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The NSWCTA Trap Carnival was held at the National Ground, Wagga Wagga on October 3-6, 2025.

Winner of the Overall High Gun was Ash Hawker, shooting 465/475.

Congratulations goes to Ash on his weekend of excellent shooting.

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# **ACTA CHAIRMAN'S REPORT**

**Michael Kruger-Davis – Chairman**

*In September, I attended the QCTA Skeet Championships held at Brisbane Gun Club. A highlight of the weekend was the induction of Craig O'Neil into the QCTA Hall of Fame. The carnival was extremely well run, and the grounds and facilities were extremely well presented. Past ACTA Presidents, John Mack and Robert Nugent were also in attendance, with Robert presenting all of the juniors attending the carnival with money and goods from the Roma Clay Target Club Junior Parthway Program.*

*The weekend gave me the opportunity to meet with the QCTA President, Julie Allen and some of the QCTA councillors, Brisbane Gun Club officials.*

*Earlier in 2025, Les Kadziela, as an ACTA Board member, attended the QCTA AGM in Townsville. I was able to attend the NSWCTA AGM prior to the NSWCTA Trap Carnival. The ACTA Board is endeavouring to attend each State AGM, where possible, not to interfere, but to answer any questions members attending the meetings may have regarding ACTA business.*

*I also attended the NSWCTA Trap Carnival on the long weekend in October. Greg Coleman was inducted into the NSWCTA Hall of Fame. An excellent night was had in the Range Convention Centre highlighting Greg's outstanding achievements in our sport.*

*Shooters at the NSWCTA Trap Carnival will have noticed that the referee stands now have frames and covers allowing the referee and scorer to be able to officiate in the shade. As we know it can get hot in Wagga, especially during the Nationals, and this will assist with our obligation to manage the heat for competitors.*

*The ACTA has planted trees in the area behind traps 15-20 to be able to provide shade in the future. Trees have also been planted along the driveway from the ACTA Office towards the Range Function Centre. Further irrigation work, tree planting and an upgrade of the Public Address system will be occurring before the 2026 National Championships.*

*We have been advised by NZCTA that NZ Police were having problems managing NZ firearms licence applications with bigpond email accounts. The relevant information has been posted on the ACTA Facebook page. Please consult this page if you are affected.*

*During October and November, the Tasmanian Clay Target Association and South Australian Clay Target Association will hold their State Skeet Championships, Victorian Clay Target Association will hold their state DTL Championships and the ACTA/FITASC will hold the inaugural National Compak Championships. I strongly urge shooters to participate in these prestigious events.*

*Good shooting,  
Michael Kruger-Davis*

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# From the Desk of the EO

## Issues related to Applications for NZ Visitor License for Travel to NZ

NZ Police (Firearms Safety Authority) have advised of rejections of Bigpond related addresses in the process of applications for NZ Visitor Licenses.

We have been advised of a work around while NZ Police try to correct the situation with Bigpond technical staff.

These issues are with bigpond.com or bigpond.com.au email addresses.

1. Competitors who have already created a new user in the Visitor Licence application and are still waiting for their verification code email
  - a. Identify an alternative email address that you can use to receive licence communications from the NZ Police (Firearms Safety Authority)
  - b. ILog on to the Visitor Licence application using your RealMe login (user name & password)
  - c. IThe Account Verification page will display
  - d. ISelect the 'RESEND' option
  - e. IThe 'Change Email ID' pop up box will be displayed
  - f. IChange the Email ID to your new alternative email address and select 'SUBMIT'
  - g. IIn your email service open the email from the NZ Police (Firearms Safety Authority) and get your verification code
  - h. IEnter the code in Account Verification page, and select 'VERIFY MY ACCOUNT'
  - i. IThe user will then be able to access the Apply for a Visitor Licence functionality.
2. Competitors who haven't yet started their new user registration and Visitor licence application
  - a. IIdentify an alternative email address that you can use to receive licence communications from the NZ Police (Firearms Safety Authority)
  - b. IUse this email address when completing the User registration screen to enrol as a new user of the Visitor Licence System.

## Compak National Juniors will be Classed as Under 21 Years of Age

For the ACTA FITASC Compak Nationals to be held in November 2025 and onwards, it has been decided that the Junior grade classification will be defined at the International definition of under 21 years of age.

The decision was made on the basis that this event and the events scheduled for years to come will attract International shooters and having a different grade classification in Australia would be counter to FITASC rules and create confusion and perhaps deter some visitors.

The under 21 years classification is also much clearer when looking at selecting teams to represent Australia. For the purposes of the State Competition that is shot at the Nationals, juniors will be categorised at under 18 years of age.

Note that this junior grading is only for the National Compak events. MCMS junior category will still reflect juniors being under 18 years of age and should be used for all domestic events.

## Sponsorship For B Team to NZ DTL World

The ACTA has received an offer of sponsorship to support the B Team that will be participating at the 2026 NZ DTL World Titles next year.

Mr. Fred Heinze has very kindly offered to sponsor the full uniform for the B Team, although the Shoot Vest will be a different colour to distinguish between the A and the B Team participants.

B Team members will be contacted in the next couple of weeks to obtain their measurements.

The ACTA appreciates and would like to thank Mr. Heinze for this very kind gesture and the support given to the B Team.

## Sporting Referees Accreditation

With the adoption of the FITASC Compak discipline, the rules associated with this are different to the previous 5-Stand sporting rules.

As such, a number of rules supervisors, referee examiners and some shooters have recently qualified as Compak Referees.

There will be two accreditations for sporting shooters at club level: Compak Referees & English Sporting Referees.

Those who have already become a sporting referee should familiarise themselves with the English Sporting rules.

Those wishing to become Compak Referees need to contact their local Compak accredited rules supervisor or referee examiner and organise with them to become accredited.

## ACTA Firearm Insurance

The ACTA has partnered with Howden Insurance Brokers to create our own Firearms Insurance Policy directly funded by the ACTA via a trust fund.

Other than the initial funding of the scheme this will see substantial cost savings for the ACTA and its' members going forward.

The amount of cover remains the same at \$15,000 per loss event with claim forms available from the ACTA website under Memberships and Insurance.

### **Excerpt from the recent edition of the Clay Target Nation magazine, the official magazine of the National Skeet Shooting Association and National Sporting Clays Association in the US**

**Don't Exaggerate Your Follow-Through**  
by Clayton Rue

*As a shooter, you should never try to artificially add exaggerated follow-through to your shot execution just because you've heard about how important it is. Instead, you should focus on performing all the steps leading up to the pulling of the trigger correctly. This will ensure you have perfect rhythm with the target until the shot is released. And after that point in time, the outcome of the shot has already been determined. You can't go travel in time and change what you did during the shot. You can follow-through from now until the cows come home and you will never increase your hit percentages.*

**Mind Your Hold Points** by Paul Giambrone III

*A big fundamental thing I see are variations in a shooter's hold points. They think that hold points are not very important, or it could be kind of a hold area and not a point. The problem with that is, let's say you set up perfectly on station 4 — perfect look point, perfect hold point, you turn on the flash, you match the target speed and you build in your lead. All good, right? Let's say on the next round, back on station 4, your hold point was two feet closer. Two feet might not seem like a lot on station 4, but that's roughly half of your desired lead or possibly more. The analogy I use is, if your financial advisor called and said you had a 50% return today, you would be very happy. If you had a 50% decline in your retirement account, you would be highly upset with that news. Well, if you give up half of your lead, which is 50%, I would consider that a horrible start and shot, even if you manage to break the target.*

**Bad Habit: Throwing a Fit After a Bad Station**  
by Gil and Vicki Ash

*Allowing yourself to get mad for any reason — or, for that matter, allowing any unnecessary distraction that creates negativity about anything — is detrimental to high-level performance (not to mention, you look like a fool). When you go to the emotional dark side, your brain releases cortisol, which increases heart rate, causes your breathing to be short and labored, and overall makes your body slump forward so you feel centered in your belly. On the*

*other hand, when your brain seeks positivity, it releases DHEA, which enables you to keep your heart rate normal and low and allows for deep, easy breathing and an upright posture. The choice is yours, but be aware that the lingering negative effects of about 20 to 30 minutes of cortisol are impossible to overcome until the next day.*

**Consistency Doesn't Just Happen** by Victoria Stellato  
*You will only achieve consistency if you are continuously striving to improve. In other words, if you keep doing the same things and expect a better outcome, you are going to be disappointed because you are not going to get better. Instead, focus on improving. Note aspects of your shooting that are not as good as they could be, and try to make them better. As you improve your game, you will become more consistent.*

**Keep Your Eye on the Rabbit** by Brian Hughes  
as told to Mark Chesnut

*The rabbit and teal are the fastest decelerating targets — the rabbit because it keeps hitting the ground, and the teal because it's fighting gravity. On a rabbit, what I would say most commonly happens, the first step is your eye comes off the target. Whether it's to see the lead or another reason, ultimately your focus comes off the target and goes somewhere else. As soon as your eye comes off the target, it's just like unplugging the power to your computer — your brain doesn't know what to do. You've probably had friends tell you 'Well, you're stopping. You've got to follow-through.' What they're saying is you took your eye off the target, your brain didn't know what to do, so your brain stopped the gun because it didn't have any incoming information about what it's supposed to be doing."*

**Why You Lose Your Composure in Competition**  
by John Shima

*Many shooters have "mental traps" that cause them to lose their composure during competition. [You must] consciously master the ability to control your emotions during competition and achieve peak performance. When commenting on the ability to maintain composure during competition, sports psychologist Mike Edger advised athletes to identify the "mental breakdowns" that cause the loss of emotional control: perfectionism or focusing on outcomes instead of the process, social approval or worrying about what others think, irrational beliefs or relying on self-defeating habits, fear of failure or setting inappropriate goals, and dwelling on errors (the inability to forgive yourself and forget mistakes). Just as muscle memory is essential to programming pre-planned moves to break clay targets, mental memory is essential to programming pre-planned thoughts that enable you to maintain your composure under stress.*

Les Kadziela

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& 8am Saturday & Sunday 22nd & 23rd November 2025.*

*Optional graded prize pools will run on each event at a cost of \$45 per event.  
Nominations open on MCMS – Note numbers may be capped.*

**FRIDAY 21ST NOVEMBER 2025 8.30AM**

**Event 1 –100T ACTA National English Sporting Clays Championship**

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**Event 2 Day One – 200T 2025 ACTA National FITASC Compak Championship  
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***Two course buffet carvery dinner 7pm Price \$45***



**SUNDAY 23RD NOVEMBER 2025 8AM**

**Event 2 Day Two – 200T 2025 ACTA National FITASC Compak Championship  
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***Scores from event 2 to count***

**World Titles Teams Selected for Italy in 2026**

***Trophy – Bruce Hall Shield***

**Three person Team. Members must be affiliated with the same ACTA Club  
high gun scores to count.**

*The ACTA also reserves the right to alter the program*



## 2025 ACTA NATIONAL FITASC COMPAK SPORTING CLAYS CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

- 1 All competitors must present their current shooting licence/permit to the events office before competition. **Failure to do so will incur a penalty loss of one target.**
- 2 Any shooter wanting to compete in the “2025 FITASC COMPAK Sporting Clays Nationals” must be a registered competitor of the ACTA for the financial year 2025, or a bonified International competitor.
- 3 Entry is by pre-nomination only through MCMS (MyClubsMyScores). Squadding will be available Friday 21<sup>st</sup> November 2025.
- 4 Late nominations will be taken on the day for an additional charge of \$20 per event **but only if there are vacancies available. Note that there are caps on events.**
- 5 Competitors who advise their withdrawal from an event prior to commencing will be eligible for a refund less a \$10 administration fee. Competitors who withdraw after the commencement of an event will not be entitled to any refund for that event.
- 6 MCMS will automatically grade all entrants, in the case of insufficient data the decision will be made by the National MCMS Handicap Supervisor after the first 50 targets for English Sporting and 100 targets after the Compak events.
- 7 Squads of up to 6 competitors will shoot brackets of 25 targets per visit to the traps using the Squad method. Should there be sufficient numbers, the Line system of shooting will be used. For English Sporting, a walk through system will be employed.
- 8 Shooters will be squadded as per ACTA rules and regulations.
- 9 Each shooter is to take enough cartridges to shoot at the 25 Targets per layout.
- 10 Shooters who miss their squad may be re-squadded towards the end of the event, but this is not guaranteed and non-participation is possible. **If a shooter is able to be re-squadded a penalty loss of one target will apply to that event.**
- 11 Should a shooter be late for his/her squad and elect to withdraw from the event they will not be eligible for any refund. It is the shooters responsibility to make sure they are where they should be and when.
- 12 Competitors will be required to referee/score during the period of competition. The persons designated to referee/score must fulfill their obligation to do so. While replacement referees and scorers are permissible, if the replacement does not fulfil the obligation, **the penalty of a loss of one target for failing to officiate will be made against the officially designated person.**
- 13 **Any unauthorized shooter interfering with or attempting to interfere with the trap will be penalized five targets for that event.**
- 14 All appeals must be lodged in writing with the tournament director together with a \$50 appeal fee. The Tournament director shall arrange a jury hearing and should the appeal be upheld the fee will be returned.
- 15 Eligible competitors are entitled to receive awards in Open, Women, Junior, Seniors, Veterans or Masters section, however the overall winner cannot take any grade prize.
- 16 ACTA dress code is to be adhered to ACTA rules, Tournament Director is to adjudicate.
- 17 All competitors must comply with the Firearms Laws of the State hosting the National Championships.
- 18 Payment of the nomination only entitles the shooter to enter the event. Changes to the program including the number of targets shot will not entitle competitors to a refund.
- 19 Squadding details will be available on MCMS. It is the shooters responsibility to monitor for changes.
- 20 A junior who has not previously competed at any National Championship in any discipline shall be entitled to shoot for the cost of the admin fee of \$10 per event, claim for this concession can be made at the event or within 14 days of the completion of the event ie; by the 8<sup>th</sup> December 2025.
- 21 The setting of targets will be under the direction of the Shoot Marshal. No further adjustment will be made without authorization of the Tournament Director and Shoot Marshal.



## ROMA CLAY TARGET CLUB JUNIOR SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

The club has some more exciting news for aspiring Juniors in Roma and surrounds. There will be an opportunity from now until the 2029 Nationals for 10 Juniors to receive Scholarships **valued at over \$3000** each on an annual basis.

Scholarships will cover Membership, Practice and Coaching, Nominations, Ammunition and Sportswear.

Juniors will be selected by an EOI process followed by a trial early next year, after which the Training Squad will be announced.

Squad members will attend practices and coaching, 10 club shoots, the club's AGM and dinner and the annual QCTA DTL Carnival. Another great Roma Initiative.

*For more information, please contact:*

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LENGTH (CM)	60	63	66	69	71	74	76	78	80	82
SIZE	6Y	8Y	10Y	12Y	14Y	16Y				
CHEST (CM)	71	77	83	89	94	98				
HEM (CM)	71	77	83	89	94	98				
LENGTH (CM)	50	53	56.5	60	63	66				



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# 2025 NSWCTA State Trap Carnival

"By the shooters, for the shooters" was the united focus of the NSW Clay Target Association executive in the lead up to the 2025 NSW State Trap Championships held in Wagga Wagga 3rd–6th October 2025. The continued improvement of running the NSWCTA State Trap Championships is a direct result of listening to the shooters' feedback over the past few years including the positives and most importantly, the areas to improve which is an ongoing pursuit toward creating the best shooting event in the country.

321 competitors attended the event which is an increase of almost 10% on last year showing the event organisers must be doing something right. A well stocked and represented trade area created a great atmosphere at the carnival with gunsmithing services, apparel, ammunition, firearms and other shooting paraphernalia on display and for sale. The wildly popular trade passport draw returned with Fil Petriella of SF Shooting Group influential in seeing this initiative continue. All nominated shooters were provided with a trade passport to get stamped at each of the trade stall holders to go into the daily draw for ammunition, cash, vouchers and merchandise up for grabs at each presentation.

Also returning this year was the junior mentoring program where NSW junior shooters attending for their first time were shown around the grounds, familiarise themselves (and parents) with the facilities, advised what is expected of them throughout the carnival, introduced to top shooters and given a practice token as well as

goodies from the trade stands that were onsite. Practice traps were a popular place for shooters looking to make last minute changes to gun set ups or simply to get their eye in on the Wagga background. These traps never stopped all weekend and thanks go out to the very busy trappers who helped keep them topped up with targets and running smoothly.

Friday October 3rd saw the first official event of the carnival commence, the Beretta Australia 75 target Champion of Champions which consists of 25 target Double Barrel, 25 target Single Barrel and 25 target Points Score from 18m, all shot on the one visit to the traps. Conditions were not ideal with a 50km/hr gusty wind continually present which created a significant challenge. Excellent shooting by Dan Power, Nicholas Poulos, Michael Hill and Brendan Burgess, all scoring 124/125. The dramatic shoot-off required two rounds to determine the winner, with Dan Power needing



to simply hit his last target to win. With nerves running high Dan missed his first shot but followed it up with a hit on his second barrel to claim the overall win with 172/175, a red sash and 10 Hall of Fame points in the process. Dan's win is a testament to his shooting ability as he is on the NSWCTA Executive and was busily buzzing around all weekend. Event results were as follows with winners provided with an assortment of Beretta equipment and cash prizes.



OA High Gun Ash Hawker with sponsor Anna Shedrina from Bronzewing Australia & NSWCTA Executive Erik Geltch

**Event 1 – Champion of Champions Championship**

*Sponsored by Beretta Australia*

**Overall: Dan Power with 172/175.**

1st AA: Nicholas Poulos with 169/175, 2nd Michael Hill with 146/150, 3rd Brendan Burgess with 145/150. 1st A: Paul Mansueto with 122/125, 2nd Alexandria Heffernan-Power with 120/125, 3rd Justin Turner with 122/142. 1st B: Leigh Stokes with 122/125, 2nd George Vellis with 118/125, 3rd Kye McDonnell with

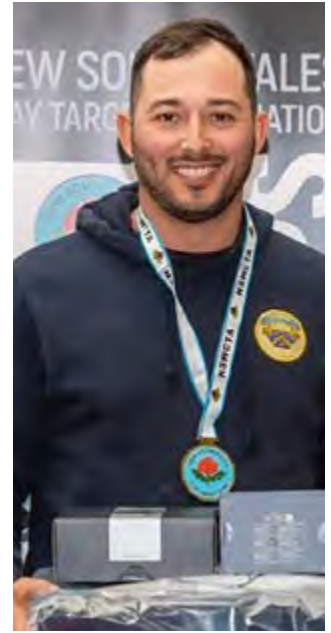
115/125. 1st C: Chris Baynes with 111/125, 2nd Noel Doidge with 108/142, 3rd in C: Harry Ferguson with 105/142. Overall Veteran: Paul Mansueto with 122/125. Overall Ladies: Alexandria Heffernan-Power with 120/125. Overall Junior: Bailey Henderson with 120/125.

The NSW Zone Championship match was held on Friday afternoon with Zone teams competing against each other for the coveted Overall Zone Team trophy. Shoulder to shoulder Zone teams





Champion of Champions Overall Dan Power with Beretta Rep Nathan McDonnell & NSWCTA President David White



Champion of Champions 1st AA Grade Nicholas Poulos



Champion of Champions 3rd AA Grade Brendan Burgess



Champion of Champions 2nd B Grade George Vellis



Champion of Champions 3rd B Grade Kye McDonnell



Champion of Champions 2nd C Grade Noel Doidge

Below: Champion of Champions Ladies Alexandria Heffernan-Power

Below: Champion of Champions Junior Bailey Henderson

consisting of 5-person Open team and 3-person teams in the Ladies, Juniors and Veterans sections took to the lanes to shoot 25 targets with whole targets to count and Points Score to separate ties.

*Zone Team Match*

**Open Team:** 5th Western Zone 121/125 (356 points), 4th Northern Zone 121/125 (358 points), 3rd Southern Zone 122/125, 2nd Central Zone 124/125 (365 points), 1st Riverina Zone 124/125 (369 points) Erik Geltch, John Headon, Ben



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*Winning Open Zone Team, Riverina Zone*



*Winning Veterans Zone Team, Northern Zone*



*Winning Ladies Zone Team, Southern Zone*



*Winning Junior Zone Team, Northern Zone*

Woodhouse, Grant Thatcher and Callum Palmer.

**Ladies Team:** 5th Northern Zone (did not compete), 4th Central Zone 66/75, 3rd Riverina Zone 67/75, 2nd Western Zone 69/75, 1st Southern Zone 74/75 Chloe Alho, Samantha Peck, Alannah Jarvis.

**Juniors Team:** 5th Western Zone 67/75 (190 points), 4th Riverina Zone 67/75 (194 points), 3rd Central Zone 69/75 (199 points), 2nd Southern Zone 69/75 (200 points), 1st Northern Zone 71/75 Jodie Henshall, Dominic Formaggin and Anthony Formaggin.

**Veterans Team:** 5th Riverina Zone 68/75, 4th Southern Zone 71/75, 3rd Western Zone 72/75, 2nd Central Zone 74/75, 1st Northern Zone



Winning Combined Zone Team Southern Zone

75/75 John Sleightholme, John Reid and Graham Dawson.

**Overall Combined Zone Team:** 5th Western Zone 9 points, 4th Riverina Zone 11 points, 3rd Northern Zone 12 points, 2nd Central Zone 13 points, 1st Southern Zone 15 points.

After the Friday night presentations the NSW Clay Target Association Trap Hall of Fame was opened for the 5th consecutive time to induct Greg Coleman. Greg achieved 100 Hall of Fame points and was endorsed unanimously by the current Hall of Fame members. Greg's championships achievements include 2006 NSW Points Score, 2007 NSW Points Score, 2007 NSW Team High Gun, 2007 QLD Points Score, 2011 NSW Double Barrel, 2012 Mackintosh Team High Gun, National High Gun Runner-up, 2020 TAS Double Barrel and 2023 NSW Team High Gun.

Greg's family, friends and an auditorium full of shooters were present to witness his induction and enjoy the evening, with carvery catering provided by Nathan at The Range Function Centre.

Day two of the championships commenced in excellent conditions despite a decent dump of rain overnight and the thermometer dropping to a chilly 3°C. The J&A Geotech

NSW Double Rise Championship was up and shooters were making the most of the excellent target presentation. With both barrels blasting away there were a number of very good scores. A special mention to Bella Woolcock who was graded B for this event who scored an impressive 48/50, just one target behind the eventual overall winner! Three shooters scored 49/50, Phill Chryssovelonis, Brock Thompson and Matt Schiller all being tied and requiring a shoot-off to determine the champion. Matt Schiller hit all of his shoot-off targets with a total of 59/60 to take out the championship.

*Event 2 – Double Rise Championship*  
*Sponsored by J & A Geotech Pty Ltd*  
**Overall: Matt Schiller with 59/60.**



Double Rise Overall Matt Schiller with sponsor Justin Smith from J&A Geotech Pty Ltd & NSWCTA Exec Don Turner



Double Rise 3rd AA Grade  
Phill Chryssovelonius



Double Rise 1st C Grade  
Paul Haslam



Double Rise Ladies  
Bella Woolcock



Double Rise Veteran  
Kim Nealon



Double Rise 1st A Grade  
Brock Thompson



Double Rise 3rd A Grade  
Glenn Rush



Double Rise Junior  
Lachlan Griffiths

1st AA: Phill Chryssovelonius with 57/60, 2nd Matty Patmore with 68/70, 3rd Glenn Barton with 67/70. 1st A: Brock Thompson with 57/60, 2nd Michael Hill with 47/50, 3rd Glenn Rush with 64/70. 1st B: Bella Woolcock with 48/50, 2nd Kerrie Dean with 45/50, 3rd Zak Biggin with 44/50. 1st C: Paul Haslam with 52/60, 2nd Adam Bartholomew with 51/60, 3rd David Polsen with 42/50.

Overall Veteran: Kim Nealon with 47/50. Overall Ladies: Bella Woolcock with 48/50. Overall Junior: Lachlan Griffiths with 45/50.

Double Rise 2nd B Grade  
Kerrie Dean

Double Rise 3rd B Grade  
Zak Biggin



With the presentation commencing it was a chance for the target setters to reset the traps to single targets for the blue ribbon event, the NSW Double Barrel Championship sponsored by SF Shooting Group. Hopes were high for shooters to punch their ticket into the shoot-off and hit their personal bests, knowing that a very high score would be required to win this prestigious title. 79 shooters hit the possible qualifying score of 50/50 and were sent out to commence the equivalent of the 42km marathon in trap shooting. Shooting continued all afternoon with shooters dropping out



*Double Barrel Overall Matthew Stokes  
with sponsor Steve Haberman from SF Outdoor Group*

after the slightest mental lapse resulting in a lost target until a lack of light was declared by the shoot marshal, Jo-Anne Ford, and shooters were told to rest up and recommence tomorrow morning with a warning about daylight savings time kicking in. Two full squads of shooters recommenced on Sunday morning at 8am sharp and were eventually whittled down to just one squad consisting of Ben De Pedro, Clayton Cusack, Glenn Barton, Clinton Hawke, Ben Woodhouse and Matt Stokes. By mid-morning,

shooters were asked to pause the Double Barrel shoot-off in order to shoot their Handicap event to keep the carnival rolling which unfortunately meant personal long breaks would be lost as all shooters missed at least one Handicap target. At the 500 target mark only four shooters remained, Glenn Barton, Clinton Hawke, Ben Woodhouse and Matt Stokes. By the time 600 targets were smashed only two remained, Woodhouse and Stokes. Woodhouse was doggedly determined to clinch victory and claim 10 of his remaining 20 Hall of Fame points required to meet the 100 point threshold. However standing in his way was arguably the best long break



*Double Barrel  
1st A Grade Justin Turner*



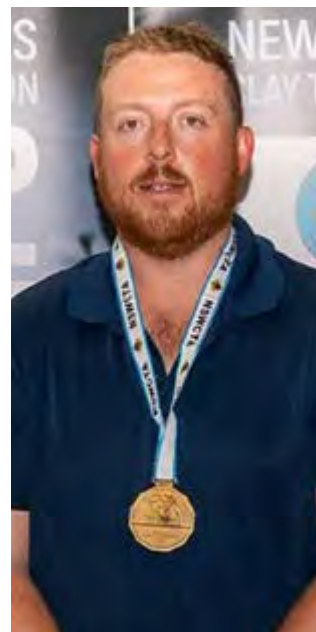
*Double Barrel  
Veteran Daryl Stevens*



*Double Barrel  
1st AA Grade Ben Woodhouse*



*Double Barrel  
2nd AA Grade Clinton Hawke*



*Double Barrel  
1st B Grade Leigh Stokes*



*Double Barrel  
3rd B Grade Jarrod Barraclough*







Double Barrel Ladies Helen Overton with Steve Haberman



Double Barrel Junior Jack Milligan

shooter of the past few years in Stokes. Both shooters blitzed past the 700 target mark before having to break again, this time to shoot the NSW Single Barrel Championship before recommencing. The end to the marathon event would come on the 732nd target with Woodhouse's target remaining unbroken and landing on the grass. A deep breath and a slow calm call for the target by Stokes and one shot later he was

declared the 2025 NSW Double Barrel champion. A phenomenal effort considering barely a handful of second barrel shots were needed!

*Event 3 – Double Barrel Championship  
Sponsored by SF Outdoor Group*

**Overall: Matthew Stokes with 732/732.**

1st AA: Ben Woodhouse with 731/732, 2nd Clinton Hawke with 538/539, 3rd Glenn Barton with 508/509. 1st A: Justin Turner with 129/131, 2nd Glenn Rush with 102/103, 3rd Chloe Alho with 81/82. 1st B: Leigh Stokes with 75/76, 2nd

John Winters with 65/66, 3rd Jarrod Barraclough with 53/54. 1st C: Blake McMahon with 49/50, 2nd Phillipi Wheeler with 59/75, 3rd Chris Baynes with 58/61. Overall Veteran: Daryl Stevens with 236/237. Overall Ladies: Helen Overton with 220/221. Overall Junior: Jack Milligan with 134/135.

Day three of the carnival saw yet another turn in the weather with hot, sunny and bright conditions observed. Plenty of sunscreen was applied, referees and scorers sought shade under the umpire stands and Mr. Whippy did a roaring trade. The Camilleri Custom Stocks NSW Handicap Championship was contested next. The change in weather knocked a few shooters around and only five shooters were able to post a red score of 50/50. Ash Hawker (28m), Colin Wemyss (23m), Natalie Hitchenson (19m), George Depaoli (22m) and Glenn Kable (24m) were required to shoot off. Despite being perfect in the rounds, Hawker missed his first target out and settled for 5th place, Wemyss followed suit just 3 targets later and in a dramatic turn of events both Hitchenson and Depaoli both missed their 16th target giving the overall championship to Glenn Kable with 67/67.

*Event 4 – Handicap*

*Sponsored by Camilleri Custom Stocks:*

**Overall: Glenn Kable with 67/67.**

2nd George Depaoli with 70/71. 3rd Natalie Hitchenson with 69/71. 4th Colin Wemyss with 53/54. 5th Ash Hawker with 50/51.

Best 25 Metre Shooter: Ash Hawker with 50/50.

The NSW Single Barrel Championship sponsored by Field Sports Australia (suppliers of Hull Ammunition) commenced in the afternoon. Seven shooters posted a perfect 50/50 and an incredible 34 others just one target behind who were relegated to watch from the sidelines while the overall shoot-off commenced. Alexander Bourke, Jacob Murphy, Charlie Sherry, Clinton Hawke, Glenn Kable, Matty Patmore and Dave Edmonds were called to determine the champion. Four shooters remained after another 25 target bracket until Hawke missed leaving Kable, Patmore and Edmonds. As it so often happens, when a shooter misses a target the slightest lapse of concentration can cause another miss and in this case Kable led and Patmore followed handing the NSW Single Barrel Championship to Dave Edmonds from Guyra.



Handicap Overall Glenn Kable with sponsor Joe Camilleri of Camilleri Custom Stocks & NSWCTA President David White



Handicap 2nd  
George Depaoli



Handicap 3rd  
Natlie Hitchenson



Handicap 4th  
Colin Wemyss



Handicap 5th  
Ash Hawker



Handicap 25 metre Champion Ash Hawker

1st C: Blake McMahon with 47/50, 2nd Chris Baynes with 47/51, 3rd Harry Ferguson with 46/51. Overall Veteran: David Edmonds with 92/92. Overall Ladies: Helen Overton with 50/51. Overall Junior: Jack Milligan with 69/70.

Day four, the final day of competition and just the one event, the make or break event of Points Score. The NSW Points Score Championship sponsored by Winchester Australia is also the final event for NSW State Team qualification. Shooters knowing the slightest miss could have drastic consequences with each target worth the equivalent of 3 points. Nine shooters shot the possible 150/150 with the

Kable and Patmore continued for another 7 targets with Kable the victor.

*Event 5 – Single Barrel Championship  
Sponsored by Field Sports Australia:*

**Overall: David Edmonds, with 92/92.**

1st AA: Glenn Kable with 97/98, 2nd: Matty Patmore with 96/98, 3rd: Clinton Hawke with 75/76. 1st A: Paul Mansueto with 59/61, Chloe Evans with 58/61, 3rd Justin Turner with 61/64. 1st B: Jarrod Barraclough with 47/50, 2nd Zach Doerner with 48/52, 3rd Leigh Stokes with 47/52.



Single Barrel Overall & Veteran David Edmonds  
with sponsor Field Sports Australia rep Matt Stokes



Single Barrel  
1st A Grade Paul Mansueto



Single Barrel  
2nd A Grade Chloe Evans

shoot-off reduced down to just one squad after the first 25 target bracket, those being Tammy Henshall, George Depaoli, Ben Woodhouse, Dan Power and Lucas Young. Henshall missed a whole target to finish on 246/249 and took out the ladies section in the process. Depaoli similarly landed a whole target but won the veterans section with 270/273. Woodhouse was the next to walk while Power and Young shot past the 350 point mark in an incredible display of perfectionist shooting. Dan Power was agonisingly close to securing another 10 Hall of Fame points but was denied when he relied on his second barrel to break the target resulting in Lucas Young being crowned the 2025 NSW Points Score Champion and winner of a brand new Huglu shotgun courtesy of Winchester Australia and Don Power.



Single Barrel  
1st AA Grade Glenn Kable



Single Barrel  
2nd B Grade Zach Doerner

Single Barrel  
Ladies Helen Overton

Single Barrel  
Junior Jack Milligan

Single Barrel  
2nd C Grade Chris Baynes

Single Barrel  
3rd C Grade Harry Ferguson





# FALCON & ORION Sporting Traps

## General & Technical information



### FALCON (300 Carousel) \$4000 inc

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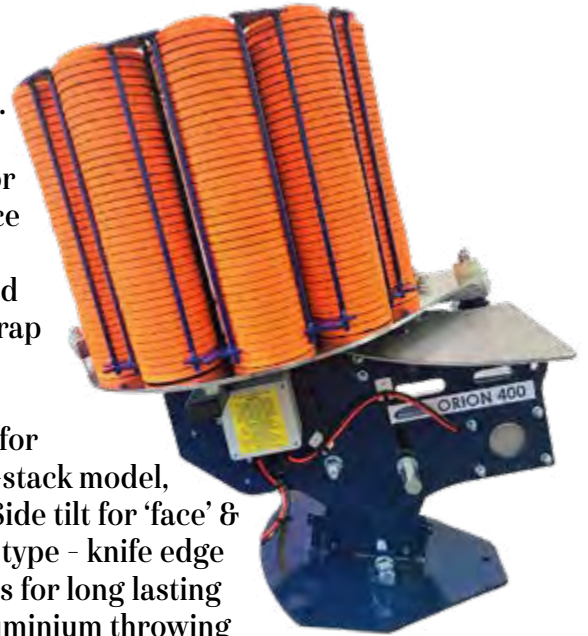
- Features include:
- Weight 67kg, •Height - 1040mm, •Capacity - 6 column 300 clays, •Throwing distance - up to 90m, •Max Elevation - 70 degrees, •.5 second re-cocking time, •Clay Feed Type - Knife Separator (Proven "Knife Edge" system to feed wet or frozen clays without failure), •Stainless steel throwing plate, alloy and corrosion protected parts for long lasting rust protection, •Steel mainframe with hard blue polyester finish
  - Aluminium throwing arm with Polyurethane strip, •Simple set up and throwing height adjustment, •Durable electrical control box with simple toggle switch for on/off, •Powered by 12v battery (not included)
  - 3 year warranty

### ORION (400 Carousel) \$4000 inc

The Orion is an all-new trap for 2024 with a 400-capacity carousel. The Orion is designed with a 10-stack carousel which is a lower profile carousel reducing the load on the trap when being moved or set (less top heavy and more stable). To assist with keeping the price down for clubs, the base is now a fixed base as most clubs are mounting their traps on a moveable/quad trolley removing the need for a swivel base. The new Orion Trap is a strong robust accurate trap that will last a lifetime.

The Orion has the following features:

- STD / MIDI 90mm / BATTUE versions available, •Recommended for medium/large sized shooting grounds or clubs, •Available in a 10-stack model, 400 clay capacity, •91m/ 100yds throwing distance. •Tilt base, •Side tilt for 'face' & 'belly' presentations, •Max elevation up to 52 degrees, •Clay feed type - knife edge
- Stainless steel throwing plate, alloy and corrosion protected parts for long lasting rust protection, •Steel mainframe with hard blue polyester, •Aluminium throwing arm with Polyurethane strip, •Simple set up and throwing height adjustment, •50m command cable, •3-year parts warranty, •Powered by a 12v battery (not included).



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Points Score Overall Lucas Young  
with Winchester rep Don Power & NSWCTA Executive Erik Geltch

Event 6 – Points Score Championship. Sponsorship by Winchester Australia:

**Overall: Lucas Young with 360/360.**

1st AA: Dan Power with 359/360, 2nd Ben Woodhouse with 323/324, 3rd George Depaoli with 270/273. 1st A: Kyriakos Kassianou with 149/150, 2nd Megan Trembath with 168/171, 3rd John Polsen with 167/171. 1st B: John Winters with 151/153, 2nd Katie McPherson with 150/153, 3rd B: Leigh Stokes with 147/150. 1st C: Michael North with 153/165, 2nd Ray Warden with 150/165, 3rd Kate Thistleton with 146/159. Overall Veteran: George Depaoli with 270/273. Overall Ladies: Tammy Henshall with 246/249. Overall Junior: Kyriakos Kassianou with 149/150.



Points Score  
1st B Grade John Winters



Points Score  
2nd B Grade Katie McPherson



Points Score  
1st AA Grade Dan Power



Points Score  
2nd AA Grade Ben Woodhouse



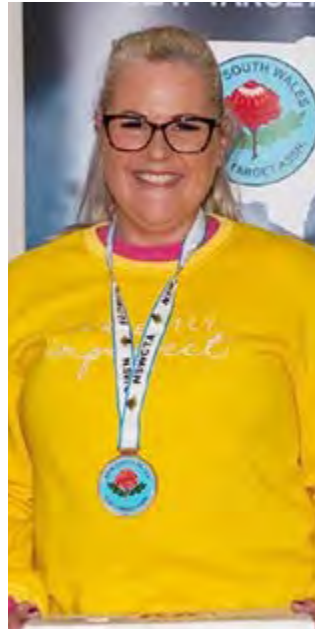
Points Score  
1st A Grade Kyriakos Kassianou



Points Score  
3rd A Grade John Polsen



Points Score  
1st C Grade Michael North



Points Score  
3rd C Grade Kate Thistleton



Three Man Team Wagga Clay Target Club  
Ben Woodhouse

With the formal program shot it was time to add up the qualifying events of Double Barrel, Single Barrel and Points Score to determine the NSW State Postal Teams and conduct the Postal Team shoot-off to determine the State representative Shoulder to Shoulder Teams.



Points Score  
Ladies Tammy Henshall



Points Score  
Veteran George Depaoli

The top 15 open shooters shot 50 targets Points Score, while 6 sectional shooters from ladies, junior and veterans shot 25 targets Points Score in an additional event sponsored by Custom Ear Mold Australia (CEPA). These scores were combined with the qualification scores with the following shooters making up the NSW State representative Shoulder to Shoulder Teams.

**Open** (\* denotes Team High Gun)

1. \*Matt Stokes 398\*
  2. Nicolas Poulos 397,
  3. Glenn Barton 396,
  4. Ben Woodhouse 396,
  5. Glenn Kable 396.
- Reserves: 1. James Turner 395,
2. George Depaoli 395,
  3. Adrian Depaoli 395.

**Ladies**

1. Tammy Henshall 318,
2. \*Tracey Stringer\* 318,

NSW State Champion Matt Stokes with sponsor Anna Shedrina from Bronzewing Australia and NSWCTA Executive Erik Geltsch



AA Grade HG Glenn Barton



A Grade HG Kyriakos Kassiannou



B Grade HG Leigh Stokes



C Grade HG Blake McMahon



Ladies HG Tammy Henshall



Junior HG Lachlan Griffiths



Veteran HG Tony Barton

3. Chloe Evans 310.  
Reserves: 1. Jodie Henshall 302, 2. Macka Codrington 301, 3. Alexandria Heffernan-Power 301.

**Juniors**

1. \*Lachlan Griffiths\* 319, 2. Kyriakos Kassianou 317, 3. Nicholas Hadjiparaskeva 316. Reserves: 1. Bailey Henderson 315, 2. Jack Milligan 313, 3. Dino Hadjiparaskeva 301.

**Veterans**

1. \*David Edmonds\* 320, 2. Wayne Storer 319, 3. John Sleightholme 318. Reserves: 1. Wayde Hawkins 317, 2. Graham Dawson 317, 3. Tony Barton 315.

**High Guns**

Overall Ash Hawker 465/475.

C grade Blake McMahon 407/475, B grade Leigh Stokes 446/475, A grade Kyriakos Kassianou 449/475, AA grade Glenn Barton 585/600, Ladies Tammy Henshall 447/475. Juniors Lachlan Griffiths 453/475, Veterans Tony Barton 454/475.

Enormous events like a State Carnival are not possible without the generous support of the sponsors, a dedicated committee, the ACTA and most importantly the shooters who attended. A very special thanks to the Shoot Marshal Jo-Anne Ford, target setter Steve Schiller, office assistants Jayne

Cowell, Steve Cowell, Kathleen Dawe, David White, Janenne Kidd, Nadine Clarke and Chantelle Nolan, who all kept the shoot rolling along and on time.

On behalf of the NSW Clay Target Association thank you to the people who attended the NSW State Trap Championships in every capacity and we look forward to an improved, bigger and better carnival in 2026.

*Yours in shooting*  
**Phil Baker**  
Vice President NSWCTA



Northern Zone Open Team

Northern Zone Veterans Team





*Northern Zone Junior Team*



*Riverina Zone Open Team*



*Western Zone Open Team*



*Riverina Zone Junior Team*



*Western Zone Veterans Team*



*Riverina Zone Veterans Team*

*Western Zone Junior Team*

*Riverina Zone Junior Team*





*Southern Zone Open Team*



*Central Zone Zone Open Team*



*Southern Zone Veterans Team*



*Central Zone Veterans Team*



*Southern Zone Ladies Team*



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*Southern Zone Junior Team*



*Central Zone Junior Team*





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# Junior Pathway to QCTA 2025-2028



## ROMA GUN CLUB



Fine weather at the Brisbane Gun Club welcomed Skeet Shooters to the 2025 QCTA State Carnival. Five budding Juniors amongst the field were recipients of packages valued at over \$600 each from the Roma Clay Target Club Junior Pathway Program.



L-R: Luke Given, Caboolture CTC; Jy Yarrow, Townsville GC; Oscar O'Neill, Brisbane GC; Charlie Ward, Guyra NSW; Austin Gibbs, NSWGC

The Juniors sold just under \$1000 worth of raffle tickets, and we thank Craig O'Neil and Glenn Walker for arranging the raffle, the Juniors for selling tickets, and of course shooters for showing their support. All proceeds will assist the RCTC – JPP fund future packages.

This was the final JPP presentation for 2025 with the next JPP event to be at the State Sporting in March 2026.

During 2025, the RCTC – JPP provided 45 packages valued at over \$27,000 to Juniors



Junior Pathway sponsors

attending QCTA State Titles. This would never have been possible without the great co-sponsorship received from Beretta Australia, Gold Coast Clay Target Club, QCTAWZ, QCTACZ, Top Servo, A. T. Hydraulics and Bakearoma. A big thanks to

you all from our great Juniors. Also don't forget a thanks to the Roma Club.

We look forward to welcoming our co-sponsors back in 2026 and supporting more Juniors via the Roma Clay Target Club – Junior Pathway Program.

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# From Clay Targets to Copper Canvases: *Rae Saheli's Shotgun Art*

For most of us, the crack of a shotgun and the shatter of a clay is a moment of sport, skill and satisfaction. For artist and competitive clay target shooter Rae Saheli, that same moment is also the spark of creativity. As both a competitive shooter of many years and an artist, she bridges sport and creativity in a way few have attempted.

Rae says “I like to think that while I’m exhibiting my work I’m also putting a positive light on clay shooting and educating the community and hopefully encouraging people to give clay target shooting a go”.

## *The Artist Behind the Gun*



A member of the Brisbane Gun Club, Rae is both a committed shooter and a trained visual artist. She holds an Advanced Diploma in Visual Arts, majoring in painting and printmaking, but her real signature style comes from her time on the range.

Instead of paintbrushes or chisels, Rae uses a 12-gauge shotgun. By firing into aluminium, copper, canvas and plywood, she transforms the force of the blast into intricate, textured artworks. The spread of pellets becomes her brushstroke, the craters her patterns and the torn edges her expressive lines.



## *A Shotgun as an Artist's Tool*

Shooters will recognise the same variables we manage on the range shaping Rae's artworks:

- **Shot size:** Smaller shot (#8–9) creates



delicate, lace-like perforations. Larger shot (#4–6) punches deeper holes and dramatic tears.

- **Distance:** At close range (5–10 m), pellets buckle and warp metal. Mid-range (15–25 m) produces even floral spreads. At long range, pellets leave subtle dimples rather than full perforations.
- **Loads:** Light trap loads deliver fine, dense patterns, while heavier field loads tear through metal with powerful force.
- **Materials:** Aluminium produces clean holes and shiny edges, copper adds warmth and oxidises into rich colours, and canvas or plywood rip apart with raw energy.

The result is an unpredictable yet controlled collaboration between skill, physics and chance – much like the sport of clay shooting itself.





## Exhibitions & Recognition

Rae's work has been featured in some of Australia's most prestigious art events:

- ✦ **Ephemera: Townsville (2025)** – *Elysian Blooms*, a large-scale floral installation made from recycled aluminium, copper, and spent shotgun shells. By day, the petals cast delicate shadows; by night, solar lights made them glow.
- ✦ **SWELL Sculpture Festival, Gold Coast** – Rae has exhibited several works over the years, with the 2025 display at Currumbin, *Spinning Memories*, including copper panels blasted into organic shapes and a line of jewellery titled *Shot with Love*.
- ✦ **Australian Wearable Art Festival** – Winner of the 2025 Abstract Form with *Metal Blooms*. Winner of the 2023 *Emerging Wearable Artist Award* (with Rhiannon Thomas) for *Perfectly Tarnished*, an outfit constructed from shotgun-textured aluminium.



- ✦ **Other Galleries and Festivals** – Rae has shown work at Metro Arts, Tweed Regional Gallery, Northern Rivers Community Gallery, and more.

On the Clay Target side, Rae and her family have been shooting for 20+ years and she has also represented the Ladies' Team in Queensland's South-East Zone, collecting her share of competition ribbons along the way.

## Why Shooters Will Relate

Clay target shooters understand the language of Rae's work better than anyone:

- ✦ The **choice of choke** becomes a creative tool.
- ✦ The **spread of pellets** becomes a pattern.
- ✦ The **moment of impact** that shatters a clay is the same moment that leaves beauty etched into copper or aluminium.

What Rae shows us is that the discipline, repetition, and technical knowledge we use in competition can

also create art that captures both the power and the beauty of shooting.

### ***More Than Just Art***

While Rae's work isn't political, it does carry a message:

- It demonstrates the transformative potential of our sport, turning spent shells and shot patterns into something lasting.
- It highlights sustainability, with recycled metals and casings given a second life.
- It bridges the gap between shooters and the wider community, showing that clay target shooting can inspire creativity as well as competition.

### ***Final Shot***

Rae Saheli's journey is proof of the unexpected overlaps between sport and art. Whether standing on the trap line or in front of a sculpture, her work reminds us that a shotgun doesn't just break clays – in the right hands, it can also create beauty.



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# Two Day Shooting Carnival

## *BUNDABERG CLAY TARGET CLUB INC.*

Bundaberg Clay Target Club held its Two Day Shooting Carnival on Sunday the 2nd and 3rd of August, with 77 shooters vying for the trophies and cash in cold and windy conditions on both Saturday and Sunday. A good roll-up of shooters attended from Roma, Barcaldine, Chinchilla, Rockhampton, Mackay/Sarina, Wagga Wagga, Toowoomba, Texas, Gympie, Central Burnett, Maryborough, Gladstone, Callide Dawson, Brisbane, Port Macquarie, Wandowan, Toogoolawah, Clermont and Bundaberg. Shooter numbers were an increase on the previous few years and those who attended had an enjoyable time. Great to see a good attendance of our own shooters.



*Bundaberg Annual Shoot - 2025 High Gun & OA winners*

Day one got under way with the first shot fired at around 9.00 am in very cool and windy conditions. Competition progressed well with no interruptions on Saturday, but we experienced a small breakdown on Sunday. However the shoot still finished reasonably early, allowing the traveling shooters get on the road before dark.

The shoot produced variable targets, some good and some not so good due to the windy conditions, but no arguments, (which is always a very good plus). Good competition was enjoyed by all, but without many possibles shot over the weekend.

### **RESULTS:**

**Event 1 – 25 target DB CASH DIVIDE** to get their eye in for the remainder of the shoot. Ten possibles and six 24's were shot over the grades.

**Event 2 – 30 target SINGLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP, sponsored by OUTDOOR SPORTING AGENCIES**



*Single Barrel Overall  
Gavin Langridge*



*Single Barrel AA Grade 1st  
Kevin Jarick*

Overall Gavin Langridge 29/30, AA Grade 1st Kevin Jarick 28/30, A Grade 1st Phillip McWhirter 27/30, B Grade 1st Simon Ross 27/30 and C Grade 1st Bailey Armstrong 27/30.



Single Barrel B Grade 2nd  
Leslie Arumungam



Single Barrel  
C Grade 2nd Michael Alexander



Double Barrel Overall  
Robbie Smith



Double Barrel 2nd AA  
Gill Netz



Handicap Overall  
Paul Rehbein



Points Score A Grade 1st  
Nicko Nicholson

**Event 6 – 30 target DOUBLE BARREL POINTS CHAMPIONSHIP, sponsored by KENS PLUMBING PLUS**

Overall went to local lady shooter Christine Large, with an excellent score of 88/90 in trying



Points Score Overall Christine Large  
with President & husband, Darren Large

**Event 3 – 30 target DOUBLE BARREL HANDICAP, sponsored by BUNDABERG CONCRETE CASTERS**

This event was won by Paul Rehbein 28/30. Paul took home the \$500, 2nd Michael Alexander 28/30, 3rd Kevin Jarick 28/30, 4th Carl Bennett.

**Event 4 – 30 target DOUBLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP, sponsored by BUNDABERG TOYOTA**

After a shoot-off, Overall was taken out by Robbie Smith 30/30, AA Grade 1st Wyatt Vohland 30/30, 1st in A Grade Phil McWhirter 30/30, 1st in B grade Simon Ross 30/30 and C Grade 1st Michael Alexander 28/30.

**Event 5 – 30 target MEDLEY, sponsored by RTM (Road Tech Marine) and RIC and LARISSA PETFIEL**

Overall went to Robbie Smith 49/50 after a shoot-off. AA Grade 1st Wyatt Vohland 49/50, A Grade 1st Mal Smith 47/50, B Grade 1st Bryce Simpson 47/50, C Grade 1st Bailey Armstrong 41/50.

Medley A Grade 1st  
Mal Smith

Medley B Grade 1st  
Bryce Simpson





Medley B Grade 2nd  
Barry Fisher



Medley C Grade 1st  
Bailey Armstrong



Overall Continental  
Irvine Wynyard



C Grade 1st Continental  
Kevin Charteris

conditions, AA Grade 1st Kevin Jarick 87/90, A Grade 1st Nicho Nicholson 84/90, B Grade 1st Simon Ross 28/30 and C Grade 1st Michael Alexander 87/90.

**Event 7 – 30 target CONTINENTAL CHAMPIONSHIP, sponsored by CHRISTENSEN INDUSTRIES**

Overall Irvine Wynyard 29/30, AA Grade 1st Robbie Smith 29/30, A Grade 1st Corey Bylsma 29/30, B Grade 1st Simon Ross 28/30 and C Grade 1st Kevin Charteris 29/30.

**RTM (Road Tech Marine) & Shane Smith OVERALL HIGH GUN**

A great effort from Wyatt Vohland 268/285 from Clermont over the whole weekend allowed him to take the High Gun award.

**GRADE HIGH GUNS, sponsored by NIOA**

AA Grade Kevin Jarick, A Grade Nicho Nicholson 258/285, B Grade Simon Ross 265/285 and C Grade Michael Alexander 248/285.

**ROB REHBEIN MEMORIAL SECTION HIGH GUNS**

Ladies High Gun Tracey Harker 245/285, Veterans High Gun Irvine Wynyard 265/285 and Junior High Gun Harrison Bennett 225/285.

Thanks to all who helped and organised the running of the shoot. Bundaberg Clay Target

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Kevin Jarrick



A Grade High Gun –  
Nicho Nicholson



Overall High Gun  
Wyatt Vohland



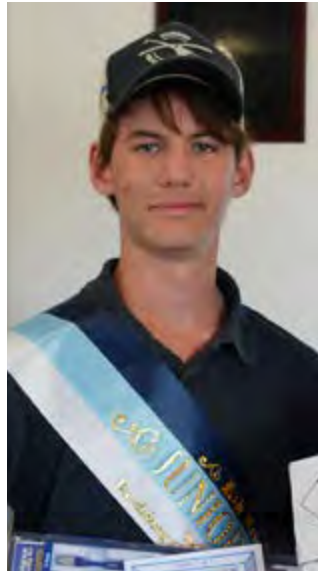
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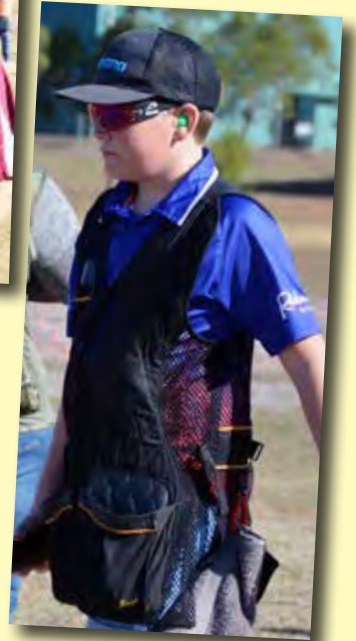


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# Peter Grant Memorial Shoot

## Alexandra Gun Club

**Peter Grant was a very keen trap shooter and member of the Alexandra Gun Club for over twenty years and was club Secretary for seven years until his sudden passing on November 19, 2022. To acknowledge Peter's passing the Alexandra Gun Club held a memorial shoot on Sunday 14th September 2025 at the Euroa Gun Club in Violet Town. The weather was excellent and forty-eight competitors came to compete in a three-event program and remember Peter.**

The first event was the Peter Grant Memorial event which was a 25 target Double Barrel Championship. Six shooters shot possible scores so a shoot-off was held. Terry Pigram from Wangaratta was the overall winner with a score of 67/67.

Event 1: 25 target Peter Grant Memorial. Overall and AA: Terry Pigram 67/67, 2nd Daryl Hunt 66/67. 1st A: John King 44/45, 2nd Al Kidd 43/44. 1st B: Laurie Fitzpatrick 43/44, 2nd John Foulkes 50/51. 1st C: Kevin Elward 27/28, 2nd Sharon Gogkin-Briggs 26/28.

The second event was the 20 target Double Barrel Highlands Sheild Championship and eight shooters shot possible scores so another shoot-off had to take place. Terry Pigram was again in the mix but his mate Daryl Hunt from Wangaratta got the better of him and Daryl won with a score of 55/55.

Event 2: 20 target Highlands Shield. Overall & AA: Daryl Hunt 55/55, 2nd Terry Pigram 54/55. 1st A: Al Kidd 42/43, 2nd John King 26/27. 1st B: Jake Shale 38/39, 2nd Gary Pronk 36/37. 1st C: David Wilson 24/25, 2nd Peter Gorrie 31/32.

The third event was the 20 target Double Barrel Highlands Shield Handicap and four shooters shot possible scores and you guessed it, another shoot-off was held. It didn't go for long and Andrew Murphy from St James won with a score of 23/23, from Alexandra President Geoff McClure 22/23. The backmarker winners were Keith Willet, Fred Heinze, Scott Mackenzie and Daryl Hunt.

Event 3: 20 target Highlands Shield Handicap. 1st Andrew Murphy 23/23, 2nd Geoff McClure 22/23, 3rd Owen Spencer 21/23.

The Highlands Shield was shot over the second and third events between Euroa, Mansfield and Alexanra Gun Clubs with teams of four shooters. Euroa had three teams; Alexandra two teams and Mansfield had one team. The Euroa Gun Club team of John Foulkes, Laurie Fitzpatrick, Owen Spencer and Paul McKendrick won with a score of 152/160.

During presentations all Alexandra Gun Club members were with new polo shirts, caps and metal badges with the Alexandra Gun Club emblem on each item. Members thanked Mark Spencer for doing the ground work and organising the garments and badges.

Till next time, keep practicing.



Terry Pigram, Overall Peter Grant Memorial Double Barrel



Daryl Hunt, Overall Highlands Shield Championship



Andrew Murphy Overall Highlands Shield Handicap



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Event	Athlete	AUS Eastern Time (AEDT)			Local Time	
Skeet (Women)	Laura Coles Aislin Jones	PET	09 OCT	5:00 PM	09 OCT	9:00 AM
		QF (50tgt)	10 OCT	5:00 PM	10 OCT	9:00 AM
		QF (50tgt)	11 OCT	5:00 PM	11 OCT	9:00 AM
		QF (25tgt)	12 OCT	5:00 PM	12 OCT	9:00 AM
		FINAL	12 OCT	11:00 PM	12 OCT	3:00 PM
Skeet (Men)	Matthew Everingham Frank Morris	PET	09 OCT	5:00 PM	09 OCT	9:00 AM
		QF (50tgt)	10 OCT	5:00 PM	10 OCT	9:00 AM
		QF (50tgt)	11 OCT	5:00 PM	11 OCT	9:00 AM
		QF (25tgt)	12 OCT	5:00 PM	12 OCT	9:00 AM
		FINAL	13 OCT	12:30 AM	12 OCT	4:30 PM
Trap (Women)	Kiara Dean Laetisha Scanlan Penny Smith	PET	14 OCT	5:00 PM	14 OCT	9:00 AM
		QF (50tgt)	15 OCT	5:00 PM	15 OCT	9:00 AM
		QF (50tgt)	16 OCT	5:00 PM	16 OCT	9:00 AM
		QF (25tgt)	17 OCT	5:00 PM	17 OCT	9:00 AM
		FINAL	17 OCT	11:00 PM	17 OCT	3:00 PM
Trap (Men)	Thomas Grice Mitchell Iles James Willett	PET	14 OCT	5:00 PM	14 OCT	9:00 AM
		QF (50tgt)	15 OCT	5:00 PM	15 OCT	9:00 AM
		QF (50tgt)	16 OCT	5:00 PM	16 OCT	9:00 AM
		QF (25tgt)	17 OCT	5:00 PM	17 OCT	9:00 AM
		FINAL	18 OCT	12:30 AM	17 OCT	4:30 PM
Trap (Mixed Team)	Penny Smith & Mitch Iles  Kiara Dean & Thomas Grice	QF (75tgt)	18 OCT	5:00 PM	18 OCT	9:00 AM
		FINAL	18 OCT	11:30 PM	18 OCT	3:30 PM

\* PET – Pre Event Training \* QF – Qualification

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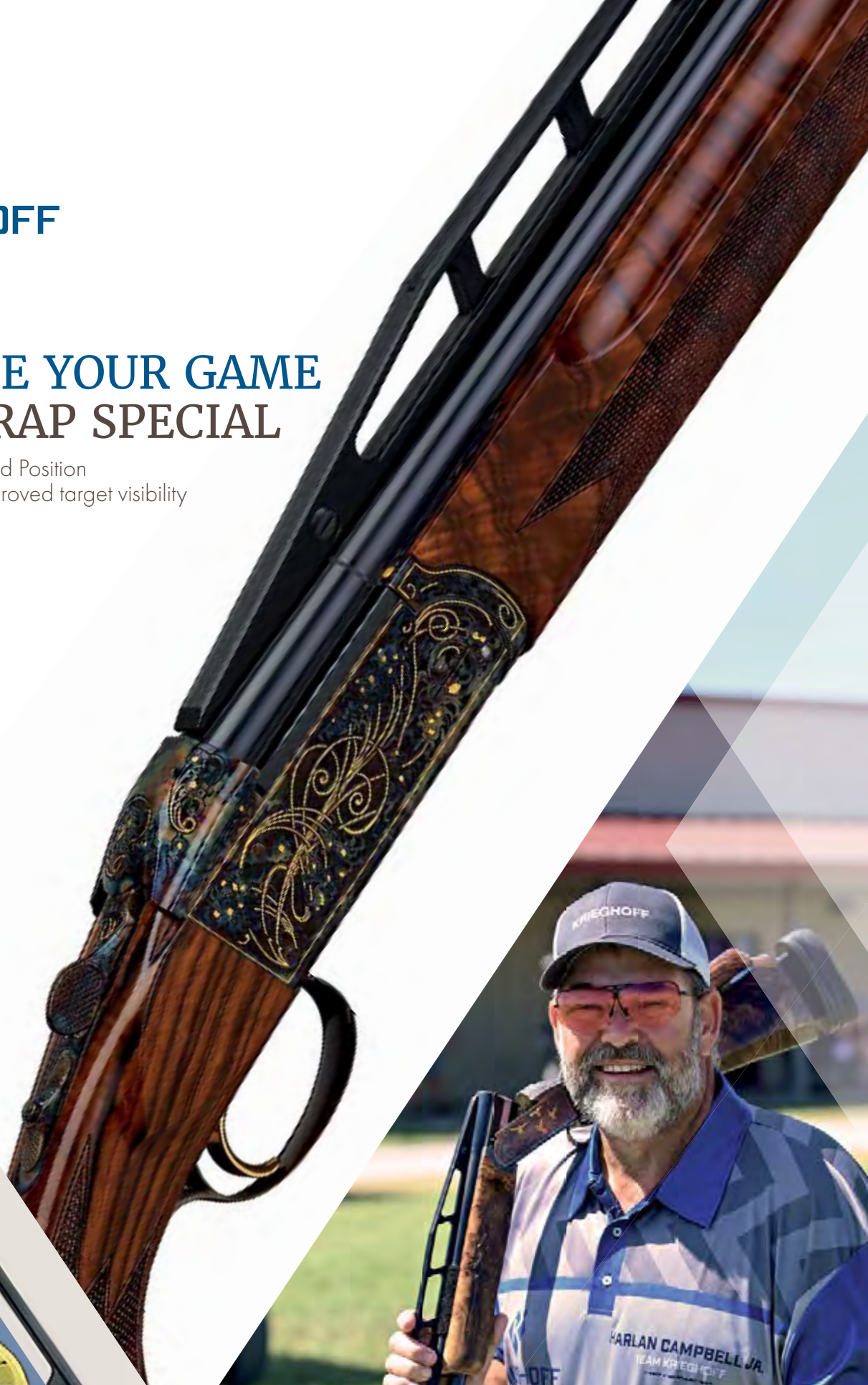
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# Castlemaine Clay Target Club

## SEPTEMBER SHOOT

The club held its September shoot under calm and sunny conditions. The events were 40 targets Double Barrel, followed by 40 targets Single Barrel.

This shoot produced some excellent results across both the Double Barrel and Single Barrel events. In the Double Barrel, consistency and accuracy stood out. In AA grade, Rowan Lendon was flawless, shooting a perfect 40/40, while Liam Marsh followed closely on 39/40. The A grade was equally competitive, with David Button narrowly edging ahead on 39/40, just one target clear of Brian Matthews on 38/40. In B grade, Ted Weeks claimed the top spot with 37/40, chased closely by Stuart Cox on 36/40. C grade saw a strong showing from James Lendon with 38/40, while Daryl Holt finished on 31/40.

The Single Barrel event provided another strong contest. AA grade once again belonged to Rowan Lendon, who finished on 42/45, only just ahead of Anthony Broad's 41/45. A grade produced tight shooting with Brian Matthews hitting 38/40, one better than Scott Farr on 37/44. In B grade, Paul West proved solid with 41/47, narrowly holding out Kevin Archibald on 40/47. C grade again featured James Lendon at the front with 36/40, followed by Daryl Holt on 26/40. With outstanding consistency across both events, it was



**Winning shooters: Brian Matthews, Dave Button, Rowan & Jim Lendon, Ted Weeks & Paul West**

no surprise that Rowan Lendon was named High Gun of the day, cementing his place as the standout shooter of the competition.

The shoot was kindly sponsored by Statewide Irrigation of Forest St, Castlemaine.

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# 2025 QCTA State Skeet Carnival

**The 2025 QCTA State Skeet Carnival, held in September from 18th – 21st September, at the Brisbane Gun Club, brought together many Queensland and interstate skeet shooters for a weekend of precision, camaraderie and celebration. With perfect spring conditions and a strong turnout from clubs, competitors showcased exceptional skill and sportsmanship across all grades and events.**

Thursday 18th September was Event 1 **50 target Qld State 28 Gauge Championship**. This was hard fought between 3 shooters with the eventual winner being Steven Makris from the Townsville Gun Club. Husband and wife duo of Lorraine and Nigel Hughes had to fight out for the AA 1st and 2nd with 'girl power' showing through with Lorraine inching out Nigel for 1st place and Nigel having to settle for 2nd in AA. Lorraine also took out the Ladies category in this event.

Event 2 was the **50 target Queensland State 410 Championship** with 52 competitors. There were no possibles in this event but young Austin Gibbes from NSWGC came home strongly with a 48/50 to win on a skinner. A shoot-off was held for the grade placings with Brisbane's very own, Craig O'Neill taking out 1st in AA with Caboolture Junior Luke Given in 2nd place. Austin also took out the Junior division in this event. A shoot-off between Vets Paul Johnston from Melbourne and Mal Briggs from the Brisbane GC, resulted in Paul coming out on top.

The 2nd day of competition started with the **50 target Queensland State 20 Gauge Championship**. There were 66 competitors for this event with Shane Bennett from Cecil Park CTC shooting the only possible. There were several shoot-offs for grades and categories with Lorraine Hughes, winning the AA Grade and close on her heels was Chris 'Stumpy' Stumkat from Toowoomba a close 2nd. Tracey Ashton from the Brisbane GC was the winner of A Grade and Amberley Emmett from Caboolture took out 2nd placing. Tracey Ashton also took out the Ladies and Veterans categories of this event.

Event 4 was the prestigious **50 target State Skeet Handicap** with a QCTA Silver Badge on offer, seeing 71 shooters vying for outright bragging rights. 13 people went into the shoot-off and after round 1 of the shoot-off 5 shooters were left. A tight shoot-off prevailed between Mark Corbett, Wayne Petersen and Jim Kalaboukas with the eventual winner being Jim Kalaboukas from the Frankston CTC with a total of 108/108. 2nd place was Mark Corbett of Cooma, 3rd Wayne Petersen from NSWGC, 4th Kevin Jones from Albany WA and lucky 5th was Jeremy Freeman from the Maryborough CTC.

79 brave shooters competed in event 5 on Saturday for the **100 target Queensland State 12g Skeet Championship**, all shooters trying to win the coveted QCTA Silver Badge. 2 shooters shot 99/100 with a short shoot-off to see Darren Reus from Brisbane take home the title. Young Athan Phillis from the Townsville GC was 1st in AA. Amberley Emmett was 1st in A, Russell Muller,



12g Overall Darren Reus with QCTA President Julie Allan



Amberley Emmett 12g Ladies



Austin Gibbes 12g Junior



Tracey Ashton 12g Veteran

a very talented DTL shooter trying his hand at Skeet, won B Grade and C Grade was won by Adam Rodowicz from Richmond River. Austin Gibbes, Amberley Emmett and Tracey Ashton took out Juniors, Ladies and Veterans respectively.

Midway through Saturday and a

highlight of the weekend was the induction of Craig O'Neill into the QCTA Hall of Fame – a fitting recognition for decades of dedication to the sport. Craig's contribution to Skeet shooting extends far beyond competition: he's been a mentor, volunteer, and ambassador, helping to grow the sport across Queensland and beyond.

In his acceptance, Craig reflected on the friendships and community spirit that define Skeet shooting. His induction drew a large crowd at the ceremony and is a testament to the respect and admiration he has earned throughout his career.

Since 2005 Craig has won many National, QLD, NSW, VIC, WA, SA titles and a New Zealand Skeet HC Champion. Craig was proudly presented with his certificate, plaque and maroon jacket from Laurie Sceresini and Julie Allan, President of the QCTA.



Champion of Champions Overall  
Craig O'Neill

The QCTA extends a huge congratulations to Craig O'Neill for his HoF Induction.

Event 6 was the 1st event on Sunday, **50 target Queensland State Champion of Champions**. This event was shot as 25 targets 12g and 25 targets 20g with 70 shooters. There were only 2 possibles for this event and the shoot-off between Craig O'Neill and Nigel Hughes was short and sweet.

Craig taking out the Overall and Nigel taking out 1st in AA. 2nd place was hard fought with 6 shooters and Steven Makris being the eventual winner after 8 targets. Amberley Emmett won A Grade with a shoot-off with Darren Reus. B Grade was won by David Williams with Kevin Jones 2nd and junior shooter, Oscar O'Neill from Brisbane, taking out 1st in C Grade with Adam Rodowicz 2nd. Luke Given was 1st Junior, Amberley Emmett Ladies and Mal Briggs took home the Veterans.

The last event of the program was the **50 target Queensland State Double Championship**, and with 70 shooters, Darren Reus took out Overall with the only 50/50. Craig O'Neill won AA, Lorraine Hughes A Grade, Rodney Gibbes B Grade and Jeremy Freeman 1st in C Grade. Austin Gibbes Junior, Lorraine Hughes Ladies and Mal Briggs winning Veterans section again.

The State Carnival is also where our Postal and Representative Teams for the 2026 Nationals are chosen. Congratulations to the following:

*Queensland Postal Teams*

Open: Darren Reus, Athan Phillis, Ray Mahony, Nigel Hughes, Joshua Teague, Amberley Emmett, Tahnee Davenport, Chris Stumkat, Russell Muller, Jason Phillis, Dean Baird, Mal Briggs, Craig O'Neill, John Rodden, Lorraine Hughes.

Junior: Luke Given, Oscar O'Neill, Jy Yarrow.



*Open Postal Team*



*Veterans Postal Team*



*Ladies Postal Team*

Ladies: Tracey Ashton, Suellen Stumkat, Jacinta Shand, Louise Harker, Julie Allan, Michelle Russell.  
 Veteran: Pat Plumridge, Steve Steenstrup, Glenn Reeves.

*Representative Team*

Darren Reus, Ray Mahony, Athan Phillis, Nigel Hughes, Joshua Teague.

*Queensland State Sections Team*

Junior: Luke Given, Oscar O'Neill, Jy Yarrow.

Ladies: Amberley Emmett, Tahnee Davenport, Lorraine Hughes.

Veteran: Tracey Ashton, Steve Steenstrup, Pat Plumridge.



*Representative Open Team*



*Representative Veterans Team*



Representative Ladies Team



Representative Junior Team



Open Team High Gun Mal Briggs

The Postal Team Champions for the Open Team was Mal Briggs from Brisbane GC with a credible 50/50. Junior Team Champion was Oscar O'Neill, Ladies Team Champion, Tracey Ashton and Veteran Team Champion, Steven Steenstrup from Toowoomba.

Lastly, our High Gun winners for the Carnival after some very stiff

competition saw Darren Reus from Brisbane take out the Overall High Gun with a very sound 291/300.



Junior Team High Gun Oscar O'Neill



Veterans Team High Gun Steven Steenstrup



Ladies Team High Gun Tracey Ashton

Shane Bennett from Cecil Park CTC took home the AA Grade High Gun after a shoot-off with Austin Gibbes, A Grade Amberley Emmett



Overall High Gun Darren Reus



AA Grade High Gun Shane Bennett



A Grade High Gun Amberley Emmett



*B Grade High Gun Kevin Jones*



*C Grade High Gun Oscar O'Neill*



*Junior High Gun Austin Gibbes*



*Veteran High Gun Mal Briggs*



*Ladies High Gun Amberley Emmett*



*High All Round High Gun Austin Gibbes*

Caboulture, B Grade Kevin Jones from Albany WA, C Grade Oscar O'Neill Brisbane GC, Junior HG was Austin Gibbes from NSWGC, Amberley Emmett, Ladies and Mal Briggs Veteran.

The High All Round from Event 1 to Event 7, was won by Austin Gibbes from NSWGC who took this out for the second year in a row.

The QCTA would like to say a big thank you to the Brisbane Gun Club and its members for hosting the 2025 State Skeet Carnival. The grounds were immaculate, targets great, and they even turned on some pretty good weather. We would also like to thank the Skeet sub-committee for their input into

the Carnival and all the help in making it so well-run. To all other volunteers, family members and anyone else that helped . . . thank you.

Lastly, thank you to all the shooters who attended, especially those who travelled long distances. We had shooters from Victoria, New South Wales, Western Australian and all over Queensland.

Congratulations to all the winners, and team members and look forward to seeing you in Blackwater next year for the 2026 State Skeet Carnival.

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# Western Zone Monthly Muster

**Kicking off the month of September we head to ST GEORGE for their annual 2 day. St George lit up the night sky with a 50 target State Night Single Barrel shoot with an unprecedented 72 shooters, proving that nothing brings people together like the chance to shoot a little white disk out of the sky.**

Brayden McKee proved that shooters like nothing better than winning on home turf, 48/50. AA Joe Rapisarda 46/50 (6/7) nailed it. A Brett Fullerton 46/50, A Will Bradford 45/50, B Seamus Filan 45/50, C Tony Griinke 40/50. Junior Jaiden Johnson 44/50 we love that young gun energy, Ladies Viv Moore and Veteran John Smith Snr.

Saturday saw 116 competitors kick off the Medley madness and a crisp 16.4 deg warming to a very shootable 28 deg, the only thing hotter than the weather was the competition. AA with a 5-way split Dan Johnston, Kim Nealon, Brayden McKee, Mark Pomerence, Greg Matson with a 49/50. A grade 4 way tie with Phil McWhirter, Guy McPherson, Lauren Love, Gus Gibbs with a 49/50. B grade Brian Muirson 47/50 no sharing here. C grade shared by Tony Griinke, Jane Kirby and Taite

Cusack 44/55. Points Score drama with two possibles at 75/75 setting up a Western Zone showdown between Moonies Ken Gitrow



*Viv Moore & Steph Matson*

and legend Clayton Cusack. The shoot-off? A Pawpaw spectacular, Clayton clipped his second shot, Ken missed both. Brutal! Overall Clayton Cusack 75/75 (2/3), AA grade Ken McBean 74/75, A grade Guy McPherson 74/75(12/12), B grade Ken Giltreo 75/75(0/3), C grade Dean Champion 66/75.

Then came the Handicap chaos with 3 possibles followed by an army of 29/30. 1st Will Bradford 30/30 (22/22) 2nd Micky Gibbs 30/30 (21/22),



*St George sash winners*

3rd Jeffery Mitchell 30/30 (12/13), 4th Dusty Dallas 29/30 (9/10), 5th Alex-John Codrington 29/30(7/8).

The Double Barrel epic – hot days and hotter scores. 11 shooters went 50/50 but it dragged on into the night and had to be finished at 8 am Sunday. Enter Brayden McKee, who shot an insane 221 to win. Meanwhile B grade turned into a ladies final and Steph Matson celebrated beating Greg before she got her medal. Overall Brayden Mckee 50/50 (171/171), AA grade John Reid 50/50 (170/171), A grade Tony Coleman 50/50 (33/34), B grade Steph Matson 49/50 (19/19), insert victory dance. C grade Hans Model 46/50 (2/3). Junior Jaiden Johnson 50/50 (13/14), Ladies Macka Codrington 49/50 (48/48), Veteran Kim Nealon 49/50 (27/27).

The Continental Clash – Brayden McKee the only possible of the event with many donations to the Pawpaw club . . . we thank you for your sacrifice. Overall Brayden McKee 50/50, AA grade Ben McDougall 49/50, A grade Terry Johnstone 49/50, B grade Frankie Robinson 47/50, C grade Janet Barden 43/50. Junior Dusty Dallas 47/50 (8/8), Ladies Macka Codrington 48/50 and Veteran Kim Nealon 48/50.

The Double Rise final, two targets at once, twice the chaos. Squad 2 had a re-shoot due to ref confusion which is not the advantage anyone hoped for. Jess Rob and Dan Cameron headed to a shoot-off with Dan the victor. Overall Dan Cameron 27/30(9/10), AA grade Alex Dallas 26/30 (44/50), A grade Jess Robb 27/30 (8/10), B grade Mickey Gibbs 25/30 (7/10), C grade Philip McWhirter 26/30.

High Guns – consistency vs chaos. Despite winning basically everything, Brayden McKee was edged out

by Greg Matson 272/285, proving slow and steady does beat young and flashy. AA grade Brayden Mckee 271/285, A grade Will Bradford 267/285, B grade Cindy McBean 253/285, C grade Tony Griinkle 234/285. Junior Mickey Gibbs 262/285 and Veteran John Reid 266/285. Thank you, St George, for a fun filled weekend.

**ROMA** Single Barrel Cup on Sept 6th saw 15 shooters with a score sheet resembling a sudoku puzzle.

Event 1 25 target Skeet Singles Handicap. 1st Richard Morrison 24(+1)/25+5(+1)/6 (trust us he won), 2nd Ian Johnston 21(+4)/25+4/6, 3rd Tony Allen 21(+3)/25+1/1, 4th Matt Moller 19(+5)/25+0/1, 5th Cindy Wilkin 16(+5)/25.

Event 2 50 target Single Barrel. The Cameron kids came to play while dad was off winning things in St George, divide and conquer. Overall Lily Cameron 47/50, AA grade Richard Morrison 46/50 (12/12), A grade Kelly Hafemeister 46/50, B grade Kevin Perrin 43/50, C grade Ian Allen 45/80.

Event 3 50 target Handicap, shoot-offs galore, any longer and they may have needed headlights. 1st Matt Moller (AA21) 48/50+20/20, 2nd Lily Cameron (A19) 48/50+19/20, 3rd Richard Morrison (AA24) 47/50, 4th Fletcher Cameron (AA22) 46/50+1/1. High Guns Overall Richard Morrison 117/125, Ladies Cindy Wilkin 100/125, Veteran Ian Johnston 104/125.

### **KINGAROY CLAY TARGET CLUB**

Ken Mills 100 target Double Barrel Day, Sept 7th, saw 25 shooters lined up neater than a car yard.

Overall, Cameron Brown 94/100 +10/11, AA grade Bill Allan 92/100, A grade Jason Darlington



St George, Dan Cameron, Steph Matson, Greg Matson



Kingaroy, Col Gurski & Ken Mills



Kingaroy, Andrew Oakford



Kingaroy, Bill Allan



Kingaroy, Jackson Stallwood



Andrew Oakford



No stress at Kingaroy



94/100+9/11, Col Gurski 94/100+4/5, B grade Andrew Oakford 92/100, Jackson Stallwood 90/100, C grade Fred Stallwood 92/100, David O'Hanlon 82/100+2/2.

Elsewhere **WARWICK CLAY TARGET CLUB** monthly shoot. Richard Gore (Chinchilla), lone Western Zone invader, didn't just survive, he pillaged . . . 1st A grade Combo (49/50) 1st A grade Double Barrel (50/50), Overall High Gun 122/125. Basically he walked in, took the loot and left everyone else wondering what just happened.

**CONDAMINE** – The Champion of Champions (Saturday September 13th) sponsored by CRC Electrical, where sparks fly both in wiring and on the trap line. It was a big day at Condamine but let's dive in.

Matt Bach produced a masterclass in consistency, smashing 124/125 in the Champion of Champions. Richard Morrison secured the Overall High Gun with a score of 167/175, earning the title and green sash. Keiron Jeffery outshot Neil James in A grade with a nail-biting shoot-off 116/125 (23/25). Neil blames caffeine withdrawal, we blame nerves. Kelly Sturges stole C grade in style 104/125.

Handicap hijinks followed with Matt Millar laying down an almost flawless 49/50 making the clays seriously reconsider their life choices, Richard Gor hot on his heels with a 48/50. The four-way shoot-off for third place (Cam Sturgess, Jeffery Mitchell, Les Merton and Neil James) ended uneventfully, with no Pawpaw donation and zone headquarters considering fines for insufficient entertainment.

**CENTRAL BURNETT GUN CLUB**

Sunday September 14th, Father's Day Special, happy Father's Day to all our fathers. With eight shooters, plenty of clays.

Jason Darlington put on a dominant display, winning A grade and High Gun with 138/155. Lincoln Driver claimed the Double Rise 26/30 and B grade High Gun. Stacey D'andilly flew the flag for the ladies keeping Central Burnett stylish as ever. Mitchel Anger repped for the juniors, we're all just waiting for the day he explodes into A grade dominance.

Away Games – Western Zone Travelling Circus, because our shooters just can't sit still. **MACKAY & SARINA CLAY TARGET** 2-day Carnival. Frankie Robinson casually nailed second in B grade Double Barrel with a perfect 30/30 (2/3).

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**GOONDIWINDI GUN CLUB** 2-day carnival, the Western Zone edition. Goondiwindi put on a cracker of a carnival and the Western Zone shooters showed up with guns blazing, barrels smoking and in some cases knees wobbling.

Event 1: Goondiwindi Hydraulics 50 target Double Barrel, Patrick McNaulty (St George) started the weekend with a neat 48/50 (1/1).

Event 2: Mick O'Shea Memorial 50 target Single Barrel. Tarawera's Ray Christie bagged A Grade with a tidy 47/50. But the real Western Zone highlight? A three-way B Grade shoot-off between Patrick McNaulty, Ken "The Silver Fox" Giltrow (Moonie), and David "Not Today Boys" Turvey (St George). David stood tall and took the podium for third with a 43/50 (3/3), leaving the others shaking their heads. Ben Maher wasn't about to be left out, smashing C grade this a 43/50 (6/7).

Event 3: Pfingst Family 30 target Points Score. Patrick backed it up with a B Grade second with 84/90, while Ben Maher snatched another win in



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C Grade on 88/90. Tarawera's John Fea was hot on his heels with 84/90 for second.

Event 4: Michael and Katrina Gibbs 75 target Medley. Ray Christie did Tarawera proud again, locking down 2nd in A grade with a 121/125 that would make most of us retire our guns on the spot. Ben Maher added yet another medal to the Moonie haul with C Grade 2nd and Ken Giltrow nabbed 2nd in Veterans after a solid 109/125 (46/50).

Event 5: Pacific Seeds and Toms Tarps 30 target Handicap. This one had it all. Condamine's Nick Warden lined up a perfect 30/30 in the Handicap, however donating to the Pawpaw club in the shoot-off with a grace worthy of applause and still came away with 3rd. Meanwhile Ben Maher hit 29/30 and went 3/3 in the shoot-off to claim 4th.

High Guns: B Grade Patrick McNaulty (St George) 310/345, C Grade Ben Maher (Moonie) 314/345.

### TOOWOOMBA CLAY TARGET CLUB

All Black Target Day. A day for style, swagger and a few shooters proving that black really is slimming (especially on the score sheet)

Event 1: 25 target Double Barrel cash divide. In AA Grade Ken McBean (St George) shared top honours with Nathan Muller and Keith Simpson. A three-way tie proving on that AA shooters don't just chase targets . . . they chase symmetry.

Event 2: 50 target Points Score. Ken McBean cleaned up with a 147/150 (35/36). B Grade saw Hunter Collins (Condamine) survive a shoot-off with a 137/150 (2/3), yes technically a Pawpaw,



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Toowoomba, Hunter Collins

but enough to edge out Craig Stevens, who generously donated with a 0/3, some stumble into the Pawpaw club, others a dramatic swan dive.

Event 3: 20 target Single Barrel from 11 metres. A nostalgic nod to the good old days when front markers were closer to the trap house than the tea tent. Ken McBean nabbed 2nd in AA with a 20/20 (12/13) just shy of perfection.



Toowoomba, Bill Allan

Event 4: 15 pair Double Rise. Bill Allen (Dalby) better known these days as Queensland's first husband (since wife Julie is the State President), pulled rank in B Grade with a 26/30. Rumour has it, Bill missed four because Julie texted mid-round to ask if he'd remembered the milk.



Toowoomba, Ken McBean

With the warmer weather Kingaroy monthly night shoots resumed with nine shooters taking to the line under lights.

A grade Gary Brown 45/50 for the win with Steve McCullough and Stewart Lee tied for 2nd. B Grade Peter Powne fired a tidy 44/50 keeping Peter O'Hanlan 43/50 firmly

in the rearview mirror. C Grade Fred Stallwood 45/50.

QCTA Skeet champion saw a handful of Western Zoner legends make their way to the championships including our Zone and State President Julie Allan. Julie shot her way into the

shoot-off for the 50 target State Skeet Handicap and even had a crack at the lady's team place, proof once again that Western Zone shooters don't just show up, they make themselves heard.

### September 20 **MARANOVA SPORTING**

**CLAYS INC** monthly shoot with 5 competitors. This shoot was more like a feisty dinner at nan's. 1st Sam Moore 38/50, 2nd Kevin Perin 35/50, 3rd Ian Darwin 32/50, 4th Erika Toth 27/50, 5th Lane Moore 22/50.

### September 21 **MOONIE CLAY TARGET**

monthly shoot. Now Moonie isn't for the faint of heart, four traps, four backgrounds, one cemetery, where half the shooters reckon there are ghosts playing with the traps. But this Saturday it was Jason Sipple's playground.

Event 1 (Double Barrel) 25/25, Event 2 (Point Score) 75/75. Event 3 (Single Barrel) 25/25. Event 4 (Handicap) 22/25. Event 5 (Continental) 24/25.

Overall, with a 171/175, Jason Sipple. Basically, he shot like Moonie owed him money. Special mention to Shawn Nothdurft who tried to keep the pressure on by sticking with him, but this was the Sipple show, everyone else had guest starring roles. Special mention to Ray Christie, A grade, stubbornly holding the line despite nil seconds in every event. Claud Nicula, who quietly collected a string of seconds like they were Pokémon cards. C grade hero's D'Arcy Davidson and Scott Borchardt proving that Moonie doesn't play favourites – it haunts everyone equally.

In **WANDOAN** eight competitors, one medley and a couple of family bragging rights. Event 1 60 target Medley. Mark Pomeranke smashed out 88/100 in AA grade proving there's still plenty of fight in the big grades. Robbie Cusack ruled A grade with 81/100 while Cam Sturges and Neil James tied for second. Peter Mitchell topped B grade with 82/100 stalked by Scott Pomeranke 80/100. C grade Stephen Phelps went ballistic with 86/100, yep C GRADE, while Kelly Sturgess grabbed second with 72/100. Event 2 Handicap, Peter Mitchell (B16) snagged 1st with 46/50, and Stephen Phelps (C15) wasn't far behind with a 44/50. High Guns: Overall Stephen Phelps 130/150, that's right

C grade walked off with the big prize, expect promotion papers in the post Stephen. Ladies Kelly Sturgess 112/150 kept the family name front and centre on the leader board.

Out of the zone this week because Western Zones shooters don't like staying in their own back yard.



Tambo Veteran High Gun  
Spike Scouller



Tambo C Grade High Gun  
Jeffery Mitchell



Tambo Double Barrel  
Richard (Kiwi) Morrison

The town of **TAMBO** turned on the sunshine, red dirt and the kind of scores that make you question whether some of these shooters have cyborg eyes.

Event 1 50 target Double Barrel, Roma's own Richard Morrison hammered out a perfect 50/50 and followed it with a casual 70/70 in the shoot-offs, didn't miss a single clay all day. Somewhere in the distance an echo whispered "good luck topping that".

Event 2 30 target Single Barrel, Susie Picone of Scrubby Creek showing everyone exactly how it's done. One of only 3 possibles with a 30/30 and calmly bagged an 8/9 in the shoot-off to secure B grade 1st.

In Charleville Nick Chicalas wasn't far behind rolling in with 28/30+(4/4) for 2nd.

Event 3 30 target Points Score – James Gall Memorial. Richard Morrison is back in the action, taking second with an 89/90+(21/21) Kingaroy's Pat Moloney 87/90 and Charleville's Nick Chicalas,

85/90 both slotted into 2nd in their respected grades, proving that Western Zone shooters travel well. But it was Condamine's Jeffery Mitchell's 90/90, one of only 3 and he ended the day 2nd overall taking the C grade gold instead.

Event 4 50 target State Continental Championship. Jeffery wasn't done, he bagged 47/50 to take C grade 1st while Kingaroy's Daryl Bucholz kept things interesting by smashing 45/50+(1/1) while his opponent donated to the Pawpaw club.

High Guns: C grade Jeffery Mitchell 229/250 a full 8 points clear of his closest rival, the man came, he saw, and he absolutely refused to miss. Veterans Chinchilla's Spike Scouller edged home with 235/250, sneaking past Glen Reynolds by a single point, experience beats youth once again. While Dalby's Bree Schrag deserves thunderous applause for snagging the encouragement award in her first ever 2 day and quietly beating her husband's score in the process.

**BALLANDEAN** monthly played host to St George's Ken McBean who found himself in fine form until the shoot-off, a sudden unscheduled Pawpaw appointment saw him slip into AA second.

Over in **MARYBOROUGH**, Kingaroy's junior dynamo Jackson Stallwood racked up 111/155 to take out Junior overall. Jackson's got the stamina of a marathon runner and the reflexes of a startled cat, proof the Stallwood dynasty is alive and well.

September 27th and 28th. If Dalby is the big smoke and Tambo is the proving ground them **SCRUBBY CREEK** is something else entirely. It's dusty, its rowdy, it's where Western Zone sheds its inhibitions and decides that sleep is an optional extra. It's the Melbourne Cup of the Tambo Scrubby Creek circuit, half shoot, half endurance test and all legend. 75 shooters braved the red dirt and the iconic tank stand shower (widely regarded as the best in Australia). The Mark Doyle Memorial Handicap Points Score kicked things off. Angus Anderson (B17) shot like a man possessed, dropping just one target out of 90 to take first. Darren Knight (AA20) for second and rounding out the podium for third Aaron Death (AA21).

Event 1 30 target Medley Cash Divide. AA grade Darren Knight ran them all 50/50. A grade Spike Scouller 49/50. B grade Charlie Brandt 48/50 and C grade Daryl Buchholz 44/50. Darren Knight

was looking like the weekend's boss level villain and Spike decided A grade was his playground.

Even 2 25 target Double Barrel. This one belonged to David Oicone who went 25/25+(40/40) to claim overall and local hero honours. AA grade to Jack Brandt only missed one in the shoot-off, finishing with a 25/25+(39/40) to secure 1st place. Steve Baynes 25/25+(30/31) claimed A grade with Scott Bredhauer claimed B grade 25/25+(10/11) C grade saw Daryl Buchholz take the win with a 24/25.

Event 3 25 target Points Score and David Picone takes the overall with a 75/75+(33/33). AA grade Joe Taylor 75/75, Jason Glover nailed A grade 74/75+(39/39). B grade Nick Chicalas smacked a 74/75. C grade went to Holly Russel 68/75.

Event 4 25 target Single Barrel. No-one could touch Spike Scouler who smoked a 25/25 for the overall. AA grade Pat Sanders 23/25. A grade Clint Abel 23/25, Brian Muirson 22/25(7/7) for B grade. C grade Holly Russell with a 22/25.

Event 5, 30 target Handicap, the most brutal of contests and Joe Taylor delivered under pressure 30/30+(8/8) to book his golden ticket to the 2026 Western Zone Handicap Shootout Spectacular in Dalby. Richard Holmes took 2nd with a 30/30+(7/8), Craig Barnes for 3rd 30/30+(6/7) and Darren Lehmann 30/30 but fell victim to the Pawpaw curse and finished 4th.

Event 6 Points in the Gully. This is where Scrubby Creek shows its true colours, a layout featuring actual trees in front of traps. No excuses, no takebacks, if your clay smashes bark its gone.

Overall Richard Holmes 60/60 and king of the trees. AA Joe Taylor 55/60, A grade Spike Scouler 53/60, B grade Matt Marks 57/60 and C grade Simon Zeller 51/60+(3/3), just ahead of Dan Lehmann cursed by the Pawpaw Gods for the second time. When the dust had settled . . . literally . . . Darren Knight claimed overall high

gun with 200/205, Joe Taylor a whisper behind claimed AA 199/205 while Spike Scouler took the A grade on 197/205. Charlie Brandt topped B grade 189/205, Holly Russel owned C grade 182/205 and Lachlan Anderson 126/205 secured junior honours. Ladies saw a cracking shoot-off with Deserie Baynes 189/205+(21/24) edging out Celest Barnes 189/205+(20/24) and Veterans went to Nick Chicalas 188/205.

**EUMAMURRIN GUN CLUB** and the Kevin Wilkin Memorial shoot once again lived up to its reputation: 30 shooters, a crowd of cheerleaders, plenty of laughs and at least one competitor in pyjamas. Fletcher Cameron claimed overall high gun, but as he's already locked in his ticket to the Christmas shoot-out, the ticket fell to Dan Cameron. Dan accepted the honour in his trademark fashion: loud, proud and reportedly still in his sleepwear. The highly coveted Kevin Wilkins



*Eumamurrin, Dan Cameron*



*Eumamurrin, Fletcher Cameron*



*Eumamurrin*

Memorial Shield went to the unstoppable Deauville Doubles pairing of Hugh Cameron and Helen Wilkin, ten pair, ten shells, zero misses somewhere Kevin himself is smiling. The day brought out both new and returning faces. Mark Warner dusted off the cobwebs and reminded everyone he's more a lurking predator than rusty shooter. With special guest squad led by Murray Gibson of Gibson Drilling Service Pty Ltd newest sponsor, who not only brought shooters but also supports the club's future. Special thanks to Yvonne Freeman whose chocolate cake nearly overshadowed the shooting . . . nearly!

Event 1 15 target Double Barrel, AA grade Fletcher Cameron, A grade Rohan Jamieson, B grade Tony Allen and C grade Helen Wilkin.

Event 2 25 target Single Barrel, AA grade Fletcher Cameron, A grade Nicholas Guthrie, B grade Ian Johnston and C grade Helen Wilkin.

Event 3 25 target Points Score, A grade Brett Fullerton, B grade Kevin Perrin, C grade Abigail Guthrie.

From the dust of Eumamurrin to **DALBY'S** monthly shoot. 24 shooters lined up for the big day. The Single Barrel and Double Barrel events were both hotly contested with plenty of shoot-offs and at least one noble Pawpaw.

Event 1 50 target Single Barrel. AA grade Robert Delbridge 46/50, A grade Keith Simpson, B grade Peter Purkis and C grade Kelly Sturgess and Robert Taylor's generous donation to the Pawpaw club.

Event 2 50 target Double Barrel. AA grade Ken McBean 49/50+(25/25), A grade Jaiden Johnson 47/50, B grade Asti Sommerfield 47/50 and C grade Dyson Taylor 45/50.

Between Eumamurrin and Dalby, the weekend delivered everything a Western Zone shooter could want, but a few crossed borders, they may be out of the Zone but never out of the spotlight.

### **BLACKALL CLAY TARGET CLUB.**

Wednesday night "Shoot the Outback" saw Matt Moller (Roma) tied for second in AA with a crisp 49/50. While Bill Allen (Dalby) proved steady as ever in A grade with a 46/50. The real celebrity moment though? Spotting country crooner Jason Owen, the bloke from the X factor, swinging a shotgun instead of a microphone.

Meanwhile in **TEXAS** for the Texas Clay Target



Texas, Clayton Cusack



Texas, Greg Matson



Texas

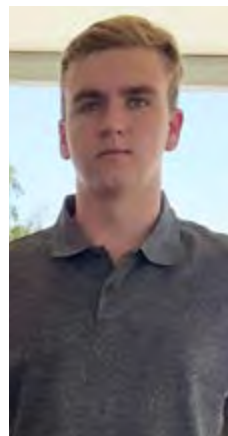
Club 2 day Annual, things got proper Texan (the Queensland version). Rodney Woodrow (Wandoan) freshly promoted to A grade with a 75/75 to share first place. Event 2 30 target Medley John McNaulty (St George) took 2nd in B grade with a 49/50 while junior hotshot Taito Cusack (Condamine) stormed home in C grade with 47/50. Event 4 25 target Double Barrel Sweepstake, AA grade was an 18-way tie . . . yep 18, but Condamine's



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Clayton Cusack and Mathew Bache held up the Western Zone flag. In C grade, Taite the streak alive with a 23/25. Event 5 50 target Points Score, Clayton Cusack shot a sizzling 149/150 only to go down to Central Zones very own Alex Dallas. In C grade Taite's 137/150+(2/3) gave him the win – technically a Pawpaw missed the first point. Event 6 30 target Continental, Taite again a perfect 30/30+(13/14). Rumour has it he was more thrilled with beating dad's score than making the overall shoot-off. High Guns Clayton Cusack tied for the top overall on



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375/380 but just missed out on the silverware. Meanwhile in C grade Taite finished with 342/380 – 8 points clear of his nearest rival . . . kid's on fire.

Lastly in **TOOGOOLAWAH** Fred Stallwood (Kingaroy) nailed C grade in 100 target Double Barrel with 85/100+(16/16), but bragging rights didn't last long. Son Jackson not only outscored him, but he also walked away with Junior High Gun, the Stallwood household leaderboard is getting fiercer by the week.



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Hello Shooters,

November issue of the CTSN already?

Where has the year gone, soon we will be welcoming in a new year.

Speaking of NEW, have you heard, the NSWCTA has a new President!

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# Psychological Skills for Shooting

by Michael Kruger-Davis

## Motivation to train

Facebook can be a wonderful thing. I have recently started to follow 'Millie: the pocket psychologist'. Millie provides sixty second snippets of a cognitive-behavioural therapy approach known as Acceptance and Commitment Therapy (ACT) for dealing with a range of issues such as anxiety, motivation, trauma, how the brain works, etc.

Recently a clip examining motivation turned up on the facebook feed.

Before I go into the steps that Millie suggests, to foster motivation, I want to explore some theoretical aspects of motivation.

Motivated people achieve and get things done. Motivated shooters achieve. Achievement doesn't just mean winning. Achievement can be shooting a personal best, meeting your practise or competition goals or just having fun.

How do we know someone is motivated? They act like they love the activity they are doing.

According to Burton & Raedeke (2008), Motivation is reflected by three behaviours:

**Choice:** Motivation shows in the choices athletes make regarding setting goals, practising, off field training, mental rehearsal, etc.

**Effort:** Motivation is also reflected in how much effort the athlete or shooter gives – how intensely they train, complete strive to achieve their goals.

**Persistence:** Motivation levels can be seen in how long athletes persist in striving to attain their goals, especially in the face of adversity and obstacles.

Motivation can be defined using Achievement Goal Theory, which suggests that two major goal perspectives operate in an achievement

context such as sport: a task orientation and an ego orientation. Put simply, a task orientation implies that one participates in an activity for its own intrinsic properties. The enjoyment of the game, the way we feel when we smoke the target, or catch a great wave, or sink a tricky putt. There is a great inner sense of satisfaction when we do well or when we have achieved a personal best. Ego orientation (or outcome goal orientation) on the other hand has participants striving to demonstrate superior ability compared to everyone else or avoiding the demonstration of incompetence. Both these orientations are within all of us. For most part, ego orientation can get in the way of us achieving our best. Because we are focusing on ourselves as opposed to the task we tend to let our mind drift back to the past (where we can formulate judgements about past performances or about our ability). Ego orientation also lets us think about the future (where we can develop anxieties and worries about failure or discredit). A good way to deal with goal orientation during the competition is to focus on the process (the task: shooting the target) and let the product (the score, the trophy) look after itself.

For most people the idea of motivation involves the last minute, pre-game pep talk, where the coach gets the team aroused and motivated. This idea needs to be discarded. The proper time to work on sustaining motivation is outside the competition. This might involve your attitude to exercise, training, relaxation, learning a new skill or technique through coaching, etc.

Millie, the pocket psychologist, suggests the following:

- **Motivation follows action every time.** Once you start doing something you will be more

motivated to keep going. If you know you should exercise, do yoga or start relaxing, then once you start doing the activities you will be more inclined to keep going.

- ✦ **Discipline beats motivation every time.** Rather than think you will keep going because you are 'motivated', be disciplined in your approach. Being disciplined to do something will actually beat motivation every time.
- ✦ **Small wins create big momentum.** When you start to exercise and you feel better, the feel-good hormone effects will push you on to even bigger successes. These small successes are the scaffolding to achieve greater things in the future.
- ✦ **You won't always feel like it but do it anyway.** This is where discipline helps. On those days where you don't feel like getting going, push yourself. Once you start the benefits will outweigh and lethargy or reluctance you felt before you started.
- ✦ **Progress not perfection keeps motivation alive.** Motivation is about focusing on the process to achieve a goal. The result does not have to be perfect every time, but any result will keep you going to achieve something better next time.
- ✦ **Two-minute rule.** If you reluctant to start exercising, or relaxing or training today, then try the two-minute rule. Give it a go for two minutes. You will mostly just keep going because as I said in the first dot point the motivation to keep going will just happen after the action has started. As Millie says, "Tell yourself you will do it for two minutes, and once you start momentum takes over and motivation shows up late".

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# Competition Results



## QCTA

### Atherton 28/09/2025

27 degrees, partly cloudy, light breeze 8km/hr (35): 25T DB CD: AA: J Smaniotta 25/25, B Harrison (V) 25/25; A: A Birch 25/25, F Scamnello 25/25; B: M Costa (V) 24/25, A Strano (V) 24/25, M Stella 24/25, E Collins (V) 24/25; C: C Cannon 23/25, D Luscombe 23/25, J Collins (V) 23/25, P Hickson 23/25, R Draper (V) 23/25; 25T SB: AA: J Smaniotta 23/25, B Harrison (V) 20/25; A: K Williams (L) 26/26, A Birch 25/26; B: P Vit (V) 23/25, M Stella 22/25; C: L Barletta 23/25, P Hickson 23/26; 30T Medley: AA: J Smaniotta 49/50, B Harrison (V) 48/50; A: P Threlfall 50/50, A Casella (V) 49/50; B: M Stella 49/50, A Strano (V) 71/75; C: P Hickson 72/75, M Martin (V) 63/75; 25T CONT PS: AA: D Ellery 74/75, B Harrison (V) 87/90; A: F Scamnello 72/75, P Threlfall 76/81; B: E Collins (V) 72/75, P Vit (V) 69/75; C: R Draper (V) 70/75, P Hickson 69/75; HC: OPEN: B Harrison AA22 (V) 25/25, T Barletta C15 30/31, A Birch A19 29/31.

### Ballandean 21/09/2025

Sunny, warm, some wind (33): 50T DB: OA: C Favaro 89/89; AA: G Costanzo 50/51, K McBean 49/51; A: P Westbury 88/89, L Costanzo 64/66; B: H Brown 59/60, L Scalia 58/60; C: C Shaw 46/50, D Shaw 45/50; 50T PS: OA: H Brown 149/150; AA: G Costanzo 148/150, L Loudon 145/150; A: D Crotty 144/150, A Wilmot 143/150; B: Z Scalia 142/150, L Scalia 141/150; C: D Kennedy 136/150, C Shaw 133/150.

### Brisbane 24/09/2025

Mild (25): 75T Night Medley: OPEN: K Stevens 168/175; AA: B Jurd 167/175, S Shariati Rad 165/175; A: M Davis 159/175, J Castellino 156/175; B: G Buchanan 165/175, P Van De Langenberg 163/175; C: J King 150/175, T Patrick 144/175.

### Brisbane 28/09/2025

Warm (41): 25 Pr D/R CD: AA:

A Incani 45/50, P Hill 44/50; A: J Porter 42/50, R Esposito, K Stevens 40/50; B: G Crouch 42/50, S Shariati Rad 41/50; C: V Scrooby 36/50, B Buncic 34/50; 25T SB: AA: A Incani 27/27, B Jurd 26/27; A: B Cummings 33/33, J Laird 32/33; B: R Esposito 24/26, G McClymont 23/36; C: J King 22/25, T Patrick 21/25; 25T PS: AA: S Patrick 74/75, J Langridge 73/75; A: S Weeden 78/78, P Strange 77/78; B: P Van De Langenberg 72/75, B Buncic 69/75; C: D Incani 70/75, T Crandon 68/75; 25T HC: 1 B Cummings 33/33, 2 P Van De Langenberg 32/32, 3 S Shariati Rad 46/47.

### Brisbane 05/10/2025

Sunny (14): 100T ISSF Trench: A: M Lisy 93/100, M Psaras 89/103; B: R Esposito 85/100, G Govan 73/100; C: I Stark 75/100, T Patrick 69/100.

### Brisbane 05/10/2025

Sunny (21): 125T SKT: AA: L Given 119/125, C O'Neill 118/125; A: L Hughes 121/125, S Hook 117/125; B: K Peacock 106/125, C Pedler 105/125; C: J Reeves 105/125, O O'Neill 97/125.

### Bundaberg 04/10/2025

Windy (9): 25T SKT OG CD: AA: D Reus 20/25; A: J Freeman 19/25; B: T Delley & A Spinks 23/25; C: D Large 21/25; 25T SKT HC: 1st A Spinks 25/25, 2nd D Large 25/25, 3rd T Delley 25/25 all with HC; 26T DB: A: A Spinks 22/26; C: J Freeman 23/26.

### Bundaberg 05/10/2025

Windy (20): 25T DB: AA: D Large 25/25; A: P Rehbein & A Ford 50/50; B: T Harker 23/25; C: M Holmes 23/25; 25T DB: AA: B Harker & D Large 24/25; A: P Rehbein 31/31; B: C Large 22/25; C: K Rehbein 25/25; 25T DB PTS: AA: G Mathews 75/75; A: S Smith 71/75; B: C Large 69/75; C: Connor Large 70/75; 25T PTS: AA: G Mathews 75/75; A: S Smith 74/75; B: N McKane 74/75; C: B Fisher 64/75; HG: OA: G Mathews 196/200; JNR: Connor

Large 169/200; Badge on 100T P Rehbein 98/100.

### Caboolture 14/09/2025

(14): 50T SKT Singles CD: OPEN: G Walker 50/50; AA: J Teague 47/50, L Hughes 46/50, R Ball 46/50; A: G Walker 50/50, L Murray 48/50, E Benjamin 48/50; B: C Glasgow 46/50, G McKay 45/50; C: J Shand 38/50, C Shand 33/50; 50T SKT Singles CS: OPEN: G Walker 50/50; AA: J Teague 49/50, L Hughes 49/50; A: N Hughes 49/50, E Benjamin 49/50; B: G McKay 45/50, C Glasgow 44/50; C: J Shand 41/50, C Shand 37/50; 50T SKT Dbls: AA: G Walker 44/50; A: J Teague 50/50, L Hughes 48/50; B: L Murray 44/50, M Rhue 43/50; C: G McKay 39/50, E Benjamin 38/50, J Fordyce 38/50, A Davey 38/50; OA HG: OPEN: J Teague 146/150; AA: L Hughes 143/150; A: G Walker 144/150; B: G McKay 129/150.

### Caboolture 12/10/2025

(28): 100T SKT Annual Champion: Open: G Walker 99/100; AA: L Given 103/106, R Mahony 102/106; A: R Ball 102/104, T Ashton 101/104; B: L A Walker 94/100, I Harris 94/102; C: M Welk 87/100, P Robinson 79/100; 25T "Super" HC: 1st T Davenport 50/50, 2nd L Given 44/45, 3rd J Fordyce 42/43, 4th M Rhue 41/42, 5th R Mahony 40/41; 25T SKT CD: AA: D Reus, G Walker, N Hughes 25/25; A: J Fordyce, P Harris 25/25; B: J McKendrick 25/25, L A Walker

24/25; C: M Welk 25/25, J Shand 23/25; 50T SKT Medley: Open: L Given 50/50; AA: R Kneipp 49/50, N Hughes 52/54; A: L Murray 47/50, T Davenport 45/50; B: L A Walker 45/50, J McKendrick 45/50; C: M Welk 45/50, P Robinson 41/50; 50T SKT Dbls: Open: R Mahony 49/50; AA: R Kneipp 47/50, G Walker 45/50; A: R Ball 51/54, A Emmett 50/54; B: T Ashton 45/50, T Davenport 44/50; C: E Benjamin 47/50, J Freeman 46/52; OA HG: Open: R Kneipp, R Mahony 241/250; AA: R Kneipp, R Mahony 241/250; A: R Ball 236/250; B: L A Walker 229/250; C: M Welk 218/250; JNR: L Given 235/250; LAD: A Emmett 236/250; VET: T Ashton 235/250.

### Gold Coast 14/09/2025

Excellent (30): 75T Medley: AA: A Incani 124/125, K Stevens 122/125; A: P Strange 122/125, P Freeleagus 114/125; B: V Vaina 117/125, R Smith 116/125; C: C Faull 117/125, J Tait 114/125; 25T HC: 1st: C Faull 25/25, 2nd: J Porter 28/29, 3rd: M Morelli 27/29; 4th: K Stevens 34/36, 5th: A Incani 33/36; 15pr D/R: AA: A Incani 29/30; A: J Porter 36/40, S Harker 35/40; B: S Cannizzaro 27/30, S Lutter 26/30; C: A Snelling 23/30, R Smith 31/40; HG: OA: A Incani 177/180; AA: J Porter 172/180; A: P Strange 161/180; B: S Cannizzaro 161/180; C: C Faull 158/180; JNR: D Incani 144/180.



## SACTA

### Bordertown

(32): 100T CONT CS: OA & AA: G Height 99/100, A Hoare 113/115; A: L Hendy 95/100, T Downing 94/100; B: R Atkinson 97/100, R Wheaton 94/100; C: M Nolte 93/100, E Hendy 89/100.

### Broken Hill 13/09/2025

Sunny, cool with little wind (47): 13/9/2025: 25T Silver City PS CS: OA: R Walsh 75/75; AA: J Nicholls 83/84, S Gallagher 82/84; A: T Harman 73/75, W

Reed 73/78; B: B Gilby 66/75, W Channing 64/75; C: K Holtham 67/75, T Andrews 66/75; JNR: C Gallagher 56/75; VET: K Nealon 88/93, LAD: K Rees 69/75; 25T Silver City SB CS: OA: K Nealon 25/25; AA: R Jones 37/38, S Gallagher 36/38; A: T Harman 24/25, T Shaddock 29/31; B: P Jobson 21/25, B Gilby 22/28; C: J Standley 23/26, P Hoare 22/26; JNR: K Holtham 19/25; VET: E Yetman 23/25; LAD: K Rees 21/25; 25T Silver City DB

See South Australian State Skeet Carnival advertisement on page 73

2025 GCTC

# BALL TRAP TWO DAY CARNIVAL

EVENT CAPPED AT 36 SHOOTERS



## SATURDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 8.30AM

### Event 1: 25T Double Barrel

Sponsored by QAL

1st & 2nd in AA, A, B & C Grades

**\$25**

### Event 2: 50T Double Barrel

#### QCTA Central Zone Championship

Sponsored by Inspex Asset Inspection

Overall - \$350 & Sash

1st & 2nd in AA, A, B & C Grades

**\$50**

## SUNDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 8.30AM

### Event 3: 25T Double Barrel

#### GCTC Club Championship

Sponsored by ConocoPhillips APLNG

Overall - \$250 & Sash

1st & 2nd in AA, A, B & C Grades

**\$25**

### Event 4: 50T Double Barrel

#### QCTA State Championship

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**\$50**

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## EVENT INFORMATION

PRACTICE AVAILABLE FRIDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER FROM 3PM

NOMINATIONS AVAILABLE 1<sup>ST</sup> SEPTEMBER VIA MCMS

CAMPING AVAILABLE

SMOKEHOUSE DINNER SATURDAY NIGHT - 6PM

BAR & KITCHEN FACILITIES AVAILABLE

AMMUNITION AVAILABLE

EFTPOS FACILITIES AVAILABLE

Total if shooting full program (OPEN): **\$125**

Total if shooting full program (L,J,V): **\$115**

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# **Toowoomba Clay Target Club**

## **2025 "Iron Man" Series**

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### **Event 1**

#### **Summer "Iron Man"**

**Sunday 19th January 2025 9.30am,**  
25 T Skeet, 25 T Trap, 25 T Tower, 25 T Sporting

### **Event 2**

#### **Autumn "Iron Man"**

**Sunday 18th May 2025, 9.30am**  
25 T Skeet, 25 T Trap, 25 T Tower, 25 T Sporting

### **Event 3**

#### **Winter "Iron Man"**

**Sunday 17th August 2025, 9.30am**  
25 T Skeet, 25 T Trap, 25 T Tower, 25 T Sporting

### **Event 4**

#### **Spring "Iron Man"**

**Sunday 30th November 2025, 9.30am**  
25 T Skeet, 25 T Trap, 25 T Tower, 25 T Sporting

*This event includes the SEZ QCTA Double Barrel Tower Event*

## **"Iron Man" of the Year**

### **Overall and Graded Prizes**

**Best 3 of the 4 Events to be counted for "Iron Man" of the Year**

**Prize money - \$1000 plus name on perpetual trophy and a sash**

**Thank you to our generous sponsors:-**

***Toowoomba Mower Centre & Cagemaker Australia***

**Further information:**

**Phil Keller Phone 0408 068 280**

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## South Australian Clay Target Association Inc.

# STATE SKEET CARNIVAL

## 31<sup>st</sup> Oct, 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2025

Venue: State Shooting Park, Carmelo Road, Buckland Park, Virginia

Nominations open on MCMS September 2025

**Pre-Nominations close Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> October - \$20 one time fee to nom on the day**

**Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> 11am** -Host Club holding Sub-gauges 410 & 28g **Nominations on MCMS with State event**

**Friday 9-00 am**

**Event 1: SACTA "Adelaide Gun Shop" 50t State Skeet 20 Gauge Championship**

Pre-nominations \$50 V,L \$45, Jnrs free

**Event 2: SACTA "SACTA" 50t State Skeet Handicap Championship**

Pre-nomination \$50 V,L \$45, Jnrs free



**Saturday 8-00 am for zone teams - TONIGHT –Saturday night Shooters Meeting & lucky door prizes**

**8am start - Event Z: 25 Tgt Open Zone Team Shoot**

**Event 3: SACTA "Bronzewing" 100t State Skeet Championship**

Pre-nomination \$90 V,L \$85, Jnrs free



**Sunday 8-00 am**

**8am start - Event T: Postal Teams Match Open, V, L,J**

**Event 4: SACTA "Bronte Evans Chartered Accountants" 50t State Champ of Champions**

Championship 25t 12g / 25t 20g

Pre-nomination \$50 V,L \$45 Jnrs free



**Event 5: SACTA "Adelaide Gun Shop" 50t State Skeet Doubles Championship**

Pre-nomination \$50 V,L \$45 Jnrs free



State Sashes for Overall on Events 1, 2, 3, 4 & 5

1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> AA, A, B, C and 1<sup>st</sup> V/L/J on Events 1, 3, 4 & 5 Event 2 - 1<sup>st</sup> to 5<sup>th</sup>

Overall High Gun on Events 1 - 5 (410 & 28g not in HG's)



Sponsored by **Urban Bathrooms & Kitchens**

Graded High Guns Events 1 – 5 sponsored by **MITRE 10**

Junior High Gun Sponsored by **Collumbo Shooting**

Postal Team Selected over Events 2 & 3



All Juniors are entitled to free noms and eligible for all trophies. Reduced nominations does not affect Team Selection.

**SACTA appreciates the support of the following sponsors of the State Carnival:**



**MITRE 10**



Enquiries please contact: State Secretary, Deb McPherson (M) 0411 615 369 [secretary@sacta.com.au](mailto:secretary@sacta.com.au)

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**AFFILIATED WITH THE AUSTRALIAN CLAY TARGET ASSOCIATION Inc**

CS: OA: E Yetman 98/98; AA: K Nealon 97/98, D Nicholls 87/88; A: L Landells 53/54, P Grossi 26/27; B: L Gray 23/25, W Channing 25/31; C: B Wonson 22/25, T Andrews 27/32; JNR: C Gallagher 22/25; VET: N Ham 24/25; LAD: T Harman 24/25; 25T Silver City HC: 1st: L Landells 26/26, 2nd: C Gallagher 25/26, 3rd: B Farnsworth 31/32; Saturday HG: OA: S Gallagher 147/150; 14/9/2025: 75T Ch/Ch: OA: J Nicholls 122/125; AA: K Nealon 121/125, A Letto 118/125; A: P Grossi 138/150, T Harman 135/150; B: B Gilby 103/125, W Channing 101/125; C: M Hooper 93/125, J Collins 91/125; JNR: C Gallagher 98/125; VET: D Fisher 113/125; LAD: S Sullivan 100/125; HG OA: K Nealon 262/275; AA: S Gallagher 279/295; A: T Harman 259/275; B: B Gilby 227/275; C: K Holtham 216/275; JNR: C Gallagher 218/275; VET: R Walsh 267/295; LAD: S Sullivan 207/275.

#### Lower North 20/21/9/25

Showers (56): 50T DB CS: OA: H Phillips 70/70; AA: H Phillips 70/70, G Coppola 61/62; A: M Batten 69/70, R Damin 54/55; B: M Collumb 48/50, A Panazzolo 47/50; C: B Urry 48/50, S Byrnes 47/50; 30T PS CS: OA: M Batten 89/90; AA: H Phillips 88/90, G Coppola 87/90; A: M Batten 89/90, B Cook 88/90; B: M Cavuoto 84/90, N Droukas 83/90; C: T Millar 81/90, P Roney 76/90; 30T Ch/Ch: OA: H Phillips 50/50; AA: H Phillips 50/50, R Andrews 49/50, R Clark 63/65; A: K Anderson 50/50, P Minhard 48/50, B Cook 47/50; B: G Carter 46/50, N Droukas 66/75, M Cavuoto 62/75; C: S Byrnes 47/50, D Robinson 43/50, G Letterio 60/75; Team shoot Ev 1-3: International no 1 538/570, D Oliviero, G Coppola, R Borzillo; 50T DB CS: OA: R Clark 52/52; AA: R Clark 52/52, H Phillips 49/50; A: G Tapscott 51/52, M Batten 69/70; B: A Panazzolo 49/50, G Carter 47/50; C: T Lewis 48/50, D Robinson 47/50. 25T PS CS: OA: R Damin 104/105; AA: R Borzillo 102/105, R Clark 89/90, G Coppola 119/120; A: R Damin 104/105, R Rossi 113/114, J Winen 112/114; B: A Panazzolo 71/75, G Carter 67/75, M Collumb 66/75; C: L Carlesso 73/75, S Byrnes 67/75, R Umback 76/90; 25T HC: 1st G Letterio 48/50, 2nd R Rossi 47/50, 3rd R Damin 34/36, 4th N Droukas, S Byrnes 33/35; VET HG: R Borzillo 323/340; LAD HG: S Byrnes 304/340; JNR

HG: T Lewis 131/150; OA HG: H Phillips 335/340.

#### Monarto 06/10/2025

Sunny, cloudy, 16 degrees C. (35): 50T DB: AA: G Coppola 65/65, R Clark 64/65; A: R Damin 48/50, M Bretag 47/50; B: J Elix 49/50, J Hennig 47/50; C: R Umback 48/50, E Gunby 47/50; 50T PS: AA: G Coppola 145/150, R Clark 143/150; A: R Damin 144/150, R Stopp 153/165; B: J Elix 143/153, D Ryan 142/153; C: B Duncan 133/150, M Fleming 132/150; HG: G Coppola 195/200.

#### Mount Gambier 31/08/2025

(50): 50T S/C: AA: J Dunn 48/50, G Dyson 48/50; A: R Bugden 45/50, D Wright 45/50; B: D Murrell 41/50, D Dyson 41/50; C: R Fleming 37/50, D Kuhl 29/50; 50T BT: AA: J Dunn 47/50, G Height 44/50; A: J Densley 49/55, D Pratt 48/55; B: S Fleming 39/50, S Bowd 34/50; C: R Marcato 35/52, J McIntyre 34/52.

#### Mount Gambier 13/09/2025

(36): 50T B/T: AA: J Dunn 47/53, G Height 46/53; A: H Brown 44/50, D Pratt 44/52; B: J McKinnon 46/56, S Zadow 45/56; C: J Lester 36/50, P Winsler 35/50; 25T DB: OA & AA: W Lindner 56/56, J Dunn 55/56; A: M Medhurst 40/41, S Zadow 32/33; B: D Robertson 26/28, A Jenkins 25/28; C: B Case 22/28, R Marcato 21/28; 25T CONT: AA: A Hoare 41/41, G Height 40/41; A: G Kessegian 29/29, S Zadow 28/29; B: A Jenkins 26/27, B Spring 25/27; C: R Marcato 21/25, B Case 19/25; HG: G Height 94/100.

#### South Australian 28/09/2025

Cool Windy (27): SKT: A: R Warden 50/50, L Forza 49/50; B: R Peek 43/50; C: B Hammond 39/50; 25T SB: AA: G Coppola 24/25, R Borzillo 22/25; A: B Cook 23/25, Z Drewing 23/26; B: M Pontifex 4/25, B Quinzi 23/25; C: S Kokotis 24/30, S Byrnes 23/30; VET: B Mudge 22/25; 25T PS: AA: R Borzillo 78/84, G Coppola 75/84; A: R Rossi 74/75, B Mudge 70/75; B: B Quinzi 71/75, N Droukas 70/75; C: P Bourne 66/75, S Byrnes 61/75; VET: D Lynn 67/75; 50T DB: OA: R Rossi 49/50; AA: G Coppola 48/50; A: R Rossi 49/50, B Mudge 47/50; B: B Quinzi 8/50, M Pontifex 44/50; C: P Bourne 43/50, S Byrnes 42/50; VET: D Lynn 47/50; HG: R Rossi 144/150.



# TCTA

#### Spring Bay 13/09/2025

Pleasant Spring Day (20); 20T PS CONT: AA: T Bennett 55/60; A: D Holmes 57/60; B: S Glover 59/60; C: P Spaulding 44/60; 50T PS CONT CS: AA & OA: T Bennett 146/150; A: D Claxton 140/150; B: S Ellis 136/150; C: P Spaulding 127/150; 30T CONT DB: AA: J Hitchens 30/30; A: D

Holmes 27/30; B: N Lewis 28/30; C: J Briggs 28/30.

#### Spring Bay 11/10/2025

Wind bordering on hurricane at times! (25): Rain showers thrown in to make it interesting: 120T Mxd: OA: J Munn 208/225; A: A Page 184/200; B: N Lewis 174/200; C: G Pyke 162/200.



# WACTA

See Peel and Districts Gun Club Silver Dolphin advertisement on page 76



# NSWCTA

#### Boorowa 27/09/2025

Warm sunny (38): 25T HC: 1st P Martin 31/31, 2nd T Barton 30/31, 3rd P Edwards 45/46; 75T Mxd: OA: D Rowett 149/150; AA: J Smith 148/150, G Barton 123/125; A: A Jarvis 122/125, C Stringer 118/125; B: P Martin 117/125, D McMillan 114/125, S Smith 119/125, I Crisp 111/125; 30T DB: OA: J O'Brien 51/51; AA: J Smith 50/50; A: P Bradford 50/51; B: D McMillan 49/50; C: E Cummings 48/50; OA HG: J Smith 198/200; JNR: S Laughton 107/150; LAD: J Twarloh 156/200; VET: P Martin 191/200.

#### Gold Coast 01/10/2025

Beautiful (30): 50T Night Medley: AA: S Rad 99/100, A Herron 115/120; A: P Strange 96/100, L Anderson 94/100; B: B Buncic 94/100, M Voutounos 110/120; C: T Crandon 90/100, J Liao 87/100; 25T SEZ Night SB CS: OA: P Strange 27/28; AA: S Rad 26/28, B Jurd 23/25; A: D Smith 25/27, L Anderson 23/25; B: R Smith 21/25, J Cai 20/25; C: T Crandon 22/25, J King 23/27.

#### Majura Park 24/09/2025

Cool and no breeze (15): 50T HC: Masters Round 9 Championship: OPEN: D Power 52/53, OPEN: J O'Brien 51/53, OPEN: A Jarvis 47/50.

#### Majura Park 01/10/2025

Cool and breezy (18): 25T PS CD: Total Score: AA: T Quill 75/75, B Burgess 75/75; A: A Jarvis 72/75; B: K Cox 63/75; C: C Orgill 70/75. 30T DB CS: OPEN: J O'Brien 51/51; AA: M Skinner 50/51; A: A Jarvis 29/30; B: K Cox 26/30; C: S Smith 28/30, K Willetts 28/30.

#### Majura Park 05/10/2025

Slight breeze and warm (14): 100T PS CS: OPEN: M Harris 280/300; AA: J Winters 265/300; A: H Guerreiro 278/300; B: L Larubina 260/300; C: C Orgill 257/300; VET: P Place 271/300.

#### Majura Park 08/10/2025

Warm (18): 40T PS CS: OPEN: D Power 177/177; AA: M Harris 176/177; A: A Jarvis 114/120; B: C Ewing 114/120; C: K Willetts 101/120. 50T UT HC Competition: OPEN: B Higgins 44+4/50, OPEN: C Goodwin 44+4/50, OPEN: D Jarvis 44+1/50.

#### Richmond River 21/09/2025

(27): 50T Medley (25T DB, 25T PS): AA: D Bodley 117/120, L Hart 116/120; A: Allan Turner 114/120, R Bourke 112/120; B: M Sullivan 94/100, F Binding 93/100; C: T Crandon 93/100, S Heath-Dalby 89/100; 50T SB CS: OA & AA: G Turner 48/50, D Bodley 45/50; A: G Hayne 44/50, Alex Clarke



**PULL!!**

**TCTA**

**2025**

**SKEET CARNIVAL**



**SATURDAY SUNDAY  
25<sup>TH</sup> 26<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER**

**Pre nominations via  
MCMS**

**Saturday 25th 0900  
start**

**Event 1  
50 T State skeet  
handicap championship**

**Event 2  
25 Pair State skeet  
doubles championship**

**Event 3  
50 T State skeet 20  
guage championships  
(24g Max load)**

- **Location: Tasmanian Gun Club Evandale**
  - **200 Nile road Evandale TAS**
  - **Food & drinks available**
- Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> 0900 Start**

**Event 1  
100 T State skeet  
championship**

**Event 2  
50T Tasmanian skeet  
postal team selection  
(TAS ONLY)**

**ENQUIRYS  
SECRETARY@TCTA.COM.AU**

**Pre nominations close 23<sup>rd</sup>  
October  
Nominations available on  
the day will incur a \$10 per  
event fee.**

**Nominations  
Full event  
Open \$325  
Juniors \$275**



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# PEEL and DISTRICTS GUN CLUB (Inc)

Lot 579 Old Bunbury Road, COOLUP

PRESENTS

## THE SILVER DOLPHIN 2½ DAY TRAP CARNIVAL

November 14 to 16, 2025



**HIGH GUN : \$1000.00**

### Practice

Friday 14 November from 12.30pm to 1.30pm

Saturday 15 and Sunday 16 from 7.00am to 8.00am

**\$4.00 for 10 targets**

**250 FREE shells on Saturday and Sunday for practice**

## **PROGRAM**

### **Day 1: Friday November 14, 2pm start**

**Event 1: 50 Double Barrel (15M)**

**2 x 25 visits**

OA and 1, 2 & 3 in each grade (shells)

### **Day 2: Saturday November 15, 9am start**

**Event 2: 50 Continental PTS: STATE TITLE (15M)**

**2 x 25 visits**

OA: \$500.00 and 1, 2 & 3 in each grade (\$150, \$100, \$75)

**Event 3: 60 Double Barrel Peel Classic (15M)**

**2 x 30 visits**

OA: \$500.00 and 1, 2 & 3 in each grade (\$150, \$100, \$75)

### **Day 3: Sunday November 16, 9am start**

**Event 4: 75 'Champ of Champs' (18M)**

Sponsored by Peel Gun Club

OA: \$500.00 and 1, 2 & 3 in each grade (\$150, \$100, \$75)

**Event 5: 30 Point Score (15M)**

OA: \$500.00 and 1, 2 & 3 in each grade (\$150, \$100, \$75)

265 targets for the weekend Orange Top White flyer targets thrown from Canterbury traps.

Overall High Gun: Events 2, 3, 4 & 5.

OA High Gun: Silver Dolphin Pin, Sash and \$1000 cash, plus free Noms for 2026 SD.

High Gun for Ladies, Juniors and Veterans: \$250 cash/or items to same value.

Graded High Guns AA, A, B and C: \$250.00 cash.

13 Sashes on offer.

Camping, shower, and kitchen facilities available.

Bacon and egg breakfast 7am on Saturday and Sunday at \$10 per head.

Free BBQ Saturday night.

\$500 jackpot on both Saturday and Sunday.

Multiple raffles, including 5 slabs of shells Saturday and Sunday.

Coffee Van from 7am.

NO EFTPOS FACILITIES.

ENQUIRIES: Greg Symons: 0407 072 261

Kym Wilkinson: 0428 427 027

*P&DGC reserves the right to change the programme as and if required.*

# KING OF THE MOUNT

**BATHURST CLAY TARGET CLUB - MT PANORAMA**

**SUNDAY 9TH NOVEMBER 2025 - STARTS 9:00 AM SHARP**

**50 TARGET POINTSCORE – OVER \$1,700 IN CASH PRIZES**

**50 TARGET SINGLE BARREL – OVER \$1,700 IN CASH PRIZES**

**50 TARGET HANDICAP – \$1,000 FOR 1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE**

**– PAYING DOWN TO 5<sup>TH</sup> PLACE**

**OVER \$6,500 IN CASH PRIZES!**

**FULL CANTEEN ON-SITE**

**MORE INFO: FIND US ON FACEBOOK  
BATHURST CLAY TARGET CLUB**



46/54; B: M Sullivan 46/50, J Mulhearn 46/51; C: D Wilkinson 42/50, S Heath-Dalby 41/50; 25T CONT PS: AA: G Bruce 71/75, D Bodley 68/75; A: R Bourke 71/75, Allan Turner 68/75; B: T Schneider 73/75, J Oliver 72/75; C: T Crandon 73/75, D Wilkinson 67/75; OA HG: G Turner 211/225; Intermediate HG: M Sullivan 208/225.

**The Forest 21/09/2025**

Sunny with a slight breeze (47): 100T DB: OA: J Luke 103/105; AA: G Saliba 100/103, T Brand 99/103; A: G Lysaght 102/105, L Hadjiparaskeva 97/100; B: D Holdstock 96/100, P McCullum 93/100; C: G Edwards 91/100, N Petrone 89/101.

54/55; A: A Kidd 42/43, J King 26/27; B: J Shale 38/39, G Pronk 36/37; C: D Wilson 24/25, P Gorrie 19/20; 20T HC: 1st A Murphy 23/23, 2nd G McClure 22/23, 3rd O Spencer 21/23; Highlands Shield Team: O Spencer, L Fitzpatrick, J Foulkes, P McKendrick 152/160.

**Maryborough 27/10/2025**

(30); 20T PS CD: S Farr, C Langridge 59/60, B Matthews 58/60, T Gull, L Watts, A O'Connell, M Passalick 57/60. 25T DB CS: Open: S Farr 25/25; AA: T Gull 39/40, S Ringin 38/40; A: L Watts 38/39, N Haydon 37/39; B: Scott Farr 25/25, J Crabbe 24/25; C: G Burgess 27/29, M Passalick 26/29. 30T Med Trophy: AA T Gull 98/100, S Ringin 93/100; A: L Watts 49/50, S Whelan 46/50; B: B Jennings 91/100, J Crabbe 89/100; C: G Pegg 61/75, J Shepherd 57/57. HG: Open: L Watts 140/145; Jnr: E Ferguson; Lad: J Crabbe; Vet: C Langridge 122/11135.

**Melbourne 13/09/2025**

Overcast (15): (34): 40T DB: AA & OA: V Mollica 53/53, CD: D Appleby & C McDougall 69/70; A: D Millhuisen 52/53, J Barclay 43/44; B: R Williams 38/40, J Dagher 37/40; C: J De Schwartz 39/40, W Kotlarewski 38/40; 40T PS: AA: D Appleby 117/120, C McDougall 116/120; A & OA: J Barclay 118/120,

D Millhuisen 116/120; B: R Williams 108/120, S Morley 107/120; C: A Moscott 110/120, W Green 109/120; 20P D/D: 1: C Brown & C McDougall 46/46; 2: M Rocca & D Appleby 45/46; 3: L Harrison & D Ball, J Barclay & A White 18/20; Best Father Son Team: J & B DeSchwartz 17/20.

**Melbourne 27/09/2025**

(35): 100T PS: OA: C Henwood 290/300; AA: D Mould 282/300, A Clark 280/300; A: J Barclay 285/300, A Papasavva 284/300; B: T Caldwell 278/300, L Harrison 265/300; C: S Swain 258/300, M Robertson 227/300.

**Melbourne 11/10/2025**

(4): 100T SKT HC: 1: G Papanthoforos 95/100.

**Yarrowonga 12/10/2025**

Cool & windy (23): 30T PS CD: AA: D Hunt 89/90, D Saunders 86/90; A: R Jackson 87/90, C Lewis 84/90; B: G Parker 88/90, G Walls 84/90; C: Macca White 88/90, M Sharp 82/90; 50T DB CS: AA & OA: C Wemyss 50/50, D Hunt 79/80; A: R Jackson 48/50, L Robinson 47/50; B: G Ganning 48/51, R Rees 47/51; C: Bumps White 64/67, Macca White 63/61; HG: D hunt 138/140; VET HG: Donated by Joe Ford won by Rob Rees 127/140.



**Ararat 06/09/2025**

Fine but cool (23): 10T PS E/O CD: G Burgess 30/30, L Brown 30/30, J Nixon 30/30; 40T PS Gr CS: AA: J Nixon 116/120, L Brown 115/120; A: L Watts 115/120, A Connor 111/120; B: W Carroll 113/120, R Jorgensen 107/120; C: G Burgess 109/120, A Long 108/120. OA: J Nixon 116/120; 25T HC: 1st: L Watts 33/34, 2nd T Perry 32/34, R Jorgensen 31/34; HG: Josh Nixon & L Watts 168/175, W Carroll 157/175, G Burgess 160/175.

**Bendigo 04/10/2025**

Perfect sunny no wind (58): 100T Compak Sporting: OA & AA: R Hall

98/100, B Zogogiannis 97/100; A: R Tombalato 94/100, B Rafferty 91/100; B: P Finn 84/100, D Chivers 83/100; C: L Edson 94/100, M Davis 82/100; JNR: B Hipwell 80/100; LAD: L McNeill 90/100; VET: T Connell 90/100; MTR: B Rafferty 91/100.

**Euroa 14/09/2025**

Intermittent sunshine (49): 25T DB CS: AA & OA: T Pigram 67/67, D Hunt 66/67; A: J King 44/45, A Kidd 43/44; B: L Fitzpatrick 43/44, J Foulkes 50/51; C: K Elwood 27/28, S Godkin-Briggs 26/28; 20T DB CS: AA & OA: D Hunt 55/55, T Pigram

**North East Zone/V.C.T.A. NOVEMBER 2025 PROGRAM**

**SATURDAY 1ST**

**Bendigo 10:00am**

100 tgt S/Compak C/ship

**SUNDAY 2ND**

**Mt Bogong 10:00am**

25 tgt P/S Gr Trophy  
20 tgt N. Hoffman Mem H/cap Trophy  
15 tgt Ch/Ch  
25 tgt D/B Gr Trophy

**TUESDAY 4TH**

**Numurkah**

Melbourne Cup Day  
50 tgt P/S C/ship  
OA plus grades  
50 tgt P/S C/ship  
OA plus grades  
OA High Gun Lad, Jun, Vet

**THURSDAY 6, 7, 8 & 9TH**

**Echuca**

**VCTZ State Trap Carnival**

**9TH, Euroa 10:30am**

**SUNDAY 9TH**

**Yarrowonga 11:00am**

100 tgt D/B

**SATURDAY 15TH**

**Bendigo 10:00am**

Tony Maroni Mem Shoot  
30 tgt D/B C/ship  
30 tgt P/S C/ship  
50 tgt S/B Tony Maroni Mem C/ship

**Wangaratta 10:30am**

50 tgt Cont  
25 tgt D/B  
25 tgt S/B

**Mathoura 11:00am**

25 tgt D/B C/ship OA, 3gr  
25 tgt S/B C/D  
50 tgt P/S C/ship OA 3gr

**SUNDAY 16TH**

**Kyneton 11:00am**

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

**Mansfield 10:30am**

Presidents Shoot  
75 tgt Medley C/ship  
25 tgt Cont D/B C/ship

**SUNDAY 23RD**

**Colbinabbin 11:00am**

20 tgt S/B C/ship  
20 tgt D/B C/ship  
20 tgt H/cap  
20 Pr D/R

**SUNDAY 30TH**

**Cosgrove**

50 tgt D/B C/ship  
50 tgt S/B C/ship



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## SUNDAY 2nd NOVEMBER 2025

11.00am Start

### State Titles Warm-up

- **50 Target Medley** **\$35**  
25 tgt D/B, 25 tgt PTS  
AA, A, B, C – 1st & 2nd
- **25 Target Single Barrel** **\$18**  
AA, A, B, C – 1st & 2nd
- **20 Pair Double Rise** **\$27**  
AA, A, B, C – 1st & 2nd  
**Graded High Guns over program**  
**Sash & Cash prizes**

## SUNDAY 16th NOVEMBER 2025

11.00am Start

### Duke of Gloucester Cup

- **30 Target Points Score** **\$22**  
AA, A, B, C – 1st & 2nd
- **30 Target Single Barrel** **\$22**  
AA, A, B, C – 1st & 2nd
- **30 Target DUKE OF GLOUCESTER CUP H/cap** **\$22**  
1st Sash & Cash, 2nd Cash, 3rd Cash

### SKEET – 10.30am Start

- **50 Target Skeet Singles** **\$35**  
AA, A, B, C
- **50 Target Skeet Handicap** **\$35**  
1st, 2nd & 3rd

## SUNDAY 30th NOVEMBER 2025

10.00am Start

### Christmas Shoot

Refer to **MCMS & Facebook** for shoot program

Visit our website [www.factc.com.au](http://www.factc.com.au) or Facebook for up to date information, shoot calendar and results.



# 2025 VCTA Trap Carnival

## STATE GROUNDS - ECHUCA CTC

### November 6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> 2025

## *Nominations Open Soon!!*

#### WEDNESDAY 5<sup>TH</sup>

PRACTICE – midday until 5.00 pm. (\$12 for 25 targets - available each day where possible)

#### THURSDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> – 12.00 pm start

**Event 1** – State Champion of Champions – 75 targets from 18 metres

Graded AA-A-B-C. Overall, plus 1st, 2nd & 3rd each grade plus 1st Ladies, S/J, Jnr and Veterans

#### FRIDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> – 8.30 am start

**Event 2** – State Double Rise Championship – 25 pairs

Graded AA-A-B-C. Overall, plus 1st, 2nd & 3rd each grade plus 1st Ladies, S/J, Jnr and Veterans

**Event 3** – State Handicap – 50 targets from ACTA Handicap Marks

Prizes awarded 1st to 5th plus Backmarker

#### SATURDAY 8<sup>TH</sup> – 8.30 am start

**Event 4** – State Single Barrel Championship – 50 targets

Graded AA-A-B-C. Overall, plus 1st, 2nd & 3rd each grade plus 1st Ladies, S/J, Jnr and Veterans

**Event 5** – State Double Barrel Championship – 50 targets

Graded AA-A-B-C. Overall, plus 1st, 2nd & 3rd each grade plus 1st Ladies, S/J, Jnr and Veterans

#### SUNDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> – 8.30 am start

**Event 6** – State Pointscore Championship – 50 targets

Graded AA-A-B-C. Overall, plus 1st, 2nd & 3rd each grade plus 1st Ladies, S/J, Jnr and Veterans

**PRE-NOMINATIONS EVENT**

**1**

**Open \$85 Junior \$65**

**PRE-NOMINATIONS EVENTS**

**2 - 6**

**Open \$55 Junior \$45**

#### Conditions:

The VCTA reserves the right to refuse any request or nomination. See VCTA website for complete conditions of entry.

#### Purse:

Optional purse will be paid out 1st, 2nd, 3rd and will be divided 60%, 30%, 10%

#### Categories:

Ladies - As per ACTA definition

Age sections - on the first day of competition:

Veteran - competitors 65 years or over

Junior - competitors 15 years to under 18 years

Sub-Juniors - competitors under 15 years

#### Squadding:

Shooters wishing to nominate a squad, must pre-nominate via MCMS. Shooters are to remain in their allocated squads for the duration of the Carnival. Squads will rotate daily.

Common Mark events to be shot in one visit – 6 per squad  
H/Cap shot in one visit, 5 targets per lane – 5 per squad

#### Late Nomination:

A one time, \$20 administration fee for on day nominations will be charged. Late nominations will be squadded at the organiser's discretion.

*First time Junior/Sub Junior shooters to the Carnival are entitled to claim a refund for their entire nominations on application to the VCTA secretary.*

## *Gold Coin Friday Dinner & Entertainment!*

# CORSIVIA

**Green Dream, official target of the  
2025 VCTA State Trap Carnival**

**ON-GROUND CAMPING  
AVAILABLE at \$10/night  
NO POWER AVAILABLE  
(generators permitted)**



# MARYBOROUGH GUN CLUB

***29th November 2025***  
***10 am start***

## **SECOND** **Craig Jennings** **Memorial Cup**



**100 Tgt ACTA Compak**  
***Overall plus graded AA, A, B, C***  
***1st and 2nd each grade –***  
***Ladies, Junior, Veteran & Masters***  
**(not eligible if already a grade winner)**

**Overall and Grade Sashes sponsored by the  
Maryborough Highland Society**

**LUCKY DOOR PRIZE (250 SHOTSHELLS)**  
**Donated by the Jennings Family**

**Ground located Bucknall Street, Carisbrook**

**Further info contact –**  
**Garry Cassells Ph: 0418 501 339 or**  
**Nathan Cassells Ph: 0499 154 782**

# Maryborough in September

The Maryborough Gun Club hosted its September competition with three well-contested events that drew strong nominations and some excellent scores across all grades.

It was encouraging for the Club to see a reasonable number of shooters compete on Saturday 27th September. This competition is on the same weekend as the AFL Grand Final and numbers have been traditionally down. To have 30 shooters compete was unexpected.

## 20 target Points Score (Cash Divide)

This opener set the tone with tight scoring right across the board. Castlemaine's Scott Farr and Chris Langridge both finished on near-perfect 59/60 to share top honours. Just one target behind on 58/60 was Brian Matthews of Kyneton, while a cluster of shooters from Maryborough filled the next placings on 57/60 – Travis Gull, Leigh Watts, Adrian O'Connell and Mark Passalick.

## 25 target Double Barrel Championship

Accuracy was the key in the Double Barrel, with Scott Farr producing a clean 25/25 to take the Open prize. In AA grade, Maryborough's Travis Gull shot steadily to edge out Shayne Ringin of Beaufort after a 15 target shoot-off. A grade was equally close, with Leigh Watts posting

38/39 ahead of Sebastopol's Neil Haydon. In B grade, Farr's perfect 25/25 gave him another win, with Jen Crabbe (Woods Point) close behind on 24/25. In C grade, Beaufort's Gary Burgess prevailed in a short shoot-off against Maryborough's Mark Passalick .

## 30 target Medley (10 DB, 10 SB, 10 PS)

The Medley always provides variety and challenge, and this edition lived up to expectation. In AA grade, Travis Gull showed his versatility with an outstanding 98/100, again holding out Shayne Ringin on 93/100. A grade honours went to Maryborough's Leigh Watts on 49/50,

clear of Woods Point's Shayne Whelan. B grade produced a strong 91/100 from Bruce Jennings (Maryborough), ahead of Jen Crabbe on 89/100. C grade was taken out by Greg Pegg (Loddon District) with 61/75, with Maryborough's Jim Shepherd close behind on 57/75 .

## High Guns

The aggregate saw Maryborough's Leigh Watts crowned Overall



Double Barrel, Medley & High Gun – Leigh Watts



Cash Divide – Brian Matthews, Scott Farr & Chris Langridge



Cash Divide, Double Barrel & Medley –  
Travis Gull



Medley –  
Greg Pegg



Double Barrel –  
Jen Crabbe



Medley – Bruce Jennings



Cash Divide & Double Barrel – Scott Farr

The next DTL shoot will take place on Saturday October 25th at 12.30 pm. Events will be a 20 target Points Score Cash Divide, a 30 target Double Barrel Championship and a 25 target Ball Trap Championship. We hope to see you there!

The club will conduct its last ACTA Compak event for 2025 on Saturday November 29th, the event will be 100 targets. Keep Sunday December 21st free for the Christmas shoot. It will commence at 12.30 and there will be an abundance of Christmas prizes on offer.

High Gun with a strong 140/145. The Junior prize went to Emmett Ferguson, who shot consistently across all events to finish on 100/135. In the Ladies category, Jen Crabbe was a clear winner with 120/135, while Castlemaine's Chris Langridge claimed the Veteran's prize with 122/135

The canteen was staffed by Kaye, who ensured that food and drink was on hand all afternoon. Thank you Kaye. Again, we must thank Garry Cassells for the great job he does in managing the ground, it remains a picture, and many shooters comment on its appearance.

**Maryborough Gun Club**  
**Craig Jennings**  
**Memorial Shoot**  
**Saturday November 29th**  
**10.00 am**  
**100 Target Compak**

# 50 target State Ball Trap at Bega

Twenty-three eager bodies attended the Bega Gun Club for the 2025 NSW State 50 target Ball Trap Championships. To complete the day's program a club sponsored 50 target Continental was also offered. The club welcomed visitors from Shoalhaven, Morwell, Woods Point and Cooma for the day with the weather putting on a very warm, but calm day for their enjoyment.

Proceedings commenced with 50 targets Continental, shot across two traps, 25 at each visit. At the end of the first round, Dennis Walsh led AA grade with a 25/25, closely followed by Charlie Smith and Chris Brown on 23/25. Ray Welch scored a 24/25 to lead A grade from Dean Shipton, 23/25 and Brian Minos, Keith Pearce and Alf Niesar, all on 22/25. B grade saw Danny Hill leading the field, 22/25, with George Adamopoulos and Mick Diss, 21/25, sharing second place. C grade saw John Walker nose in front with 22/25, one ahead of Brian Moffitt, Bert Deacon and Christian Oyrer.



Dean Shipton, 1st AA Continental;  
2nd B Grade NSW Ball Trap



Charlie Smith,  
2nd AA Continental



Dennis Walsh, 2025 NSW 50 target Ball Trap Champion;  
1st AA Continental; Shoot High Gun

At the end of the second round, as is usual, some had lifted their game and some had faded a shade. In AA grade, Dennis Walsh maintained his high level of achievement, taking the first prize with a final score of 49/50 – great shooting. Charlie Smith took second place, adding a fine 24/25 to total 47/50. Dean Shipton and Alf Niesar returned to the trap for a further twelve targets before Dean took first in A grade, 58/62, after both finished the main round with 46/50. B Grade went to Danny Hill, 46/50, with Mick Diss in second with a score of 44/50. C grade saw Brian Moffitt maintain his consistency to win 42/50 with John Walker and Zip Summerell sharing second place and prize, 41/50.

Having warmed the reflexes, the squads faced up to the 50 target Ball Trap for the honour of being the NSW State 50 target Ball Trap Champion. Dennis Walsh maintained his earlier form, catching up with 47 of the speedy offerings to take out the 2025 NSW 50 target Ball Trap Championship. Well done Dennis. AA Grade went to Bert Deacon with a score of 34/50. A grade was won by Keith Pearce with a score of 44/50, one up on second placegetter, Bryan Minos, 43/50. In B grade, Ray Welch and Dean Shipton completed the main event tied on 45/50. After a further nine targets, Ray emerged the winner, 54/59, with Dean second on 53/59. C Grade saw Woods Point visitor, Geoff Hill, score



*Danny Hill, 1st B Grade  
Continenta*



*Mick Diss, 2nd B Grade  
Continental*



*Bert Deacon, AA Grade  
NSW Ball Trap Champion*



*Ray Welch, 1st B Grade  
NSW Ball Trap*



*Brian Moffitt, 1st C Grade  
Continental; 2nd C Grade NSW  
Ball Trap*



*Alf Niesar, 2nd A Grade  
Continental*



*Geoff Hill, 1st C Grade NSW Ball Trap with V.P. Brenton Ryman*

43/51 to take first place, with Brian Moffitt, 42/51 in second

Dennis Walsh made his trip down the coast worthwhile by taking home the shoot High Gun trophy as well as the Ball Trap championship. Brian Smith took the voucher instead of the money in the shoot raffle.

Next month sees the running of the RV Repairs 100 target Continental Points Score Championships, graciously sponsored by Pauline and Phil Body of RV Repairs, Eden. Hope you can come along.



*Prize platter with President Chris*

# CASTLEMAINE/COLAC CHALLENGE

**The second leg of the Castlemaine/Colac clay target shooting competition was held at Moonlight Flat on Saturday 11th October in very windy and difficult conditions.**

The first event was 40 targets Double Barrel and the second event comprised 40 targets Points Score.

At commencement of proceedings Colac was ahead by 60 points but with the home ground advantage in their favour, the Castlemainians clawed back 40 points, but were not good enough on the day and victory went to Colac.

In the first event results were: AA grade Rowan Lendon, A grade Scott Farr, B grade Ted Weeks and C grade Harry "High Gun" Evans. (Harry is a junior and has only been shooting a few months, this was his first sash, so congratulations to "High Gun"!)

In the second event Rowan Lendon again took AA grade, Mark Collins A grade, Justin Murphy B grade and Michael Sultana C grade.

The High Gun of the day was won by President Rowan Lendon, and the shoot was kindly sponsored by Castlemaine Paint FX.



*Sash winners, L-R: Mick Sultana, Harry "High Gun" Evans, Scott Farr, Ted Weeks, Justin Murphy, Mark Collins and Rowan Lendon*

# NSWCTA Accredited Coaches

*This is the New South Wales Coaching list. Other States will follow in future editions.*

*If you find your accreditation to be out of date please contact your State Coaching Director.*

<i>Expiry Date</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>First Name</i>	<i>Surname</i>	<i>Branch Name</i>
21/10/2026	Club Coach	John	Wason	Barellan Clay Target Club Inc.
24/8/2029	Club Coach	John	Bashford	Berrima Clay Target Club Inc.
12/4/2028	Club Coach	Grady	Evans	Boorowa Gun Club Inc.
31/5/2026	Club Coach	Warwick	Keable	Boorowa Gun Club Inc.
7/10/2029	Competition Coach	Tracey	Stringer	Boorowa Gun Club Inc.
1/7/2026	Club Coach	Colin	Kneebone	Border Clay Target Club Inc.
22/8/2030	Club Coach	Mackinley	Codrington	Brewarrina Clay Target Club Inc.
22/8/2030	Club Coach	Dallas	Codrington	Brewarrina Clay Target Club Inc.
17/11/2026	Club Coach	Helen	Overton	Brewarrina Clay Target Club Inc.
22/8/2030	Club Coach	Brett	Trindall	Brewarrina Clay Target Club Inc.
9/9/2026	Club Coach	Michael	Bryan	Canberra International Clay Target Club Inc.
12/9/2030	Competition Coach	Aaron	Deans	Canberra International Clay Target Club Inc.
9/9/2026	Club Coach	Timothy	Friend	Canberra International Clay Target Club Inc.
24/8/2029	Club Coach	Gregory	Harris	Canberra International Clay Target Club Inc.
15/1/2026	Club Coach	James	Jonklaas	Canberra International Clay Target Club Inc.
24/8/2029	Club Coach	Paul	Balestro	Cecil Park Clay Target Club Ltd
1/7/2027	Competition Coach	Suzanne	Balogh	Cecil Park Clay Target Club Ltd
9/9/2026	Club Coach	Sean	Collins	Cecil Park Clay Target Club Ltd
24/8/2029	Club Coach	Francesco	Federico	Cecil Park Clay Target Club Ltd
24/8/2029	Competition Coach	Leo	Pezzano	Cecil Park Clay Target Club Ltd
24/8/2029	Club Coach	Samer	Salha	Cecil Park Clay Target Club Ltd
24/8/2029	Club Coach	Shuo	Zhou	Cecil Park Clay Target Club Ltd
18/10/2027	Competition Coach	John	Maxwell	Cessnock Clay Target Club Inc.
22/8/2030	Club Coach	Jarrold	Barracrough	Cobar Clay Target Club Inc.
17/11/2026	Club Coach	Cliff	Overton	Cobar Clay Target Club Inc.
1/7/2026	Club Coach	Arthur	Turner	Cobar Clay Target Club Inc.
24/8/2029	Competition Coach	Ken	Jones	Cooma Gun Club Inc.
22/8/2030	Club Coach	Brenton	Kelly	Coonamble Clay Target Club Inc.
4/10/2030	Club Coach	Robyn	Langley	Corowa Clay Target Club Inc.
20/6/2030	Club Coach	John	Finn	Cowra Gun Club Inc.
20/6/2030	Club Coach	Peter	Mould	Cowra Gun Club Inc.
19/11/2026	Competition Coach	Brad	Henshall	Guyra Gun Club Inc.
19/11/2026	Competition Coach	Tammy	Henshall	Guyra Gun Club Inc.
19/11/2026	Competition Coach	Jeff	Richardson	Guyra Gun Club Inc.
4/2/2028	Competition Coach	Ben	Rumbel	Guyra Gun Club Inc.
9/12/2027	Competition Coach	Wayne	Storer	Junee Clay Target Club Inc.
9/12/2027	Competition Coach	Andrew	Holt	Majura Park Gun Club Inc.
3/6/2026	Club Coach	Dan	Power	Majura Park Gun Club Inc.
3/6/2026	Club Coach	Andy	Vaccaro	Majura Park Gun Club Inc.
6/9/2030	Club Coach	Scott	MacKenzie	Mathoura Gun Club Inc.
22/8/2030	Club Coach	Nathan	Hepenstall	Mendooran Gun Club Inc.
22/8/2030	Club Coach	Peter	Tremble	Mendooran Gun Club Inc.

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1/10/2026	Club Coach	Stuart	Boydell	Moree Clay Target Club Inc
19/11/2026	Competition Coach	Brett	Farlow	Moree Clay Target Club Inc
18/11/2026	Competition Coach	Terry	Haynes	Moree Clay Target Club Inc
18/11/2026	Club Coach	Anne	Johnston	Moree Clay Target Club Inc
17/11/2026	Club Coach	David	Schultz	Moree Clay Target Club Inc
18/11/2026	Competition Coach	Paul	Tattam	Moree Clay Target Club Inc
3/5/2027	Club Coach	Bryn	Bithell	New South Wales Gun Club Ltd.
4/6/2026	Competition Coach	Scott	Wright	New South Wales Gun Club Ltd.
12/5/2027	Club Coach	Renae	Jenkins	Newcastle-lake Macquarie Ctc Inc.
12/5/2027	Club Coach	Jason R	Jenkins	Newcastle-lake Macquarie Ctc Inc.
5/11/2025	Club Coach	Jolyon	Sargeant	Newcastle-lake Macquarie Ctc Inc.
10/9/2026	Club Coach	Ken	Turnbull	Newcastle-lake Macquarie Ctc Inc.
12/9/2030	Club Coach	Christopher	Whyte	Newcastle-lake Macquarie Ctc Inc.
6/1/2030	Competition Coach	Graeme	Boyd	Normanton Gun Club Inc.
14/12/2026	Competition Coach	Fred	Rapley	Oakdale Field and Clay Inc.
21/10/2026	Club Coach	Brett	Dean	Parkes Gun Club Inc.
17/11/2026	Club Coach	Lesley	Langer	Port Macquarie Clay Target Club Inc.
17/11/2026	Club Coach	Paul	Batson	Richmond River Gun Club Inc.
17/11/2026	Club Coach	Dick	Bennett	Richmond River Gun Club Inc.
9/9/2026	Club Coach	Dennis	Walsh	Shoalhaven Clay Target Club Inc.
9/12/2027	Competition Coach	David	White	Singleton Clay Target Club Inc.
17/11/2026	Club Coach	Melanie	White	Singleton Clay Target Club Inc.
9/12/2027	Competition Coach	Kim	Nealon	Springsure Gun Club Inc.
3/5/2027	Club Coach	Phillip	Chryssovelonis	Sydney Clay Target Club Ltd.
3/5/2027	Club Coach	Mick	Crews	Sydney Clay Target Club Ltd.
3/5/2027	Club Coach	Zhe	Cui	Sydney Clay Target Club Ltd.
3/5/2027	Club Coach	Chris	Davenport	Sydney Clay Target Club Ltd.
3/5/2027	Club Coach	Michael	Harris	Sydney Clay Target Club Ltd.
3/5/2027	Competition Coach	Darryn	Jones	Sydney Clay Target Club Ltd.
3/5/2027	Club Coach	Kyriakos	Kassianou	Sydney Clay Target Club Ltd.
3/5/2027	Club Coach	George	Kassianou	Sydney Clay Target Club Ltd.
24/8/2029	Club Coach	Chenguang	Liu	Sydney Clay Target Club Ltd.
3/5/2027	Club Coach	Glenn	Lysaght	Sydney Clay Target Club Ltd.
3/5/2027	Club Coach	Chris	Mollica	Sydney Clay Target Club Ltd.
24/8/2029	Club Coach	Daniel	Nakhoul	Sydney Clay Target Club Ltd.
3/5/2027	Club Coach	Peter	Petropouleas	Sydney Clay Target Club Ltd.
3/5/2027	Club Coach	Grahame	Smith	Sydney Clay Target Club Ltd.
24/8/2029	Club Coach	Liang	Tang	Sydney Clay Target Club Ltd.
24/8/2029	Club Coach	Tingjian	Wu	Sydney Clay Target Club Ltd.
24/8/2029	Club Coach	Peng	Zhang	Sydney Clay Target Club Ltd.
17/11/2026	Club Coach	Bart James	Crosby	Tamworth Clay Target Club Inc.
25/3/2026	Club Coach	John	Sleightholme	Tamworth Clay Target Club Inc.
4/10/2029	Club Coach	Phillip	Baker	Taree Wingham Clay Target Club Inc.
3/5/2027	Competition Coach	Steve	Cowell	The Forest Clay Target Club Inc.
3/5/2027	Club Coach	Jayne	Cowell	The Forest Clay Target Club Inc.
26/3/2026	Club Coach	Athos	Del-Ben	The Forest Clay Target Club Inc.
6/1/2030	Club Coach	John	Varoutsos	The Forest Clay Target Club Inc.
25/11/2026	Club Coach	Robert	Jacka	Tumut Clay Target Club Inc.
31/5/2026	Competition Coach	Don	Power	Tumut Clay Target Club Inc.

<i>Expiry Date</i>	<i>Description</i>	<i>First Name</i>	<i>Surname</i>	<i>Branch Name</i>
22/1/2026	Competition Coach	David	Coleman	Wagga Clay Target Club
9/9/2026	Club Coach	Michael	Crapella	Wagga Clay Target Club
4/10/2029	Competition Coach	Brad	Kidd	Wagga Clay Target Club
25/11/2026	Club Coach	Peter	Munro	Wagga Clay Target Club
24/8/2029	Club Coach	Matthew	Raabe	Wagga Clay Target Club
17/11/2026	Club Coach	Bill	Fletcher	Walcha Gun Club Inc.
17/11/2026	Club Coach	John	Smith (snr)	Walcha Gun Club Inc.
22/8/2030	Club Coach	Michael	Hill	Warren Gun Club Inc.
22/8/2030	Club Coach	John	Wild	Warren Gun Club Inc.
22/8/2030	Competition Coach	Don	Williamson	Warren Gun Club Inc.
21/10/2026	Club Coach	Jason	Anderson	West Wyalong Clay Target Club Inc.
12/4/2028	Competition Coach	Clive	Foster	West Wyalong Clay Target Club Inc.
21/11/2026	Club Coach	Robert	Lindsay	West Wyalong Clay Target Club Inc.
4/10/2029	Club Coach	Donald	Turner	West Wyalong Clay Target Club Inc.
3/5/2027	Competition Coach	Joe	Camilleri	Western Sydney International Clay Target Club Inc.
24/8/2029	Club Coach	Elias	Chahine	Western Sydney International Clay Target Club Inc.
24/8/2029	Club Coach	Abdul	El saidy	Western Sydney International Clay Target Club Inc.
24/8/2029	Club Coach	Peter	Karkoulas	Western Sydney International Clay Target Club Inc.
24/8/2029	Club Coach	Antoine	Mikhael	Western Sydney International Clay Target Club Inc.
24/8/2029	Club Coach	Samir	Rehayem	Western Sydney International Clay Target Club Inc.
24/8/2029	Club Coach	Angelo	Santangelo	Western Sydney International Clay Target Club Inc.
24/8/2029	Club Coach	Matthew	Baker	Yass Clay Target Club Inc.

# SHOOT CALENDAR

**2025**

October 25 & 26	TCTA State Skeet Carnival	Tasmanian Gun Club
October 31, November 1 & 2	SACTA State Skeet Carnival	State Shooting Park Virginia
November 6 - 9	VCTA State Trap Carnival	State Ground, Echuca CTC
November 21 - 23	ACTA National Compak Championships	National Ground, Wagga Wagga

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

**Powered and unpowered sites  
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# Australian Clay Target Association Inc.

## 2026 ANNUAL REGISTRATION & CLUB MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION



Membership Number <i>(compulsory)</i>		Shooters Licence Number	
Surname <i>(compulsory)</i>		Given Name <i>(compulsory)</i>	
Address <i>(compulsory)</i>			
Email <i>(compulsory)</i>		Post Code	
Mobile Ph Number <i>(compulsory)</i>		Date of Birth <i>(compulsory)</i>	/ /
I hereby apply for membership of the _____ Club			
<b>Please tick one:</b> As a continuing, or new member, together with my application for A.C.T.A. registration for the year ending 31st December 2026. I have previously been a registered member with the A.C.T.A.			
<b>Type of Membership: (Membership includes Insurance)</b>			
Club Membership			\$
State/Zone affiliations if applicable			\$
A.C.T.A. Full Membership		\$137.00	\$
Partner (spouse) of a Full Member of common address		\$96.00	\$
Veteran <b>(65 years at 31/12/25)</b>		\$96.00	\$
Concession/Loyalty <b>(30 years continuous adult membership)</b>		\$96.00	\$
Junior Membership <b>(Under the age of 18 at 31/12/25)</b>		\$45.00	\$
Recreational Member <b>(Shoot TARGETS ONLY &amp; PRACTICE at any A.C.T.A. Club)</b>		\$70.00	\$
<b>Compak Member</b>		\$50.00	\$
Levy (applies to ALL new memberships <b>except Juniors and Complimentary Free Limited Members</b> )		\$10.00	\$
Failure to provide all information will see your application declined and returned			<b>Total</b> \$
The A.C.T.A. protects the privacy and security of information provided by you. By completing this form, you agree to the use of your personal information by A.C.T.A.: to process your registration details; to disclose to Clubs affiliated with A.C.T.A. for regulated events; and for internal purposes and other opportunities presented from time to time.			
I undertake to abide by the Rules and By-laws of the above-mentioned Club, my State Association and the Australian Clay Target Association and I advise that I conform with my State of residence Firearm Regulations and shall notify my Club immediately upon non-renewal, cancellation or suspension of my shooter's licence.			
Signature		Date / /	
<b>THIS FORM IS TO BE PROCESSED BY YOUR CLUB – THE FORM WHEN COMPLETED IS TO BE RETAINED BY THE CLUB</b>			

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