friday 4th January 2013. There is a maximum 125 competitors for ISSF Trap. If Pre-nominations exceed this number a standby list of 20 will be created and used in case of withdrawals. If any vacancies exist in the program it will be on a "first in" basis at an additional cost of \$10.00 per event to enter. Nominations at the Championships close at 10.00am the day prior to the event if a vacancy exists. (See conditions of entry number 3)								
Event	Nationals Program					Pre-Nomination Before 4th Jan 2013	Nomination After Close	
1	•	onday 21st & Tuesday 22nd January - 9.00am SF Commonwealth Skeet Championship - 125t (First 75 21st, second 50 + Final 22nd)					\$75	
2	Monday 21st	enday 21st January - 9.00am F Commonwealth Double Trap Championship - 75pair + Final					\$80	
3	Monday 21st J	nday 21st January - 9.00am					\$65	
4	Tuesday 22nd	SF Commonwealth Women's Skeet Championship - 75t + Final esday 22nd January - 9.00am						
5	Tuesday 22nd	F National Double Trap Championship - 75pr + Final esday 22nd January - 9.00am					\$80	
6	Wednesday 23	F National Women's Skeet Championship - 75t + Final dnesday 23rd January & Thursday 24th January 9.00am					\$65	
7		F National Skeet Championship - 125t (First 75 23rd, second 50 + Final 24th) dnesday 23rd January & Thursday 24th January 9.00am				\$65	\$75	
8		F Commonwealth Trap Championship - 125t (First 75 23rd, second 50 + Final 24th) Ursday 24th January - 9.00am				\$65	\$75 L	
9	ISSF Commonwe	ealth Women's Trap Championshi nuary - 9.00am	p - 75t + Final		+	\$55	\$65	
	ISSF National Wo	omen's Trap Championship - 75t -				\$55	\$65	
10	•	lay 25th January & Saturday 26th 9.00am National Trap Championship 125t (First 75 25th, second 50 + Final 26th)				\$65	\$75	
Cash Cheque Visa Mastercard Amount \$ Credit Card No: / Expiry Date:/ _ Signature: Please tick one of the following								
CREDIT CARD – Please deduct On receipt of nomination Or Two weeks prior to Event								
Please post to PO Box 466 Wagga Wagga NSW 2650 or Fax to 02 6931 0125								
By my signature: I acknowledge and agree to the 'Conditions of Entry'.								

Date: ___

CONDITIONS OF ENTRY NATIONAL ISSF DISCIPLINE CHAMPIONSHIPS

- In the event of any shooter not being able to produce his/her handicap card, a duplicate shall be issued for the duration of the National Championships. This card will then be forwarded to the Club Secretary to enable scores shot to be recorded.
 Note: A fee of \$20 will be charged for the issue of any duplicate handicap card.
- 2. Targets to be shot in brackets of 25 for Olympic Trap and ISSF Skeet with squads of 6 shooters where possible. In Double Trap targets to be shot in brackets of 25 Pair (50 targets) with squads of 6 shooters where possible.
- 3. Pre Nominations to be received by close of business (Eastern Summer Time) Friday 4th January 2013. There is a maximum of 126 competitors for ISSF Trap. If pre nominations exceed this number a standby list of 20 will be created and used in case of withdrawals. If any vacancies exist in the program, it will be on a "first in" basis at an additional cost of \$10.00 per event to enter. Nominations at the championships close at 10.00am the day prior to the event if a vacancy exists. Nominations have been reduced, as there is no prize money awarded.
- 4. Shooter will be squadded as per ISSF rules and regulations and any interpretation of this will be the responsibility of the Tournament Director. Once squadding for an event has been completed, a shooter shall not be entitled to a refund if they withdraw. Withdrawals after nominating and before squadding will be accepted in writing 48 hrs prior to the event.
- 5. Each shooter is to take enough cartridges to shoot the applicable event.
- Shooters who fail to appear in time for their squad will be penalised by the LOSS OF THREE TARGETS.
- 7. Should a shooter being late for his squad then elect to withdraw from the event he shall not be eligible for any refund of nominations paid.
- 8. All shooters must sign the score sheet after each round. Once a shooter has signed his score sheet he has accepted his score. Any score sheet not carrying the shooters signature will be credited with the lowest recorded.
- 9. Any competitor may be called upon to referee and/or score throughout the period of competition. The persons designated to referee/score or line referee must fulfil their obligation to do so or have obtained the service of a suitable replacement that must be ready to take his place at the required time. In the event of the designated persons or their replacement not being ready to take their place at the required time, the person initially designated to fill the specific role may INCUR A PENALTY AS PERSCRIBED UNDER INTERNATIONAL RULES.
- 10. Setting and adjusting of traps is the sole responsibility of Shoot Management. Any unauthorised shooter interfering with or attempting to interfere with the trap will be penalised up to **FIVE (5) TARGETS.**
- 11. All disputes must be in writing together with a \$20 deposit, which is refundable subject to the appeal being upheld.
- 12. All disputes and deposits must be lodged with the Tournament Director who shall arrange a hearing with the appointed jury.
- 13. When team selection is involved, shooters are eligible for section nominated. To be eligible for selection in any team, competitors must have competed in a clear majority of programmed events.
- 14. High Gun awards are determined for each section. To be eligible for the High Gun recognition, competitors must have competed in a clear majority of programmed events for each respective High Gun. Gold Australia High Gun badges are only awarded when there are 20 or more competitors in a section.
- 15. Women shooters are eligible for their section only. Junior shooters are eligible for OA or their section and grade. Except in Double Trap.
- 16. Anyone participating in the practice of card playing at the National Championships is expected to be considerate of the requirements of others, and the presence and behaviour of card players must not cause inconvenience or disturbance. Tournament Director to adjudicate.
- 17. The ISSF Rules will be used to determine the OA placing in all events.
- 18. Juniors to be under the age of 21 in the year of competition.
- 19. Any interpretation of the program and conditions of entry will be the responsibility of attending members of the Executive Committee whose decision shall be final.
- 20. An acceptable standard of dress is required for all competitors Tournament Director to adjudicate. As per ISSF Rules (clothing).
- 21. All competitors must comply with Firearms Licensing Laws of the state. (When held in W.A a shooter must obtain a permit to bring a firearm into that state).

Competition RESULTS



South Australia

Barmera 5/08/2012

20T HC: E Schmaal 20/22, R Maywald 19/22, P Brister 18/21; 75T (50T DB, 25T SB): AA: F Albanese 70/75, E Schmaal 65/75; A: R Maywald 72/75, R Pash 69/75; B: P Brister 65/75, H Nunn 62/75; C: J Vithoulkas 57/75, I Maywald 41/75; HG R Maywald 90/95.

Bordertown 22/07/2012

Fine & Cool (23): 100T MXD Sponsored by Jolpac Rural Supplies oA: D Flavel 138/140; AA: D Flavel 138/140; J Byrnes 135/140, W Hawker 135/140; A: J Judd 130/140, P Winser 121/140, T Marshall 119/140; B: S Byrnes 126/140, B August 120/140; C: T DeCaux 123/140; JNR: J Bone 114/140; VET: B Andrews 135/140.

International 05/08/2012

COOL/SHOWERS (34): 25TTRENCH: A: A Zupanic, M Collumb 21; B: D Oliviero 21, J Melisi 19; C: M Giannone 19, J Zupa 18; 25T S/C: A: B Baker 21, A Zupanic 20, B: P Hendy 22, C Noto, M Giannone 18; C: D Oliviero 21, R Spinella 18; 25T PS: A: A Zupanic 87/87, A Panazzolo 82/87; B: B Arnott 71/75, D Martini 70/75; C: D Brak-

oviski 72/75, D Medlock 69/75; 50T DB AA & OA: M Collumb 75/75, L Schubert 74/75; A: P Marmorale 51/52, P Marcoionni 50/52; B: M Giannone 49, B Arnott 48; C: M Marinos 47, D Medlock 46; VET: R Spinella 44/50; JNR: P Noto 40/50; J & W Zuppa Team Shoot: A Zupanic, R Borzilla, M Collumb, L Piscioneri, M Giannone 245/250; HG: A Zupanic 165/175.

Kingston SE 21/07/2012

Cool & Partly Cloudy (20): 25T DB Gr AA: J Byrnes 65/66, S Zadow 64/66; A: R Crane 25/25, P Winser 23/25; B: P Obst 26/27, S Crane 25/27; C: T Decuax 24/25, T Gibson 21/27; 25T SB Gr AA: S Zadow 32/32, R Damin 31/32; A: R Crane 22/25, P Winser 20/25; B: B August 29/33, P Obst 28/33; C: T Decaux 21/25, D Lloyd 20/25; 25T HC: S Zadow 24/25, P Obst 27/29, Barry Duncan 26/29; OA HG: S Zadow 73/75; VET HG: T Decaux 77/87; LAD HG: S Crane 63/75.

Lower North 29/07/12

Cool & cloudy (47): 25T Lower North HC: J Mattschoss 26/26, S Zadow 25/26, M Stokes 35/36; 50T Future Industries Supplies PS AA: J Gilbert 105/105, B Andrews



SA STATE DTL CARNIVAL

1st, 2nd & 3rd February 2013

Venue: State Shooting Park, Park Road, Virginia

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PRELIMINARY NOTICE



S.A.C.T.A.

SA ISSF STATE CARNIVAL

3rd & 4th NOV 2012

Venue: State Shooting Park

Parks Road, Virginia, South Australia

SAT 3rd & SUN 4th, 9:00 am

- 1. 125 t State Olympic Trap C/Ship Overall, 1st & 2nd AA, A, B, C, L/J/V (Shot 75 t Saturday, 50t + Final Sunday) (Women's 75 t shot in conjunction + final Sat.)
- 125 t State Skeet C/Ship
 Overall, 1st & 2nd AA, A, B, C, L/J/V
 (Shot 75 t Saturday, 50t + Final Sunday)
 (Women's 75 t shot in conjunction + final Sat.)

SUNDAY 6th, 9:00 am

To commence at the conclusion of Trap Event 1

 75 pair State Double Trap C/Ship Overall, 1st & 2nd AA, A, B, C, L/J/V

\$5 discount per event for pre-nomination
See www.sacta.com.au for nomination form pre-nomination is received by SACTA before 29th Oct 2012.

OPEN O/all – Silver SA Badge & Sash

(Overall does not take Grade)

Grades, Women, Juniors & Veterans

(Category & Grade – 1st requires min of 2 entrants, 2nd requires min of 4 entrants)

SA State Postal and Shoulder to Shoulder Teams as per SACTA 2012 State Program Book

Sponsored by Marsh Insurance, The Professionals & Omega Foods

PROGRAM SUBJECT TO CHANGE BY EVENT ORGANISERS IF REQUIRED

Any enquiries please contact:
Secretary, Deserie Baynes 0417 870 745,
President, Allan Vilcins (08) 8389 2467 / 0401 714 630
ISSF Coordinator, Bronte Evans 0438 507 208
For further information regarding this Carnival and the South
Australian Clay Target Association, visit the website at:
www.sacta.com.au

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International Gun Club

State Shooting Park, Park Rd Virginia SA Enjoy Our Birthday Shoot

\$9000 Trophies including 30 Sashes over two days 20th & 21st October 2012

Day 1 Saturday 20th October Starting at 9am

Event 1 Noms \$15 L/J/V \$12

25 Target Trench Championship

O/A Winner Sash, Prizes 1st & 2nd A B C, L/J/V **Sponsored by Advanced Pools & Omega Foods** Shot in conjunction with Jim & Annette Finis Shield Shoot - any 3 person Team

DTL EVENTS COMMENCE AT 11.30AM

Event 2 Noms \$20 L/J/V \$12

15 pair Double Rise Championship

O/A Winner Sash and Trophy
1st Other Grades Sash & Trophy

2nd each Grade trophy AA A B C & L/J/V

Sponsored by John Wark & Sons & Gliderol Southern Stainless Fabrications

Southern Statitiess 1 norteunous

Event 3 Noms \$20 L/J//V\$12

25 Target Points Score Championship

O/A Winner Sash and Trophy

1st Other Grades Sash & Trophy

2nd each Grade trophy AA A B C & L/J/V

Sponsored by Melisi Projects Grandview

Windows & WasteAway SA

Event 4 Noms \$30 L/J/V \$18

30 Target Beretta Double Barrel Championship

O/A Winner Sash and Trophy

1st Other Grades Sash & Trophy

2nd each Grade trophy AA A B C & L/J/V

Sponsored by Beretta Australia

Presentations at end of day followed by BBQ, all welcome

Day 2 Sunday 21st October Starting at 9am

Event 5 Noms \$15 L/J/V \$12

25 Target Skeet Championship

O/A Winner Sash, Prizes 1st & 2nd A B C & L/J/V

Sponsored by Adelaide Gun Shop &

Milagro Concrete Construction

Shot in conjunction with Inter Skeet Shield Shoot,

5 person Team, 3 Club Registered

DTL EVENTS COMMENCE AT 11.30AM

Event 6 Noms \$20 L/J/V \$12

25 Target Single Barrel Championship

O/A Winner Sash and Trophy

1st Other Grades Sash & Trophy

2nd each Grade trophy AAABC & L/J/V

Sponsored by Truss Tech SA One Stop

Building Hardware & Corsivia

Event 7 Noms \$30 L/J/V \$18

50 Target Double Barrel Championship

O/A Winner Sash and Trophy

1st Other Grades Sash & Trophy

2nd each Grade trophy AA A B C & L/J/V

Sponsored by La Vera, Gawler Mitre 10

& Professionals Real Estate

Shot in conjunction with Metro and Mary Martini Shield Shoot 5 person Team - 4 Club Registered

OVERALL HIGH GUN EVENTS 1-7,

Sash and Trophy donated by Champion Cartridges & NOVA conceptsaustralia Pty Ltd

AA A B C Ladies, Junior & Veterans High Guns over DTL events only (i.e. Events 2-4 & 6-7) Sashes and Trophies *donated by Deloitte Private*

OVERALL EVENT WINNERS INCLUDES FIRST IN THEIR GRADE

Free Camping on Grounds for all enquiries please contact

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John Zuppa (Vice President) 0419 877 665

Dino Oliviero (Treasurer) 0401 122 633

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103/105; A: R Damin 102/105, D Keen 99/105; B: J Tapscott 132/138, L Francis 129/138; C: V Tierney 90/105, S Fenwick 77/105; JNR HG: J Tapscott 122/130; HG: J Gilbert 134/138.

Mallala 12/08/2012

Mild & Pleasant (54): 25T PS Pam Fleming Memorial: AA & OA: M Stokes 120/120, C Bentley 117/120; A: B Baker 74/75, R Damin 73/75; B: D Hemming 74/78, S Brynes 73/78; C: J Meaney 74/75, P Claridge 71/75; VET: B Andrews 72/75; LAD: S Byrnes 71/75; JNR: A Tapscott 71/75; 20T CONT AA: B Andrews 99/99, C Bentley 99/99; A: B Baker 70/71, D Pollard 69/71; B: D Hemming 26/27, S Byrnes 25/27; C: R Claridge 27/28, R Zupanic 26/28; 50T DB AA: C Bentley 85/85, M Stokes 84/85; A: B Baker 50/50, T O'Connor 50/51; B: J Tapscott 50/53, B Zanker 49/53; C: P Claridge 45/50, J Meaney 50/56; OA High in A: B Baker 148/150.

South Australian 22/7/2012 Overcast, Calm, Cold (31): Waterloo SkT CS OA & A: Benn Baker 50/50; B: S Kerkhoven 49/50, Bruce Baker 48/50; C: R James 48/50, V Mathews 44/50; VET: D Martini 44/50: TWR Gr A: Benn Baker 43/44. Bruce Baker 42/44; B: M Giannone 25/25, S Keen 21/25; C: R James 23/25, L Ciaramellano 23/26; PS Gr A: D Haukiopoulus 71/75, D Keen 79/84; B: S Keen 74/84, M Giannone 73/84; C: P Pearce 60/75, V Mathews 53/75; Waterloo DB CS OA &A: D Keen 31/31, P Marcoionni 28/29; AA: E Parletta 30/31, J Gilbert 20/25; B: S Keen 42/43, L Gentilcore 41/43; C: C Abe;a 19/25, R Spinella 15/25; VET: J Mitchell 27/29; OA HG: M Giannone 149/175.

Southern 22/07/12

Fine and Mild (36): 10T E/O: R Umback & M Leaford were the only two shooters to get 10/10; 25T DB: A,B,C. Sponsored by Fisher Firearms: A: J Higgins 25/25, M Veenstra 46/47; B: M Leaford 24/25, R Umback 23/25; C: D Humberstone 23/26, P Claridge 22/26; 25T PS CS, AA,A,B,C. CD AA: R Clark/J Higgins 71/75, A May 68/75; A: MI Veenstra 74/75 & OA, P Johncock & R Schubert 69/75: B: R Umback & M Leaford 66/75, A Dunn 63/75; C: D Humberstone 64/75, P Claridge 63/75; 25T HC: M Veenstra 24/25, A Dunn 23/25, P Claridge 23/25; John Stewart Reilly Memorial HG Trophy over events 2-4: M Veenstra

Southern 11/08/2012

Fine and Mild (66): Come and Try: 30 people came and had 10 targets; 25T DB, A,B,C Twilight Shoot: A: T Dunn24/25, M Veenstra 23/25; B: J Humberstone 24/25, M Humberstone 23/25; C: D Decandia 22/25, D McPherson & M Sutton 20/25; 30T Medley Night Shoot: A: L Higgins 48/50, M Veenstra46/50; B: M Humberstone 43/50, J Humberstone 38/50; C: L Decandia34/50, D Humberstone

Southern Yorke Penisula 22/07/2012

Fine (15): 25T SKT B: P Quire 25/25; C: D Pollard 22/25; 15T DB E/O CD: G Read 15/15, H Bowman 15/15, D Pollard 15/15; P & B Quire Trophy 30T DB Grd: A: G Read 30/30, D Pollard 32/32; B: T Bowman 29/30, K Hobbs 28/30; C: R Nankivell 23/30, K Lee 19/30.



Northern **Territory**

Alice Springs 21/07/2012

Cold & Windy (13): 30T MXD HC: M Ball, S Morris; 25T ACTA Meterage HC: M Ball, K

Stout, J King; 50T State Night SB OA: J King; AA: S Morris; A: C Spanner.



Tasmania

Mersey 21/07/2012

Overcast (21): 50T SKT AA: J Briggs 42/50; A: C Latham 45/50; B: T Clark 47/51, R McDonald 46/51; C: J Rose 42/50, J Synfield 39/50; 50T DB AA: P Turner 48/50, R Phair 47/50; A: G Kelly 46/50,T Campbell 45/50; B: D Burrows 41/50, T McGee 40/50; C: R Kelly 41/50, L Whiteley 24/52.

Rosebery 22/7/2012

Fine and cool (13): 50T DB CONT CS OA & AA: P Francis 48/50; A: G Enniss 53/56; B: P Smith 46/50; C: Rhys Ward 41/50; 50T PS AA: B Smith 149/150; A: G Enniss 144/150; B: P Smith 139/150; C: D Wright 136/150; HG: B Smith 195/200.



New South Wales

Albury Wodonga 29/07/2012

Sunny/cool (40): 100T SP Clays: OA &AA: M Seymour 93/100, T Beach 89/100; A: R Taylor 80/100, J Mazurek 80/100; B: N McIntosh 75/100, C Kloppenborg 73/100; C: D Sutherland 64/100, R Bockman; VET: J Allan 56/100; LAD: T Adams 60/100.

Albury Wodonga 12/08/2012

Cool, sunny (29): 10T PS EO: A Plum, R Leita 30/30 Possibles; 50T PS CS OA & AA: P Matthews 175/177, R Wilson 174/177; A: C Wemyss 145/150, B Woodhouse 140/150; B: C Wilkinson 142/150, H Stolpe 139/153; C: P Roper 132/150, R Lyford 116/150; 50T

TASMANIAN State Skeet **Carnival**

27th and 28th October 2012

Held at Tasmanian Gun Club 200 Nile Road Evandale 9.00am Start Both Days

Saturday 27th October 2012

- Event 1 50 Target Don Taylor **Memorial Championship**
- Event 2 25 Pr State Skeet Doubles Championship
- Event 3 50 Target State 20 Gauge **Skeet Championship**

Sunday 28th October 2012

Event 4 100 Target State Skeet Championship

CARNIVAL HIGH GUN ON **EVENTS 1 2 3 AND 4**

Overall High Gun Cash Sash and Silver Tasmania Badge (minimum value \$500)

State Team selection on events 1 and 4 **MAJOR SPONSORS**

Casella Wines

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Reduced Nominations for Juniors

Pre Nomination forms can be obtained from the TCTA Website (tcta.com.au) Or by contacting the club secretary Mr A A Stules

P O Box 227, Prospect Tas. 7250 or Phone 0439522711 or by Email ast35426@bigpond.net.au or tasgunclub@tcta.com.au

Practice will be available on Friday 26th from 1.00pm



1st SAT of EVERY month

Trap - Monthly 100tgt event **SAT** 6th **October** 10am start

Noms \$40 O/A - SASH & \$60 plus in each grade - 1st \$40, 2nd \$30 & 3rd \$20

CPCTC & Artemis - ALL Welcome
Novelty Shoot - Sun 14th OCT - S/M S.Tourgelis

Firearms Licence TESTING held monthly
Sunday 28th OCT – 9.30am - BOOKINGS ESSENTIAL

2nd SAT of EVERY month

SAT 13th OctoberNoms \$40 + O/S \$5

Plus in each grade - 1st \$40, 2nd \$30 & 3rd \$20

World Fire Fighters Games being held at CPCTC from 22nd - 25th Oct

2nd SUN of EVERY month

ISSF TRAP 100tgt + final 11am start
SUN 14th OCTOBER Noms \$45

O/A - SASH & \$60 plus (AA+A), B, C 1st \$50, 2nd \$40 & 3rd \$30

AISL Grand Prix
ISSF Trap & ISSF Skeet

5th - 7th October

Nominations & Entry forms on AISL website www.ausshooting.org

WED NIGHT SPORTING comp

3rd Wednesday of each month Start 6pm 17th OCTOBER - Sporting Clays Noms \$25 JNRs \$10 - FREE BBQ

OPENING HOURS

Wednesday 10am – 5pm Friday 10am – 10pm Saturday 10am – 5pm Sunday 10am - 5pm

CPCTC Office (Ph) 02 9826 1399 more info go to www.cecilparkctc.com.au

DB CS OA & AA: D Hunt 122/122, R Wilson 181/182; A: C Wemyss 61/62, T Caldwell 60/62; B: P Antonello 55/58, C Wilkinson 54/58; C: P Roper 46/50, R Lyford 43/50; HG: R Wilson 227/230; JNR: C Wilkinson 218/230.

Barellan 12/08/2012

Fine & Sunny (37): 10T PS off 15 metres CD: J Irvin, A Franco, L Irvin, A Macri 30/30; 25T Central Riverina PS CS OA & A: C McVittie, K Whytcross; B: A Macri, T Stockton; C: R Macri, B Gray; VET: E Wardman; LAD: K Wardman; JNR: K McVittie; 20T DB off HC CD: J Pope, E Wardman, K Whytcross 18/20.

Boorowa 28/7/2012

Fine & cold (30): 25T HC: 1st A Pagett 23/25, 2nd L McArthur 22/25, 3rd T Watchorn 21/25; 75T Ch/Ch: OA: P Watchorn 118/125; AA: 1st T Jamieson 115/125, 2nd A Pagett 113/125; A: 1st C Warren 117/125, 2nd G Kazlos 106/125; B: 1st J Richardson 107/125, 2nd D Geddes 98/125; C: 1st S Burrows 72/125, 2nd L McArthur 57/125; OA HG: Paul Watchorn 139/150.

Canowindra 28/07/2012

Overcast drizzly (46): 100T PS All Shoot Off 15mts: AA: R Thompson, 2nd M Patmore; A: 1st D Weal, 2nd L Redfern; B: 1st C Kesby 2nd K Hunt; C: 1st B Wilson, 2nd M Parker; OA: Bryan Manns; VET: Jeff Nash; LAD: Sam Hunt; JNR: Billy Hunt.

Cooma 14/07/2012

Cold, windy (38): 20T DB CD AA: E Chetcuti &L Cuzner 20/20, P Craig & D Crane 19/20; A: R Welch, D Brotherton & P Ewart 18/20; B: R Peadon, N Wilton & B Smith 18/20; C: M Corbett & M Craig 17/20, C Brownlie & J McMullen 15/20; 50T DB OA: D Crane 50/50; AA: C Smith 49/50, E Chetcuti 48/50; A: P Body 47/50, P Ewart 48/52; B: J Barron 48/50, N Wilton 48/51; C: C Brownlie 41/50, M Craig 38/50; 30T DB HC: M Corbett 29/30, G Mills 28/30, P Craig 34/37; FM: N McInnes 38/50; HG: E Chetcuti 94/100.

Corowa 22/07/2012

Sunny (41): 10T PS E/O: J Wilson, G Rowe, R Wilson, P Wojtowyez, B Antonello, D Hunt, T Peacock, T Walls, P Matthews, J Willett; 20T PS CS OA & AA: J Willett 264/264, R Wojtowyez 261/264; A: D Whyte 89/90, T Caldwell 63/66; B: P Antonello 63/66, B Ellis 55/60; C: J Stewart 49/60, N Nixon 54/66; 15T WALKBACK AA: D Saunders 28/28, J Willett 27/28; A: T Plum 17/17, P Wojtowyez 16/17; B: L Whyte 19/19, P Wilkinson 18/19; C: J Stewart 14/15, C Wilkinson 13/15; 25T DB CS OA & AA: B Leitia 125/125, T Walls 106/107; A: L Wemyss 124/125, B Antonello 39/60; B: P Green 24/25, L Wojtowyez 34/36; C: J Stewart 24/25, S Pearce; HG: James Willett 130/130.

Crookwell 21/07/2012

Fine & Cool (19): 20T E/O CD AA: D Smith, G Serafin, A Pagett, N Skelly, P Luck 19/20; A: N Nicholson 20/20; B: L Burchell, M Skelly 19/20; C: R Wales 16/20; 50T DB CS AA: G Serafin 60/60; A: N Privett 49/50; B: I Crisp 45/50; C: P Wales 44/50; 20T HC: A Pagett 18/20, P Christensen 18/20; HG: A Pagett 87/90.

Dubbo 22/07/2012

Windy (16): 25T E/O AA: S Bennett 23/25; A: S Bennett 23/25; B: C Everett 25/25; C: P Boland 21/25; SOT SKT CS OA: S Bennett 49/50; A: S Bennett 71/77, L Cross 70/77; B: C Everett 48/50, E Tucker 47/50; C: S Tucker 40/50, P Boland. 38/50; SOT SKT Doubles OA: L Cross 46/50; AA: S Bennett 45/50; A: S Bennett 43/50; B: E Tucker & C Everett 42/50, D Coaker 36/50; C: S Tucker 42/50, P Boland. 39/50; HG OA: S Bennett 117/125; A: S Bennett 110/125; B: C Everett 15/125; C: S Tucker 102/125.

Dubbo 5/08/2012

Good (28): 20T CONT E/O: B Fairman, P Fitzalan, N Owens, J Owens, T Tourus 20/20; 25T CONT CS OA: N Owens 75/75; AA: M Heywood 74/75; A: A Murphy 71/72; B: J Tourus 23/25; C: G Deagan 24/25; 25T DB HC: M Bourke 25/25, J Owens, A Murphy, R



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Glen Innes 4/07/2012

Fine and cool (20): 25T BD AA: D Johnson, M Colley, G Sweeney 25/25; A: B Campion, R Reeves 25/25; B: N Campion 25/25, A Yannuccelli 23/25; 25T SB AA: G Baxter 24/25, M Colley 23/25; A: R Reeves, B Sweeney 22/25; B: N Campion 22/25, B Finch 21/25; 25T DB CONT AA: D Johnson, Pinch 21/23; 231 DB CONT AA: D Johnson, D Bennett 25/25; A: R Reeves 24/25, P Kennedy, R Larkings, P Wright 23/25; B: A Yannuccelli 24/25, B Finch, N Campion 23/25; 15Pr D/R CS OA: N Campion 28/30; AA: D Bennett 27/30; A: B Campion 27/30; B: A Yannuccelli 23/30; OA HG: R Reeves

Goulburn 12/08/2012

Windy & sunny (29): 25T DB HG: L Cuzner 123/125; AA: L Cuzner & A Pagett 25/25; A: J Lambert 25/25, D Smith 24/25; B: M O'Doud 24/25, F Bartolo, M Clarke 23/25; C: H Kleinmyer 24/25, L O'doud J O'Doud, L McArthur 22/25; 75T M/T CONT CS 25DB, 25SB, 25PS OA: L Cuzner 123/125; AA: A Pagett 117/125, D Price 116/125; A: J Lambert 122/125, D Smith 114/125; B: J Mooney 112/125, P Christiansen 109/125; C: L O'Doud 107/125, J O'Doud.

Grafton 12/08/2012

Gratine 12/06/2012
Fine & windy (24): 25T DB CD AA: R
Gardiner, M Burke 25/25; A: J Burke 25/25,
M Sullivan 24/25; B: D J Milligan 24/25,
B Cameron 23/25; C: G Graham 22/25, D Casbolt 20/25; 25T PS CD AA: D Bennett 74/75, P Westbury 70/75; A: R Wesslink 72/75, J Burke 70/75; B: P Farrell 67/75, D J Milligan 62/75; C: D Casbolt 71/75, G Graham 68/75; 25 Pr D/R Club CS OA: K Miller 39/50; AA: K Miller 39/50, J Cunning-ham 38/50; A: J Burke 33/50, G Ervin 30/50; B: A Rapisarda 30/50, P Farrell 29/50; C: D Casbolt 30/50, G Graham 28/50; HG: D Bennett 131/150.

Griffith 5/08/2012

Fine (23): 25T DB CONT CS OA: V Dwyer 24/25; AA: B Doyle 24/25; A: F Garafolo 23/25; B: C Staltare 24/25; C: J Dwyer 21/24; 25T SB CONT AA: V Dwyer 23/25; A: F Garafolo 22/25; B: C Staltare 19/25; C: F Zanotto 19/25; 25T PS AA: A Paonni 69/75; A: F Garofalo 63/75; B: D Bergamin 69/75; C: F Zanotto 64/75; HG: B Doyle.

Junee 22/07/2012

Fine & sunny (24): 25T DB Gr CD AA: D Smith, C Foster, D Fraser 25/25; A: G Burton, J Wason, B Woodhouse 25/25; B: V Rees, R Schubach 23/25; 50T J.C.T.C. SB CS OA: D Fraser; AA: C Ceely; A: G Burton; B: D Geddes; 25T HC: 1st: B Woodhouse, 2nd: G Burton, 3rd: K Longmore; HG: C Ceely 94/100.

Kempsey 21/07/2012

Very Windy with Showers (30): 10T DB CD 15M AA: M Burke & Flanagan 10/10, K Miller, P Brenton & B Hooper 9/10; A: J Booth 10/10, J Burke, J Dumesny 9/10; B: L Langer 9/10, B Powick, K Saunders & D. C Larger 7/10; S 10 M Gibson & S Ryder 9/10, R Ryder 7/10; SOT DB HC CS: N Gibson 45/50, B Hooper 40/50, P Brenton 37/50; 15PR DR CD AA: K Miller & M Burke 23/30, M Flanagan 22/30; A: J Booth 21/30, J Dumesny 20/30, S McMahon 19/30; B: P Ryder 21/30, A McMahon 18/30, R Nock 16/30; C: N Gibson 16/30, T Baker 13/30, R Ryder & S Ryder 11/30; HG: Neville Gibson

Leeton 22/07/2012 Fine (21): 10T DB E/O: R Macri, G McDonald, A Macri, P Ledwidge, E Wardman, A Poanne, S Guest, G Salafia 10/10: 25T DB CS OA & AA: C Salafia 74/74: A: P Ledwidge 34/35; B: E Wardman 44/45; C: K Salafia 22/25; LAD: K Wardman; VET: A Paonne; JNR M Salafia; 25T HC CD: M Salafia, A Paonne 24/25, P Salafia 23/25, G McDonald 22/25; HG: A Paonne.

Majura Park 25/07/12

(28): 50T 5 Stand Comp OA: M Webster 38/50; AA: A Vaccaro 38/50; A: L Hansen



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October Shoot Program

SUNDAY 14TH OCTOBER 2012

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Majura Park 1/08/2012

Freezing & bitterly cold (30): Round 8 Ch/ Ch OA: P Callander 118; AA: D Reed 114, A Scott 114; A: R Reed 114, C Curtis 105; B: M Gubas 104, A Gray 103; C: J Murphy 99, N Hawley 95.

Marconi 20/07/2012

Very Cold Night (17): 30T SB, 30T DB AA: T Kerem 66/70, D Jones 65/70; A: J Barros 55/60, T Alho 72/80; B: J De-Silva 53/60, L Trew 47/60; C: S Wilkinsen 49/60, M Johnsen 46/60.

Marconi 22/07/2012

Light Showers (101): Malcolm Fuller Memorial Shoot 90T MXD: AA: J Crompton 196/200, C Plessas 172/175; A: A Tsolakis 143/150, J Mortys 166/175; B: G Americanas 157/175, J Yee 152/175; C: R Briscas 129/150, V Mercuri 124/150; OA: M Patmore 197/200.

Marconi 03/08/2012

Very Cold Night: 50T SOUTHERN ZONE HC: Fawzi 48/50, J Adamopoulos 47/50, H Guerriero 47/53, Peter P 46/53, J Camilerri 45/53.

Marconi 05/08/2012

Fine (42): 100T DB CONT AA: G Rootes 98/100, J Luke & N Loucas 97/100; A: A Tsolakis 94/100, S Samuels 93/100; B: P Lynes 95/101, M Henriques 94/101; C: J Tadrosse 91/100, S Wilkinsen 90/100; HG: G Rootes 128/130.

New South Wales 18/07/2012

25Pr D/R OA: A Del-Ben 47; AA: C Plassas

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CORRECTION

The Cliff Ferguson Memorial will be held on

Saturday 20th October,

not the 13th as advertised

Hermidale Gun Club

33rd Anniversary Shoot

Saturday October 27th 2012 Start Noon

Event 1 30 Mxd Tgt E/O 15M Cash Divide \$30.00 Event 2 30 tgt West Bogan D/B C'ship 15m \$30.00 OA & 1st & 2nd AA A B C

Event 3 20 Pr Double Rise 15m \$25.00 1st & 2nd AA A B C

Event 4 20 Pr Western Zone Night D/Doubles \$25.00 1st & 2nd

Sunday October 28th Start 9.00am

Event 5 30 tgt Points Score 15m \$30.00 1st & 2nd AA A B C

Event 6 30 tgt D/Barrel H'Cap \$30.00 1st to 5th Trophies

Event 7 30 tgt S/B 15m 1st & 2nd AA A B C \$30.00

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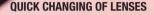
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~ October 2012 Shoot Program ~

Wednesday 3 rd	2pm 2pm	Charles Hlavaty 50T Handicap Skeet Competition DTL, Sporting & Olympic Trap practice ranges open, Targets only practice available during skeet competition		
	6:30pm	NSWGC Night Aggregate 30T DB (Qualifier #10)		
Saturday 6 th	10am 10am	~ NSWGC 50T Skeet HCP - Perpetual Shield ~ DTL, Sporting & Olympic Trap practice ranges open		
Wednesday 10 th	2pm	DTL, Skeet, Sporting & Olympic Trap practice ranges open		
	6:30pm	25T Night Handicap DTL Competition		
Saturday 13 th	10am 10am	~ NSWGC AGM - Members Only ~ Practice ranges open after completion of meeting		
Wednesday 17 th	2pm 2pm	Alf Najar 50T Handicap Skeet Competition DTL, Sporting & Olympic Trap practice ranges open, Targets only practice available during skeet competition		
	6:30pm	~ State Night Mixed Targets Championship ~		
Saturday 20 th	10am 1 0am	~ NSWGC Champion of Champions ~ DTL, Skeet & Sporting practice ranges open		
Wednesday 24 th	2pm	DTL, Skeet, Sporting & Olympic Trap practice ranges Open		
	6:30pm	~ Southern Zone Night Single Barrel Championship ~		
Saturday 27 th	10am	~ NSWGC 90T Hare Hunt Championship ~ & 100T ACTA Sporting Clays competition		
	1 0am	DTL / Skeet practice range open		
Wednesday 31st	2pm	DTL, Skeet, Sporting & Olympic Trap practice ranges open		
	6:30pm	Nite Owl DTL Trap Competition (Qualifier #10) 10T DB, 10T SB, 10T PS, 10T HCP		

NSWGC reserves the right to alter event, practice ranges times and usage to suit advertised competition needs ~ This advertisement overrides programs printed in the ACTA Blue Book ~

For further information contact the club on Wednesdays 2pm-9:30pm (10pm Daylight Savings), Saturdays 10am-6pm Ph (02) 9450-1775 Fax (02) 9450-2178

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Heathcote Road Lucas Heights

Friday 21st September 2012

20T DB Continental E/O

50T PS Continental Championship

All Welcome

44, K Zimaras 40+8; A: D Preece 38+8, C Eleftheriou 38+6; B: G Americanas 37; C: D Thistleton 30, H Shephard 29.

New South Wales 21/07/2012

100T NWSGC Trap CS OA: P Shephard 99+3; AA: A Del-Ben 98+83, W Maryska 98+82; A: G Collins 95, H Sutton 94+1; B: J Czinker 99+2, A Muoio 94; C: L McCrea 91, J Tadrosse 89.

New South Wales 25/07/2012

40T Nite Owl 10T SB, 10T DB, 10T Ps, 10T HC OA: T czinker 59, P Shephard 58+11; A: C Dinnell 58+10; C: H Shephard 57.

New South Wales 28/07/2012

100T NSWGC Winer Sporting Clay CS OA: J MacKenzie 91; AA: F Minici 87; A: J Collier 84+11, A Bell 84+8, D Fisk 81; B: C Eleftheriou 83, A Muoio 77, M Stevens 77; C: E Boccanfuso 81, G Rouse 73, P Romeo 66; VET: S Krollpfeiffer 81, D Brenton 78, W Maryska 73; LAD: M Craig 59, T Alexeeff 37; JNR: K Barlow 70, P Craig 73, J Solomons 72.

New South Wales 29/07/2012

100T NSWGC Winter Sporting Clay CS OA:

A Garvie 89; A: S Newcombe 87, S Mueller 86, A Bell 83+10; B: P Craig 77, D Robinson 74, C Eleftheriou 69; C: D Dahlen 70, C Sneddon 63, R Alexander 61; VET: David Brenton 82, T Burgess 75, Douglas Brenton 69; LAD: M Craig 70, T Alexeeff 50; JNR: P Craig 77, D Robinson 74.

New South Wales 1/8/2012

30T Night Aggregate 30T DB AA: N Xenos 30, F lbrhim 29; A: C Dinnell 30, T Czinker 29+2; B: B Castles 29, K Covey 21; C: B Laurenson 26+5, J Peece 26+4.

New South Wales 8/08/2012

100T NSWGC Trap CS OA: A Del-Ben; AA: R Hibbert 66, C Plessas 66, G Dominello 66, J Hirsch 65; A: P Hardwick 63; B: G Muoio 61, J Holt 57; C: E Boccanfuso 60, J Preece 52.

New South Wales15/05/2012

Fine: Charles Hlavaty HC SKT Competition: T Vallelonga; 20Pr D/R OA: C Eleftheriou 32; AA: P Shephard 21; A: D Preece 31+22, C Dinnell 31+21; B: J Holt 24, H McMaster 15; C: J Preece 27, N Emerson 23; 25Pr D/R & 10Pr D/D AA: P Shephard 21; A: C Elethe-

BLUE BOOK CORRECTIONS

PAGE 33 should read:

"13/8/12 Snowy Mountains Ton"

PAGE 87 Sat 13th Oct should read:

"Tumut CTC 10am 50t PS C'ship

100t Snowy Mountains Ton DB C'ship" see advert this issue

PAGE 88 Sun 14th Oct

Delete "Tumut CTC 9am 100t Snowy Mountains Ton"

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50t Snowy Mountains
Points Score Championship

100t Double Barrel
Snowy Mountains Ton
Championship
Overall prize \$500

Practice 9.00am

1st and 2nd in each grade Sashes for Overall in Championships

HIGH GUN - SASH & \$300

Medallions for all grades in Snowy Mountains Ton event L J V subject to 3 or more entries

Cost \$90 - reduced for L/J/V shooting full programme

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UPPER HUNTER GUN CLUB INC. Ranch Road – 3km from Scone on the Gundy Road 2 DAY OPEN SHOOT SATURDAY 20TH OCTOBER 2012 START: 10.00 AM O/S OPEN L,J,V-P Event 1. 25 Tgt D. B. GRADED 8.00 5.00 CASH DIVIDE

Event 2. **25 Tgt** 2.00 14.00 9.00 **LAURIE ALLEN MEMORIAL**

P.S. CHAMPIONSHIP
Event 3. 25 Tgt 2.00 18.00 13.00
BUSINESS HOUSES
TROPHY CLASSIC

Event 4. **25 Tgt D.B. CONT.** 8.00 5.00 **CASH DIVIDE**

BARBEQUE TEA

NIGHT SHOOT

Event 5. **25 Tgt** 2.00 16.00 11.00 **NORTHERN ZONE NIGHT S.B. CHAMPION**

Event 6. **25 Tgt STATE** 2.00 25.00 15.00 **NIGHT S.B. CHAMPIONSHIP**

SUNDAY 21ST OCTOBER 2012 START: 9.00 AM

Event 7. **25Tgt D.B. GRADED** 8.00 5.00 **CASH DIVIDE**

Event 8. **25Tgt** 2.00 14.00 9.00 **LAKE GLENBAWN D.B. CHAMPIONSHIP**

Event 9. **25 Tgt** 2.00 14.00 9.00 **LAKE GLENBAWN S.B. CHAMPIONSHIP**

Event 10. **25 Tgt TROPHY HANDICAP**1ST SET OF CAR TYRES
1ST – 5TH PLACES

12.00 150.00 100.00 12.00 12.00

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25.00 19.00

All Championships 1st & 2nd Overall, Ladies, Junior & Veterans High Guns Catering, Drinks, & Ammo Available

ACCOMMODATION:- Isis Motel 6545 1100 Scone Motor Inn 6545 3079 Royal Hotel/Motel 6545 1722

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West Wyalong Clay Target Club OPEN SHOOT



28 October 2012 10.00am start

120 Targets

Sashes cash shells trophies

%5000.00

30T Double Barrel C/Ship 30T Single Barrel C/Ship **30T Points Score C/Ship** 30T Handicap C/Ship

Overall High Gun -Sash and Gun Safe **Graded High Gun -**Sashes AA A B C L V J Overall sash on each event

Events shot over 4 layouts with White Flyer targets

Noms Open \$80.00 L V J \$70.00

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riou 32; A: D Preece 31+22; B: J Holt 24, H McMaster 15; C: J Preece 27, N Emerson 23.

Newcastle/Lake Macquarie 4/08/2012

Fine & Sunny: 100T DTL (20T DB, 50T MXD CS, 15Pr D/R): OA & AA: G Gosling 110/120, N Wilkinson 107/120; A: R Cangiano 101/120, J Everett 99/120; B: R Hancock 96/120, F Ziliotto 95/120; C: J Harris 116/155, P Durell 111/155; MXD Champion: N Wilkinson 66/70: Members Draw: John Robinson (not present).

Orange 22/07/2012

Fine & windy (33): 20 Pr D/R CD AA: G Evans 36/40, G Jones 35/40; A: C Delaney 35/40, L Bevan 35/40; B: R LoFaro 31/40, K Hunt 29/40, A Barbagallo 29/40; C C Kingham 28/40, B Hunt 26/40; 50 Pr D/R CS OA: G Evans 90/100; AA: G Jones 83/100, W Sharp 81/100; T Taylor 86/100, C Delaney 85/100; B: R Lofaro 83/100, S Hunt 75/100; C: B Hunt 71/100, C Kingham 67/100; 20 Pr D/D: 1st A Delaney & C Delaney, 2nd G Spencer & S Laspina, 3rd G Jones & B Hunt; OA HG: G Evans.

Richmond River 22/07/12

Overcast/Wind/Rain (32): 75T Ch/Ch AA: K Nealon 117/125, M Formaggin 116/125; A: R Spencer 108/125, G Pringle 107/125; B: I Sullivan 106/125, D Johnson 103/125; C: L Beaumont 86/125, P Consalvo 77/125: 15 Pr D/R AA: K Nealon 24/30, T Rogers 23/30; A: R Warren 25/40, F Binding 24/40; B: B Farlow 22/30, D Johnson 18/30; C: L Beaumont 22/60, C Williams 21/60; OA HG: K Nealon 141/155; INT HG: D Johnson

Sydney 13/07/2012

Cold and Windy (23): 60T Ch/Ch "Night Owl" AA: N Xenos 92/100, T Kerem 91/100; A: J Kladis 87/100, T Chryss 79/100; B: M Henriques 87/100, L Trew 86/100; C: L Pinheiro 64/100; HG: N Xenos 119/130.

Sydney 15/07/2012

Fine (46): 50T HC: RVioli 49/54, A Clay 48/54, J Worley 44/50, J Camilleri 50/52, S Samaha 49/52; 30T SB AA: Z Saad 32/34, S Samaha 31/34; A: J Adamopoulos 26/30, G Galea 25/30; B: R Violi 25/30, N Petrone 24/30; C: | Tadrosse 23/30; HG: | Adamopoulos 126/130.

The Forest 15/074/2012 Clear, windy, cold (15): 120T MXD 30Pr D/R, 30T CONT, 30T DB AA: B Duncan 95/120, J Dematos 84/120; A: A Welsh 75/120, K Belfield 71/120; B: D McMillen 91/120, P Bons 79/120; C: G Atkins 63/120, B Pease 50/120; Club Champion OA: B Duncan.

Tumut 12/08/2012

Cold start then fine & mild (32): 50T Mem DB CS OA: W Cameron 54/54; AA: D Reed 53/54, A Vaccaro 50/54; A: H Sutton 49/50 T Green & P Whitlock 48/50; B: T Dodd 49/50, B Walters 48/50; C: A Smith 42/50, P Green 39/50; VET: R Churchill 48/50; 5 man team winners: 242 R Walters 47/50 D Fraser 48/50, A Vaccaro 50/50, T Dodd 49/50, P Scobie 48/50; 50T DB CONT CS OA: W Cameron 102/102; AA: J Maxwell 101/102, D Fraser 91/92; A: H Sutton 49/50, P Whitlock 48/50; B: R Churchill 48/50, B Walters 45/50; C: M Reitze 43/50, P Green 42/50: HG: W Cameron 202/202

Upper Hunter 21/7/2012

Cloudy, Windy & Cold (10): 25T DB Grd CD: P Boland 24/25, D White 23/25, D Frasca 22/25; 10Pr LAKE GLENBAWN D/R CS OA & AA: P Boland 15/20; A: R Wakem 13/20; B: D Frasca 11/20; C: N Towns 18/30: 10PR D/D DRAWN PARTNERS: P Boland & N Towns 7/10, D White & | Salter 7/10, R Wakem & N Moir 5/10; 20Pr LAKE GLENBAWN D/D CS: 1ST D White & J Salter 16/20, 2ND P Boland & N Towns 15/20; HG: P Boland 61/75.

Wagga 21/07/2012

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Fine & sunny (26): 100T SPORTING CLAYS
OA: S Hore 91/100; AA: T Elloitt 90/100,
G Boyde 87/100; A: M Payton 89/100, D
Power 82/100; B: S Peck 80/100, S Tipping 78/100; C: G Fairbank 66/100, G Byron



Victoria

Bairnsdale 4/08/2012

Windy (28): 100T DB AA: R Mitchell 96/100; A: N Cleal 97/100; B: G McMillan 102/108, A Smith 101/108; C: A Hirchfield 95/102, D Green 94/102.

Beaufort 20/07/12

Night (26): CD AA: J Buchholz, G Hargreaves 20/20; A: P Falkinder, R Bailey 20/20; B: J Soufis 19/20, T Pilgrim, B Flenley, Z Biggin, T Doyle 18/20; C: B Soufis 18/20, J O'Connor 15/20; SWZone SB OA AA: G Hargreaves 28/29, L Cook 27/29; A: R Bailey 23/25, D Long 21/25; B: J Foufis 22/25, A Vincent 21/25; C: J O'Connor 19/25, B Soufis 18/25; JNR: J Flintoft 21/25; VET: L Cook 24/25; J Tamori 21/23, VET. L. COOK 24/25; Ball Trap OA & B: P Falkinder 22/23, W Medwell 21/23; A: W Harris 20/22, N Rees 19/22; C: B Soufis 18/20, Z Biggin 17/20; HG: W Medwell & G Hargreaves 60/65; Novelty: W Medwell

Callawadda/Stawell 29/07/2012

Overcast but calm (49): 10T PS EO: 15 possibles 30/30; 25T PS CS OA & A: W Calaby 81/81, W Wombwell 80/81; AA: A Jones 77/78, D Bertalli 89/90; B: J Soufis 74/75, A Jorgensen 71/75; C: T Bertalli 87/96, J O'Connor 84/96; 25T DB CS OA & AA: P Smith 110/110, T Hughes 109/110; A: W Calaby 46/47, Bill Harris 32/33; B: J Wilson 35/36, G Leslie 31/32; C: I Jones 25/25, R Neilson 23/25; OA J&A Fencing HG: W Calaby 130/130; JNR HG: P Smith 125/130.

Castlemaine 25/07/2012

Cold and Raining (18): 25T DB CONT CD AA; C Langridge 25/25, R McKinnon 24/25, N Cracknell 24/25, D Richardson 24/25; A: B Pay 24/25, T Archer 23/25, D Oates 22/25; B: J Lendon 24/25, E Mitchell 23/25, W Canny 23/25; C: C Pay 21/25; 25T NWZ SB CONT CS AA & AO: C Lanridge 23/25, R Lendon 22/25; A: B Pay 20/25, D Mitchell 18/25; B: B Moroni 21/25, J Lendon 20/25; C: C Pay 16/25; HG: C Langridge 48/50.

Colac 12/08/2012

(41): 25T DB AA & OA: W Calaby 25/25, À Smith 44/45; A: E Ford 30/32, J Hayden 29/32; B: P Neale 25/26, S Martin 24/26; C: R Halliday 22/25, B McCosh 21/27; 25T PS B & OA: P Neale 74/75, G Holt 66/75; AA: P Smith 71/75, A Smith 71/75; A: S Holt 70/75, I Buchholz 69/75; C: R Halliday 53/75, R Vallance 44/75; 25T HC: D Fenn 33/34, J Hayden 32/34, E Domney 30/33; B/M: G Hose 22/25; Jackpot: R Hirth \$664.00.

Colbinabbin 22/07/2012

Overcast, Cool (26): 10T CONT PS CD: I Phillips, G Ervin, D Robb, T Bradshaw, Printips, G Livil, D Robot, 1 Hadsalaw, L Fitzgerald 30/30 Divided; 20T CONT PS CS OA & AA: L Fitgerald 80/81; A: P Watkins 79/81; B: C Repaholi 48/60; C: N Calandra 55/60; 20T W/B-W/F CD AA: W Kelvy, D Robb, S Traill, 20/20 Divided; A: T Robb 20/20; B: H Nihill, E Mullano, B Pay 18/20 Divided; C: N Ham, C Pay 18/20 Divided; 25T DB CS OA & AA:



VICTORIAN CLAY TARGET ASSOCIATION INC. STATE TRAP CARNIVAL 2012

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Friday 9th, 9 a.m. start

Event 1 State Double Rise Championship 25 pr from 15m.

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

Prize - O/A \$1150

1st AA \$425 - 2nd AA \$200 - 3rd AA \$75

1st A \$275 - 2nd A \$150 - 3rd A \$50

1st B \$250 - 2nd B \$120 - 3rd B \$40

1st C \$150 - 2nd C \$75 - 3rd C \$25

Ladies \$120, Veterans \$120

Juniors 500 shotshells donated by PERAZZI AUSTRALIA

At Completion of Double Rise - Zone Teams Matches (Open Ladies, Veteran & Junior)

Event 2 State Handicap

50 tgts from ACTA Handicap Marks Major Sponsor this event ELEY

Prizes awarded 1st to 5th place. 1st Women, Juniors, Veterans Prize - 1st \$1000 + 1000 shotshells.

2nd \$800 + 500 shotshells, 3rd \$600 + 500 shotshells, 4th \$500 + 250 shotshells, 5th \$300 + 250 shotshells

Saturday 10th, 8.30 a.m. start

Event 3 State Single Barrel Championship 50 tats from 15m.

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

1st Women, Juniors, Veterans

Prize - O/A \$1400

1st AA \$675 - 2nd AA \$325 - 3rd AA \$100

1st A \$450 - 2nd A \$225 - 3rd A \$75

1st B \$325 - 2nd B \$150 - 3rd B \$50

1st C \$175 - 2nd C \$75 - 3rd C \$25 Ladies \$150, Veterans \$100 + Gift Voucher

donated by COLLUMBO SHOOTING

Juniors 500 shotshells donated by PERAZZI AUSTRALIA

Event 4 State Double Barrel Championship 50 tgts from 15m.

Major Sponsor this event BRONZE WING

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

1st Women, Juniors, Veterans

Prize - O/A \$1200 + 750 shotshells

1st AA \$600 + 250 shotshells - 2nd AA \$250 + 250 shotshells

BRONZE WING

- 3rd AA 250 shotshells, 1st A \$375 + 250 shotshells
- 2nd A \$150 + 250 shotshells 3rd A 250 shotshells,
- 1st B \$250 + 250 shotshells 2nd B \$75 + 250tshells
- 3rd B 250 shotshells, 1st C \$100 + 250 shotshells
- 2nd C 250 shotshells 3rd C 250 shotshells

Ladies \$150, Veterans \$100 + Gift Voucher donated by COLLUMBO SHOOTING

Event 6 Open State Postal Team — 50 tot Points. Fifteen highest scores Events 3, 4 & 5.

Six highest scores Events 3, 4 & 5.

Six highest scores Events 3, 4 & 5.

Juniors 500 shotshells donated by PERAZZI AUSTRALIA

Sunday 11th, 8.30 a.m. start

Event 5 State Points Score Championship 50 tgts from 15m.

Major Sponsor this event BERETTA AUSTRALIA

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

Prize - O/A \$400 + Franchi Phoenix U/O Shotgun (RRP \$1595)

1st AA \$675 - 2nd AA \$325 - 3rd AA \$100

1st A \$450 - 2nd A \$225 - 3rd A \$75

1st B \$325 - 2nd B \$150 - 3rd B \$50

BERETTA AUSTRALIA 1st C \$175 - 2nd C \$75 - 3rd C \$25

Ladies \$150, Veterans \$100 + Gift Voucher

donated by COLLUMBO SHOOTING

Juniors 500 shotshells donated by PERAZZI AUSTRALIA

Veterans State Postal Team - 25 tgt Points. Six highest scores Events 3, 4 & 5. Please note: Shoot-off will be used to determine last places in all teams.

Junior State Postal Team - 25 tgt Points.

Women's State Postal Team — 25 tgt Points.

FULL NOMINATIONS EACH EVENT -

Open \$55, Juniors \$40, 2nd Family members (Husband or Wife) \$45

PRE-NOMINATIONS EACH EVENT -

Open \$45, Juniors \$30, 2nd Family members (Husband or Wife) \$35

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

STATE OPEN HIGH GUN EVENTS 1, 2, 3, 4 & 5.

WINNER TO RECEIVE SHOTGUN donated by SPARTAN GLOBAL

PLUS SASH AND GOLD VICTORIA BADGE.

WOMEN, JUNIOR & VETERAN HIGH GUN EVENTS 1, 2, 3, 4 & 5. WINNERS TO RECEIVE \$250 DONATED BY ANGELO GRASSI PLUS SASH.

A five man club teams match will be conducted in conjunction with the State Pointscore Championship.

In each event, prizes will be awarded for Women, Juniors and Veterans. only if there are at least three competitors in the group.

Optional \$5 Overall Purse on Events 1, 2, 3, 4 & 5. Paid 60%, 30%, 10%.

HANDICAP CARDS MUST BE PRESENTED AT NOMINATION. - SHOOT OFFS CONTINUED UNDER LIGHTS IF NECESSARY - ON-GROUND CAMPING WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE

VCTA Annual General Meeting Thursday 10th, 7.30 pm

Nomination forms can be downloaded from the VCTA website: www.vcta.com.au

Nominations should be posted to:

VICTORIAN CLAY TARGET ASSOCIATION Inc.

> C/- Jim Shepherd, 22 Hubble St. Maryborough 3465



VCTA STATE TRAP CARNIVAL 9, 10 & 11 November 2012 PRE-NOMINATION FORM

Shooter No. (Office use)
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PLEASE TOTAL NOMINATIONS & PURSE PAID \$ \$											
*Note: Reduced Nominations shall apply to Juniors and 2nd family members, they being husband or wife who are entering into the same event whose nomination is lodged at the same time as a member paying full nomination fees. Shooters paying reduced nominations are eligible for overall, grade and section prizes. Competitors nominating at the Carnival may find themselves shooting late in the day and will then join in the squad rotation. You may nominate only once at the Carnival and must decide on that day which events you are shooting. Shooters will remain in their allocated squads for the duration of the Carnival. Squads will rotate daily. Optional Purse will be paid out 1st, 2nd, 3rd overall and will be divided 60%, 30%, 10%.											
All Shooters will be pre-squadded. Shooters wishing to nominate in the same squad with other shooters need to send all pre-nomination forms and payments together in the one envelope. At least one nomination form must carry the names of all shooters wishing to be squadded together. 1. 2. 3.											
4. 5.											
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Special Squad requests The VCTA reserves the right to refuse any request or nomination. (See VCTA website for conditions of entry.)											
Pre-nominations should be posted to: VICTORIAN CLAY TARGET ASSOCIATION Inc. c/- Jim Shepherd, 22 Hubble Steet, Maryborough 3465											
Cash Cheque Visa Mastercard Amount \$											
Credit Card No: / / Expiry Date:/_ Signature:											
Please tick one of the following: CREDIT CARD - Please deduct: On receipt of Nomination OR Two weeks prior to Event											
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Date: _

VICTORIA POLICE

State Clay Target Championships

Sunday 21st October 2012

To be held at Bendigo Clay Target Club9am start Skeet 11am start Trap

Event 1. 25 Tgt State Police Skeet \$15.00 Championship

Graded O/A, A, B & C
Event 2. **25 Tgt State Police Points Score \$15.00**

Championship Graded O/A, AA, A, B & C

Event 3. 25 Tgt State Police Single Barrel \$15.00 Championship

Graded O/A, AA, A, B & C

Event 3. **25 Tgt State Police Double Barrel** \$15.00 Championship

Graded O/A, AA, A, B & C

Overall Takes Grade in each Event

Victoria Police Team Event in conjunction with DB. Sash for Police and Civilian winners in each event

LDPTC wish to thank the following sponsors: Winchester (Australia), GB Corsivia, Beretta (Australia), Cartridge World Bendigo, KR Castle, Murray Lodge Holiday Units and Thales Australia.

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Oct 20th & 21st 2012

NO PRE NOMS JUST COME AND SHOOT

Saturday 9.30 am start Sunday 10 am start

GUNS Saturday SHELLS

Event 1 10 tgt P/S graded cash divide **Event 2** 30 tgt P/S

O/all Sash & prize, 1st & 2nd in grades **Event 3** 30 tqt S/B

O/all Sash & prize, 1st & 2nd in grades **Event 4** 30 tqt D/B

O/all Sash & prize 1st & 2nd in grades 1st L.J.V.Sub J

^E4\$∦ Sunday

Event 5 10 tgt P/S graded cash divide

Event 6 Duck poachers medley

20 tgt D/B, 20tgt Cont, 20 tgt Points O/all Sash & prize, 1st & 2nd in grades

Event 7 15 pr Double Rise

O/all Sash & prize, 1st & 2nd in grades 1st L.J.V.Sub J

High Gun events 1 to 7
HIGH GUNS
Overall AA, A, B, C,
L, J, SUB J, V.

FULL CATERING & BAR FACILITIES

Open noms \$200.00 Reduced noms \$160.00

The Deniliquin Clay Target Club would like to thank our generous sponsors:

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For more info call

Tim - 0408 588 130 Rob - 0428 813 922



Frankston Australian **Clay Target Club**

123 Rossiter Road Carrum Downs PO Box 340, Patterson Lakes 3197 **Telephone 9782 1626**

INC. A0010859 S ABN 255 281 411

CTOBER PROGRAM

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

Sunday 7th **12.00 pm Start**

Event 1 90 Tgt Points,	\$35.00
AA,A,B&C	
Event 2 10 Pair Double Rise,	\$15.00
AA,A,B&C	

Sunday 21st 12.00 pm Start

Event 1	20 Tgt Single Barrel, AA,A,B&C	\$12.00
Event 2	50 Tgt Points Score, AA,A,B&C	\$25.00
Event 3	25 Tgt Handicap 1st to 4th	\$13.00
	Cash Prizes	
Event 4	100 Tgt Skeet AA,A,B&C	\$36.00
	Cash	
Event 5	75 Tgt ISSF Trap & Final O/A, A,B&C	\$35.00

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

www.factc.com.au

CLUB OPEN FOR PRACTICE

Wednesday, Saturday & Sunday **Sporting Clays Every Thursday**

Gippsland Program

OCTOBER 2012

TRARALGON
Saturday
September 29th
45tgt H/cap
1 2 & 3
30pr D/rise
Both AA A B & C 1&2

BAIRNSDALE GUN
CLUB
Saturday October 6th
75tgt D/b
25tgt B/trap
AA A B & C 1&2

FOSTER
Sunday 7th October
12 noon
10tgt Pts Graded C/D
40tgt D/B C/Ship
Graded

AA A B, C 1+2

KORUMBURRA GUN CLUB INC.

SHELL SHOCK !!! KORUMBURRA CHALLENGE. 15 DB, 15 SB, 15 P/S CONT. 15 DB, 15 SB 15 P/S.

> Saturday 27th of October 2012 12pm start.

\$800.00 of shotgun shells to be won. AA, A, B and C. 1st 375 Shells 2nd 250 Shells 3rd 125 Shells Plus \$100.00 for over all winner

> Korumburra Gun Club 6 Hardwicks Rd. Korumburra Vic 3950

Iona on 0438372721 Trent on 0402889699



METROPOLITAN Clay Target Club Inc

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Reg No. A5465. ABN: 34 637 836 794

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Club Location. 20 Vearings Rd

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OCTOBER 2012

Practice -

Every Tuesday and Saturday 12pm to 5pm DTL, Skeet & 5 Stand Sporting

Sunday 7th 10.30am Start

Australian Hellenic Game and Conservation

75 Target Sporting Graded

Sunday 14th 10.30am Start

Metropolitan Field & Game

75 Target Simulated F&G Noms close 12.30pm

Sunday 21st 10.30am Start

25 Target ZZ Competition

Practice from 10.30. Comp at 12

DTL Comp starts at 12pm

Event 1 10 Target E/O Points CD	\$10
1st, 2nd, 3rd	
Event 2 25 Target Double Barrel	\$13
AA A B C	
Event 3 25 Target Single Barrel	\$13
AAABC	

Secretary: Daniel Ericson

The committee reserves the right to alter the program



MELBOURNE GUN CLUB

Victoria Rd, Lilydale 3140 PH: 03 9739-1771 FAX: 03 9739-1773 www.melbournegunclub.com.au

OCTOBER

SATURDAY 6TH 11am start

		FULL	JNR
1	25 Pair Double Rise AA A B C	\$27	\$17
2	20T Single Barrel AA A B C	\$15	\$8
3	50T Points Score AA A B C	\$27	\$17
4	50T Skeet Trophy AA A B C	\$27	\$17
5	50T Skeet Trophy AA A B C	\$27	\$17

5 Stand Sporting Practice available

SATURDAY 13TH 9am start South East DTL Carnival

(see separate advert)

Pre noms only please see website for entry forms

No other shooting available on this day

SATURDAY 20TH

Melbourne Field & Game

SATURDAY 27TH 11am start

1	75T Trench + Final OA A B C	\$34	\$24
2	30T Points Score C'ship AA A B C	\$17	\$10
3	30T Seafood on Somerville Handicap	\$17	\$10
	1 2 3 BM (22-25)		
4	50T Double Barrel C'ship	\$27	\$17
	AA A B C (O/A Sash)		
5	100T Skeet C'Ship AA A B C	\$40	\$30
	5 Stand Sporting Practice avail.	able	

(Events 2, 3 and 4 are held the last Saturday of Aug, Sep, Oct and Nov. The best 4 out of 5 Handicap scores WINS \$1,000.00 sponsored by Seafood on Somerville 0417 717613 Tony Hoyer for all your seafood needs)

All DTL & Skeet events are paid 1st & 2nd each grade providing 5 shooters in that grade unless otherwise stated. The club reserves the right to alter the program if necessary.

Melbourne Gun Club now throws White Flyer target for DTL & Skeet

"The best club throwing the best targets"

S Traill 25/25; A: A Edwards 30/31; B: B Moroni 24/25; C: N Calandro 23/25.

Frankston 05/08/2012Wet & Windy (55): 10T Points: R Lide, C Prince, B Thomson, N Zechner, L Hawker, A Calvi, P Mills, B Hayes; 100T DB OA & AA: M Cocks 109/109, A Crawford 108/109; A: E Mills 105/107, B Hayes 104/107; B: C Prince 96/100, S Towers 96/101; C: B Light 90/100.

Korumburra 28/07/2012

Wet and cool (26): 50T DB AA: B Dinsdale 50/50, L Cross 49/50; A: D Kendell 63/64; B: K Lewry 50/50, B McCall 48/50; C: L Watson 50/50; 50T PS AA: H Crawford 150/150, W Parks 149/150; A: T Tobias 143/150, D Kendell 141/150; B: G Satori 141/150, B McCall 140/150; C: T Satori

Kyneton 22/07/2012 Cloudy (26): 20T PS CD AA: C Langridge 60/60, R Hosking 59/60, D Richardson 57/60, A: A Langridge 54/60, G Ogilvie 53/60, C Penno 53/60; B: B Patterson 58/60, E Bertolo 56/60, M Spencer 55/60, A Wilson 55/60; C: J McNeice 57/60, J Taylor 50/60, I Culpit 50/60; 25T DB CS A & OA: D Hill 49/49, G Ogilvie 24/25; AA: R Hosking 48/49, D Richardson 22/25; B: W Canny 24/25, A Wilson 36/38; C: I Culpit 23/25, J McNeice 22/25; 20 Pr D/D, drawn partner/split HC: G Ogilvie & J Wilson 20/22, E De Rossi & W Canny 19/22; Encouragement Award: D Greentree.

Mildura 21/07/2012

Fine 17 (45): Clarrie Barnes Memorial Shoot 25 DB, 25 SB, 25 PS, 15 Pr D/R AA: R Malic 139/155, G Clarkson 138/155; A: N Watts 140/155, J Villiva 149/165; B: J Absalom 139/155, P Garraway 137/155; C: D Mills 130/155, M Barnes 122/155; JNR: T Box 113/155; SUP VET: R Walker 126/15 5; OA & A: Norm (Puff Puff) Watts

Mildura 4/08/2012

50T NWZ Olympic Trap CS B: J Finis 42/50, D Molina 43/54; C: N Watts 41/50, L Finis 43/54; OA: M Absalom 43/50; JNR: D Mills 36/50, M Kadziela 30/50: 50T SB CD: A Ataliotis 46/50.

Morwell 2/07/2012

Overcast and calm (40): 15T E/O of 18 mts (5DB, 5SB, 5PS): B Davis, F Santoro, T Sanders, B Dinsdale, L Curtis, B Stokes & A Brady all 25/25; 75T Ch/Ch of 18mts: A & OA: C Gray 123/125, B Jones 120/125; AA: A Brady 122/125, L Curtis 130/134; B: D Drinkwater 117/125, C Jones 113/125; C: T Sartori 100/125, C

Mt Bogong 5/08/2012 Showers (22): 10T PS:D Sutherland, J West, R Leita, R Pigram 30/30; 20T DB: J Willett R Leita, R Pigram 30/30; 201 DB: J Willett 20/20, R Leita 19/20; A: J West 19/20, B Antonello 17/20; B: I Erbacher 20/20, D Hartley 19/22; C: Z Schmidt 22/24, L Butler 21/24; 30T HC: D Sutherland 19/20, Z Schmidt 25/27, R Leita 24/27; 15Pr D/D: B Roper 14/15, A Willett, 14/15, Z Schmidt 13/15, D Sutherland 13/15; HG R Leita 67/70.

Nepean 21/07/2012

Fine (40): 30T PS, 30T DB AA: K Calder, P Drenan, Hecta; A. J Mollica, N Bakker; B: S Towells, D Boyack; C: K Goetz, A Esplin; 40T HC: G Boyd, R Bullock, S Towells, Hecta, C Rowley.

Nepean 27/07/2012

Nepean 27/07/2012
Cold and windy (71): 50T Night Sporting
AA: G Boyd, B Doughty, D Quick; A: T
Masters, T Hammond, P Doughty; B: O
Comelli, B Harris, D Mudge; C: R Hendrickson, J Doe, C Rowley; LAD: W Zoric,
M Leckie; JNR: J Harris, L Macintosh, M Hammond; Encouragement award (low gun) Ryan Tobin.

Noorat 28/07/2012

Perfect (31): 30T DB: Les Reicha Mem: AA: G Hayden 39/39, G Hose 32/33; A: S Holt 38/39, I Buchholz 39/40; B:

SOUTHERN PENINSULA

OCTOBER 2012

MORNINGTON CLAY TARGET CLUB INC

Melways 146 A11

Saturday 13th 12 pm Start

10tgt Points Score E/O 50tgt Tony Ferlatzo Perpetual Continental Double Barrel Championship

Practice Friday 4pm-6pm, BBQ afterwards Contact Lance Cazaly 0417 587 726 www.morningtonclaytarget.cjb.net

NEPEAN CLAY TARGET CLUB INC

Melways 259 F2

Saturday 20th 12.30 pm Start

50tgt Double Barrel AA-A-B-C 1-2 25pr Deauville Doubles Selected Partner, 18m, 1-2

Practice Thursdays 4pm-7pm, BBQ afterwards

Note: A door prize of free nominations for the next time you visit Nepean will be open to all shooters of the full program. Drawn at presentations and you must be in attendance or there will be a redraw

> Contact Acting Sec. Ally Zoric 5982 0677 www.nepeanclaytargetclub.com

North East Zone/ V.C.T.A. OCTOBER 2012 PROGRAM

SATURDAY 29TH SEPTEMBER

St lames 12.30pm

Murphy Memorial D/B

SATURDAY 6TH OCTOBER

Bendigo 10am

75tgt Sporting Clays C/ship, 25tgt Skeet C/ship

SUNDAY 7TH

Alexandra 11am

20tgt P/S Gr C/ship

20tgt D/B Cont Gr C/ship, 20tgt H/cap ANZ/Alex Shield Alex vs Alexandra NZ

Numurkah Shepparton 12.00 noon

30tgt D/B

20pr D/R

20tgt D/B Tower

20tgt H/cap

10tgt Club H/cap

Yarrawonga 11am

30tgt H/cap

50tgt D/B C/ship

SATURDAY 13TH

Benalla 12 noon

50tgt State Cont C/ship

50tgt Verna Wilson Mem D/B C/ship

High Gun over program

SUNDAY 14TH

Echuca 11 am

50tgt P/S Gr c/ship 25pr D/R Gr c/ship

50tgt D/B Gr c/ship. 10tgt Club Mug

Euroa 12.30pm

10tgt Tower D/B C/D

25tgt NEZ Tower S/B C/ship

25pr Euroa Skeet Doubles C/ship 25tgt Skeet C/D

SATURDAY 20TH

Bendigo 11am

25tgt P/S Trophy, 25tgt H/cap 50tgt Charles G Ashman Mem D/B C/ship

High Gun over program

Deniliquin 9.30am

Do It In Deni Grand Prix Supa Shoot

SUNDAY 21ST

Bendigo 9am

Vic State Police Trap & Skeet Championships

Mansfield 11am

20tgt P/S C/D

25tgt Cont D/B C/ship. 20pr D/R CD

15pr NEZ Tower D/R C/ship

O/A High Gun

Deniliquin 10am

Do It In Deni Grand Prix Supa Shoot

FRIDAY 26TH

Mathoura 7pm

10tgt D/B E/O CD, 25tgt S/B

15tgt P/S CD

SATURDAY 27TH

Euroa 1 pm

Wool Week Carnival 10tgt Golden Fleece P/S gift, 10tgt Wool Week Trophy H/Cap, 10tgt Seven Creeks S/B gift, 10tgt Forlonge D/B Cont gift, 10pr Auto & Driven

SUNDAY 28TH

Colbinabbin 1.00 pm

10tgt P/S C/D, 25tgt D/B C/ship, 15tgt H/cap,

40tgt NEZ M/T C/ship

TUESDAY 30TH

NEZ Delegates meeting HillTop Golf Club Tatura 7.30pm

South West Zone of the VCTA 2012 TRAP CARNIVAL SUNDAY 28TH OCTOBER 2012

To be held at the Warrnambool Clay Target Club Starting at 10am

Event 1 25 tgt Handicap 1st-4th & B/M

Event 2 25 tgt SWZ Double Barrel Graded Championship

Event 3 25 tgt SWZ Single Barrel Graded Championship

Event 4 25 tgt SWZ Points Score Graded Championship

High Guns Overall Ladies Junior Veteran FINAL ROUND OF ZONE TEAM SELECTIONS

Nominations \$20 per event, reduced nominations for Juniors to \$50 if shooting entire program

South West Zone President Mal Dyson 5562 7671 South West Zone Secretary Sam Clifford 5233 1519

WANGARATTA CLAY TARGET CLUB

October Program

TWO DAYS TOTAL 200 TARGETS SPORTING CLAYS

Saturday 13 & Sunday 14 October 11am Start Both Days

100 T 5 Stand Sporting Clay C/Ships Each Day 1st & 2nd, AA, A, B, C

DTL

Saturday 20 October 11am Start

10 Tgt P/S E/O 30 Tgt P/S C/Ship, 1st & 2nd AA, A, B, C 30 Tgt S/B C/Ship, 1st & 2nd AA, A, B, C 50 Tgt D/B C/Ship, 1st & 2nd AA, A, B, C

The committee reserves the right to alter advertised shoot program

More Info.

Brett Jory, Secretary Ph: 0400 574 014 Website: www.wangclaytarget.com.au

Werribee Victorian Clay Target Club Inc

PO Box 806 Werribee Victoria 3030 10 min drive from Werribee CBD on Ballan Road Melway map Ref : Map 206 A8 www.werribeegunclub.com.au

OCTOBER 2012 PROGRAM

FRIDAY 5TH 6 PM START

Event 1 15 tgts Pts graded O/All takes grade \$10.00 Please note noms close for event 1 7.00pm sharp (due to 11pm curfew)

Event 2 50 tgt **SEZ Night Double Barrel**

Championship

Generously sponsored by "Bronzewing Cartridges and Casella Wines" Sash for O/All winner + Grade sashes

\$26.00

Optional purse on events 1, 2 All money to go back to shooters \$10.00

SUNDAY 7TH 12 PM START

Club open for practice

SUNDAY 14TH 12 PM START

"Pre State Carnival" warm up shoot

Event 1 50 tgts S/B graded O/All takes grade \$24.00 Event 2 50 tgts Pts graded O/All takes grade \$24.00 Event 3 50 tgts D/B championship Sash O/All \$24.00

Optional purse on events 1 2 3

All money goes back to shooters \$10.00

SUNDAY 21ST VENETO SHOOT

Also trench and sporting practice available on this day

Werribee/Victorian Skeet Cup 12pm start

Mike Corbett skeet capt 0413 258 794

Event 1 25 tgts Skeet Warm up C/D E/O \$14.00

Event 2 50 tgts 2012 Perpetual Shield

Skeet Shoot, Sash O/All \$24.00 Event 3 25 prs doubles (time permitting) \$20.00

SUNDAY 28TH 12 PM START

Event 1 25 tgts Pre State Carnival

Handicap 1 2 3 \$14.00

Event 2 25 prs Pre State Carnival D/R \$24.00 Graded, O/All takes grade

Graded, O/Air takes grade

Event 3 Club Champion of Champions \$15.00 25 tgts from 20 mts. Sash O/All 2nd & 3rd

Event 4 75 tgts Trench Handicap 1 2 & 3 \$35.00

Optional purse on events 1 2 & 3

All money to go back to shooters \$10.00

Club open for practice Wed., Thurs., Fri., Sat. from 12pm

ISSF Skeet (Thur.), Skeet, DTL, Trench, Sporting & Tower All Enquiries Ring 9749 7301 (club) President Mathew Cocks 0417 397 115

"Come & shoot under the best lights in Australia"

P Biddle 29/31, I Dickins 28/31; C: E Domney 27/30, J Markin 23/30; 25T Pts: AA: G Hayde 74/75, M Dyson 73/75; A: S Holt 68/75; B: I Dickins 69/75, P Biddle 68/75; C: E Domney & P Jehu 55/75; 25T SB: AA: S Clifford & G Hose 20/20; A: I Buchholz 19/20; B: I Dickins 17/20; C: J Markin 17/20.

Patchewollock 22/07/2012

Partly Cloudy, Light Wind (25): 10T DB E/O CD: A Ataliotis, R Robertson, R Scott, D Fisher, E Yetman, M Absalom, G Finis 10/10. 25T DB HC: D Fisher 23/25, B Higgins 22/25, D Molina 24/28, E Yetman 23/28; 25T SB CS AA &A: G Pike 30/31, D Fisher 29/31; B: J Absalom 21/25, C Hunt; C: F Tassone 21/25, L Pavis 17/25; 10Pr D/R AA: G Caristo 24/30, M Absalom 21/30; A: D Molina 25/30, N Watts 23/30; B: C Hunt 25/40, | Absalom 23/40; C: F Tassone 17/20, P McKay 9/20; HG: D Fisher 59/70.

St. Arnaud 22/07/2012

Good (42): 10T PS E/O: T Hughes, B Harris, D Long, A Jorgensen, W Harris & P Chipperfield all 30/30; 25T PS Gr CS OA & A: L Torney 75/75, T Hughes 80/81; B: L Torney 74/75, D Harris 72/75; C: T Bertalli 66/75, D Warrick 62/75; 25T DB Gr CS OA: T Hughes 99/99, S Forbes 98/99; A: J McVitty 40/41, D Long 27/28; B: J Soufis 28/29, L Gibson 27/28 C: D Warrick 29/31, T Bertalli 28/31; JNR HG: T Pilgrim 119/130; HG: T Hughes 129/130; O.T.F. Rnd. 6: W Soufis.

Wangaratta 21/07/2012

Perfect (48): 10 T PS EO: 8 Poss; 30T PS CS OA & AA: T Walls 105/105, J Gemmill 104/105; A: P Wilkins 87/90, R Taylor 104/108; B: H Smith 85/90, D Harley 81/90; C: C Wilkinson 81/90, A Box 80/90; 50 PR D/R CS OA & AA: D Hunt 46/50, T Peacock 64/70; A: L Wemyss 42/50, R Taylor 41/50; B: L Rech 42/50, D Harley 39/50; C: A Box 33/50, J Taylor 31/50; HG & OA: D Hunt 164/170; VET HG: D Thomas 159/170; LAD HG: 142/170; JNR HG: H Ward 157/170

Wangaratta 29/07/2012

Cold fine (24): 50T SKT CS OA: G Farish 50/50, D Jackel 49/50; A: P Smith 54/56, A Willett 55/58; B: B Spalling 46/50, B Robinson 45/50; C: J Wemyss 46/50, R Phefley 44/50; 50T SKT DB OA: D Jackel 49/50, J Willett 48/50; A: A Kidd 44/50, P Smith 42/50; B: B Reid 46/54, B Spalling 45/54; C: J Wemyss 45/50, R Palmer 39/50; VET HG: H Memery 83/100; LAD HG: A Farish 68/100; JNR HG: C Palmer 76/100.

Warracknabeal 28/07/2012

30T DB OA & AA: R Lehmann 60/60, A Ford 35/36; A: K Pitt 34/358, S Maybery 34/35: B: L Gibson 59/60. B Papst 27/30; C: G Strauss 25/30, L Niewand 21/30; 30T MXD AA: R Lehman 49/50, A Jones 48/50; A: R Hounsell 48/50, K Pitt 46/50; B: L Gibson 47/50, B Papst 43/50; C: L Niewand 46/50, G Strauss 43/50; Jackpot: L Gibson 60%.

Wonthaggi 12/08/2012

Cloudy, cool and slight breeze (16): 50T DB & 50T PTS: AA: F lbbott 198/200, N.D. M Foon 235/240; A: S Ziegler 189/200, M Rocca 184/200; B: S Towers 198/200, R Webb 191/200; C: C Grigg 188/200, K Lide 172/200; CONGRATULATIONS TO SCOTT TOWERS FROM EUROA G.C. ON SHOOTING HIS FIRST 100 STRAIGHT.

Woods Point 22/07/2012

Overcast & cold: 5T E/O DB CONT PS CD: J Wood 15/15; 20T DB CONT CS OA: T Apps 20/20; AA: R Kirley 32/33, OA. 1 Apps 20/20, Ax. T Apps 20/20, E P Desmond 31/33; A: T Apps 20/20, E Woods 19/20; B: P West 19/20, J Wood 18/20; C: S Kirley; 25 Pr D/D CS: M Woods/T Allen 22/25, T Apps/P Desmond 19/25, E Woods/P Woods 18/25, P West/J Wood 16/25; 15T S/R CS: T Apps 14/15, P West 18/20, P Desmond 17/20, T Allen 16/20; HG: T Allen 54/60.



Queensland

Bundabaerg 4& 5/08/2012
Perfect (85): 25T DB CD AA: I Wynyard, J Riggs, F Robinson, R Rehbein, B Pavy, C Bylsma, N Cracknell, B Iles, S Pendergast 25/25; A: M Davis, N Catasti, J Kelly, P Wood, J Zaric 24/25; B: C Corington, K Weiting 24/25, C Brawne, B Morrissy, T Harkerm, L Pohlner, D Hardwood 22/25; C: C O'Brien 25/25, B Brawne, C Scott 21/25; 25T MARGARET & GRAHAM RUDD HC: C Brawne 25/25 C Bylsma 25/25, K Busteed 25/25, B Fisher 23/25; 50T NIOA TRADING DB CS OA: M Iles 50/50; AA: F Robinson 50/50, B Pavy 49/50; A: K Busteed 50/50, P Wood 49/50; B: C Corington 47/50, M Munnell 47/50; C: B Scott 43/50, B Fisher 40/50; LAD: L Thompson 46/50; VET: J Riggs 49/50; JNR: S Bylsma 48/50; 25T WINCHESTER SB CS OA: T Harker 25/25; AA: C Bylsma 24/25, N Berry 24/25; A: M Davis 23/25, G Mason 23/25; B: I Boycon 23/25, B Morrissy 20/25; C: J MCGuirk 21/25, B Fisher 23/25; JNR: M Iles 23/25; 50T BUNDABERG TOYOTA DB PTS CH OA: Q Porfiri 148/150; AA: M Iles 147/150, N Cracknell 146/150; A: A Heuser 142/150, M Zipf 141/150; B: C Brawne 141/150,T Harker 139/150; C: B Fisher 125/150, C Scott 122/150; LAD: LThompson 144/150; VET: B Iles 146/150; JNR: S Bylsma 137/150; 25T WIDE BAY AUSTRALIA/ ELEY DB CON'T CS OA: S Trafford 100/100; AA: B Iles 100/100, R Rehbein 99/100: A: K Rehbein 24/25, N Castasti 23/25; B: B Weedon 23/25, L Pohlner 22/25; C: C Scott 23/25, B Fisher 21/25; JNR: M Iles 24/25; HIGHLAND SPORTS HG OA: M Iles 290/300: ARCHER RIVER GRADED HG AA: N Cracknell 290/300; A: M Davis 278/300; B: T Harker 273/300; C: B Fisher 248/300; THE SHED COMPANY LAD HG:L Rudd; BUSINESS SPECIALISTS, VET HG, POLICE CTC, INR HG: LT 274/300; Biles 286/300. S Bylsma 272/300.

Caboolture 5/08/2012

Warm, sunny and clear day (40): 30T Medly Sweeps AA: G Langridge 50/50, S Finch 49/50; A: S Willman 48/50, S Joseph, K Crandon, B McNamara 47/50; B: F Mills 44/50, M Jardine, J Holmes 43/50; C: M Jorgensen 45/50, D Rodger 40/50; 25T SB AA: K Jarrick 41/42, G Langridge 40/42; A: G Hogarth 24/25, S Williams 23/25; B: K Helwig 20/25, J Holmes 19/25; C: M Jorgensen 22/25, V Vitalle 21/25; 50T DB AA: J Rapisarda 75/75, K McGuire 74/75; A: B McNamara 50/50, G Hogarth 49/50; B: M Jardine 49/51, K Helwig 48/51; C: P Bundesen 43/50, S Patti 42/50: 25T CONT AA: S Fitch 25/25, G Langridge 45/46; A: P Smith 25/25, A Mills 32/33; B: K Helwig 24/25, M Jardine 23/25; C: B Edwards 22/25, S Patti 20/25; OA HG: G Langridge 149/150; AA: S Fitch 147/150; A: S Williams 140/150; B: K Helwig 132/150; C: M Jorgensen 125/150.

Clermont 21/07/2012

Clear and Fine (27): Central Zone 25T SB CONT OA: R Ohlsen (Clermont) 25/25; AA: T Holmes (Clermont) 28/29, P Sinclair (Dysart) 27/29; A: B Cowley (Gemfields) 27/28, C McLauchlan (Dubbo) 26/28; B: J Byrne (Clermont) 23/25, W Johnson

WONTHAGGI GUN CLUB

Sunday 14th October 12 Noon Start

State Carnival Warm Up 25T D/B 25T S/B 25T PTS 15 PAIR D/R AAABC182

Sunday 11th November NO SHOOT DUE TO STATE CARNIVAL

Enquiries Steve Ziegler 0418 348 966

Texas Clay Target Clay ANNUAL 2 DAY SHOOT **22nd & 23rd September 2012**

SATURDAY 22/09/12 9.00AM START Nom's from 8.30am

Event 1 25 Target Double Barrel cash divide Event 2 30 Target Medley 10 DB, 10 PS, 10 SB **Event 3 50 Target Double Barrel**

SUNDAY 23/09/12 9.00AM START

Event 4 25 Target Double Barrel cash divide **Event 5 50 Target Points Score Event 6 30 Target Handicap true meterage**

> NOMINATIONS \$120.00 **LADIES VET & JUNIOR \$100.00**

1st & 2nd on events 1 to 5 1st to 5th on Event 6 High Gun Sash and prize for Overall AA AB C Ladies, Vets & Juniors Winners can claim one only

> Meals Available Saturday Lunch & **Dinner Sunday Breakfast & Lunch** Camping and hot shower on site

Practise available Friday from 3pm Contact Club Secretary Daryle Belford 0427 509 706 The committee reserves the right to change the program if necessary

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Friday

Night Sporting

23rd November 7pm start

3 Layouts - 75T

Nominations include hot supper!

GOLD COAST CLAY TARGET CLUB **October Programs**

Practise every Saturday 1.00 to 5.00 pm

Wednesday 3rd October - Night Trap

Includes South East Zone 25T D/B Points Championship Plus 50T Medley 15m - 7.00 pm start - Nomination includes Hot Supper Trap Captains: Mike Swale 0418 763168 & Tony O'Leary 0424 273140

Sunday 7th October – Sporting ★ 100T – Graded Trophies 9.00 am start – Sporting Captain: Kev Seeney 0427 761945

BERETTA OPEN DAYS Saturday 13th & Sunday 14th October

Come & talk to the Beretta Australia representatives – All shooters welcome! Gun fit & measurements ★ Guns to try ★ Beretta Forever Servicing Trap comp Sunday 14th October 9am – 125T 4 Events Graded Trophies

Sunday 21st October - Skeet ★ 125T - Graded Trophies 9.00 am start - Skeet Captain: Tony Crandon 0409 349755

Club: 81 Gross Rd Woongoolba- Ph. 07) 5546 1368 Debbie Young - President: 0419 880080 www.goldcoastclaytargetclub.com

BERETTA OPEN DAYS

GOLD COAST CLAY TARGET CLUB 13TH-14TH OF OCTOBER 2012

81 GROSS ROAD, WOONGOOLBA QLD 4207

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- Shooters can have their gun measured by professionals and receive recommendation for proper gun fitting.
- Shooters will receive advice to improve their shooting from some of the best coaches in the World.
- Range of Beretta shotguns on display, including the new Beretta DTII (right).
- Beretta try guns will be available to shoot.
- Beretta Gunsmith on site service Beretta firearms over the weekend.
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BERETTA

Gold Coast Monthly Trap Shoot Vill Be Held on The Sunday!

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- John Younger, National Champion Sporting Clays
- Steve Atkins, Multiple National DTL Champion
- George Barton, Dual Olympian & Beretta Australia Rep For Queensland
- Sergei Yauhleuski, Beretta Australia Gunsmith

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SOUTH EAST ZONE Q.C.T.A INC. 2012 DTL CHAMPIONSHIPS

To be hosted by the

CABOOLTURE CLAY TARGET CLUB 29th & 30th September 2012

<u>Saturday 8.30am start</u>

EVENT 1.	25 Tgt D/B Cash Divide	
	Sponsored By Clay Targets Australia	\$15
	1st & 2nd each grade	
EVENT 2.	25 Tgt SEZ S/B Championship	\$25
	Sponsored By SNS Painters & Decorators (Sam Nucifora)	
	Sash & Trophy O/A + 1st & 2nd each grade L,J,V.	
EVENT 3.	30 Tgt Medley 10 DB 10 SB 10 Pts	\$25
	Sponsored by KEVLAR Memorabilia	
	Trophy O/A + 1st and 2nd each grade	
EVENT 4.	25 Tgt SEZ D/B Championship	\$25
	Sash & Trophy O/A + 1st & 2nd each grade, L,J,V.	
	Sunday 8.30am start	
EVENT 5.	30 Tgt D/B Continental	\$25
	Trophy O/A + 1st and 2nd each grade	
EVENT 6.	25 Tgt SEZ Points Championship	\$25
	Sash & Trophy O/A + 1st and 2nd each grade, L,J,V.	
EVENT 7.	15 Pair SEZ D/Rise Championship	\$25
	Sponsored by Guns and Ammo (Gavin Langridge)	
	Sash & Trophy O/A + 1st & 2nd each grade L,J,V.	

One
FREE NOM
DRAW
for the shooters
who nominate

for 2 days

HIGH GUNS OA, AA, A, B, C, + L,J,V

Total Noms if shooting the whole program \$140 L,V \$100, Juniors \$40

South East Zone Teams selected on events 2,4 & 6.

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CABOOLTURE CLAY TARGET CLUB

2012 Annual Trap Carnival

3rd & 4th November 2012

Saturday 9.30am start

EVENT 1 25 Tgt Double Barrel Sweeps

EVENT 2 25 Tgt Single Barrel \$20 Sash & Trophy O/A + 1st & 2nd each grade

EVENT 3 30 Tgt Handicap \$25 1st-5th

\$25 **EVENT 4 30 Tat Double Barrel Championship** Sash & Trophy O/A + 1st & 2nd each grade

Sunday 8.30am start

\$25 EVENT 5 30 Tat D/B **Continental** Trophy O/A + 1st and 2nd each grade

EVENT 6 30 Tgt Points \$25 Championship Sash & Trophy O/A + 1st and 2nd each grade

EVENT 7 20 Pair Double Rise \$25 Trophy O/A + 1st & 2nd each grade



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= \$130.00

Sunday 18th November 2012

Shoot commencing 8.30am

Event 4: 50t D/B Championship

Sponsor: **Central Hotel Cloncurry** O/A & 1st & 2nd in AA, A, B, C

\$30.00

Event 5: **25t Point Score** Championship

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(Clermont) 21/25; C: I Cross (Gemfields) 16/25, A Scully (Dysart) 17/27; Central Zone 25T PS Night OA: G Reynolds (Rockhampton) 74/75; AA: T Holmes (Clermont) 73/75, S Millar (Dysart) 77/81; A: C McLauchlan (Dubbo) 73/75, B Cowley (Gemfields) 69/75; B: C Cross (Gemfields) 69/75, A McDonald (Blackall) 66/75; C: E Death (Dysart) 54/75, D Sloan (Dysart) 48/75.

Clermont 22/07/2012

Fine and Windy (37):100T Double Barrel President's Cup OA: B Marion (Blackall) 99/100; AA: M Fuller (Dysart) 179/181, R Meaney (Dysart) 178/181; A: C McLauchlan (Dubbo) 97/100, B Cowley (Gemfields) 96/100; B: A McDonald (Blackall) 93/100, J Byrne (Clermont) 92/100; C: K Cislowski (Clermont) 80/100, S James (Gemfields) 75/100.

Central Zone Skeet 27-28/7/2012

Fine Sunny Windy patches (23): 25T Skeet H'Cap CZ SKT HC; O/A: 1st Brian Harrison 56/58, 2nd Colin Lorraway 55/58, 3rd Chris Barber 54/56; 100T Skt CS: O/A: 1st Laurie 127/131, A: 1st Pat Dury 95/100, B: 1st Brian Harrison 126/131, C: 1st Ron Peno 89/100; 50T Skt M/G 20g 20 & 28g CS: O/A: 1st Laurie Chelepy 47/50, A: 1st Vere Storch 49/54, B: 1st Jim Storch 45/50, C: 1st Ray Bourne 40/50; 25PR Skt Dbls: O/A: 1st Laurie Chelepy 49/50, A: 1st Chris Barber 47/50, B: 1st Ron Peno 43/50, C: 1st Ediie Bates 42/50; 50T Skt CS: O/A: 1st Brian Harrison 50/50, A: 1st Steve Makris 51/52, B: 1st Chris Bourne 47/50, C: 1st Ray Bourne 46/50; H/G: O/A: Laurie Chelepy 192/225.

Gladstone 12/08/2012

Glastone 12/03/2012
Fine, Clear (26): 25T TWR: A & AA: A
Denton 29/29, B Busteed 28/29; B: B
Kelly 25/25, G Whitfield 26/27; C: B Pawy
25/25, S Fett 24/25; 25T TWR PS A & AA:
B Busteed 75/75, A Denton 72/75; B: B
Harker 72/75, G Whitfield 57/75; C: S Fett
68/75, G Quantrell 66/75; 25T TWR CS OA:
P Wood; A & AA: B Kelly, A Denton; B: S
Fett, B Pawy; C: G Quantrell, S Larsen; 25T
DB AA: B Pawy 25/25, N Busteed 54/55;
A: B Harker 23/25, A Denton 29/34; B: T
Lamb 24/25, T Harker 23/26; C: B Pearce
22/25, S Larsen 20/25; 25T DB CONT
AA: B Kelly 25/25, N Busteed 27/28; A: A
Denton 25/25, B Harker 24/25;B: T Harker
24/26, T Lamb 23/26; C: B Pearce 22/25,
T Onekawa 17/25.

Gympie 12/08/2012

Fine with slight breeze (28): 30T DB CD AA: D Porters 29/30, P Grove 28/30, G Matthews 28/30; A: G McClymont 30/30, J Zaric 30/30; B: V Dollison 30/30, B Weedon 29/30, L Stolberg 26/30; C: D Rodgers 24/30, P Bundesen 24/30, B Harper 23/30; DB Points AA: P Grove 88/90, D Porters 87/90; A: G Watsonj 88/90, M Fea 86/90; B: V Dollison 83/90, B Weedeon 76/90; C: B Harper 76/90, P Bundesen 69/90; 25T HC: G Nuske 27/28, B Harper 77/29, M Harper 26/29; 15Pr D/R AA: D Porters 23/30, G Nuske 22/30; A: G Mason 25/30, W Fea 24/30; B: B Weedon 25/30, V Dollison 20/30; C: B Harper 21/30, M Nuske 20/30; HG AA: D Porters 160/175; C: B Harper 144/175.

Roma 14/072012

Raining (16): 25T Roma Open SKT CS OA: L Rodden 24/25, AA: L Chelepy 24/25, B: G Bryant 24/25, P. Rollings 23/25, C: B Lee 24/25, T Allen 23/25; 25T Maranoa SKT HC: I Andrews 63/64, L Chelepy 63/64, J Cormack 79/83, M Carmody 75/83; 50T Maranoa Open Western Zone SKT CS OA: I Andrews 50/50; AA: L Chelepy 48/50; A: L Rodden 49/50; B: J Cormack 48/50, G Bryant 46/50; C: M Carmody 46/50, M Collins 43/50; 25Pr Roma SKT Doubles CS OA: L Chelepy 48/50; A: L Rodden 45/50; B: V Forsythe 44/50, G Bryant 43/50; C: I Andrews 40/50, M Collins 37/50; HC & OA: L Chelepy 148/50; A: L Rodden 145/50; B: C Bryant 136/150; B: G Bryant 136/150; C: I Andrews 136/150; C: I A

Roma 15/07/2012

Fine & Sunny (24): 50T PS CD AA: G Moore 148/150, M Collins 148/150, B Hewitt 148/150; A: V Forsythe 145/150, B Collins 133/150, D Winnings 132/150; B: J Park 143/150, M Phillips 127/150, R Purnell 121/150; C: B Hewitt-Bryant 124/150, T Allen 120/150, J Lee 96/150; 25Pr D/R AA: G Moore 49/50, B Hewitt 47/50; A: B Collins 42/50, V Forsythe 48/60; B: M Phillips 32/50, J Park 29/50; C: B Hewitt-Bryant 35/50, T Allen 32/50. Gammie Plain Mug - Geoff Moore 197/200.

Roma 4/08/2012

Perfect winter day (16): 50T DB CD AA: I Andrews 50/50, B Lee 48/50, W Murphy 48/50; A: V Forsythe 47/50, C Driscoll 46/50, P Driscoll 46/50; B: R Pack 40/50; C: B Smith 39/50, J Lee 27/50; 50T HC: I Andrews 48/50, S Moore 47/50, C Driscoll 50/54, V Forsythe 49/54, Gammie Plain Mug: Ian Andrews 98/100.

Texas 22/07/2012

Fine (15): 50T DB AA: B Kneipp 49/50B Webster 47/50; A: B Campion 49/50, P Dignam, N Campion 48/50; B: K Belford 47/50, J Finlay 46/50; C: J Thorn 31/50; 25T SB AA: P Redman 25/25; B Kneipp 23/25; A: P Dignam 24/25, B Campion, D Belford, N Campion 23/25; B: K Belford 21/25, J Fea 18/25; C: J Thorn 15/25; 15Pr D/R AA: B Kneipp 26/30, B Webster 25/30; A: B Campion 29/30, P Dignam 26/30; B: J Fea 22/30, T Montgomery 22/30, R Christie 19/30; C: J Thorn 20/30; 30T CONT AA: B Kneipp 28/30, B Webster 26/30; A: P Dignam 30/30, J Finlay 29/30; B: T Montgomery 27/30, K Belford, J Fea 26/30.

Toogoolawah 22/07/2012

Fine at first then Overcast, Cold & Windy (44): SOT SEZ DB HC: C Gurski 56/58, L Langridge 55/58, A Heuser 52/55, G Gordon 51/55, M Davis 46/50; 20T DB Sx S (gun down - novelty event): A Mills 21/23, W Perry 20/23; SOT DB Ax: S Fitch 52/52; A: A Heuser 62/63; B: J Boycon 52/55; C: S Kennedy 42/50; LAD: J Gerrard 45/50; JNR: L Langridge 49/50; VET: A Mills 49/50.

Toowoomba 22/07/2012

Moderate with some cloud & wind (47): 125T Ironperson CS OA: G Bedington 118/125' A: M Swaile 117/152, A Mason 125/135, P Lillis 124/135; A: T Rhue 116/125, P Moloney 113/125, V Nolan 110/125; B: P Rollings 112/125, B McDougall 111/125, R McDougall 105/125; C: M Cain 108/125, D Ballinger 101/125, D Johnson 94/125.

Western Australia

Geraldton 15/07/2012

Fine mid 20's (7): 50T SKT A: T Marsden 48/50; B: J Dohnt 45; C: B Chester 39; 24T SKT Doubles: C: B Chester 21/24; A: T Marsden 19; B: S Johnston; HG: T Marsden 67/74, B Chester 60/74, S Johnston 57/74.

Geraldton 05/08/2012

Ideal shooting conditions - Fine mid 20's (33): 75T DB Club HC Shoot off result: P Lemmon - B Grade, 2nd P Cream - B Grade, 3rd D McCagh - A Grade,4th L Cowley B Grade & 5th V Oliveri - A Grade; 75T DB AA: G O'Brien 74/75, B Starling

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Nomination Form

Practice on Friday 16 November from 12.30-1.30pm Sat & Sun from 7 – 8.30am \$3.00 per 10 targets

Day 1 Friday November 16 2pm start

Event 1 20DB 20SB & 20PS \$35.00 OA 1 2 & 3 in each grade L J & V

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Day 2 Saturday November 17 9am start

Event 2 20 Points Score \$15.00
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Event 3 30 Single Barrel \$25.00

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OA 1 2 & 3 in each grade L J & V

Event 4 75 Champion of \$60.00 Champions

OA 1, 2 & 3 in each grade. L, J & V **This event is a State Title**

Pat Hael Memorial Friendship Day Day 3 Sunday November 18 9am start

Event 5 50 Points Score \$30.00 OA 1 2 & 3 in each grade L J & V

Event 6 50 Double Barrel \$30.00
OA 1 2 & 3 in each grade L J & V
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Total nomination for the weekend \$195.00

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58th Cherry Tree Pool Field CHAMPIONSHIPS

3rd & 4th November 2012

Saturday 3rd at 9am 90 TARGET

Open - 1st to 4th Place Intermediate -

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(Rules Apply) L, J & V-

1st to 3rd Place

S/Vets - 1st & 2nd Place

Lucky Shooter Draw & Target

Gun position - any position of safety Shells 28grms

73. B Kuser & L Oliveri 72: A: V Oliveri 75/75, T Henville 73 & D McCagh 73; B: P Lemmon 75/75, P Cream 72 & L Cowley 71; C: G Pickersggill 74/75, K Oliveri & K Wollington 59; HG: V Oliveri & P Lemmon 75/75 & G Pickersgill & G O'Brien 74.

Narrogin 7 & 8/07/2012

7th fine and clear, 8th cold and windy (65 shooters per day): 50T CD DB: Claremont Firearms CS 25T PS OA & AA: R Vivante, E Maley, J Fleay; A: G Chittleborough, D Sieber, D Page; B: C Wiese, M Grant, J Barnes; C: P Edkins, C Scheer, C Beven; CSBP Medley 30T OA & AA: J Fleay, J Gilbert, G Faulkes; A: L Hull, C Baker, S Colaguiri; B: M Grant, C Wiese, J Beveridge; C: P Edkins, E Hoggard, C Beven; Narrogin & District Businessment CS 50T DB OA & AA: N Suckling, E Maley, M Waite; A: M Hamilton, S Colaguiri, C Baker; B: C Wiese, L Kealley, J Beveridge; C: E Hoggard, T Birt, P Edkins; FarmWorks Medley 30T OA: C Baker; AA: J Fleay, L Bager, T Morris; A: C Baker, J Sharpe, S Moffat; B: C Wiese, L Kealley, R Maley; C: E Hoggard, P Edkins, C Beven; Dawsons CS 25T PS OA & AA: L Bager, J

Fleay, T Maloney; A: D Page, C Baker, S Moffat; B: M Grant, C Wiese, J Beveridge; C: C Beven, E Hoggard, C Scheer; 2012 Narrogin Cup 50T DB OA & AA: T Morris, N Suckling, L Bager; A: S Moffat, C Baker, M Hamilton; B: C Wiese, L Kealley, M Grant; C: E Hoggard, C Scheer, C Beven; OA Carnival HG: J Fleay- 345/350; LAD: D Page 316/350; JNR: C Baker 332/350; VET: G Faulkes 335/350; Intermediate: C Wiese 329/350.

Western Australian 21/07/2012

Fine, warm little wind (43): SKT 100T OA: P House; AA: S O'Brien, P Vosper; A: T Marsden, M Voke, S Rados; B: R Townsend-Crisp, K Green, T Starkey; C: M O'Donnell, M Walker, J Overton.

Western Australian 22/07/2012

Fine, Sunny and warm (35): SKT 100T Newton Thomas: HOA: S O'Brien; AA: P House, M Perry; A: G Schweikert, M Pedri, M Voke; B: B Benjamin, T Davis, R Townsend-Crisp; C: B Whittaker, M O'Donnell, M Walker; HOA for the 2 Day 200 Target: HOA P House 194/200; Zone 1 SKT Team: M Perry 49/50, S Saunders 48/50, M Pedri 48/50, D Knight 48/50, M Voke 48/50

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West Coast Field Classic

28th October 2102 starting at 9 am

The Edgehill Clay Target Club invites you to our Pine Hauliers West Coast Field Classic. The New layout design that will guarantee to give you an enjoyable and challenging day. Lunch will be available on the day.

Sash for overall High Gun winner and \$1000 prizes graded. Reduced noms for juniors.

Please note that this event is being held at Edgehill as the Harvey Field on the 7th October has been cancelled.

Contact Paul Lange Ph: 0416 267 245

paul@edgehillclaytargetclub.org.au Edgehillclaytargetclub.org.au

Novelty Field & Game Shoot

The long weekend of the 9th & 10th of June is always scheduled for our major shoot of the year, when a two day, Novelty Field & Game clay target shooting competition is held.

On Saturday 9th June the Tom Turner Memorial Redbank Creek championship of 100 targets is held in honour of a true gentleman who won this event in 2005 just a few days before his untimely passing. The event is proudly supported by the Turner families and Arms & Ammo gun shop.

Sunday's event was the 100 target Cable Handling Services Challenge. Cable Handling Services are the major sponsor of the weekend's shooting.

Our attendance is usually dependent on the weather and this year the weather Gods smiled on us as we had two beautiful

days of glorious winter weather. This resulted in record attendances of 111 on Saturday and 99 on Sunday. Visitors came from all clubs in the Hunter, Sydney, Central Coast, Quirindi and the Northern Tablelands.

Saturday's

Memorial shooting started at 9.30am and the results were: AA Grade 1st Steven Atkins 92/100, 2nd Andrew Garvie 104/114, 3rd Jamie Hayes 103/114, 4th Stephen Payne 90/100; A Grade: 1st Frank Araco 89/100, 2nd John Benham 88/100, 3rd John Hosking 87/100, 4th Paul Turner 85/100; B Grade: 1st Bernie Lawlor 78/100, 2nd Martin Camilleri 77/100, 3rd Darrell Austin 95/128, 4th Len Brooks



and clear with 99 shooters nominating and shooting began at 9.30. The results were: AA Grade 1st Stephen Payne 96/100, 2nd Kevin Raymond, 3rd Ralph Ali 107/114, 4th Steven Atkins 106/114; A Grade 1st Paul Turner 89/100, 2nd Bruce Firth 98/114, 3rd

Craig Dargan 86/100, 4th Daniel Landers 85/100; B Grade 1st Bernie Lawlor 98/114, 2nd Paul Dockery 96/114, 3rd Lindsay Starkey 83/100, 4th Robert Blackadder 79/100; C Grade: 1st Pat O'Dwyer 82/100, 2nd Shaun Clarke 73/100, 3rd Kevin Smith 88/121, 4th Neil Bates 85/121; Sub Juniors 1st Kimberley Pearce 77/100, 2nd Kimberly Atkins 51/100.

2 day High Guns were: Overall: Stephen Payne 214/230; AA Grade Steven Atkins 213/230; A Grade Frank Araco 182/200; B Grade Bernie Lawlor 162/200; C Grade Pat O'Dwyer 156/200; Ladies Amy Buys 176/200, Juniors Tommy Mitchell 154/200; Veterans Frank Searles 176/200; Super Veterans (over 80 years) 1st Olly Lighezzolo

Above: Olly Lighezzolo 1st Super Veteran

Left: Bill Williams 2nd Super Veteran



Tom Turner Memorial winners L-R: C Pat O'Dwyer, B Bernie Lawlor, OA & AA Steven Atkins, A Frank AracoPaul Turner representing the Turner Family.



Cable Handling Services Challenge: L-R: C Pat O'Dwyer, B: Bernie Lawlor, A: Paul Turner, AA: Stephen Payne

132/200, 2nd Bill Williams 89/200.

At the presentations all shooters had a lot of praise for the volunteers, without their hard work the weekend would not have been the success it was Col and Lionel looked after the maintenance and re filling and we had very little lost time because of their efforts.

A big thank you to Tony for the loan of his quad bike to allow quicker access around the nearly kilometre long course.

Julie and Ally in the office were kept busy accepting nominations and writing up scores and the kitchen ladies led by Ann & Shirley did a magnificent job of feeding the masses breakfast, lunch and dinner all weekend and deserve a huge thank you.

VCTA SCHOOL STUDENTS CHAMPIONSHIPS South East Zone and North West Zone

SOUTH EAST ZONE

At the well presented Frankston Australian C.T.C. on Thursday 2nd August this year's Zone Championship commenced at 10am, conditions were good with the breeze not a big factor.



OA winner Nathan Zechner

There were 197 shooters nominated from 32 schools and this was an all time high for this Zone.

The event shot Single Barrel with a sighter then ten to count as part of the first round and this provided four

clean scores. The second round commenced just before noon and this last ten produced five clean scores, but no one who had shot the first round was able to put both rounds together.

Kyle Dunkley and Nathan Zechner, a junior, shot off for the Overall with Nathan from



Winnig team, Lavalla



Senior Boys K Dunkley J Wallace & T Satori



Junior Boys D Atherton J Wilson & W Smithwick



Senior Girls T Shingless B Patterson & S Bennison



Junior Girls J Summut & B Counsel

Emmanuall Coll, winning the contest with 23/25. Kyle was first in Senior Boys with 22/25. The shoot off for second and third in Senior Boys was contested by five shooters on eighteen and took a further fifteen targets for Jack Wallace from Lilydale High to collect second and Tom Satori 31/35 from Lavalla Coll third.

In the Senior Girls section Bridie Patterson 21/25 from Salesian Coll, was first, Sam Bennison 19/25 from Lavalla second and Tayla Shingless 17/25 from Sale Coll, third.

The Junior Boys winner was Jaxon Wilson 16/25 from Galvin Park Coll,

Will Smithwick 20/25 from Lilydale High was second and Dale Atherton 18/25 from Wonthaggi Sec, Coll, was third.

The number of participating Junior Girls was a Zone record and in this section Kaitlyn Summut 15/25 from McKillop Coll was first, Bree Cousel 14/25 from Nagal Coll second Bonne Coleman from Catholic Coll, Sale was third.

The winning team was Lavalla with 70/100 with team members T Santori, J Asmussen, A Bowman, M Ewert and S Prosser.

The Zone wish all the trophy winners good luck and good shooting at the State final in September at Bendigo.

The sponsorship for this event comes from Winchester, the VCTA, Frankston Australian CTC, and the South East Zone Council, all have participated for many years and their continued support is very much appreciated.

Finally a very big thank you to all who made a day with 40 squads work so well, it was a great day and it did work well.

Zone Secretary, Chris Carrol

NORTH WEST ZONE

Cohuna Clay Target Club, 16th August. Sponsored by Winchester Ammunition & VCTA/NWZ. On a cloudy, cool day 91 students attended representing the 36 schools that were invited to attend. There were 46 Senior Boys 3 Senior Girls, 39 Junior Boys, 5 Junior Girls and there were 16 team entries.

Overall winner Thomas Bertalli (St Arnaud Secondary College) 19/20. Senior Boys 1st Daniel Mills (Irymple Secondary College) 18/20, 2nd Nathan Stuchbree

Castlemaine



OA winner Tom Bertalli with Tim Steer from Winchester

Secondary College) 16/20, 3rd Jack Bone (Kaniva Secondary College) 25/30.

Senior Girls 1st Stephanie Peatling (Cohuna Secondary College) 13/20, 2nd Casey Bertalli (St Arnaud Secondary College) 12/20, 3rd Jade Heffer (Barham High School) 8/20.

Junior Boys 1st Timothy Box (Chaffey Secondary College) 18/20, 2nd Travis Redman (Irymple Secondary College) 18/25, 3rd Max Barr (Barham High School) 18/25.



Senior Girls Casey Bertalli, Stephanie Peatling, Jade Heffer



Junior Girls Megan Barnes, Emily Jones, Sarah Schwarz



Senior Boys Nathan Stuchbree, Daniel Mills, Jack Bone



Junior Boys Travis Redman, Timothy Box, Max Barr



Winning team, Irymple Secondary College

Junior Girls 1st Emily Jones (Barham High School) 13/20, 2nd Megan Barnes (St Josephs Secondary College) 9/20, 3rd Sarah Schwarz (Trinity Lutheran College) 17/40.

Winning Team Irymple Secondary College 70/100 Daniel Mills 17/20 Travis Redman 16/20 Jack Rawlings 13/20 Joseph Spagnolo 13/20 Callum Barnden 11/20. 2nd Stawell Secondary College 61/100.

Zone Secretary, Doug Harris

Kylie Lyons fires up at Mathoura

Cohuna member Kylie Lyons travelled to Mathoura Gun Club on Friday the 27th of July and had an exceptional night out, claiming 1st place in the main Handicap event, and securing 2nd place in both other events. Four full squads of shooters arrived to compete on a wintry cold night for places in the three event program. A pleasing roll up for a cold July shoot, but with two fires burning, and hot food and drink available, it was reasonably comfortable for all the competitors.

Event one, was a ten target Handicap Cash Divide and Deniliquin member Tim Maher was the only full score, claiming 1st place cash for his excellent 10/10 score. Four others dropped one target to share in 2nd place cash, they were Cohuna members James Hogan and Kylie Lyons, and Mathoura members Gerard James, and Anthony Maddick, all four shooting a 9/10 score.

Twenty five targets of Victorian North East Zone Night Handicap was next and Kylie Lyons and Tim Maher both dropped just one target, resulting in a seven target shoot off that ended with Tim dropping his seventh, Kylie shooting hers earned her the Sash for, 1st place in the Handicap, with a 31/32 score. Tim taking out 2nd place on a 30/32 result, and after a one target shoot off between Deniliquin's, Bruce Cook and Euroa's, Laurie Fitzpatrick, with Laurie dropping his 1st target and Bruce hitting his it was all over with Bruce putting his hand up for 3rd place with a 24/26 result.

A 15 target Points Score Cash Divide was event three, and apparently the cold night air must have started to take hold, as no shooter could claim a full score, Laurie Fitzpatrick was best on the ground with a 42/45 result, earning him 1st place cash, and Kylie Lyons, and Anthony Maddick, both lost just one more point, giving them a share of 2nd place cash each.

It was a very enjoyable night of clay target shooting. On a cold winter's night that luckily the rain that had been around did not come down during the shoot.

Murray Roberts

Wangaratta – All Abilities on Target

On Thursday August 16, The Centre's CARN (Centre Active Recreation Network) arranged an All Abilities shooting day with the Wangaratta Clay Target Club, providing an opportunity for people with a disability to test their skills at clay target shooting.

The majority of the All Abilities participants were paraplegic, and had an excellent time taking turns at shooting the targets, with everyone hitting the targets almost straight away.

One of the participants, Lincoln Budge became paraplegic after a car accident 4 years ago. He is an inspiration and a great ambassador for disability sport - he currently trains intensely as part of the Australian Paralympic Development team, with aspirations of making the 2014 Paralympic Winter Games in Russia, and was also runner up at the Australian National Wheelchair Water Skiing Championships and has played wheelchair basketball at state level, so naturally, he was a 'gun' at clay target shooting and challenging the rest of the group.

Member of the Clay Target Club, Brad Spalling, was the instructor for the day and did a fantastic job teaching the group and giving some great advice on accuracy and technique.

The more shots that were fired, the more the group wanted to shoot - going through over 450 shells in just a couple of hours! As always the Wang aratta Clay Target Club is very supportive and encouraging in getting new groups to try out clay target shooting. If you are interested contact the Wangaratta Clay Target Club President on



Lincoln Budge shooting

5727 3794, or alternatively if you have a disability and would like to be involved, contact Rob Newman from The Centre on 5721 0200.

William Saul Memorial Shoot at Kempsey

Once again the **Kempsey Clay Target** Club hosted the 75T Double Barrel "William Saul Memorial" shoot this August with 24 local and visiting shooters vying for the memorial trophy on a beautiful day, although a bit windy at times.

William Saul was long time shooter from Kempsey who, during his shooting years, was selected to attend the Olympic Games trials for Melbourne in 1956. Unfortunately, William did not get selected to attend the

4 Rop dorke Brod hoor Above: Steve Saul and his children, Emily & William

Right: Overall winner Brad Hooper with

Emily, William & Ron Saul

games. Back in those days there were only two shooters allowed to be selected to represent Australian, slightly different from current games selection criteria. A great honour all the same and we can proudly say he was a member of Kempsey club and we still have members of

his family, Steve, Emily and William Inr, as members of our small club. This year and for many years past, the Saul Family has sponsored this event and the clubs extends its deep appreciation to them for their

The overall winner of the memorial shoot was local, Brad Hooper shooting 127/129 after a great shoot-off with Rob Clarke from Port Macquarie who subsequently took out 1st place in AA Grade with 126/129 and Peter Brenton, also from Port Macquarie, coming 2nd in AA with 69/75. Other winners were: A Grade

> Julian Booth 70/76, Steve Saul 69/76: B Grade Ken Saunders 67/75. Mick Wilkins 70/79; C Grade Samantha Ryder 59/76, Neville Gibson 58/76 and incentive prizes going to junior shooters Abby McMahon and Beau Powick

Congratulations also to Brad Hooper for taking out the monthly High Gun with 146/150.

SIDE BY SIDE CHAMPIONSHIP Kerang Clay Target Club

Fine and sunny conditions greeted those shooters that attended the **Kerang Clay Target Club on Sunday** the 12 August 2012. As well as our local shooters, competitors attended from, Cohuna, Swan Hill, Moulamein, Bendigo and Beaufort.

The program for the day consisted of two events. Event 1 50 Target Side by Side Double Barrel Championship Sponsored by Wayne Clapham Firearm Sales And Repairs of Kerang. Event 2 30 Target Double Barrel Championship sponsored by Peter O'Brien's Kerang Refridgeration and Airconditioning Services.

Event 1 50 Target Side by Side Double Barrel Championship. Sponsored by Wayne Clapham Firearm Sales and Repairs of Kerang. Overall and AA Grade Peter Akkermans 47/50, 2nd Eddie Parker 46/50, A Grade Michael Schmidt 46/50, 2nd Fred Siciliano 45/50, B Grade Andrew Holdsworth 45/50, 2nd Geoff Manuel 43/50, C Grade Jack Holdsworth 45/50, 2nd Tyler Schmidt 38/50.

Results for those shooters who used Under and Over guns in this event were 1st Kelvin Simmonds 49/50, 2nd Ray Peatling 48/50, 3rd Frank Massara 55/60

Kerang Clay Target Club would like give a big thankyou to the 36 shooters who competed in this year's Side By Side Championship and congratulate Peter Akkermans on winning. Kerang's Side By Side Championship is gaining in strength each year and we will be conducting the Annual Kerang Clay Target Clubs Side by Side Double Barrel Championship on the 11th August 2013 for all those shooters who like to go back and relive the nostalgic era when the Side by Side Shotgun was in vogue and bring back memories of the old Champion like Donald Mackintosh, Calrossie (John Sutherland). Duxbac (Horrie James), Jack McCraith and our own local shooter like Lloyd Pay, Keith Veall, Stan Kerr, Roby Manuel, Frank Guilmartin, Peter Wilkinson and Des Thomas.

Some of the notable Side By Sides used in this championship were a Purdey owned by Donald Mackintosh, a WW Greener owned by Calrossie - John W Sutherland

who won his first Championship at Kerang in 1901 and his last a Commonwealth Galah championship in 1948 at the age of 70 years. Calrossie amazed the world with his ability with a gun for 50 years. He was to shooting, what Bradman was to cricket.

Event 2 30 Target Double Barrel Championship. Sponsored by Peter O'Brien's Kerang Refrigeration and Airconditioning Services. Overall and AA. Grade Ray Peatling 63/63, 2nd Kelvin Simmonds 62/63, A Grade Robin Algie 30/30, 2nd Fred Siciliano 39/40, B Grade Andrew Holdsworth 29/30, 2nd Jeff Hogg 34/36, C Grade Michael Brown 28/30, 2nd James Hogan 35/39

The winners of the Kerang Clay Target Club Inc Special Effort were Peter Akkermans and Les Comensoli.

Kerang Clay Target Club would like to take the opportunity to thank all of the sponsors for their support as without good sponsors these events are not possible. Likewise we would like to send a big thank you to all those who assisted to make this shoot run so well and look forward to seeing your return to our club.

Psychological Skills for Shooting



Michael Kruger-Davis KEEPING YOUR THOUGHTS POSITIVE

In July, I was fortunate to be part of the coaching team for the National Junior Development squad. I say fortunate, because it is very rewarding working with a group of adolescents who are focused on improving. Their behaviour, good sportsmanship, sense of

humour and drive to improve, place our sport in good hands.

At the beginning of the camp, I asked what they wanted to get out of the sessions, and the main response was; How to keep your mind quiet and focused on doing well? This is a recurrent theme at workshops and coaching clinics.

The best way to keep the mind quiet is do give it something else to think about. Meditation is the best solution but is not appropriate for the shooting range. It is however the best way to practise getting rid of those unwanted thoughts that intrude at the worst possible time, but this practise should be done off the field. Meditation will feature in future articles. It is important to realise that if thoughts cannot be completely removed so it is better that they are positive thoughts rather than negative thoughts. I am going to revisit things that I have previously written about keeping your thoughts positive.

According to Burton & Raedeke, positive thought patterns help create a "flow" mindset by boosting confidence, maintaining an optimistic attitude, promoting concentration at crucial moments, enhancing motivation to push you to your limits, creating an optimal level of arousal and ensuring poise and mental toughness when confronting failure or adversity. Wow, what a sentence: and it's not just the words and wondrous phrases. This is it. If we could consistently develop this flow mindset, we would rarely miss, fail or lose, and if we did lose or miss, we could handle it. This is mental toughness.

Burton & Raedeke outline eight strategies that we can use to help us use self-talk productively and effectively. They refer to these strategies as "smart talk commandments."

- 1. Be an optimist not a pessimist. Self-talk is always a choice; it can either be positive or negative or it can be a combination of either. As an athlete we should focus on our strengths, and push for personal bests that can help us reach our middle and long term goals. Rather than look at the "glass being half empty or half full, looking at the glass as having room for more wine!"
- 2. Remain realistic and objective. Positive self-talk must be just more than thinking positively, in a way that can confuse reality with day dreams. Dreams and visions are important but they must be translated into specific goals and action plans. Smart talk will keep our thoughts well grounded and realistic: this is important because it will help develop resilience, which is our ability to bounce back from a defeat if the goals we have set ourselves are realistic and achievable.
- 3. Focus on the present, not the past or the future. Regular readers will have heard this before, and it needs to have the status of a mantra. If we focus on the past we are likely to relive old failures and misses and make judgements about our performance based on these skewed thoughts from the past. The same is true for focusing on the future: because we cannot be guaranteed of victories, we become anxious about the outcome and this anxiety leads to self-doubt. Self-doubt leads to our muscles tensing up and we miss. The present is the only time any of us can act. If we stay focused on the present we can concentrate on the process (shooting), and the product (score) will look after itself. Burton & Raedeke, state that smart- talk forgets the "if only's

- (past) and the "what if's" (future) and concentrates on staying in the moment and enjoying the here and now. How often have you shot well in the first 25 targets and poorly in the second 25 targets. Because of the great start you project yourself into the future and you start to try and protect a score that you think you have, rather than staying focused on the process of shooting the targets one at a time as they come out.
- 4. Appraise problems as challenges rather than threats. Athletes who view problems as challenges bring out the best in themselves by remaining motivated and performing up to their capabilities. If you perceive problems as threats you will become consumed with avoiding failure, become stressed and perform poorly. In an event, rather that beat yourself up if you miss a target, refine your goals to deal with this new set of circumstances and select a goal that will work towards achieving a personal best or limiting further misses to keep you in the team selection or in the running for the high gun.
- 5. View successes as replicable and failures as surmountable. Success is something you can do again and again if you believe that the success is due to effort and ability rather than just good luck. Coaches and the athletes themselves need to attribute failure to something they can control: for example, the failure may be due to fitness (physical skills), poor shot (technical skills) or poor concentration (mental skills). Skill development in any of areas may assist in solving the problem. Smart talk helps the athletes see that the causes of their failures can be fixed and that success is achievable. When you are looking at your skills and you wish to refine them, remember "Perfect Practise makes Perfect".
- 6. Focus on the process so that the product can look after itself. Burton & Raedeke believe that self-talk focus should be on the process goals (eg, hard work, mental preparation, skill and strategy development) that help us achieve the desired product goals. For shooters the process is the actual act of shooting: pre-shot routine, mounting the gun, acquiring the target, swing, pulling the trigger and following through. The product is the score.
- 7. Concentrate on the things you can control. This according to Burton & Raedeke is the most important aspect of self-talk. If we try and change people and events beyond our control, then all we do is create stress for ourselves. If however, we focus self-talk on the things we can control, our emotions and behaviours remain positive and constructive. We cannot control our opponents behaviour but we can control our own: smart talk would tell us to "Act not React"
- 8. Separate your performance from your self worth. Your worth as a human being has nothing to do with how you shoot. Sporting ability, is only one aspect of who you are: your work, your ability to develop and maintain relationships, your ability to provide something for the sport or other who compete are more important than your ability to perform well. Everytime you compete you must remember that "you" are not your score, your score was how you performed on the day. Remember to look at the whole score and not just the number. 49/50 doesn't mean you cannot shoot, but it can tell you that you didn't concentrate for that one target. Missing the first target might tell us that we were not properly prepared, where as missing the last target might be telling us we let our mind leave the present and move to the future.

It is important that by following the eight strategies listed above you should be able to construct positive thought patterns which will help support your ability and should lead to further success. It must be remembered that it is impossible to stay positively focused all the time. Because we are human, it is very easy to slip into a negative mindset that will work against the good work that the positive thought patterns are trying to achieve. The plan is to have a positive thought patterns that significantly outweigh the negative thought patterns.

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

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MARCONI CLAY TARGET CLUB

40TH ANNIVERSARY

On Sunday 24th of June Marconi CTC held their 40th Anniversary shoot with 78 shooters on a perfect day for shooting clay targets. Nominations opened at 9am and the competition started at 10am. The program on this day was a 10 target PS eye opener graded sweep, second event was the Marconi 50 Target PS and the third event was 50 target Annual DB Championship 40th Anniversary.



Paolo, Fulvia, Michela & Angelo cutting the cake which was donated by Dino Barros

In the 50 Target Points Score 1st in AA grade L Cuzner 103/103, 2nd in AA grade T Lionatos 102/103, 1st in A grade Y Neziz 145/150, 2nd in A grade S Tsoukalas 144/150, 1st in B grade R Haggart 147/150, 2nd in B grade G Americanas 143/150, 1st in C grade F Martin 132/150, 2nd in C grade A Violi 124/150. Congratulations to the winners of the Marconi Annual PS Championship.

The third event, the Marconi Annual 50 Target Double Barrel Anniversary Championship, was the main event. Congratulations to the Overall winner Charlie Sherry with a score of 88/88, 1st in AA grade L Galea 87/88, 2nd in AA grade G Lysaght 81/82, 1st in A grade A Nohra 74/75, 2nd in A grade Y Yarak 51/52, 1st in B grade R Haggart 49/50, 2nd in B grade M Henriques 48/50, 1st in C grade A Wilkinson 47/50, 2nd in C grade A Fossey 44/50.

The High Gun went to L Cuzner with a wonderful score of 229/230, Ladies High Gun went to S Peck 219/230, Veteran High Gun went to A Tsolakis 219/230. Junior High Gun went to A Bartolo 205/230.

To celebrate an amazing 40 year Marconi anniversary shoot the club put on



Above: Back Row A Fossey, S Peck, A Bartolo, A Nohra, L Galea, R Haggart, G Lysaught, Front Row Y Neziz, C Sherry, S Wilkinson, L Cuzner

Right: A Grade winner Alex Nohra

a 40 target shoot off, the first place grade winners from the DB event shot 40 targets from their handicap to compete for a \$500 cash prize being sponsored by Marconi CTC and the lucky winner of this wonderful prize is Stephen Wilkinson off a 15m handicap, well done Stephen, well shot!!

A huge thanks to Dino Barros for a beautiful cake to share on the day, your continuous support is very much appreciated. Thanks to Alex Nohra of Direct Wine Cellars for your generous sponsorship of fine wine. Thanks to all who purchased raffle tickets for meat trays, fruit baskets and wine. We thank the Marconi committee for making this shoot possible and memorable. A huge thanks to our President Peter Phillpott and shoot marshal, done without a hitch.

Thank you to Sharon our treasurer and secretary for organising the prizes, Pam in the office for your hard work, the ladies in the canteen, Fulvia and Michela, and Paolo for cooking an excellent BBQ.

We welcome all the shooters back next year for the 41st Marconi Anniversary shoot. Without you our shoot wouldn't be held thank you very much!!

MALCOLM FULLER MEMORIAL

On Sunday 22nd of July, Marconi Clay Target Club held the 17th Annual Malcolm Fuller Memorial Shoot. The day started off with light showers but that didn't stop the 101 shooters that arrived to compete in the 90 mixed target event which has been very popular for the past couple of years between Marconi CTC and NSW Gun Club. Nominations opened at 9m and competition started at 10am. Nominations took a bit of time to get shooters moving but in the end everything went perfectly, with shooters coming from different metropolitan clubs in and around the Sydney area.

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President Peter Phillpott, OA winner Matt Patmore, Vice President Angelo Piazza

The event started off with 30 targets DB, 30 SB and 30 PS. The Overall winner AA M Patmore with a wonderful score of 197/200, 2nd in AA grade J Crompton with a score after a shoot off with M Patmore 196/200, 1st in A grade A Tsolikis with a score of 143/150, 2nd in A grade J Mortys with a

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Left: A Tsolakis A Grade HG J Yee, G Americanas, C Briscas, M Patmore, J Crompton, A Tsolakis, V Mercur



Darnick hosts local and interstate shooters

A very successful Clay Target shoot was held on 6th & 7th July, at the Darnick Gun Club NSW. Eager campers from 21 clubs including Frankston, Mildura, Numurkah, Euroa, Bendigo, Port Augusta, and Castlemaine travelled to take advantage of the mild winter weather but cold nights! Friday night's event 15 PR D/R sponsored by Gates Goats was shot under lights attracting 60 shooters. Locals Bill and Jack Palmer were among 6 shooters to scoop the cash divide prize. The others were B Doyle, G Young, C Barnden & J Gowers.

Saturday morning began with a very frosty start and all the campers enjoyed a cooked breakfast provided by the club before warming up to a long days shooting with clear sunny skies and an amazing top of 17C.

There were 5 events for the day and a record 81 shooters nominated. It was great to see 11 junior shooters in attendance. 27 shooters gained a place in the 1st event for the day,

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score of 166/175. 1st in B grade G Americanas with a score of 157/175. 2nd in B grade Mr J Yee with a score of 152/175. 1st in C grade R Briscas with a score of 129/150, 2nd in C grade V Mercuri with a score of 124/150.

Congratulations to all the winners especially to M Patmore who won the overall with a prize of a Miroku Trap Shotgun with the value of \$2,500, proudly sponsored by Highland Sports and a big thank you to Danny Galea for the generous donation.

Grade winners received a sash and cash, 2nd in each grade received a trophy and cash. We thank all the participating shooters and families for attending this particular shoot.

Thanks to the Marconi committee, and a big thanks to our President Peter Phillpott who also shoot marshalled on the day, well done Peter.

To Sharon our treasurer and secretary a big thanks for all the effort she put into the day, thank you very much Sharon. Thank you Pam in the office that was a job well done!! Thank you to our assistant office worker that stamped all our handicap books, thank you Holly.

A big thank you to Fulvia and Michela in the kitchen this was a big day for them we thank you very very much for your hard work and we appreciate what you have done for our club. Also to our BBQ chef Paolo.



Landmark Shield winners



Eric McCullough Vets with President Chris Barnes

Griffin Pest management, 10 TGT E/O cash divide with so many visitors competing it was also nice to see a few locals win some events too. Among them

Palmer 19/20 getting 1st & 2nd in the Palmer 19/20 getting 1st & 2nd in the Palmer Drilling 20 T SB championship off 15 m. Clayton Griffiths was 1st in C grade 21/25 and won four sashes for the day. Congratulations Clayton don't think you will be in C grade for long! Ben Palmer took out the Darnick Members High Gun with a score of 102/105

The ladies in the kitchen were kept very busy providing Friday nights' BBQ tea, and on Saturday morning and afternoon tea, pies and pasties and Yiros rolls for lunch. Thank you to all the local girls who lend a hand, and bring along such delicious cakes and desserts to feed hungry shooters. It is not possible without your help. Spog Box and his little band of helpers again traveled from Mildura to participate in the shoot and prepare a magnificent roast dinner for Saturday night. Well done Spog, as always it was a beautiful meal enjoyed by about 120 people. The club organised Danielle Hogan, a young singer from Mildura to entertain us for the night. At midnight her boyfriend popped up onto the stage and "proposed" with a ring much to the



delight of the crowd. Congratulations Danielle and Dan!

A great weekend was had by all at Darnick and its many thanks to ALL the people who donate meat and put in many "man hours" beforehand to make events like these happen in the bush.



Eric Yetman OA HG



Ben Palmer Darnick HG



C grade HG Clayton Griffiths



Sub Junior Travis Redman



JNR HG Daniel Mills



Deserie Baynes Ladies HG

Trench Shooting at Echuca

With little chance of practice at Trench shooting it was not surprising that not one full score was recorded in this difficult discipline, even with ideal weather conditions for shooting.



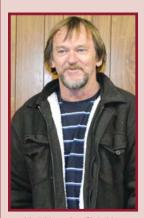
Glen Rathbone OA Trench

25 targets of Trench was event one, at the Echuca Clay Target Club's July shoot, and all wins and placing's were taken by Echuca members. Glen Rathbone held off all others with a 23/25 score and that ensured him the Overall Winners Sash and the 1st in B Grade trophy, well shot Glen! Steve Traill dropped an additional target ensuring him the 2nd in B Grade trophy, Drew Healey also shot a 22/25 and that won him 1st place in A Grade, 2nd place going to Craig Fitzgerald with a 20/25 result. C Grade 1st was taken by Ian Phillips with a 19/25 score, and Geoff Ervin shot a 17/25 giving him 2nd in C Grade.

25 targets of Handicap was the next event, and Echuca's Warrick Kelvy earned himself 1st place with an impressive 25/25 result. Glen Rathbone and Buddy Morris did battle for the other placing's with Glen holding out to get 2nd place with his 34/35 score, Buddy having to settle for 3rd place with a 33/35 result.



Craig Fitzgerald OA DB



Neil Ham 1st Club Mug

A 25 target Double Barrel Championship was next on the agenda, and it needed 111 targets shot to obtain a winner, and that winner was Echuca's Craig Fitzgerald, picking up the Overall Winners Sash, and the 1st in AA Grade trophy, with his excellent score of 111/111, some of which was shot off the back mark of 18 metres. Drew Healey was the shooter that pushed Craig that far but he had to settle for 2nd in AA Grade after dropping his 111th target. Ian Phillips collected 1st in A Grade with a 38/39 result, Peter Watkins who shot a 24/25 picked up 2nd in A. G Rathbone shot a 35/36 giving him 1st in B Grade, Peter Keck taking 2nd in B with a 24/25 score, Echuca's Neil Ham shot a 22/27 earning him 1st in C Grade, with C Keck 2nd with a 21/27 result. Neil Ham also held on to win the last event, the Club Mug, picking up a nice \$70.00 for his effort. Echuca has recently fitted a full set of automatic Olympic Traps (trench), and although apologies were in order at this shoot over some teething problems, after they are seen to, members will have the opportunity to not only shoot competition, but also practice on the Olympic Trap.

Murray Roberts

Skeet Championship at Wangaratta



L-R: Arthur Willett, Callum Parker, James Willett, Gil Farish, Allan Kidd, Rick Palmer, Bradley Spalling, Harry Memery, Brian Reid, Phil Smith, Reg Phefley. Kneeling: Jacqui Wemyss, David Jackel

Top Shots Farish & Jackel

The Wangaratta Clay Target club held its July Skeet Championship shoot on Sunday 29th. Clear, but cold conditions prevailed during the day and a perfect score was recorded by Gil Farish in the first event. The club ran two events on the day, including a Skeet Doubles Championship. A good mix of lady, junior and veteran shooters helped make up a good days shooting and everyone was very happy with the first class facilities provided by the club.

Gil Farish achieved the only perfect score on the day in the 50 Tgt event, just one target in front of David Jackel on 49/50 to win the overall title. Hard working committee man and skeet enthusiast, Phil Smith won A grade with a score of 54/56 and Arthur Willett shot 55/58 winning 2nd. It was good to see Bradley Spalling achieve a win in B grade with a score of 46/50, defeating club treasurer Bryce Robinson on 45/50. Spalling has been plagued by an annoying 'trigger freeze' of late but after some good advice from another club member he appears to be overcoming this issue. Lady top shot, Jacqueline Wemyss shot 46/50 winning her C grade ahead of Reg Phefley on 44/50.

The next event was 25 pair Skeet Doubles, which resulted in David Jackel, a renowned doubles expert, tallying up a terrific result of 49/50 winning him the overall title. James Willett also shot an impressive score of 48/50 to secure him 2nd place in AA grade. A grader, Alan Kidd defeated Phillip Smith with a score of 44/50 against Smith's result of 42/50. The winner of B grade was decided after a short shoot off between Brian Reid and Bradley Spalling. Reid took out the sash with 46/54 one target ahead of Bradley on 45/54. Once again, lady shooter Jacqueline Wemyss won C grade with an excellent score of 45/50 ahead of Rick Palmer on 39/50.

Harry Memery won the veterans trophy 83/100, Ladies trophy to Alison Farish on 68/100 and top junior for the day was Callum Parker on 76/100.

All interested persons can visit the clubs website for further information about the club and future shoot programs www.wangclaytarget.com.au

The Squire reports from West Wyalong



L-R: Winner Allan Schirmer, 2nd Mick Munro

SKEET

The fifth Sunday in July was not a good choice of days for the West Wyalong Clay Target Club to hold their 100 Target Skeet day as unfortunately it clashed with other shoots in the area.

Nevertheless there

were a couple of squads and Digger Ellison made the trip over from Forbes to have a shot with the locals.

It was really good to see Geoff Brettschneider back having a shot.

Geoff has not been in the best of health lately but he stuck it out for the full 100 targets a sterling effort.

Pat Mulqueeny from Ungarie has made return to clay target shooting after a long absence and although he had never shot competition skeet before his score of 75/100 should see him back at the traps more often.

The small group made for a very relaxed atmosphere and with the new traps working well shooters had an enjoyable day.

The day settled into a contest between Mick Munro and Allan Schirmer and when Allan shot 24/25 in his second visit to the layout Mick was under pressure.

Allan Schirmer 88/100 ended up winning the day from Mick Munro 86/100.

Graham Duncan made the presentation and reminded shooters of the night shoot to be held on Saturday 25 August followed by the Doug Lindsay Memorial Side by Side Shoot the following day.

SPORTING CLAYS

There was a talented line up of shooters at the Central Zone 100 Target Sporting Clays Championship hosted by the West Wyalong Clay Target Club on the fourth Sunday in August.

Not only was the Zone Championship to be decided but the team to represent the Zone at the NSW State Sporting Clay Championships would be chosen from the competitors at the end of the day.

Although there was a relatively small group of competitors the field was bolstered by contingents from Wagga and Dubbo.

The day was fine but there was a lazy breeze blowing so shooters were well rugged up as they walked around inspecting the challenging but quite shootable layouts.

Allan Schirmer fired the first shot of the day to get the program underway on time. After the first two rounds it was becoming clear that Mick Munro 45/50 would be hard to toss but other likely contenders in consideration were: John Sidoti 43/50, James Zammit 42/50, Brad Wighall 42/50, Stephen Peak 42/50 and Allan Schirmer 43/50

Bruce and Matt Dent had an enjoyable time cooking the barbeque and had everyone fed in good time for the final two rounds of the event during the afternoon.



L-R Back Row: Damien Periera 2nd AA Grade, Laurie Redfern 1st AA Grade, Mick Munro OA, Stephen Peak 1st B Grade. L-R Seated: Tony Bratton 1st C Grade, Steve Tipping 2nd B Grade, Brad Wighall 2nd A Grade



CZ Sporting Clays Representative Team L-R Graham Duncan, Mick Munro, Allan Schirmer

Everyone had their heads down but it was Mick Munro from Beckom who maintained his earlier form taking the handsome grey and maroon zone sash for Overall with his score of 89/100. Laurie Redfern and Damien Periera 81/100 had to shoot off for AA Grade with Laurie being successful. John Sidoti 88/100 won A Grade from Wagga shooter Brad Wighall 85/100. Stephen Peak 81/100 claimed B Grade ahead of Steve Tipping 73/100. Forbes visitor, Tony Bratton 65/100 was the C Grade winner.

After a shoot off between Graham Duncan and Bruce Dent to decide third position in the Central Zone Team to shoot in the state titles next year the team will be; Mick Munro, Allan Schirmer and Graham Duncan.

This is the second consecutive year that Mick and Allan have been selected in the team.

At the conclusion of the presentation, President, Dozer Collins made a special mention of the sponsor, Duncan's Chainsaw and Mower Centre who supplied cartridges for Overall and winners and to Tony Cronin who supplied second place prizes.

Dozer also thanked Mick Munro of Ardlethan/Beckom Field and Game for the loan of their simulated rabbit thrower and Graham Duncan and Doug Murray for the loan of their traps.

Dozer Collins did a great job in the office and in keeping things organised during the shoot. His effort was appreciated by all the shooters in attendance.



Waratah Notes

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2013 BLUE BOOK

We are now currently taking pre-orders for the 2013 edition of the NSWCTA Blue Book (Shooting Guide). They will be released early-mid December, so if you would like a copy, please contact our office and pre-book your copy now.

I would also like to extend an invitation to all NSW Clubs, if you would like to advertise you clubs MAJOR shoot, please also contact us as we have limited spaces left for advertising.

NSW STATE TRAP CARNIVAL

By the time you get this CTSN, nominations will have already closed,

and the State Office will be heavily underway finalising all the small details for the State Trap Carnival. If you have any questions regarding anything to do with the Carnival, please contact us and we will be able to help with your questions.

We hope to see you all there!

2012 WORLD DTL NSW REPRESENTATIVES

Well done to all of the NSW members of the ACTA Teams that went to Wales in July to represent their country.

Matt Schiller was ranked number 1 with his outstanding effort in the Junior's category. Greg Coleman was ranked equal 3rd in the AA

Representing in the Australian Team shooters from NSW were John Sleightholme, Tony Ryder, Greg Coleman, John Duryea and Matt

Congratulations to all the lucky shooters that were able to attend this year, well done to you all, you have made your state very proud!

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(b) the proposed sale is to be arranged by or through a licensed firearm dealer and the advertisement contains such particulars as may be prescribed by the Regulations".

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(a) the licence or permit number of the seller,

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SHOOT CALENDAR-

2012

October 27 - 28

November 3 - 4

November 9 - 11

2013

February 1 - 3

February 7 -10

March 9 - 11

June 1 - 2

June 22

November 3 - 4

November 8-10

November 22 -24

Tasmanian State Skeet Carnival SA State ISSF Carnival

Victorian State Trap Carnival

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Northern Zone Championships

Guyra Gun Club hosted three days of top level clay target shooting over the weekend of 27, 28 and 29 July 2012.

On Friday night, when some would question the sanity of shooters contesting a night event in Guyra in July, 53 shooters gathered for the evening's event. Glen Anderson, (Inverell), shot 99/100 to win the 50 target Night Winter Championship. Jeff Richardson shot 98/100 to take AA Grade from Tim Bourke 100/103. A Grade was won by Libby Clark with 93/100. A Grade 2nd went to Dave Newberry 92/100. B Grade was won by Nick Tanner with a score of 96/100 and Thomas Richardson shot 90/100 to take second place. C Grade was won by Shane Pinkerton with 71/100 and Cejay Alsop shot 64/100 for second in C Grade.

Braving a snow fall on Saturday morning, Guyra's Jeff Richardson shot 28/30 to win the 15 Pair Double Rise Northern Zone Championship. He was one of 108 shooters who took part in the Championships. The Grade results are as follows: AA Grade 1st Brad Henshall 46/50; AA Grade 2nd Andrew Skinner 45/50; A Grade 1st Jack Barker 26/30; A Grade 2nd Ralph Larking 34/40; B Grade 1st Nick Tanner 23/30; B Grade 2nd Russell Sainsbury 30/40; C Grade 1st Shane Pinkerton 30/40; C Grade 2nd Cejay Alsop 27/40; Ladies winner Libby Clark 25/30; Junior winner William Saul 28/40; Veteran Rex Wilson 23/30.

Event Three was the 25 Target Northern Zone Handicap. Alan Jones from the Hunter Valley club of Camel Hill, shot 31/31 to win the event. Second place went to John Reid with 30/31. Third was taken by Paul Deland shooting 32/33. Jeff Richardson shot 31/33 to take fourth and Cesar Diaz shot 24/26 to claim fifth place.



Tony Rogers and Brad Henshall DB Championship

Event Four was the 25 Target Northern Zone Double Barrel Championship. Brad Henshall prevailed in the shoot off to win with a break of 96/96. Tony Rogers fought out the shoot off with Henshall and took first in AA Grade with 95/96. The other Grade results are as follows: AA Grade 2nd Dave Edmonds 58/59; A Grade 1st Ethan Dial 43/44: A Grade 2nd Ross Maclean 34/35: B Grade 1st Thomas Richardson 51/52: B Grade 2nd Dave Mills 34/35: C Grade 1st Shane Pinkerton 24/25; C Grade 2nd Leah Beaumont 22/25; Ladies winner

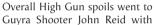
Tammy Henshall 44/45; Veteran winner John Cunningham 24/25.

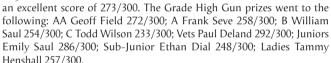
The final event on Saturday afternoon was the 25 Target Single Barrel Northern Zone Championship that saw three shooters, Brad Henshall, Geoff Baxter and Cesar Diaz, shoot the 25/25 possible. After the briefest of shoot offs, Brad Henshall was the winner with a score of 26/26. The Grade results are: AA Grade 1st Geoff Baxter 29/30; AA Grade 2nd Cesar Diaz 28/30; A Grade 1st Scott Brereton 24/25; A Grade 2nd Paul Deland 23/25; B Grade 1st Will Saul 23/25; B Grade 2nd Dave Mills 29/34; C Grade 1st Todd Wilson 20/25; C Grade 2nd Adam Barnett 19/26; Ladies winner Tammy Henshall 23/25; Junior Emily Saul 25/30; Veteran John Cunningham 24/25.

A sunny and still day greeted the first squads on Sunday morning, with crunching frost underfoot replacing Saturday's snow. 130 shooters participated in great winter target shooting conditions. Brad Henshall dominated the Northern Zone Points Score Championship with an excellent 108/108. Geoff Field shot 107/108 to win AA Grade and Justin Turner's 96/99 gave him second in AA Grade. Libby Clark won A Grade with 73/75, just beating Mike Sullivan on 72/75. Emily Saul shot 72/75 to win B Grade from Phil Ryder on 83/87. C Grade went to Samantha Ryder, shooting

64/75. Second place went to Todd Wilson with 63/75. Margaret Burke won the Ladies event, shooting 71/75 and Ethan Dial took the Junior's spoils with 85/90. John Cunningham shot 74/75 to take the Vet's prize.

The weekend's seventh event was the time honoured 100 Target Northern Star Conveyancing "Cool 100" Championship. Seven shooters scored the 100/100 possible. Peter Boland, a Hermidale Club member, won the event with a break of 158/158. John Reid took AA Grade with 157/158, and Kim Nealon shot 152/153 to take second in AA Grade. The other Grade results are as follows: A Grade 1st Frank Seve 98/100: A Grade 2nd Jack Barker 159/162; B Grade 1st Ben Mulligan 99/102: B Grade 2nd Phil Ryder 98/102; C Grade 1st Mark Cormack 96/100; C Grade 2nd Shane Pinkerton 93/100; Lady Tammy Henshall 95/100: Junior Nick Tanner 101/106; Veteran John Kent 129/132.





The Guyra Club has hosted an excellent event. Club members are congratulated on their work prior to and during the weekend.

Bernie Mackson



John Reid OA HG & 2nd Cool 100 & Peter Boland Cool 100 winner



Juniors Will Saul & Nick Tanner

CLUB NEWS

NEWCASTI F LAKE MACQUARIE at the AGM the following people were elected as Office Bearers: President: Graham Gosling, Vice-President: Jason Jenkins, Secretary: John Piper, Treasurer: Rick Bannerman, Club Captain & Zone Delegate: Bob Dial, Committee: Frank Searles, Graeme Hayes, Reno Cangiano, John Puller, Jack Cunningham, Kevin Raymond, Russell Williams, John Paul, Dick Chapman, Charlie Lambrous.

BEGA at the AGM the following people were elected as Officer Bears: President: Phil Body, Vice-President: Shane Platts, Stuart Bennett, Secretary: Lynne Teale, Treasurer: Gail Niesar, Shoot Marshall: Alf Niesar, Ray Welsh; Public Officer: John Walker, Handicap Officer: Phil Body, Shane Platts, Club Delegate: Lynne Teale, Club Armorer: Phil Body, Committee: Peter Johnston, Nev Teale, Craig Field, Alf Niesar, Ray Kearns.



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