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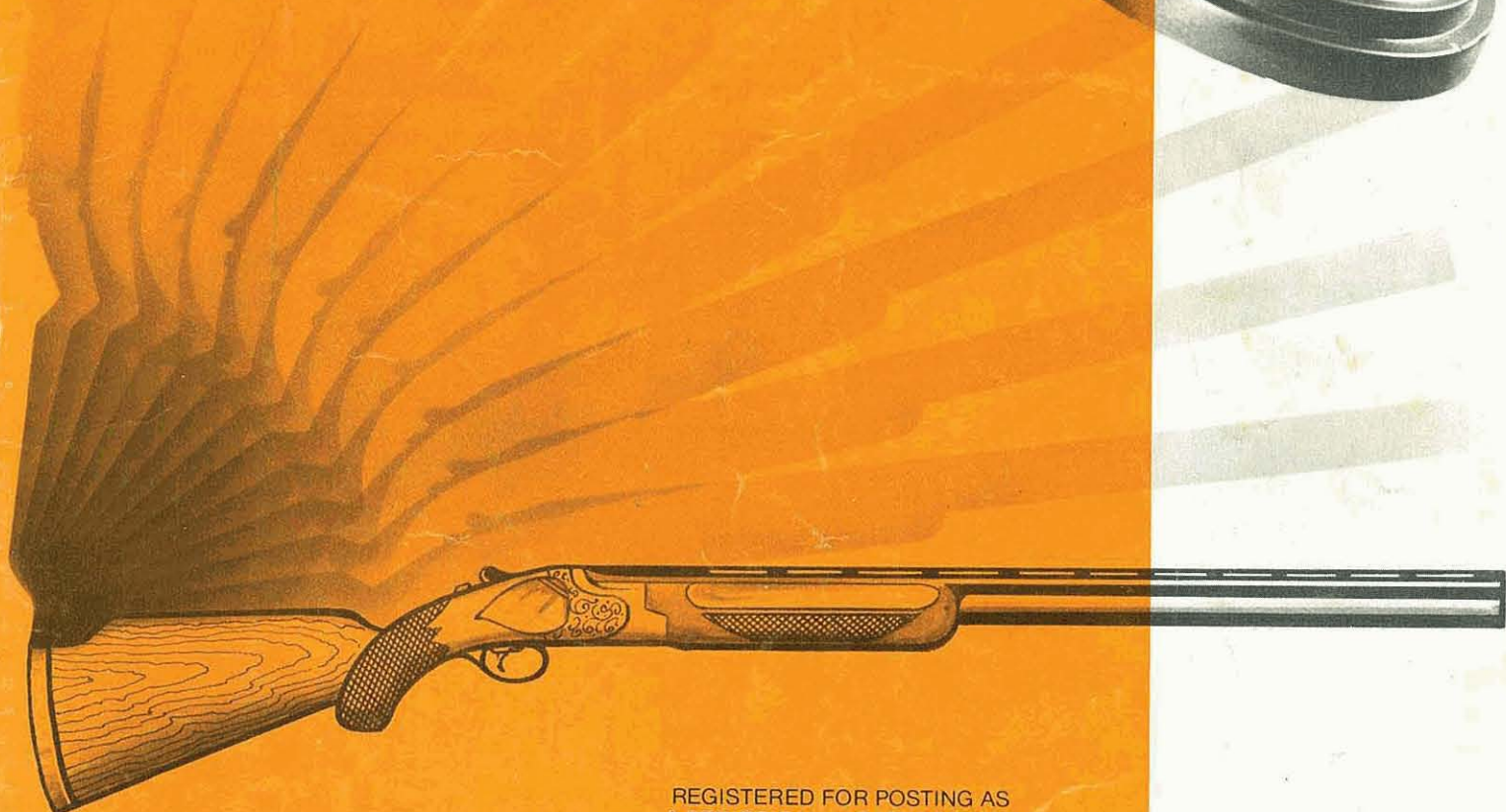
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Welcome sign outside club house of Waukesha Gun Club, August 1974. Note Australian flag.



Group of 1st Australian Trapshooters who made the trip to U.S.A. and Canada. Photo taken before boarding our bus when leaving the Grand 23-8-74.

Left to right: Alan and Enid Pedersen, Bill and Marjorie Abbott, Joan and Sandy Cox, Margaret, John and Robin Forsythe, Alec and Rene Baker, Brentan Warden, Valerie and Gordon Wakefield, Agnes and Laurie Connors, Pat Barnes, Lena and Bill Lavery, Jim Blythman, Gwen and Jack Wilkinson, Peter Caddy, Harry and Irene Williamson, Kathleen Rooke, Jenny Cox, Barney Rooke, Don Maher, Missing, Mr Ted Wilkinson.





Irene, wife of executive member, Mr Harry Williamson resting on the floor of Los Angeles Airport watched by A.C.T.A. Vice-President Tup Pedersen and his wife Enid.



Bud Archer of Madison, Wisconsin, U.S.A. presenting Barney Rooke of Wagga with a Remington Shotgun won at Waukesha Gun Club for the High Gun, August 1974.



Australian ladies receiving their individually hand made sterling silver brooch from Mrs Tommy Reinders, Waukesha Gun Club, August 1974.

Left to right: Valrie Wakefield, Marjorie Abbott, Robin Forsyth and Enid Pedersen obscured, Lena Lavery, Gwen Wilkinson, Rene Baker, Kathleen Rooke, Agnes Connors, Jenny Cox, Joan Cox missing, Irene Williamson and Margaret Forsyth.

*More pictures starting cover 5 at back.*



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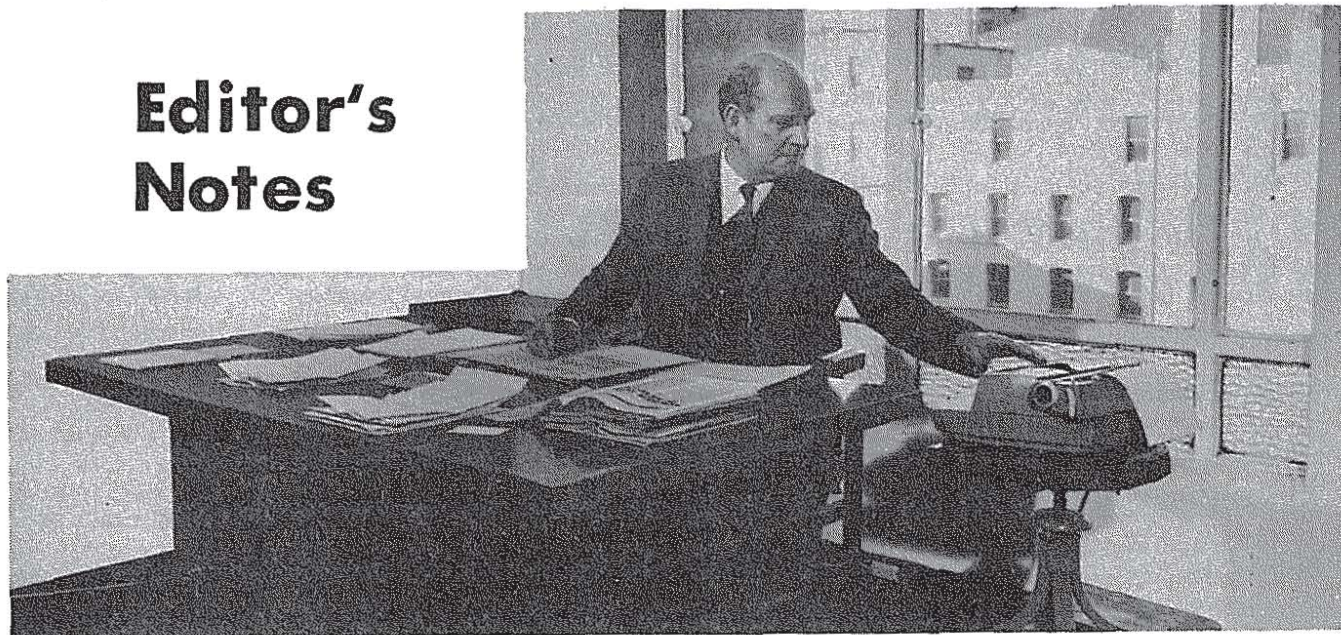
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# Editor's Notes



## REGISTERED SHOOTERS

Article 49 of the Articles of Association of the Australian Clay Target Association states: (a) The Association shall keep a register of shooters and no person may enter or compete at any Association competition or event conducted by a member Club of which a Delegate is a member of the Association unless such person is registered with the Association and is not in arrears with his subscription.

(b) Each member Club and each member who is the Delegate of an unincorporated Club shall BEFORE THE THIRTY-FIRST DAY OF JANUARY IN EACH YEAR supply the Secretary with a full and accurate list of all members and shooters registered with such Club for the year commencing on the first day of January of such year and shall at the same time remit to the Secretary the subscriptions of such Club members and shooters. Each member Club and each member who is the Delegate of an unincorporated Club shall also promptly forward to the Secretary of the Association the names and subscriptions of any such persons joining Club or registering as shooters after the thirty-first day of January in any year.

## FEES

Club secretaries are reminded that club 1975 affiliation fee of \$10 is due and payable on January 1, 1975.

All club shooter members are reminded that their 1975 Association fees are due and payable through their club secretaries on January 1, 1975.

These shooter registration fees are \$10 for the 1975 calendar year, whilst juniors are registered for \$1 for the year. Juniors receive a handicap card but do not receive any publications of ACTA Shooting News. Registered juniors seeking the publication must register for the full \$10. Irrespective of the class of registration fee, juniors are included in the ACTA Public Liability Insurance Policy as recently published

— coverage is to \$200,000 — whilst the premium is borne by the A.C.T.A.

However, where registered A.C.T.A. persons have a common address, and are related, then on request only one copy of Shooting News is to be sent and a reduction of \$2 is permitted for the additional registered shooter at the time of registration.

Only subscribers to A.C.T.A. "Shooting News" may send \$8 direct to the Secretary for "Shooting News" publications.

No pro rata rates are accepted and all fees are for the calendar year concerned.

April 1975 "Shooting News" will be mailed only to those financial—that is, those whose fees are actually received by the Secretary as of February 14, 1975.

In view of production costs and space content, apropos the recent scheduled increases in Australian postal rates, all further publications of the A.C.T.A. "Shooting News" will not contain lists of shooter registrations or handicap amendments but a full list of registrations will be published in one publication each year.

Shooters who have not marked their cards with their progressive common mark scores throughout 1974 are to be classed by club secretaries as "A" Class shooters in the 1975 registration lists to be forwarded by club secretaries for A.C.T.A. processing.

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Separately within this publication are the 1975 A.C.T.A. championship allocations as decided by the Executive Committee.

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Also contained within this publication is an abridged report of the August/September, 1974, visit to U.S.A. and Canada by a group of Australian shotgun shooters led by "Barney" Rooke of Wagga Wagga, N.S.W., with a further section of descriptive photographs.



## NOMINATIONS FOR 1975 OFFICES IN A.C.T.A.

All interested shooters are hereby notified that nominations for all offices in the Association close at 5 p.m. on Tuesday, December 31, 1974. Nominations must be lodged on the prescribed form with the Secretary, A.C.T.A., G.P.O. Box 2038S, Melbourne, Victoria, 3001. Any nominations received after this hour or date will not be accepted. Nomination forms are available from the Secretary, A.C.T.A. Nomination forms are only available on application.

Those lodging nominations are reminded that such nominations must be lodged in accordance with Article 27 of the Association Constitution, which reads: "Nominations for all offices in the Association and members of the Executive Committee must be in writing signed by the Secretary of the member Club or by the DELEGATE member of an unincorporated club making the nomination, and must reach the Secretary of the Association on or before December 31, in each year prior to the Annual General Meeting."

It is advised that private nominations will be rejected. Nominations received must have the official backing of the club and be approved by the Committee of the member club concerned.

These nominations will be published in February 1975 A.C.T.A. "Shooting News."

All member clubs have a copy of the Association Memorandum and Articles of Association including the amendments unanimously decided by the March 1974 Annual General Meeting.

One of these amendments (Article 24 (a)) increased the Executive Committee as of the 1975 year by three—being one additional member for each of the States of Queensland (previously 3), South Australia (previously 1), and Western Australia (previously 1).

As Article 26 provides that half of the Committee retire annually, the following is the situation for the 1975 year:

Due to retire at end 1974 but who may re-nominate before 31/12/74 for balloting at the Annual General Meeting at Launceston, Tasmania, in March, 1974.

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Note.—National President retires annually but may re-submit.

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Note: According to the Articles, the Association Vice-President is elected annually by the Committee from amongst the elected Committeemen meeting as soon as convenient immediately following each annual general meeting.

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The 41st World Shooting Championships within the International Shooting Union (full results page ??) were conducted in Switzerland during September and at the time of going to press for this publication Australian shooter Jim Ellis of South-West Gun Club, Western Australia, achieved 4th placing in the open trench title whilst the Australian team of four trench shooters is reported to have achieved 10th placing in the teams' section.

World shooting championships are conducted annually by a National Member Association within the International Shooting Union and Australia was the

venue in 1973. However the I.S.U. restricts such tournaments to include only selected sections and at Melbourne, Australia, in 1973 only shotgun and running boar sections were contested. For other years, the I.S.U. conducts world championships of all shooting types—thus, smallbore rifle, pistol, running boar and shotgun sections were contested in Switzerland during September, 1974.

In 1977 the world clay pigeon shooting championships will be conducted in the French Riviera resort of Antibes. This was decided during the recent 41st World Shooting Championships.



To all club secretaries and advertisers alike, copy for all publications closes on the first day of the month preceding the date of publication.

Australia has been beset by many labour stoppages during 1974 and it has been necessary to fully adhere to this copy closing deadline to ensure production and to maintain mailing schedules.

As no January publication is made because of annual vacations within the printing industry, all concerned are hereby requested to lodge copy — for December by November 1 actual — for January/February by December 1 actual. Late submissions then are self-inflicted problems for those concerned.

It is hereby recorded that the increased Australian Post Office mailing charges apply as from October 1, 1974, and these new mailing rates greatly affect all publications as to their respective total page weight.

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The Australian National Clay Target Championships for 1975 will be conducted by the A.C.T.A. at the Tasmanian Gun Club near Launceston, Tasmania, over the period March 4 to 12.

Newly appointed A.C.T.A. Referee Examiners in both trap and skeet shooting:

R. P. Allars, Warwick, Queensland.  
S. E. Rooke, Wagga Wagga, N.S.W.  
M. Sutherland, Hamilton, Victoria.  
J. L. Wilkinson, Mildura, Victoria.  
A. Bremner, Morwell, Victoria.  
R. Heuzenroeder, Broken Hill, N.S.W.

#### EXTRACTS FROM THE A.C.T.A. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING OF OCTOBER 7, 8, 9

1. During the 1975 National Championships programme, scheduled for March 4 to 12 at the Tasmanian Gun Club, Evandale, near Launceston, Tasmania:

- (a) All shooters will be "required to present their 1974 handicap cards plus, where available, their 1975 handicap cards to substantiate their 'B' and 'C' class gradings."
- (b) A "Texan" reloader as kindly donated by F. C. Lovelock Pty. Ltd. will take the place of cash as the first prize in the Grand Australian Handicap event.
- (c) The shoot marshal will announce that no closed guns are to be carried or pointed on the grounds other than as provided in the shooting rules.

#### GENERAL

2. Clubs when lodging 1975 shooter registrations with A.C.T.A. are asked to show on the forms the latest 1974 handicap yardage of each respective shooter whereupon A.C.T.A. will convert to metric and will also grant the one metre inward for the 1975 registration renewal. It is to be noted that no shooter can come inward by this method to 11 metres (or to the existing 12 yards).

3. Apropos the 1973 National Skeet Championship at Adelaide on 10/3/1973, an A.C.T.A. break record

of 154/154 is confirmed as having been established under the shooting rules by shooter Gerry Williams of U.S.A.

(Note: The skeet score of 158/158 established over March 9/10 by K. Lowry is disallowed under the shooting rules although purely by circumstances Lowry was scheduled to be in the skeet shoot off during the afternoon of March 10 (skeet second day) but during March 10 morning he was called to shoot the scheduled D-T-L Handicap event wherein he had been squadded as a back marker.)

4. (a) As from 1st January, 1975, clubs must use metric handicap marks on the shooting lanes and targets must be thrown to the metric measurements of legal targets.

(b) All new installations must be constructed to the new metric measurements but it is not intended that existing traphouses or tower shooting stations be reconstructed.

(c) Separately within this publication are the respective amendments to A.C.T.A. Shooting Rules concerning the adoption of metric measurements and weights.

(d) With the conversion of our shooting rules to metric, referees will need to closely study the amendments and become familiar with the new terms, target distances, etc. The enthusiasm of our active referees is greatly appreciated by the Executive Committee and Australian referees enjoy a reputation world-wide of which they can be proud. However there are probably some referees who for various reasons feel they do not want to try to keep up with the change and do not want to be embarrassed by the fact that they wear a referee's badge.

Our Rules Supervisors and Referee Examiners will gladly discuss any problems encountered by individual referees but perhaps it might be an ideal opportunity for those who wish to do so to return their badges and lighten their responsibilities.

5. Effective from January 1, 1975, some amendments to A.C.T.A. down-the-line trap shooting rules will be published in December, 1974, A.C.T.A. "Shooting News."

6. That in any shoot off where one squad still remains in a contest whilst another squad is reduced to one shooter before that shoot off round is completed, that a pacemaker be not allowed and the conditions in Rule 97 shall apply.

7. That the present ordering/manufacturing/mailing method—concerning CHAMPIONSHIP BADGES—be discontinued in view of ever increasing production costs and production delays, and to maintain championship badges to clubs at existing price that A.C.T.A. order badges of blank surround in bulk then sell them to clubs at existing price, giving immediate delivery with provision for clubs to have local jeweller add the required engraving and so enable clubs to have the appropriate badge so available for presentation at any shoot.

8. Attention all Referee Examiners.—It is requested that no further Referee Trap or Referee Skeet Examinations be considered until or unless the Referee Examiner concerned has been so authorised by a Rules Supervisor. This decision is designed to achieve a



uniformity of rules interpretations throughout the Commonwealth.

9. Recommendation to the A.C.T.A. 1975 scheduled Annual General Meeting "to discuss an increase of member club annual registration fee to \$25 (as provided in Article 14), effective as of 1st January, 1976."

10. Clay target shooting is a sport in which each of us is dependent on the other for its continuance.

Such a system can only succeed when all of its sections function smoothly and one of the breakdowns of our system has been the voluntary marking of performances on cards for grading purposes.

The majority of shooters do this honestly but unfortunately there are some who take advantage of the system and there are others who think that shooters are taking advantage of the system.

The known instances of cheating and the rumours of those who think that something is wrong is undermining the morale of all shooters to the stage of causing upheaval.

It is in the interest of club managements to see that clay target shooting prospers and an appeal is made to every club to co-operate in this requirement that they be responsible for collecting cards and marking them. If all clubs unite on this action they will be doing something positive to produce harmony for the betterment of the sport.

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This publication contains a FINAL RESULTS list of the trench shooting section of the 41st World Shooting Championships conducted in Switzerland during September, 1974, by the International Shooting Union.

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The 1975 national championship allocations are published herein, meanwhile those for the Riverina area of New South Wales will not be available for publication appearance till December "Shooting News."

The 1975 Interstate Trap Teams' Match has been won by the New South Wales team with 1480/1500 of scores to count.

Full details will be published in December, meanwhile the respective State team total scores were:

Victoria, at Bendigo, 28/1, 1450/1500.  
Northern Territory, at Alice Springs, 15/4, 1406.  
South Australia, at S.A.G.C., 27/4, 1411.  
Papua New Guinea, at Mount Hagen, 3/6, 1414.  
Queensland, at Barcaldine, 27/7, 1447.  
Western Australia, at Northam, 17/8, 1448.  
New South Wales, at Wagga Wagga, 5/10, 1480.  
Tasmania, at Cressy, 7/4, 1450.

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The 1975 Interstate Skeet Teams' Match has been won by the Western Australian team with 485/500 of scores to count.

Full details will be published in December, meanwhile the respective State team total scores were:

Victoria, at Melbourne, 5/5, 482/500.  
Northern Territory—no entry.  
South Australia, at S.A.G.C., 28/4, 474.  
Papua New Guinea, at Mount Hagen, 1/6, 426.  
Queensland, at Ipswich, 23/6, 469.  
Western Australia, at Perth, 28/9, 485.  
New South Wales, at Griffith, 21/9, 479.  
Tasmania, at Hobart, 29/4, 472.

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"That a travel fund be established as of 1-1-75 by the A.C.T.A. for the express purpose of funding Australian teams for international competition by taking \$1.00 per senior shooter subscription each year, any donations, funds or government grants for team promotion plus net profits from any National Championships series at the discretion of a regular meeting of the Executive Committee."

## A.C.T.A. SHOOTING RULES — AMENDMENTS

### Conversion to metric system as from 1st January, 1975

#### A.—TRAP RULES

**Rule 1 (a):** Change "16 yards" to "16 metres"; change "3 yards" to "3 metres."

**Rule 2 (a):** Change "1 yard from 12 to 27 yards" to "1 metre from 11 to 25 metres."

**Rule 2 (b):** Change "12 yard" to "11 metre."

**Rule 4 (a):** Change "3ft" to "1 metre"; change "18in" to "50 centimetres"; change "3ft" to "1 metre."

**Rule 5:** Change "3ft 3in" to "1 metre"; change "2ft 9in" to "85 centimetres"; change "6ft" to "2 metres"; change "8ft" to "2.5 metres"; change "3in" to "10 centimetres"; change "14in" to "35 centimetres"; change "1in" to "5 centimetres."

**Rule 6 (a):** Change "45 yards" to "45 metres"; change "55 yards" to "55 metres"; change "9ft" to "3 metres"; change "10 yards" to "10 metres"; change "18in" to "50 centimetres."

**Rule 6 (b):** Change "45 yards" to "45 metres."

**Rule 7:** Change "3ft" to "1 metre"; change "50 yards" to "50 metres."

**Rule 9:** Delete.

**Rule 10 (a):** Amend to read—"Standard targets shall measure not more than 11 centimetres in diameter, nor more than 2.85 centimetres in height, nor more than 110 grams in weight."

**Rule 10 (b):** Amend to read—"Mini targets shall measure not more than 7.6 centimetres in diameter, nor more than 2.7 centimetres in height, nor more than 56 grams in weight."

Three diagrams following Rule 10 (b)—Change all "yd" notations to "m" on all sketches; insert 11 metre radius line on first sketch; change "27" to "25" on first sketch; change "300" to "275" on the second sketch.



**Rule 12:** Change "25 inches" to "63 centimetres."

**Rule 13:** Remove "1½ ounces" and remove the brackets from around 32 grams.

**Rule 14:** Remove "1½ ounces" and remove the brackets from around 36 grams.

**Rule 39 (a):** Change "yardage" to "mark."

**Rule 39 (b):** Change "16 yards" to "16 metres."

**Rule 39 (c):** Amend to read—"Clubs may conduct trophy or sweepstake events to be shot from handicap marks with competitors divided into various handicap groupings. In these events trophies of equal value and distribution must be provided for each handicap group."

**Rule 80 (g):** Change "27 yards" to "25 metres."

**Rule 91:** Change "22 yards" to "22 metres"; change "20 yard" to "20 metre"; change "15 yard" to "15 metre."

**Rule 93 (b):** Change "nine feet" to "3 metres"; change "five feet" to "1.5 metres" in two places.

**Rule 93 (c):** Remove the bracketed second sentence entirely.

**Rule 93 (d):** Change "35ft" to "10 metres"; change "30ins" to "1 metre"; change "45 yards" to "50 metres"; change "65 yards" to "70 metres."

**Rule 99 (c):** Change "yardage" to "mark."

**Rule 100 (b):** Remove "yardage."

**Rule 100 (c):** Change "yards" to "metres" in two places.

**Rule 100 (e):** Change "yard" to "metre."

**Rule 100 (f):** Change "yard" to "metre."

**Rule 102:** Change "16 yards" to "14.63 metres"; change "1½ oz" to "32 grams."

**Rule 104:** Change "16 yards" to "16 metres."

**Rule 109 (a):** Change "16 yards" to "16 metres."

**Rule 110 (a):** Change "16 yards" to "16 metres."

**Rule 111 (a):** Change "16 yards" to "16 metres."

**Rule 112 (a):** Change "16 yards" to "16 metres."

**Rule 113 (a):** Change "20 yards" to "20 metres."

**Rule 116 (a):** Change "16 yards" to "16 metres."

**Rule 116 (a):** Remove "1½ oz" and remove the brackets from around 32 grams.

**Rule 118 (a):** Change "20 yards" to "20 metres."

**Rule 119 (a):** Change "20 yards" to "20 metres."

**Rule 120 (a):** Change "20 yards" to "20 metres" in the third and fifth lines; change "22 yards" to "22 metres"; change "20 and 15 yards" to "20 and 15 metres"; change "16 yards" to "16 metres."

**Rule 121 (a):** Change "22 yard" to "22 metre"; change "20 and 15 yards" to "20 and 15 metres."

**Rule 122 (a):** Change "16 yards" to "16 metres."

**Rule 123 (a):** Change "24 yards" to "24 metres."

**Rule 124 (a):** Remove the words "five feet directly in front of centre of tower."

**Rule 125 (a):** Change "18 yards" to "18 metres"; change "1½ oz shot (32 grams)," to "32 grams shot."

**Rule 126 (b):** Change "18 yards" to "18 metres"; change "1½ oz shot (32 grams)," to "32 grams shot."

**Rule 129 (a):** Change "yardage" to "mark."

**Rule 129 (b):** Change "5ft" to "1.5 metres"; change "10 yards" to "10 metres"; change "6in" to "15 centimetres."

**Rule 129 (c):** Change "16ft" to "5 metres"; change "10 yards" to "10 metres"; change "12ins" to "30 centimetres."

**Rule 129 (d):** Change "50 yards" to "45 metres"; change "55 yards" to "55 metres."

**Rule 130 (a):** Change "18 yards" to "18 metres."

**Rule 131 (a):** Change "18 yards" to "18 metres."

**Rule 132 (a):** Change "18 yards" to "18 metres" in the third and fifth lines; change "22 yards" to "22 metres"; Change "20 and 15 yards" to "20 and 15 metres"; change "16 yards" to "16 metres."

**Rule 133 (a):** Change "22 yard" to "22 metre"; change "20 and 15 yards" to "20 and 15 metres."

**Rule 134 (a):** Change "16 yards" to "16 metres."

**Rule 135 (a):** Change "22 yards" to "22 metres."

**Rule 136:** Remove the words "five feet directly in front of centre of tower."

**Rule 137 (a):** Change "16 yards" to "16 metres."

**Rule 138 (a):** Change "16 yards" to "16 metres."

**Rule 139 (a):** Change "16 yards" to "16 metres" in the third and fifth lines; change "22 yard" to "22 metre"; change "20 and 15 yards" to "20 and 15 metres"; change "16 yards" to "16 metres" in the sixteenth line.

**Rule 140 (a):** Change "22 yard" to "22 metre"; change "20 and 15 yards" to "20 and 15 metres."

**Rule 141 (a):** Change "16 yards" to "16 metres."

**Rule 142 (a):** Change "20 yards" to "20 metres."

**Rule 146:** Remove "1½ oz" and remove the brackets from around 32 grams.

**Rule 149 (a):** Delete the existing rule and substitute: The following adjustment formula shall apply to all events subject to handicapping with the exception of handicap events in which there is an overall entry of less than twelve shooters and of any class of a common mark graded event in which there are less than four shooters.

Cash or minimum retail trophy value wins and divisions obtained in one event or as a total in one day.

**11 Metres:** One metre back on winning \$5 or equivalent trophy value. An 11 metre shooter on having left that mark cannot return to it.

**12 Metres:** One metre back on winning \$12 or equivalent trophy value.

**13 Metres:** One metre back on winning \$13 or equivalent trophy value.

**14 Metres:** One metre back on winning \$14 or equivalent trophy value.

**15 Metres:** One metre back on winning \$15 or equivalent trophy value.



**16 Metres:** One metre back on winning \$16 or equivalent trophy value.

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**22 Metres:** One metre back on winning \$22 or equivalent trophy value.

**23 Metres:** One metre back on winning \$23 or equivalent trophy value.

**24 Metres:** One metre back on winning \$24 or equivalent trophy value.

The following will apply to all handicaps:

Two metres back for a win or division of more than \$100 or equivalent trophy value in any one event.

**Rule 153 (b):** Change "13 yards" to "12 metres"; change "yard" to "metre" in the fourth line.

**Rule 155 (a):** Change "yard" to "metre" in the last line.

**Rule 155 (b):** Change "yards" to "metres" in three locations; change "\$12.00" to "\$16.00."

**Rule 158:** Change "a 12 yard" to "an 11 metre"; change "16 yards" to "16 metres."

#### Rules Interpretation

Amend the second sentence to read:

Rule 6 states that the target must be 3 metres above the level of the centre lane, when 10 metres from the trap, with a margin of tolerance of 50 centimetres above or below.

In the second paragraph:

Change "10ft 6 in" to "3.5 metres" in two places; change "3ft" to "1 metre"; change "9ft" to "3 metres"; change "10 yards" to 10 metres."

In the fourth paragraph:

Change "9ft" to "3 metres"; change "7ft 6in" to "2.5 metres"; change "10ft 6 in" to "3.5 metres."

In the sketch following Rules Interpretations:

Change "10ft 6in" to "3.5 metres"; change "9ft" to "3 metres"; change "7ft 6in" to "2.5 metres"; change "3ft" to "1 metre"; change "6ft" to "2 metres."

**A.C.T.A. Trap Rule 149:** Amend to read:

Shooters	on	12	yards	go	to	11	metres
"	"	13	"	"	"	12	"
"	"	14	"	"	"	13	"
"	"	15	"	"	"	14	"
"	"	16	"	"	"	15	"
"	"	17	"	"	"	16	"

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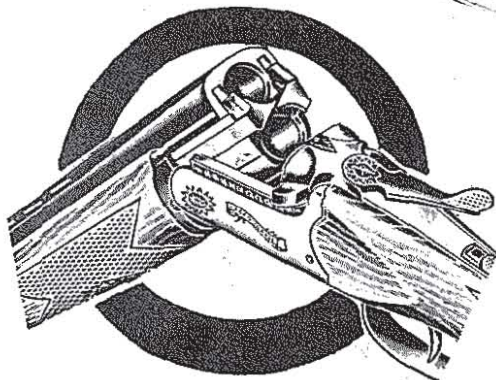
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indicate the shooting boundary limit and the second marker shall indicate the minimum distance a target shall travel in still air."

**Rule 7:** Change "3 yards" to "3 metres."

**Rule 8 (a):** Amend to read—"Standard targets shall measure not more than 11 centimetres in diameter, nor more than 2.85 centimetres in height, nor more than 110 grams in weight."

**Rule 8 (b):** Amend to read—"Mini targets shall measure not more than 7.6 centimetres in diameter, nor more than 2.7 centimetres in height, nor more than 56 grams in weight."

**Rule 9:** Change "18 inches" to "50 centimetres"; change "15 feet" to "4.57 metres"; change "55 yards" to "50 metres"; change "65 yards" to "60 metres."

**Rule 12:** Change "25 inches" to "63 centimetres."

**Rule 13:** Remove "1½ ounces" and remove the brackets from around 32 grams.

**Rule 41:** Change "44 yards" to "40.23 metres."

**Rule 99:** Remove "1½ oz" and remove brackets from around 32 grams.

**Rule 105 (a):** Amend the last sentence to read—"Standard load shells not to exceed 32 grams of shot, No. 7 size or lighter."

**Rule 105 (c):** Amend the phrase—"1½ oz shot (32 grams)" to "32 grams shot."

**Rule 116:** Change "20-27 yards" to "18-25 metres"; change "16-19 yards" to "15-17 metres"; change "12-15 yards" to "11-14 metres."

## B.—SKEET RULES

**Rule 1:** Change "twenty-one (21) yards" to "19.2 metres"; change "one hundred and twenty (120) feet, nine (9) inches" to "36.8 metres"; change "six (6) yards" to read "5.49 metres."

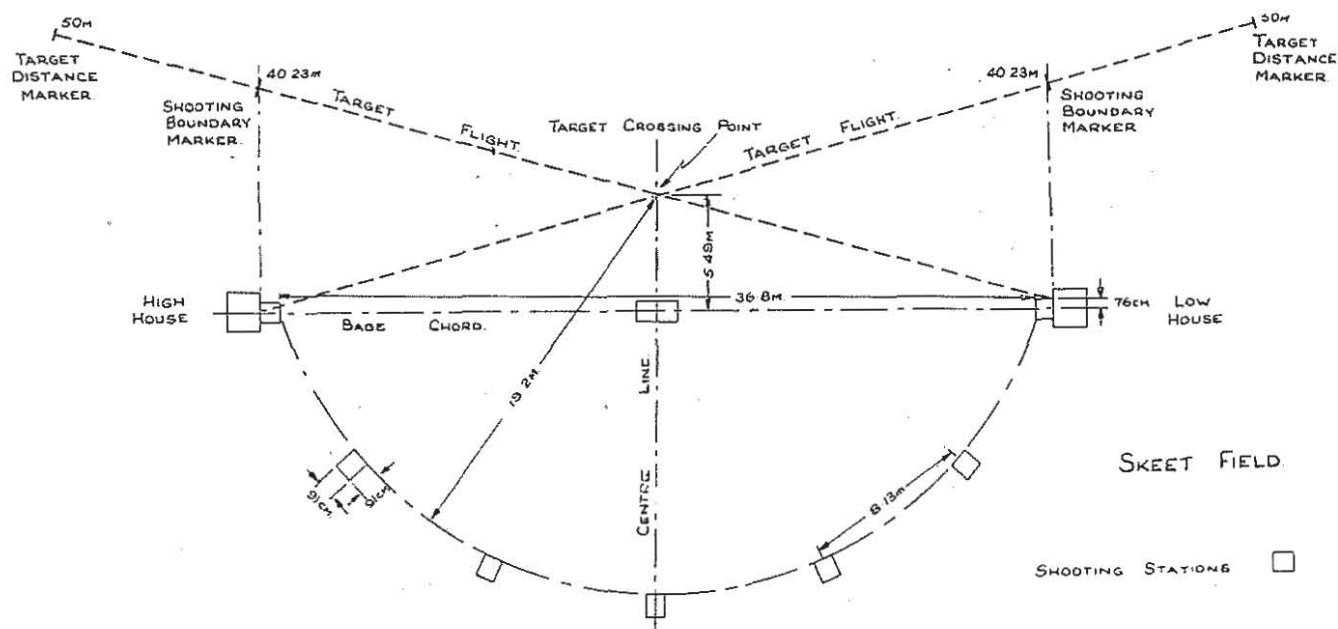
**Rule 2:** Change "twenty-six (26) feet, eight and three-eighths (8⅜) inches" to "8.13 metres."

**Rule 3:** Change "3 feet" to "91 centimetres" in two locations; change "6 feet" to "1.83 metres"; change "30 inches" to "76 centimetres."

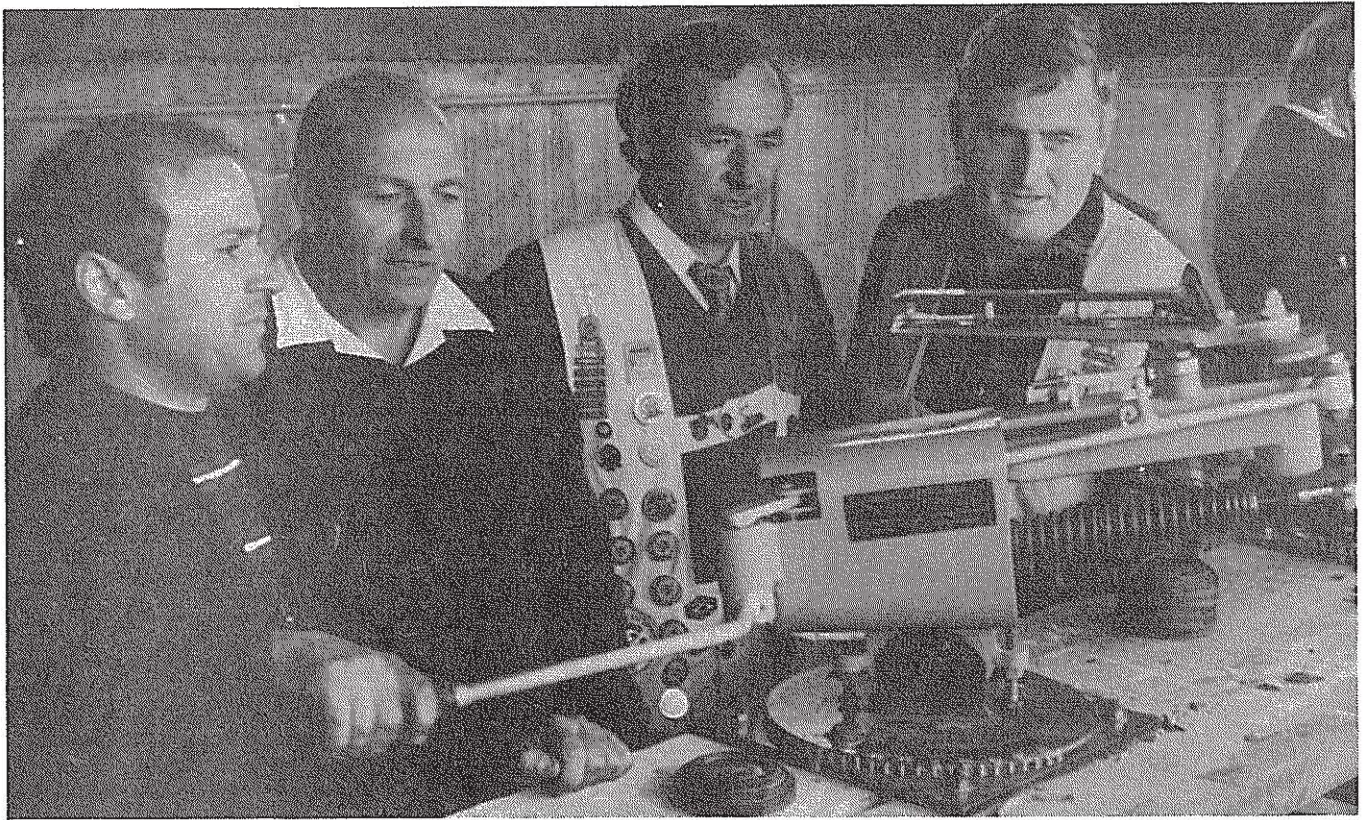
**Rule 5:** Change "three (3) feet" to "91 centimetres" in two locations; change "ten (10) feet" to "3.05 metres"; change "two and one-half (2½) feet" to "76 centimetres"; change "three and one-half (3½) feet" to "1 metre."

**Rule 6:** Amend to read—"Suitable markers shall be placed at points 40.23 metres and 50 metres from both the high and the low house measured along the flight of a regular target. The first marker shall

Skeet Field Layout Diagram following Rule 22. Amend measurements as per attached sketch.







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## NEWS AND VIEWS

**Cohuna (V)**—Secretary now is John G. Garner.

**Azzurri (WA)**—Secretary is now Mrs M. L. Alexander.

**East Coast (Tas.)**—Secretary now is Mrs C. Elphinstone.

**Dawson Valley (Q)** — 22/9/74 annual general meeting elected as office-bearers: President, R. Woodward; Vice-President, J. Ryan; Secretary, Mrs D. Ryan; Treasurer, C. Hill; Captain, J. Ogden; Committee, G. Ziebill, J. Ganter, L. Murphy, T. Jensen.

**Attention all duck shooters**—Whilst not yet gazetted by the respective Governments concerned, it is believed that the 1975 open season for wild duck shooting within New South Wales, Victoria and South Australia will probably commence on the third Saturday of March, 1975 (that is, probably, Saturday, March 15, for the opening). All concerned should contact their respective Fisheries and Wild Life, or Fauna State Departments as time progresses.

**Rosebery (Tas.)** — Annual general meeting of 29/9/74 elected as office-bearers: President, R. D. Hampton; Vice-President, J. Hyatt; Secretary, Mrs K. F. Woods; Treasurer, M. Woods; Assistant Secretary, Mrs L. Woods; Committee, K. Woods, J. Woods, R. Ward, R. Argent; Shoot Marshal, J. Woods.

**Cairns (Q)**—New club awaiting allocation of shire grounds is contemplating a layout to include 4 x DTL, 2 x skeet, 1 x tower arrangements. Shooter members will include those from the marlin industry, game boat skippers and visiting game fishermen. Meantime club is grateful for the kind offering by the Atherton Gun Club of their facilities at Tolga. Cairns office-bearers are: President, R. A. Simpson; Secretary, I. M. Monaghan; Treasurer, A. W. Poymer; Committeemen, C. R. Marino, C. Marino, J. Marino, G. Simpson.

**Upper Hunter (NSW)** — Annual general meeting, 13/9/74, elected as office-bearers: President, L. Rose; Secretary, K. Neill; Treasurer, R. Wakim. The club conducted its first shoot at the new grounds on the Cundy Road at Scone during October and will conduct the NSW State points score night championship on November 9.

**Foster (Vic.)**—VALE Charlie Arnup, the Club President, one of the foundation members, a keen and well known sportsman, and liked by all who met him.

**N.S.W.G.C.** reports that "Luke Hughes is dead after 94 years as a musician, story teller, expert shot, trader, opportunist. Most of his working life from 1930 was with ICI as a shooter."

**A.C.T. International Club (A.C.T.)**—The club has formed and is in the process of acquiring a shooting ground, meantime only practice shooting is held when possible by courtesy of, and at the grounds of, the Queanbeyan-Canberra Gun Club. At the new club's 30/8/74 annual general meeting the entire initial committee was re-elected unopposed. The club's first set of traps for 1 x 15 trap ISU trench layout are at present awaiting clearance through the Customs Department in Sydney prior to delivery.

**Morwell (Vic.)** seeks correction to their 17/8/74 shoot report—see page 21, column 1 of October, 1974—the placegetters in the 1974 Victorian State Tower (Day) Championships should read as—1st P. Radoa, 278/278; 2nd J. Elliott, 277/278; 3rd R. McGillivray, 30/31.

**Warracknabeal (Vic.)** have issued a retraction reference their page 20 October "Shooting News" advertisement in that the Commonwealth Night Mini Target Continental Double Barrel Championship will be conducted on November 23 as the main event of the programme as advertised within this November publication.

**Mt. Bogong (V)**—Club is well under way with regular practice shoots and membership of 37.

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Applications must be lodged on the prescribed form number 16, for consideration and approval of shooting rules.

If no club advertising copy has arrived two months before a Commonwealth Title, then the Secretary/Editor is empowered to insert an appropriate advertisement and to charge the club concerned.

Clubs allocated State Title events are expected to advertise these State Events in A.C.T.A. "Shooting News."

Clubs not advertising Interstate Teams and similar major events, will not receive such consideration in future allocations.

The host clubs of the Interstate Teams' Matches, both Trap and Skeet, should give two months' notice to all shooters within their advertisements in A.C.T.A. "Shooting News" and such matches should be completed by December 31.

A.C.T.A. National Championships and the International Trap Teams' Match will be conducted at the Melbourne Gun Club, Lilydale, Victoria, over the period March 4 to March 12, Tuesday to Wednesday, excluding Sunday, March 9, which is to be a Free Day. The Executive Committee is grateful to Messrs. I.M.I. Australia Ltd.; Winchester Australia Pty. Ltd.; Michaelis Bayley Trading, Guthrie & Company (Australia) Pty. Ltd. and F. C. Lovelock Pty. Ltd.

## 1975 INTERSTATE TEAMS' MATCH (D.T.L.—TRAP)

(Standard Targets)

WESTERN AUSTRALIA .....	KATANNING
SOUTH AUSTRALIA .....	S.A.G.C.
TASMANIA .....	TASMANIAN (Oct. 11-12)
VICTORIA .....	AUSTRALIAN
NEW SOUTH WALES .....	ROYAL AERO
QUEENSLAND .....	SOUTH BURNETT
NORTHERN TERRITORY .....	ALICE SPRINGS
PAPUA NEW GUINEA .....	PORT MORESBY

## 1975 INTERSTATE SKEET TEAMS' MATCH

(Standard Targets)

WESTERN AUSTRALIA .....	NORTHAM
SOUTH AUSTRALIA .....	S.A.G.C.
TASMANIA .....	TASMANIAN (Feb. 8-9)
VICTORIA .....	GEELONG
NEW SOUTH WALES .....	BROKEN HILL
QUEENSLAND .....	MT. ISA (JUNE)
PAPUA NEW GUINEA .....	PORT MORESBY
AUSTRALIAN OLYMPIC TRENCH .....	HOBART, 15/3/75

## COMMONWEALTH DAY STANDARD TARGET CHAMPIONSHIPS

DOUBLE BARREL .....	CENTRAL BURNETT
SINGLE BARREL .....	BARMERA
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES .....	INTERNATIONAL
DOUBLE RISE .....	COWRA
MIXED TARGETS .....	PERTH (27/9/75)
WALK UP .....	KANIVA
SKEET .....	HOBART (25/5/75)
TOWER .....	BURDEKIN
CONTINENTAL DB .....	HUONVILLE (7/12/75)
POINTS SCORE DB .....	KORUMBURRA
I.S.U. SINGLE TRAP .....	
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TOWER DOUBLE RISE .....	
CONTINENTAL SB .....	
VETERANS DB .....	GOLD COAST



## COMMONWEALTH NIGHT STANDARD TARGET CHAMPIONSHIPS

DOUBLE BARREL .....	S.A.G.C.
SINGLE BARREL .....	CRESSY (5/4/75)
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES .....	HOBART (31/8/75)
DOUBLE RISE .....	METROPOLITAN
MIXED TARGETS .....	NEWCASTLE
WALK UP .....	DALBY
SKEET .....	PERTH
TOWER .....	WHYALLA
POINTS SCORE DB .....	TOOGOOLAWAH
CONTINENTAL DB .....	
I.S.U. TRAP .....	MILDURA
I.S.U. SKEET .....	WAGGA
TOWER DOUBLE RISE .....	

## COMMONWEALTH DAY MINI TARGET CHAMPIONSHIPS

DOUBLE BARREL .....	FINLEY
SINGLE BARREL .....	VICTORIAN
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES .....	ECHUCA
DOUBLE RISE .....	AUSTRALIAN
MIXED TARGETS .....	
WALK UP .....	
SKEET .....	BURDEKIN
TOWER .....	GRIFFITH
CONTINENTAL DB .....	TOWNSVILLE
POINTS SCORE DB .....	CUNDERDIN
I.S.U. SKEET .....	
I.S.U. TRAP .....	

## COMMONWEALTH NIGHT MINI TARGET CHAMPIONSHIPS

DOUBLE BARREL .....	MARYBOROUGH, VIC.
SINGLE BARREL .....	ROMA
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES .....	BURDEKIN
DOUBLE RISE .....	
MIXED TARGETS .....	MORWELL
WALK UP .....	LISMORE
SKEET .....	
TOWER .....	MILDURA
CONTINENTAL DB .....	
POINTS SCORE DB .....	UPPER HUNTER
I.S.U. SKEET .....	
I.S.U. TRAP .....	

# Queensland Championships

### STATE—DAY—STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—CHARTERS TOWERS  
SINGLE BARREL—CUNNAMULLA  
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—BRISBANE (SEPT.)  
DOUBLE RISE—BALLANDEAN  
MIXED TARGETS—ST. GEORGE  
TOWER—BURDEKIN  
WALK UP—  
SKEET—TOWNSVILLE (29/3/75)  
POINTS SCORE DB—WANDOAN  
CONTINENTAL DB—DALBY  
CONTINENTAL SB—BURDEKIN

### STATE—NIGHT—STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—ROCKHAMPTON  
SINGLE BARREL—IPSWICH (OCTOBER)  
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—MT. ISA  
DOUBLE RISE—TOOGOOLAWAH

CONTINENTAL DB—BUNDABERG  
CONTINENTAL SB—BURDEKIN  
POINTS SCORE DB—CENTRAL BURNETT  
TOWER—BURDEKIN  
SKEET—TOWNSVILLE (14/6/75)

### STATE—DAY—MINI TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—CONDAMINE  
SINGLE BARREL—TOOWOOMBA  
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—BLACKWATER  
MIXED TARGETS—DAWSON VALLEY  
DOUBLE RISE—DAWSON VALLEY  
POINTS SCORE DB—CHARLEVILLE

### STATE—NIGHT—MINI TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—BURDEKIN  
SINGLE BARREL—BURDEKIN  
DOUBLE RISE—BURDEKIN



## DISTRICT DAY—STANDARD TARGETS

Ballandean Club Teams' Match—Ballandean  
Capricorn DB, SB—Rockhampton  
Dalby SB—Dalby  
Darling Downs All Titles—Toowoomba  
Granite Belt DB, SB—Ballandean  
North Queensland DB—Richmond  
North Queensland SB—Townsville  
North Queensland DD—Charters Towers  
North Queensland DR—Richmond  
North Queensland Skeet—Townsville (15/11/75)  
North Queensland All Titles—Mt. Isa  
Pacific Coast All Titles—Gold Coast  
Paroo River DB, SB—Cunnamulla (3-4/5/75)  
South Burnett DB, SB, DR, Cont. SB and DB—South Burnett  
Southern Queensland DB, SB—St. George  
Maranoa DB—Roma (31/5/75)  
Maranoa DB Points—Roma (1/6/75)

Southern Queensland Skeet—Ipswich (May)  
Northern Downs DB, SB—  
Warrego DB, SB—Charleville (7-8/6/75)  
Warrego Point Score M.T.—Charleville (7/12/75)  
West Moreton All Titles—Ipswich

## DISTRICT—NIGHT—STANDARD TARGETS

Capricorn DB, SB—Rockhampton  
North Queensland DB, SB—Richmond  
North West Queensland DB—Mt. Isa  
Pacific Coast All Titles—Gold Coast

## DISTRICT—DAY—MINI TARGETS

Darling Downs DB—Toowoomba  
Southern Downs DB, SB, DB, PS, DD, DR—Warwick

## DISTRICT—NIGHT—MINI TARGETS

Southern Downs DB, SB, DB, PS—Warwick

# New South Wales Championships

## STATE—DAY—STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—ROYAL AERO  
SINGLE BARREL—ROYAL AERO  
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—NEW SOUTH WALES  
DOUBLE RISE—HAY  
MIXED TARGETS—WYONG  
WALK UP—LAKE CARGELLIGO  
SKEET—BROKEN HILL  
TOWER DB—TAREE  
CONTINENTAL DB—NARRANDERA  
POINTS SCORE DB—COFFS HARBOUR  
CONTINENTAL SB—GUYRA  
CONT. POINTS SCORE DB—BREWARRINA  
I.S.U. TRAP—  
I.S.U. SKEET—HAWKESBURY  
DOUBLE RISE TOWER—NARRABRI  
TOWER SB—GRIFFITH

## STATE—NIGHT—STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—COBAR  
SINGLE BARREL—WARREN  
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—GOODOOGA  
DOUBLE RISE—NEWCASTLE  
MIXED TARGETS—HAWKESBURY  
WALK UP—LISMORE  
SKEET—GRIFFITH  
POINTS SCORE DB—QUEANBEYAN-C'BERRA  
TOWER DB—GRIFFITH  
CONTINENTAL DB—INVERELL  
CONTINENTAL SB—ILLAWARRA  
CONTINENTAL PS—NARRANDERA  
TOWER SB—TAREE

## STATE—DAY—MINI TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—ILLAWARRA  
SINGLE BARREL—CONDOBOLIN  
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—MENINDEE  
DOUBLE RISE—MARCONI  
MIXED TARGETS—GANMAIN  
WALK UP—SYDNEY  
SKEET—QUEANBEYAN-CANBERRA

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TOWER SB—GRIFFITH  
POINTS SCORE DB—RANKINS SPRINGS  
CONTINENTAL DB—SYDNEY  
TOWER DB—ILLAWARRA  
CONTINENTAL SB—HAWKESBURY  
CONTINENTAL PS—QUEANBEYAN-C'BERRA

## STATE—NIGHT—MINI TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—NEW SOUTH WALES  
SINGLE BARREL—DENILIQUIN  
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—GRIFFITH  
DOUBLE RISE—BROKEN HILL  
CONTINENTAL DB—DUBBO  
CONTINENTAL SB—QUEANBEYAN-C'BERRA  
SKEET—HAWKESBURY  
MIXED TARGETS—LISMORE  
WALK UP—UPPER HUNTER  
POINTS SCORE—GLOUCESTER  
CONTINENTAL PS—HAWKESBURY

## DISTRICT—DAY—STANDARD TARGETS

Barwon All Titles—Brewarrina  
Bourke & Wills DB, SB—Menindee  
Big River DB, SB, DR—Yamba  
Central Coast All Titles—Wyong  
City of Newcastle All Titles—Newcastle  
Culgoa River All Titles—Goodooga  
Far Western All Titles—Cobar  
Indian Pacific Railway DB, SB—Menindee  
Lower West Darling All Titles—Wyarama  
Hunter Valley All Titles—Cessnock  
MacIntyre All Titles—Inverell  
Macleay Valley DB, SB—Kempsey  
Manning All Titles—Taree-Wingham  
Menindee Lake DD—Menindee  
Narrabri All Titles—Narrabri  
North Coast of N.S.W. DB, DD, SB—Lismore  
New England All Titles—Guyra  
Silver City DB, SB—Broken Hill  
Tamworth & District All Titles—Tamworth  
Upper Hunter All Titles—Upper Hunter  
West Darling DB, SB—Broken Hill



## DISTRICT—NIGHT—STANDARD TARGETS

Far Western All Titles—Cobar  
MacIntyre All Titles—Inverell  
Narrabri All Titles—Narrabri  
Newcastle All Titles—Newcastle  
North Coast of N.S.W. SB—Lismore

## SOUTH COAST ZONE CHAMPIONSHIPS DAY—STANDARD TARGETS

Double Barrel—Bombala  
Single Barrel—Queanbeyan-Canberra  
Points Score—New South Wales  
Double Rise—Hawkesbury  
Deauville Doubles—Berridale  
Walk Up—Royal Aero  
Mixed Targets—Sutton Forest  
Double Barrel Continental—Marconi  
Single Barrel Continental—Illawarra  
Points Score Continental—Sydney  
Double Barrel Tower—Illawarra  
Single Barrel Tower—Illawarra  
Double Rise Tower—Illawarra  
Skeet—Queanbeyan-Canberra  
I.S.U. Skeet—Hawkesbury

## NIGHT—STANDARD TARGETS

Double Barrel—Illawarra  
Single Barrel—Hawkesbury  
Points Score—Illawarra  
Double Rise—Queanbeyan-Canberra  
Deauville Doubles—Queanbeyan-Canberra  
Walk Up—Not Allocated  
Mixed Targets—Illawarra  
Double Barrel Continental—Hawkesbury  
Single Barrel Continental—New South Wales  
Points Score Continental—Hawkesbury

Double Barrel Tower—Not Allocated  
Single Barrel Tower—Not Allocated  
Double Rise Tower—Not Allocated  
Skeet—Hawkesbury  
I.S.U. Skeet—Not Allocated

## DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIPS

Blue Mountains All Titles—Wallerawang  
Bankstown All Titles—Royal Aero  
Berrima All Titles—Sutton Forest  
Central West All Titles—Bathurst  
County of Cumberland All Titles (except Skeet) —  
Royal Aero  
County of Cumberland Skeet—Hawkesbury  
Hawkesbury All Titles—Hawkesbury  
Hawkesbury River All Titles—Hawkesbury  
Illawarra All Titles—Illawarra  
Marconi-Southern All Titles—Marconi  
Metropolitan All Titles—New South Wales  
Monaro DB, PS, DD—Berridale  
Monaro SB, DR, MT—Bombala  
Queanbeyan-Canberra All Titles—Queanbeyan-C'berra  
Shoalhaven All Titles (except DB)—Albatross  
Shoalhaven DB—Shoalhaven  
Southern SB, DR, MT—Berridale  
Southern DB, PS, DD—Bombala  
South Pacific All Titles—Hawkesbury  
Southern Highlands All Titles—Sutton Forest  
Sydney All Titles—New South Wales  
City of Sydney All Titles—Sydney  
Duffys Forest All Titles—New South Wales  
Kuringai Chase All Titles—New South Wales  
Georges River All Titles—Royal Aero  
Sutherland-St. George All Titles—Sydney  
Aust. Capital Territories All Titles—Q'beyan-C'berra

**Note:** Allocations for Riverina area will be published in December when available.

# Victorian Championships

## STATE—DAY—STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—ECHUCA  
POINTS SCORE DB—KYNETON  
SINGLE BARREL—  
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—APSLEY  
DOUBLE RISE—FRANKSTON  
MIXED TARGETS—TYRENDARRA  
WALK UP—SHEPPARTON  
SKEET—  
TOWER DB—SWAN HILL  
TOWER SB—SWAN HILL  
TOWER—VICTORIAN  
CONTINENTAL DB—HAMILTON  
CONTINENTAL SB—WARRACKNABEAL  
I.S.U. TRENCH—  
I.S.U. UNIVERSAL TRENCH—MILDURA  
I.S.U. CONTINENTAL TRAP—GEELONG  
I.S.U. SKEET—

## STATE—NIGHT—STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—MARYBOROUGH  
POINTS SCORE DB—SEBASTOPOL  
SINGLE BARREL—HORSHAM

DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—ECHUCA  
DOUBLE RISE—WANGARATTA  
MIXED TARGETS—BENDIGO  
WALK UP—GEELONG  
SKEET—METROPOLITAN  
TOWER—GEELONG  
CONTINENTAL DB—CALLAWADDA  
CONTINENTAL SB—WARRACKNABEAL  
I.S.U. CONTINENTAL TRAP—MORWELL  
I.S.U. TRAP—MILDURA  
I.S.U. SKEET—GEELONG

## STATE—DAY—MINI TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—AUSTRALIAN  
POINTS SCORE DB—CALLAWADDA  
SINGLE BARREL—SHEPPARTON  
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—TATURA  
DOUBLE RISE—AUSTRALIAN  
MIXED TARGETS—VICTORIAN  
WALK UP—CALLAWADDA  
SKEET—MILDURA  
TOWER—MILDURA  
CONTINENTAL DB—MORWELL



## STATE—NIGHT—MINI TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—BENDIGO  
POINTS SCORE DB—COHUNA  
SINGLE BARREL—ECHUCA  
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—VICTORIAN  
DOUBLE RISE—BAIRNSDALE  
WALK UP—CALLAWADDA  
TOWER—VICTORIAN

## DISTRICT—DAY STANDARD TARGETS

Anzac Day All Titles—  
Australia Day All Titles—  
Altona District All Titles—Victorian  
Ballarat and District All Titles—Sebastopol  
Begonia All Titles—Sebastopol  
Bellerine All Titles—Portarlington  
Benalla and District All Titles—Benalla  
Birchip and District DB, SB—Birchip  
Blackburn All Titles—Australian  
Broadmeadows All Titles—Metropolitan  
Burwood All Titles—Australian  
Berwick All Titles—Australian  
Brooklyn District All Titles—Victorian  
Campaspe Valley DB, DD—Bendigo  
Central Wimmera DB—Goroke  
City of Geelong All Titles—Geelong  
City of Melbourne All Titles—Melbourne  
City of Ringwood All Titles—Melbourne  
City of Swan Hill All Titles—Swan Hill  
Coldstream All Titles—Melbourne  
Corio Bay All Titles—Geelong  
Croydon All Titles—Melbourne  
Chirnside Park All Titles—Melbourne  
Donnybrook All Titles—Metropolitan  
Dandenong and District Skeet—Australian  
Epping All Titles—Metropolitan  
Epping Lions' Charity Carnival—Metropolitan (Feb.)  
Ferntree Gully All Titles—Australian  
Geelong and District All Titles—Geelong  
Gippsland — Morwell, 18/1/75, DD; Morwell,  
15/3/75, DB; Morwell, 19/7/75, Tower; Bairns-  
dale, 26/12/75, MT  
Gippsland Lakes DB, SB—Bairnsdale, 18/2/75, DB;  
Bairnsdale, 13/9/75, SB  
Gippsland Skeet DR—  
Goulburn Valley DB, SB, DR, MT, DB, PTS, DD—  
Alexandra, Points, SB; Tatura, DR, DD; Sheppar-  
ton, DB, MT (Jan., Feb.)  
Gunbower Island DB, SB—Cohuna  
Healesville All Titles—  
Hopetoun and District DB, SB—Hopetoun (30/8 and  
28/6)  
Hamilton District All Titles—Hamilton  
Kinglake All Titles—Melbourne  
Kowree and Border All Titles—Apsley  
Knox All Titles—Australian  
Kyneton District All Titles—Kyneton  
Labour Day All Titles—Melbourne, Skeet; Metropoli-  
tan, SB, DB  
Lake Mokoan DB—Benalla  
Lalor All Titles—Metropolitan  
Latrobe Valley All Titles—Morwell  
Lilydale All Titles—Melbourne  
Lysterfield All Titles—Australian

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Major Mitchell DB—Cohuna  
Maryborough All Titles—Maryborough  
Metropolitan All Titles—Metropolitan  
Melbourne Cup Day All Titles—Metropolitan  
Midland DB, SB, MT, DD — Bendigo, DB, DD;  
Tatura, SB, MT  
Mernda All Titles—Metropolitan  
Mildura Universal Trench—Mildura  
Moomba All Titles—Australian  
Mooroolbark and District All Titles—Melbourne  
Mountain District All Titles—Australian  
Murray Valley DB, SB, MT—Echuca, DD, DR; Mil-  
dura, DB, SB, MT  
Mount Dandenong All Titles—Melbourne  
Monbulk All Titles—Australian  
Nobel All Titles—Australian  
Northcote All Titles—Metropolitan  
North Eastern All Titles—Wangaratta  
North West DB, SB—Mildura  
Northern Suburbs All Titles—Metropolitan  
Northern Wimmera DB—Birchip  
Narre Warren All Titles—Australian  
North Croydon All Titles—Melbourne  
New Year's Day All Titles—  
Northern Walk Up—Tatura  
Preston All Titles—Metropolitan  
Reservoir All Titles—Metropolitan  
Olinda All Titles—Australian  
Queen's Birthday Legacy Shoot—Melbourne  
Rowville All Titles—Australian  
Sassafras All Titles—Australian  
Sherbrooke All Titles—Australian  
Show Day All Titles—  
South West District DB—Tyrendarra  
Southern District All Titles—Victorian  
South Gippsland MT, DB—Korumburra  
Southern Mallee DB—Hopetoun (1/2/75)  
Sunshine District All Titles—Victorian  
Tyrendarra and District All Titles—Tyrendarra  
Upper Yarra District All Titles—Melbourne  
Warrandyte and District All Titles—Melbourne  
Wandella DB—Kerang (30/8/75)  
Warracknabeal and District All Titles—Warracknabeal  
Warrenwood District All Titles—Melbourne  
Waverley All Titles—Australian  
Western District DB—Cobden  
Western District SB—Warrnambool  
Western District DD—Dundonnell  
Western District DR—Colac  
Western District MT—Geelong  
Western District WU—Colac  
Western District Tower—Noorat  
Western District DB Points—Sebastopol  
Western District I.S.U. Cont. Trap—Noorat  
Western District Skeet—Geelong  
Western Suburbs All Titles—Victorian  
Whittlesea and District All Titles—Metropolitan  
Wimmera DB—Horsham  
Wonga Park All Titles—Melbourne  
Woodstock All Titles—Metropolitan  
Yan Yean All Titles—Metropolitan  
Yarra Glen All Titles—Melbourne  
Yarra Valley All Titles—Melbourne  
Yering All Titles—Melbourne

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## DISTRICT—NIGHT—STANDARD TARGETS

Benalla and District DB—Benalla  
Ballarat and District All Titles—Sebastopol  
Birchip and District DB—Birchip  
Broadmeadows All Titles—Metropolitan  
City of Geelong All Titles—Geelong  
Corio Bay All Titles—Geelong  
City of Swan Hill All Titles—Swan Hill  
Donnybrook All Titles—Metropolitan  
Epping All Titles—Metropolitan  
Geelong and District All Titles—Geelong  
Gippsland DB, SB—Bairnsdale, SB; Morwell DB  
Gippsland MT—Morwell  
Gippsland Lake DB, SB—Bairnsdale, DB, SB  
Goulburn Valley DB—Shepparton (January)  
Goulburn Valley SB—Alexandra  
Goulburn Valley MT—Shepparton (February)  
Goulburn Valley DD, DR—Alexandra  
Ibis Festival DB—Kerang (November)  
Kerang All Titles—Kerang  
Kowree and Border All Titles—Apsley  
Loddon Valley DB—Kerang (19/9/75)  
Lalor All Titles—Metropolitan  
Mernda All Titles—Metropolitan  
Midland DB, DD, MT—Bendigo, DB, MT; Tatura, DD, SB  
Northcote All Titles—Metropolitan  
North Eastern All Titles—Wangaratta  
Northern Victoria DB—Echuca  
Northern All Titles—Kerang  
Northern Wimmera DB—Birchip  
Northern Suburbs All Titles—Metropolitan  
Preston All Titles—Metropolitan  
Reservoir All Titles—Metropolitan  
Victorian Duck Opening DB—Kerang  
Western District DB—Colac  
Western District SB—Warrnambool  
Western District DD—Noorat  
Western District DR—Geelong  
Western District MT—Sebastopol  
Western District WU—Dundonnell  
Western District DB Points—Cobden  
Western District Skeet—Geelong  
Wimmera DB, SB—Horsham

Whittlesea All Titles—Metropolitan  
Wandella SB—Kerang  
Wandella DD—Kerang  
Warracknabeal and District DB—Warracknabeal  
Woodstock All Titles—Metropolitan  
Yan Yean All Titles—Metropolitan

## DISTRICT—DAY—MINI TARGETS

Ballarat and District All Titles—Sebastopol  
City of Geelong All Titles—Geelong  
Corio Bay All Titles—Geelong  
Geelong and District All Titles—Geelong  
Goulburn Valley DB—Shepparton  
Maryborough DB—Maryborough  
Western District DB—Sebastopol  
Western District SB—Colac  
Western District DD—Cobden  
Western District MT—Warrnambool  
Western District DR—Dundonnell  
Western District WU—Noorat  
Western District DB Points—Colac  
Western District Tower, I.S.U. Cont. Trap and Skeet—Geelong

## DISTRICT—NIGHT—MINI TARGETS

City of Geelong All Titles—Geelong  
Corio Bay All Titles—Geelong  
Geelong and District All Titles—Geelong  
Western District DB—Warrnambool  
Western District SB—Dundonnell  
Western District DD—Geelong  
Western District DR—Sebastopol  
Western District MT—Noorat  
Western District WU—Cobden  
Western District DB Points—Colac  
Western District Skeet—Geelong

## VICTORIAN OPEN HANDICAPS (in excess of \$100)

Warracknabeal \$100 Cash Handicap: Queen's Birthday, Monday June 23, 1975.  
Warracknabeal \$400 Trophy Handicap: October, 1975.

# Tasmanian Championships

## STATE—DAY—STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL— CRESSY, 2/2/75  
SINGLE BARREL—TASMANIAN, 2/3/75  
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—MERSEY, 17/5/75  
DOUBLE RISE—TASMANIAN, 1/3/75  
MIXED TARGETS—BURNIE, 1/11/75  
WALK UP—  
SKEET—TASMANIAN, 8-9/2/75  
TOWER POINTS—HUONVILLE, 4/10/75  
POINTS SCORE DB—TASMANIAN, 2/3/75  
I.S.U. SKEET—TASMANIAN, 14/12/75  
I.S.U. SINGLE TRAP—  
CONTINENTAL TRAP—CRESSY, 5/10/75  
OLYMPIC SKEET—HOBART, 15/3/75

## STATE—NIGHT—STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—HOBART, 31/8/75  
SINGLE BARREL—CRESSY, 6/9/75  
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—HOBART, 29/6/75  
POINTS SCORE DB—CRESSY, 1/11/75

## STATE—DAY—MINI TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—  
SINGLE BARREL—

## DISTRICT—DAY—STANDARD TARGETS

West Coast DB, SB, DR, PD—  
North West DB—  
Central District DB, SB—  
North District All Titles—  
North West SB—  
South District DB Skeet—  
South District SB—  
North West DR, DD—



# South Australian Championships

## STATE—DAY—STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—S.A.G.C.  
POINTS SCORE DB—INTERNATIONAL  
SINGLE BARREL—ALEXANDRA  
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—SOUTHERN  
DOUBLE RISE—MANNUM  
MIXED TARGETS—S.A.G.C.  
WALK UP—S.A.G.C.  
SKEET—S.A.G.C.  
TOWER—S.A.G.C.  
CONTINENTAL DB—S.A.G.C.  
I.S.U. SKEET—S.A.G.C.

## STATE—NIGHT—STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—S.A.G.C.  
POINTS SCORE DB—MT. GAMBIER  
SINGLE BARREL—S.A.G.C.  
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—S.A.G.C.  
DOUBLE RISE—S.A.G.C.

TOWER—S.A.G.C.  
MIXED TARGETS—S.A.G.C.

## STATE—DAY—MINI TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—MANNUM  
SINGLE BARREL—SOUTHERN  
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—MANNUM  
DOUBLE RISE—S.A.G.C.  
TOWER—

## STATE—NIGHT—MINI TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—S.A.G.C.  
SINGLE BARREL—  
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—  
TOWER—

## DISTRICT—DAY—STANDARD TARGETS

Bordertown DB, SB—Bordertown

# Western Australian Championships

## STATE—DAY—STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—AZZURRI  
POINTS SCORE DB—KATANNING  
SINGLE BARREL—EASTERN GOLDFIELDS  
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—AZZURRI  
WALK UP—CUNDERDIN  
MIXED TARGETS—EASTERN GOLDFIELDS  
WALK UP—CUNDERIN  
SKEET—NORTHAM  
TOWER—PERTH

CONTINENTAL DB—NARROGIN  
I.S.U. SINGLE TRAP—PERTH  
I.S.U. SKEET—PERTH  
SINGLE BARREL TOWER—COLLIE

## STATE—DAY—MINI TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—PERTH  
SINGLE BARREL—  
SKEET—BUNBURY

# Papua New Guinea Championships

## STATE—DAY—STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—MT. HAGEN  
SINGLE BARREL—MT. HAGEN  
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—PORT MORESBY  
DOUBLE RISE—MT. HAGEN  
MIXED TARGETS—PORT MORESBY  
TOWER POINTS DB—MT. HAGEN  
SKEET—PORT MORESBY  
POINTS SCORE DB—  
WALK UP—PORT MORESBY  
TOWER SB—MT. HAGEN

WALK UP—PORT MORESBY  
SKEET—PORT MORESBY

## STATE—DAY—MINI TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL

## DISTRICT—DAY—STANDARD TARGETS

Madang All Titles  
Morobe All Titles  
Papuan All Titles  
P.N.G. Highlands All Titles  
New Britain All Titles  
Western Highlands All Titles  
Kavieng District All Titles

## DISTRICT—NIGHT—STANDARD TARGETS

Madang All Titles  
New Britain DB, DD  
Papuan All Titles

## STATE—NIGHT—STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—PORT MORESBY  
SINGLE BARREL—PORT MORESBY  
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—PORT MORESBY  
DOUBLE RISE—PORT MORESBY  
MIXED TARGETS—PORT MORESBY  
POINTS SCORE DB—



# Northern Territory Championships

## STATE—DAY—STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—ALICE SPRINGS (Easter)  
SINGLE BARREL—DARWIN  
DEAUVILLE DOUBLES—DARWIN  
DOUBLE RISE—ALICE SPRINGS  
MIXED TARGETS—DARWIN  
WALK UP—ALICE SPRINGS  
SKEET—DARWIN

## STATE—NIGHT—STANDARD TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—ALICE SPRINGS, 13/12/75  
SINGLE BARREL—ALICE SPRINGS, 11/1/75

## STATE—DAY—MINI TARGETS

DOUBLE BARREL—  
SINGLE BARREL—  
DOUBLE RISE—  
MIXED TARGETS—  
WALK UP—

## DISTRICT—DAY—STANDARD TARGETS

Alice Springs DB, SB—Alice Springs

## DISTRICT—DAY—MINI TARGETS

Alice Springs DB—

## DISTRICT—NIGHT—STANDARD TARGETS

Alice Springs DB, SB—Alice Springs

## Melbourne Gun Club

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### NOVEMBER PROGRAMME

#### Saturday, November 2, 1974

- Event 1— Nom. \$2.00  
10 TARGET EYE-OPENER, C/D
- Event 2— Nom. \$4.00  
20 TARGET WONGA PARK DB GRADED C'SHIP
- Event 3— Nom. \$4.00  
20 TARGET TROPHY HANDICAP  
Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd.
- Event 4— Nom. \$4.00  
25 TARGET SKEET HANDICAP  
Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3-10 yds.
- Event 5— Nom. \$4.00  
25 TARGET SKEET HANDICAP, C/D  
M.G.C. visits Mildura this weekend.

#### Tuesday, November 5 (Cup Day)

Practice and Cash Events only. (Met. Grand Prix)

#### Saturday, November 9, 1974

- Event 1— Nom. \$2.00  
10 TARGET EYE-OPENER, C/D
- Event 2— Nom. \$4.00  
20 TGT. KILSYTH DIST. SB GRADED C'SHIP
- Event 3— Nom. \$4.00  
CLUB WALK-UP CHAMPIONSHIP (GRADED)  
(Aggregate Event)  
Gold Badge Club winner. Gold Sash Non-Member.
- Event 4— Nom. \$14.00  
SECOND ROUND ROYAL DOULTON 100 TGT.  
SKEET EVENT  
(Commences 11 a.m.)

#### Saturday, November 16, 1974

- Event 1— Nom. \$2.50  
15 TARGET EYE-OPENER, C/D, 18 YARDS
- Event 2— Nom. \$5.00  
30 Tgt. Vic. State DB C'ship (Graded)  
(off 18 Yds.) Sash and Trophy 1st, 2nd each Grade.

- Event 3— Nom. \$5.00  
20 TGT. GRADED H'CAP EVENT—MISS OUT  
12-16 yds. off 15 yds.; 17-20 off 18 yds.; 21-27 off 22 yds. (Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd.)  
1st, Trophy Pacific Auto Reloader; 2nd, Texan Reloader.

- Event 4— Nom. \$4.00  
25 TARGET SKEET TROPHY EVENT
- Event 5— Nom. \$4.00  
25 TARGET SKEET HANDICAP, C/D

#### Sunday, November 17, 1974

(Commences 12.30 p.m.)

- Event 1— Nom. \$10.00  
50 Tgt. Vic. State ISU Trench C'ship  
(Graded). Sash & Trophy 1st; Trophy 2nd ea. grade.
- Event 2— Nom. \$4.00  
25 TGT. CITY OF MELB. ISU SKEET C'SHIP  
Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 3-10 yarder.

#### Saturday, November 23, 1974

- Event 1— Nom. \$2.00  
10 TARGET EYE-OPENER, C/D
- Event 2— Nom. \$4.00  
20 TGT. YARRA GLEN DIST. SB (Graded) C'SHIP
- Event 3— Nom. \$4.00  
20 TGT. YARRA GLEN DIST. DB (Graded) C'SHIP
- Event 4— Nom. \$7.00  
50 TGT. MOUNTAIN DIST. (Graded) SKEET C'SHIP

#### Saturday, November 30, 1974

- Event 1— Nom. \$2.00  
10 TARGET EYE-OPENER, C/D
- Event 2— Nom. \$4.00  
20 TGT. DB ST. ANDREWS (Graded) C'SHIP  
Tartan Sash and Trophy 1st; Trophy 2nd ea. Grade.
- Event 3— Nom. \$4.00  
IMI Teams Match—20 Tgt. off Handicap Marks  
Trophies 1st, 2nd and 3rd. Members of winning team to receive Blue Sash memento.
- Event 4— Nom. \$7.00  
50 TGT. ST. ANDREWS SKEET C'SHIP  
Tartan Sash and Trophy 1st.  
Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 3-10 yards.  
Practice Trap available each Saturday.  
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# *Tour of U.S.A. and Canada by Australian trapshooters — August-September, 1974*

Some 31 Australians went to America for the "Grand American" and included were Mr Alan Pedersen, A.C.T.A. Vice-President, and Executive Committee member Mr Harry Williamson, all travelling as private individuals.

The first shoot on the tour was at Bob Taylor's Gun Club in Las Vegas where the team was met at the airport by Elgin Gates and his sons, Randy and Butch plus Ila Taylor, and how great it was to be met in a strange country by familiar faces. Elgin saw us on the bus which took us to our hotel and the temperature at this time of day was 103 degrees.

After nominating and being classified to our grades Elgin had arranged a 25 target practice round complete with shells. Each of us had been put on 22 yards and A grade, which is standard procedure for newcomers at all clubs. All events except Double Rise are shot single barrel in U.S.A. and Canada. The best scores from the Australians was a 95/100 by Gordon Wakefield, who shot the first 50 straight. Badges and shells were supplied by Elgin Gates for the Australian team and the Australians gave ties for the U.S.A. shooters. After the shoot the teams went to the Frontier Hotel for trophy presentations.

In the doubles our best was again Gordon Wakefield with 88; Peter Caddy and Jack Williamson shot 84/100. Two of our shooters received a surprise as Don Maher won the Veterans Double Rise Trophy and Tup Pedersen had won the Veterans 16 yards Trophy. Elgin Gates presented the Australian team with their trophies on behalf of the U.S. shooters, saying that it did not matter who won, it was the spirit and competition between the two countries that counted. An Australian sash (donated by Barney Rooke) was presented to Don Bonalis for High Gun from the Australian shooters.

Our next shoot was at Milwaukee in the State of Wisconsin. We arrived late Sunday night to be met at the airport by the grand old man of trapshooting, Vic Reinders, and his wife Tommy. On Tuesday morning we all arrived at the Weukesha (pronounced Walkashore) Gun Club at 9 a.m. and the first thing we noticed when our bus pulled up was the big sign on the front door which read "Down Under Day—Welcome Aussies." Vic Reinders produced what he calls "Fun Events," it is a 5 position skeet. All 25 targets are shot from stations 2-6 and doubles are shot from all stations. It is mainly designed to speed up skeet shooting. A full squad completes a round in ten minutes.

A trophy was given for the 1st and 2nd in a 10 pair Double Rise and 25 target international style event plus two High Gun trophies for the Australian shooters. The Americans were shooting for their own trophies plus an Australian sash for High Gun. The teams event saw the Australians come out the winners

for the only win in teams events for the entire tour. The High Gun trophies were for overall and events 2-4. The overall was won by Barney Rooke and this was a Remington 12 gauge shotgun (donated by Bud Archer); 2nd overall was Gordon Wakefield who won a 12 gauge shotgun case. The second High Gun was a silver dollar mounted as a key ring and donated by Herchel Cheek and this was won by Barney Rooke. The Australian sash was won by Bud Archer and he was later seen wearing it proudly around at the Grand and he stated he was "just as proud as if he had won the Grand American."

From Milwaukee the team headed to Vandalia and this is what we had all come to see. It consists of 58 traps in a line. During the "Grand" there were three million two hundred thousands targets thrown, representing some four million shotshells and 70 tons of leadshot. The Australians did not win any big events at the "Grand" but they shot some very good scores.

**The first two days** were on the International targets and here Jack Williamson shot 96/100 and Barney Rooke 95/100. The event was won by Brit Robinson of U.S.A. with 99/100 and was of 175 entries.

**On the second day**, with 391 entries, the 100 International event was won by Francis Foster after a miss and out shoot off with Frank Little, both had shot 98/100. Following this was a 100 targets off 16 yards with 212 entries. Remembering all U.S. championship events are shot single barrel, the best Australian score was 98/100 by Gordon Wakefield. The event was won by Rayl Stafford with a perfect 100 followed by 125 in the shoot off.

**Day Three:** With 732 entries for 300 targets (100 16 yards, 100 handicap and 50 pairs DR). The Australian best scorers were Barney Rooke with 98, then Gordon Wakefield 93 and Ted Wilkinson 92. Tup Pedersen was the only Australian entry in the handicap and his score was 70/100. In doubles Wakefield and Rooke scored 83/100. Don Bonallas won the Double Rise with 100/100.

**Day Four:** 200 targets off 16 yards followed by 100 handicap targets. Best Australian scorers were Wakefield,  $96 + 97 = 193$ , and Rooke  $94 + 99 = 193$ . The only Australian shooter in the handicap was Rooke with 85/100. All Australian shooters had to shoot A Grade for 16 yards and Double Rise and from 25 yards for handicap. (This is normal procedure for newcomers at the "Grand American Series" unless the newcomers have established A.T.A. ratings.)

**Day Five:** 200 targets off 16 yards—best Australian was B. Rooke who very proudly received his first 100 straight pin and finishing with  $100 + 96 = 196/200$ . Elgin Gates was shooting in the same squad and thinking that this was the first Australian to shoot 100 straight at the "Grand American," missed his own last target, scoring 199/200. Total entries 1870.



**Day Six:** 100 handicap, 100 Double Rise. Very few Australians entered this day but the best were Bill Abbott and Peter Caddy, shooting 81 and 83 in the handicap, and in the doubles Rooke and Wakefield shot 86 and 85 respectively.

**Day Seven:** This event being 200 targets off 16 yards and winner to receive the Australian badge and the five highest scores from Australia to receive a badge given by Elgin Gates. Here we saw Wakefield shoot his first 100 straight and go on to 141 before he missed, finishing with 195/200. Entries were 2344 and the event was won by Hiram Bradley with a perfect 200 plus 75 in the shoot off.

**Day Eight:** For us it was a day of 100 handicap targets and this was won with 98/100. A point of interest was that all scores of 94 and above received extra yardage as in the U.S. it is not how much you win but how many you beat and a combination of the high scores.

**Day Nine:** The day of the "Grand American Handicap"—a record of 804 squads. We were all squadded early as we had to leave for Vancouver at lunch time. Best Australian scores were John Forsythe 83, Bill Abbott and Rooke with 82. The "Grand" this year was won by John Steffen with 99 plus 25 in the shoot off.

Before leaving the description of the "Grand," I would like to mention a few points of interest that are different to our type of shooting. Firstly, all traps are Winchester White Flyers with interrupters and they are used in No. 3 hole for oscillations. Squads are of five shooters and shooting five targets per lane before moving. The scorer, puller and referee are one and the same person and usually a college girl, and what a marvellous job they do. Targets are thrown 48 to 52 yards between 9 and 12 feet high, distant 10 yards from the traphouse. All targets used were coloured an iridescent orange.

Slow or fast pulls in America are up to the shooter to refuse—if you shoot you abide by the result and the referee has the final say as to a slow or fast pull. At no time did I see anyone using this to advantage. Baulks are never given to a shooter; it is the responsibility of the shooter not to shoot if he has been interfered with. All other shooting rules are basically the same as ours.

Practice shooting is a very important part of the American shooter's day. At all clubs one or more traps are set aside to be used for practice. At Vandalia on some days 10 traps were used and a long wait to get on them. Ask Ted Wilkinson how long the wait was!

Leaving Vandalia the team flew to Chicago, changing planes, and on to Vancouver. The team was met at the Vancouver Airport by Deb and Alma Oliver and final plans were made for the shoot. We arrived at the Vancouver Gun Club about noon. The program was 50 targets Canadian style which are the same as in U.S.A., 50 targets Australian style, all 16 yards, and 25 pairs Double Rise, and again the five highest Australian scores made up the Australian team.

Joe Denvers was the proud winner of the Australian sash for High Gun. All the Australian shooters received a memento trophy inscribed "Klawowya" Vancouver Gun Club, 1974. "Klawowya" means welcome. All the ladies received a brooch resembling the flower of the Dogwood Tree.

After the barbecue of real Canadian salmon our group very reluctantly boarded the bus saying cheerio to our Canadian friends, vowing to return again some time.

After a couple of days sightseeing in San Francisco and Honolulu we were met at the Maui (pronounced Mowee) Airport by Michael Baldwin and his eldest son. Maui Gun Club has only two traps and is situated down in a gully. The wind sure made the targets dance about and our scores on the average were a bit lower than on the mainland. The time now had come to say "Aloha" and to fly back to Sydney.

All shooters interested in forming a group to visit the 1975 "Grand American" Championships at Vandalia, Ohio, U.S.A., in August, 1975, should contact Barney and Kathleen Rooke, at 55 Murray Street, Wagga Wagga, N.S.W., 2650, before the end of November, 1974, as the arrangements take many months to arrange.

—Report by Mr Barney and Mrs Kathleen Rooke.

**(Editor's Note.**—Since 1972, Winchester White Flyer traps distributed in Australia have been fitted with interrupters and in Australia the number 3 hole is used on days of headwinds whilst the number 4 hole is most generally used as we shoot within wider angles than do the Americans.)

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Mr Barney Rooke,  
55 Murray Street,  
Wagga Wagga, N.S.W.,  
Australia.

Dear Mr Rooke,

I would like to express my thanks to you and A.C.T.A. for the beautiful pin presented to me at the 1974 Grand American trapshoot when I won the ATA Clay Target Championship.

Some time in the future I hope to visit your beautiful country and shoot clay targets with you.

Enclosed is a copy of a book on trapshooting that I wrote a few years ago. It might help someone understand our style of shooting a little more.

Thanks again and I wish you the best of luck and good shooting always.

Sincerely,

HIRAM BRADLEY.

**(Editor's Note.**—This letter is an appreciative expression acknowledging an "A.C.T.A. Sterling Silver Map of Australia" badge with a boomerang attachment for the winner's name. This badge is referred to by American shooter Hiram Bradley as a "pin"—this is the American description of such a badge.)





# CLUB SHOOT RESULTS



## VICTORIA

**ALEXANDRA, 7/9/74 (Day).**—Fine and cool. Attendance 48. Results: 10 Tgt. EO DB 16 yds. S/S: 12 divided. 20 Tgt. DB "Old" Trout Opening C'ship: 1st, J. Piastri; 2nd, R. Barnes. Restricted—1st, T. Dowling; 2nd, T. Stevens. 5 Tgt. DB 12 yds; 5 Tgt. DB 20 yds: 9 divided. Schoolboy Shoot 10 Tgt. DB H'cap: 1st, D. Coghill; 2nd, R. Coghill.

Tartan sashes, which were very popular years ago, were re-introduced and caused great interest. Seven shot possible to get into shoot off for back markers—T. Dowling won restricted outright, three scored 19/20 to shoot off for second place. Shooting jackets for first trophy each section donated by G. Biggs. Ladies' prize was won by S. Marks. Shooters and families then enjoyed barbecue tea and salads which was supplied by the ladies.

**ALEXANDRA, 7/9/74 (Night).**—Cold, fine. Attendance 45. Results: 20 Tgt. DB \$60 H'cap: 1st, Jeff Boote; six shooters divided 2nd and 3rd; Front Marker, J. Osborne. Schoolboys' Shoot, 10 Tgt. DB H'cap: 1st, D. Coghill.

Shooting commenced at 7.30 p.m. Jeff Boote returned to form, after changing back to his old gun, to shoot the only possible. Six shooters with 19/20 agreed to share 2nd and 3rd prizes. High Gun over day and night programme was won by J. Piastri from G. Willett. 16 yards and back aggregate conducted over six shoots was won outright by P. McNair; 12-15 yards aggregate won by J. Blankeney. Trophies for this were donated by the Grice family. Ladies' prize was won by B. Petersen.

**APSLEY, 1/9/74.**—Fine. Attendance 19. Results: Club DR C'ship: 1st P. Cleggett Jnr, 16/20; 2nd K. Roberts, 19/24; 3rd R. Morris, 18/24. IMI Trophy H'cap: 1st R. Morris, 28/28; 2nd D. Plummer, 27/28; 3rd R. Kilpatrick, 21/22.

A smaller attendance than usual owing to other attractions. Many thanks to IMI for their lovely trophy.

**AUSTRALIAN, 25/8/74.**—Fine. Attendance 87. Results: D'non & Dist. Skeet C'ship, 50 Tgt. Open and Restricted: Open—1st, A. Crikis, 58/58; 2nd W. Delaney, 57/58. Restricted—1st, A. McCulloch, 48/50; 2nd R. Evans, 47/50. Lysterfield DR C'ship 10 Pair off 16 yds. Graded: A Grade, 1st P. Wray, 18/20; 2nd W. Dalzell, 17/20. B Grade, 1st S. Henwood, 20/20; 2nd D. Edgerton, 19/20; C Grade, 1st S. Bell, 21/24; 2nd R. Stewart, 19/24. Sherbrooke DD C'ship 20 Pair off 20 yds: 1st J.

### MELBOURNE GUN CLUB (VIC.)

(I.S.U. DIVISION)  
(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

**SUNDAY, 10th NOVEMBER, 1974**

50 TARGET LILYDALE DISTRICT GRADED TRENCH C'SHIP  
50 TARGET LILYDALE DISTRICT I.S.U. SKEET C'SHIP  
Open and Restricted

Badges and winners for each Grade in each Championship  
R. FOX, Acting Secretary.

Allen and P. Morton, 20/20; 2nd T. Fonte and D. Casamento, 23/24. 10 Tgt. DB H'cap Sweeps CD: J. Allen, D. Casamento, R. Shroder, J. Spagnolo, R. Allen, T. Lucas, N. De Lorenzo divided.

Welcome to shooters from Colac and Canberra.

**AUSTRALIAN, 8/9/74.**—Excellent. Attendance 119. Results: Vic. State Skeet C'ship 50 Tgt: 1st A. Isaac, 50/50; 2nd D. Germaine, 58/59; 3rd I. Varley, 57/59. Duke of Gloucester Cup 30 Tgt: 1st W. Dalzell, 34/34; 2nd L. Heywood, 33/34; 3rd T. Spence, 30/31. Back Marker G. Ash, 28/30. Narre Warren DB C'ship: A Grade, 1st R. Johnstone, 51/51; 2nd G. Ash, 50/51. B Grade, 1st N. De Lorenzo, 57/57; 2nd T. Spence, 56/57. C Grade, 1st K. Dawe, 38/38; 2nd A. Bould, 37/38.

Our thanks to Bill Hailes and Mr F. C. Lovelock for the Texan reloading press and to those shooters who made the day such a success.

## FRANKSTON GUN CLUB

(VIC.)  
(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

**SUNDAY, 10th NOVEMBER, 1974**

Commencing 12 noon sharp

**10 Target Points Decision**

Nomination \$2.50

**10 TARGET HASTINGS DB CHAMPIONSHIP**

Nomination \$4.00

**10 TARGET HASTINGS SB CHAMPIONSHIP**

Nomination \$2.50

**10 TARGET DB HANDICAP**

Nomination \$2.50

In conjunction with Event 2 is a Team Shoot for a case of Blue Star Cartridges as a trophy.

**SUNDAY, 24th NOVEMBER, 1974**

Commencing 12 noon sharp

**Frankston District All-Round Event**

Consisting of:

- 1.—10 Tgts. Points Decision off 16 yards.
- 2.—10 Tgts. DB off 16 yards.
- 3.—10 Tgt. SB off 16 yards.
- 4.—10 Tgts. off ACTA Handicaps

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Camping and caravans permitted on ground

Accommodation arranged

## SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 2.—12.30 p.m.

CLUB DEAUVILLE DOUBLES C'SHIP  
CLUB SB CHAMPIONSHIP  
CLUB SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP

## SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 3.—12.00 noon

METROPOLITAN CUP  
CLUB DB CHAMPIONSHIP  
METROPOLITAN SKEET C'SHIP CUP

## MONDAY, NOVEMBER 4.—12.30 p.m.

MET. FIRE BRIGADE MEDLEY C'SHIP  
CLUB MFB STAKES  
MET. FIRE BRIGADE SKEET C'SHIP

## TUESDAY, NOV. 5.—Grand Prix Day—9.30 a.m.

Met. Grand Prix — \$2,850.00 Trophy Value  
Commonwealth DB Championship

For complete details of above programmes refer  
October Shooting "News."

## SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 9.—1.00 p.m.

10 TARGET POINTS SCORE EYE-OPENER, C/D  
Nomination \$2.00

THOMASTOWN DB CHAMPIONSHIP  
1st, 2nd, 3rd and Yardages  
Nomination \$3.50

THOMASTOWN AUTO & DRIVEN C'SHIP  
1st, 2nd, 3rd and Yardages  
Nomination \$3.50

15 TARGET TROPHY HANDICAP  
1st, Multi Band Port. Radio, value \$120.00; 2nd, Pair  
Binoculars, value \$40.00; 3rd, Sheath Knife, value  
\$25.00. Best each yard apart from winners—Pocket  
Knife. Nomination \$5.00

THOMASTOWN SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP  
Nomination \$4.00  
and in conjunction

THOMASTOWN RESTRICTED SKEET C'SHIP  
Nomination \$4.00

## FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 15.—7.30 p.m.

10 TARGET POINTS EYE-OPENER, C/D  
Nomination \$2.00

WHITTLESEA POINTS CHAMPIONSHIP  
1st, 2nd, 3rd — Nomination \$4.00

15 TARGET HANDICAP, C/D  
Nomination \$3.50

25 TARGET SKEET OTG, C/D  
Nomination \$4.50

## SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 16.—1.00 p.m.

IMI NOVICE POINTS CHAMPIONSHIP  
WINCHESTER NOVICE AUTO & DRIVEN C'SHIP  
TEXAN NOVICE HANDICAP

## SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 23.—1.00 p.m.

10 TARGET POINTS EYE-OPENER, C/D  
Nomination \$2.00

CLUB SPRING DB CHAMPIONSHIP  
1st, 2nd, 3rd and Yardages  
Nomination \$3.50

CLUB SPRING TRIPLE RISE CHAMPIONSHIP  
1st and 2nd Pair; best front markers. Nom. \$3.50.

CLUB SPRING SB CHAMPIONSHIP  
1st, 2nd, 3rd and Yardages  
Nomination \$3.50

CLUB SPRING SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP  
1st, 2nd, 3rd and Groups. Nom. \$4.00  
SPRING LADIES' CHAMPIONSHIP  
10 Targets Nom. \$1.00

Bar-B-Cue and games night after shoot—All welcome

## FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 29.—7.00 p.m.

20 TARGET TWILIGHT SWEEPSTAKE, C/D  
Nomination \$3.50

10 Tgt. Points Night Eye-Opener, C/D. Nom. \$2.00

CLUB SPRING AUTO & DRIVEN C'SHIP  
1st, 2nd and 3rd. Nom. \$2.75

CLUB SPRING SILENT RISE CHAMPIONSHIP  
1st, 2nd and 3rd. Nom. \$2.75

15 Target Handicap, C/D Nom. \$3.50

CLUB SPRING NIGHT SKEET C'SHIP  
1st, 2nd and 3rd Nom. \$4.50

## SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 30.—1.00 p.m.

IMI NOVICE WALK-UP CHAMPIONSHIP  
WINCHESTER NOVICE DB CHAMPIONSHIP  
TEXAN NOVICE SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP

## COMING EVENTS

### SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1974

#### Vic. State Mini Walk-up Championship

### SUNDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1974

ROTARY CLUB CHARITY SHOOT  
Main Event: Handicap—1st Prize, Colour TV.

### SUNDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1974

CLUB XMAS SHOOT

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**BAIRNSDALE, 11/8/74.**—Cold, very windy. Attendance 32. Results: Half Rd. Skeet EO: C. Ellis, M. Edgar, 13/13. Rd. Sket (Inter-Club Skeet Shield): 1st A. Bremner (Morwell), 24/25, trophy; Skeet Shield won by Korumburra. Club SB C'ship: 1st J. Chapple, 27/28; 2nd B. Hall, 26/28; 3rd L. Byles, 24/26.

Korumburra won the Skeet Shield for the year. Conditions were not conducive to high scores and Alex Bremner's 24/25 to win the trophy in Skeet Shield was highly creditable. Nice to see Lionel Byles back and take out third place in the Single Barrel Championship.

**BAIRNSDALE, 14/9/74.**—Fine, windy. Attendance 27. Results: Gippsland Lakes SB C'ship: 1st J. Croucher, 21/22; 2nd S. Collins, 20/22; 3rd L. Hine, 19/22. 15 Tgt. DB Yardage Trophy Event: 12-14 yds, A. Cousens, 19/19; 15-17 yds, W. Growcott, 25/25; 18-27 yds, B. Hall, 15/15. American Skeet: 1st S. Gibbs, 7/7. Care Shoot: 1st, L. Hine.

Great to see our popular lady shooter, Miss Sally Hodge, shoot a possible in the eye opener. This shoot was a charity shoot for our local Miss Australia Quest entrant, Miss Karen Ellis, daughter of Club Vice-President, Cr Claude Ellis. A cheque for \$131 was presented to Karen on the day to assist in the care of spastic children.

**BENDIGO, 7/9/74.**—Perfect. Attendance 56. Results: 10 Tgt. EO Pts: 12 divided. Club Mixed Tgt. C'ship: A Grade, 1st P. Gallagher, 39/43; 2nd M. Barnes, 36/43. B Grade, 1st and Overall G. Solomano, 24/25; 2nd L. Kemp, 22/25. C Grade, 1st R. Whyte, 23/25; 2nd J. Landry, 22/25. 15 Tgt. Trophy H'cap: 1st L. Brown, 92/93; 2nd P. Gallagher, 91/93; 3rd N. Frankling, 91/92.

Break badges went to P. Gallagher 100, L. Brown 75 and R. Kerwin 50.

**BENDIGO, 21/9/74.**—Cold. Attendance 76. Results: 8 Pair DD EO: Divided by nine pair. Club DD Night C'ship: 1st N. Berry and A. James, 35/35; 2nd K. Fisher and N. Pattison, 34/35. 15 Tgt. Trophy H'cap: 1st I. Poole, 34/35; 2nd A. Moroni, 33/35; 3rd C. Aldersen, 26/27.

Reasonable good weather conditions prevailed when 76 shooters competed at Bendigo Club's first night shoot for the season. Only three possibles were shot in the Championship with Neil Berry and Alf James taking the sashes with Keith Fisher and Norm Pattison runners-up. There were 17 possibles in the handicap with Ian Poole outlasting Tony Moroni and Clarrie Pederson to take the trophies.

Plans are now under way for the Club's third trap layout, with only the wet conditions holding us up.

**CALLAWADDA, 17/8/74.**—Cold, cloudy. Attendance 37. Results: SB C'ship: 1st and Overall, R. Bell. A Grade, 1st, L. Gibson; 2nd, B. Jenkins. B Grade, 1st L. Ey; 2nd, A. Bant. C Grade, 1st, G. Sottovia; 2nd, P. Gibson. DB S/S: R. Bell, S. Hemley, R. Stewart, G. Cook.

**CALLAWADDA, 25/8/74.**—Fine. Attendance 46. Results: Club Cont. C'ship: 1st, A. Bant; 2nd, B. Jenkins; 3rd, A. Walter. 15 Tgt. H'cap: R. Bell, L. Gibson, P. Gibson, equal. Under 16 yrs. Schoolboys: 1st, K. Howard; 2nd, S. Morris; 3rd, C. Raitt. Under 12 yrs. Schoolboys: A. Howard. Unregistered: 1st, D. Hodder; 2nd, I. Fox. Novice: 1st, P. Gillmartin; 2nd, J. Taylor.

The \$100 proceeds was donated to the spastic appeal. Thanks to all for making the day a success.

**CALLAWADDA, 21/9/74.**—Cold and wet. Attendance 51. Results: 5 Tgt. EO: I. Heard, R. Krause, L. Johnson, L. Ey, D. Robinson, L. Hemley, L. Egginton, R. Scott, P. Gibson, M. Kennedy, B. Reading divided. 20 Tgt. DB Trophy H'cap: 1st, D. Robinson; 2nd, R. Gould; 3rd, J. Wagg; Front Marker, L. Egginton. IMI Trophy H'cap: 1st, K. Howard; 2nd, A. Biggin; 3rd, R. Krause.

Congratulations to all winners but especially to Kevin Howard on winning the IMI trophy, he being one of our most junior shooters.

**COBDEN (Vic.)** conducted a Winchester (Aust.) Pty. Ltd. Second Annual Schoolboys clay target shoot on

AUSTRALIAN CLAY TARGET SHOOTING NEWS

# VICTORIAN GUN CLUB

(VIC.)

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Ground Location: Cnr. Geelong and Little  
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## NOVEMBER 1974 PROGRAMME

Wednesday, 6th—7.30 p.m.

- 1.—10 Targets, 16 Yds., Pts., C/D
- 2.—15 Targets DB Handicap

Wednesday, 13th—7.30 p.m.

- 1.—President's Twilight D/R C'ship
- 2.—President's Night D/D C'ship

Wednesday, 20th—7.30 p.m.

- 1.—10 Targets Twilight Handicap, C/D
- 2.—15 Targets DB Handicap

Saturday, 23rd—1.30 p.m.

- 1.—VIC. STATE DAY D/D MINI  
TARGET CHAMPIONSHIP
- 2.—VIC. STATE NIGHT D/D MINI  
TARGET CHAMPIONSHIP

Other events time permitting

Wednesday, 27th—7.30 p.m.

- 1.—Twilight Vice-President's DB  
Championship
- 2.—Vice-President's Night SB  
Championship

## DECEMBER

Wednesday, 4th—7.30 p.m.

- 1.—V.G.C. Twilight DB Championship
- 2.—Altona Night D/R Championship

Two Traps operating at all shoots.

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September 12, 1974. One hundred and eighteen students from seven district schools competed for trophies provided by Winchester. Mr Barry Jones and Mr Gary Machin, Winchester reps, attended and Mr Jones presented the trophies.

Results: Senior Teams Event — Camperdown High School, 41/50. Junior Teams Event—Warrnambool High School, 31/50. Individual trophies: Senior High Gun, P. Grant, Colac Technical School, 14/15; Junior High Gun, M. McLaren, Warrnambool North Tech, 12/13; Overall High Gun, D. Haugh, Camperdown High School, 10/10.

The shoot marshal was Mr S. Mitchell, President of the Cobden Gun Club. Many thanks to Mr Code and Mr Taylor, of Cobden Tech, to members of the Cobden Gun Club, and to the ladies committee for meals provided throughout the day.

**COLAC, 7/9/74.**—Cloudy, showers, dull conditions. Attendance 35. Results: 10 Tgt. Pts. 16 yds: R. Watson, G. Smith, R. Coombes, D. Corstorphane, P. Torok, 30/30. Club Mixed Tgt. C'ship: 1st, A. Bradshaw, 33/35; A Grade, I. Dickens, 32/35; B Grade, A. Allitt, 21/25; C Grade, S. Nelson, 31/35. 15 Tgt. DB Trophy H'cap: 1st I. Dickens, 23/23; 2nd D. Milojevic, 22/23; 3rd R. Coombes, 21/22. Yardage—12-15 yds, D. Yean, 19/20; 16-18 yds, A. Allitt, 20/21; 19-20 yds, A. Bradshaw, 15/16; 21 and over, H. Eldridge, 14/15. 27 yds. Special: R. Coombes, 7/7.

**ECHUCA, 14/9/74.**—Windy, overcast. Attendance 53. Results: Day—EGC DB C'ship Pts. Decision G. Willett (Seymour), 81/84; T. Byrne (Echuca), 78/81; D. Rumbold (Bendigo), 66/69. 20 Tgt. H'cap: G. Ashman (Bendigo), 29/29; N. Berry (Shepparton), 28/29; A. Walker (Echuca), 23/24. Night—Rich River DB C'ship: F. James (Kerang), 45/45; J. McGraw (Finley), 44/45; G. Willett (Seymour), 40/41. 20 Tgt. H'cap: N. Berry (Shepparton), 37/37; G. Lee (Cohuna), 36/37; R. Honeychurch (Bendigo), 29/30.

The 50 and over sash went to J. McGraw from Finley. High Gun for the advertised programme went to G. Willett by one point from N. Berry, 155 to 154. Front marker on night handicap, R. Powell, 14/20. Yardage prizes on day handicap: 12-16, S. McGraw; 17-21, L. Scriven; 22-27, V. Ryan.

**EUROA, 22/9/74.**—Overcast and showery. Attendance 60. Results: 20 Tgt. DB Trophy: 1st R. Dupuy (Metropolitan), 33/33; 2nd B. Hall (Seymour), 32/33; 3rd G. Willett (Seymour), 8/9. High Gun trophy was won by Bruce Hall, Seymour; trophy donated by Lance Singleton, Euroa. Ladies' trophy was won by Mrs Marlene Sawyer of Alexandra.

Sixty shooters attended the Gordon Cumming Memorial Shield Team Shoot from as far away as New Zealand, Metropolitan, Wangaratta, Seymour, Mansfield, Alexandra and Tatura. The Shield, which is shot for between Alexandra, Euroa, Mansfield and Seymour, was won by the Seymour team comprising G. Willett, 20, B. Hall 20, C. Tingay 19, J. Maher 17, Arch Jones 19, a total of 95/100. The Alexandra team also shot 95/100 and as a result a shoot off took place with Seymour winning.

### Bairnsdale Field Sportsman's Association

#### WINCHESTER DAY

November 9, 1974, at 1.00 p.m.

DAY—Club Champion of Champions  
1,000 Winchester Shells

NIGHT—Victorian State Walk-up C'ship  
Trophies and Sash

N. R. ELLIOTT, President—Phone: 52-4351  
B. J. SAUNDERS, Secretary, P.O. Box 354,  
Bairnsdale, 3875.

## WERRIBEE GUN CLUB

(VIC.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Shooting Grounds: Leakes Road, Truganina

**SUNDAY, 10th NOVEMBER, 1974**

Starting Time: 1 p.m.

Event 1  
**5 PAIR D/RISE, C/D**

Event 2  
**CLUB DOUBLE RISE CHAMPIONSHIP**

Event 3  
**CLUB DEAUVILLE DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP**  
(Select own partners)

Refreshments, Afternoon Tea and Cartridges available on ground.

President:  
W. ABBOTT,  
4 Griffiths Street,  
Werribee.

Secretary:  
K. P. SHANAHAN,  
4 Jellicoe Street,  
Werribee.  
Phone: 741-1197.

## GEELONG CLAY TARGET CLUB

(VIC.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

### *Preliminary Notice*

**NEW YEAR'S DAY SHOOT**

**Wednesday, 1st January, 1975**

**MAJOR HANDICAP**

**\$2000 TROPHY VALUE**

**AUSTRALIA DAY**

**Monday, 27th January, 1974**

**\$750 HANDICAP**

**IN FOUR YARDAGE GROUPS**

with supporting events

Full details in December "News."

President: J. J. HEHIR.



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# AUSTRALIAN GUN CLUB

(Incorporating Blackburn and Nobel Clubs)

(VICTORIA)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Logan Park Road, Lysterfield, Victoria, 3156



**Sunday, 3rd November, 1974**

Commencing at 12.00 noon

Event 1— Nom. \$1.75  
**5 PAIR DOUBLE RISE SWEEPSTAKES, C/D**

Event 2— Nom. \$4.00  
**NOBEL DOUBLE RISE CHAMPIONSHIP**  
10 Pair from 16 yards. Grades A, B and C.  
First—Sash and Trophy and Trophies for 2nd in each grade.

Event 3— Nom. \$4.00  
**SASSAFRAS CONTINENTAL DB C'SHIP**  
20 Targets from 16 yards. Grades A, B and C.  
First—Sash and Trophy and Trophies for 2nd in each grade.

Event 4— Nom. \$4.00  
**FERNTREE GULLY SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP**  
25 Targets  
First—Sash and Trophy and Trophies for 2nd, 3rd and yardage 6-10.

Event 5— Nom. \$4.00  
**25 TARGET HANDICAP SKEET S/STAKES, C/D**  
High Gun Trophy off the Gun over Events 4 and 5.

**Sunday, 17th November, 1974**

Commencing at 12.00 noon

Event 1— Nom. \$1.75  
**10 TARGETS DB HANDICAP S/STAKES, C/D**

Event 2— Nom. \$5.50  
**LORD BIRDWOOD CUP**  
30 Target Handicap Trophy Event  
First—Cup and Trophy. Trophies for 2nd, 3rd and Back Marker — 21 yards and over.

Event 3— Nom. \$4.00  
**OLINDA DB CHAMPIONSHIP**  
20 Targets from 16 yards. Grades A, B and C.  
First—Sash and Trophy and Trophies for 2nd in each grade.

Event 4— Nom. \$4.00  
**25 TARGET SKEET HANDICAP TROPHY EVENT**  
Trophies for 1st, 2nd, 3rd and yardage 6-10.

Event 5— Nom. \$4.00  
**25 TARGET HANDICAP SKEET SWEEPSTAKES, C/D**

High Gun off the Gun Trophy over Events 4 and 5.

President:  
BILL STONE.  
Phone: 772-3465.

**Sunday, 1st December, 1974**

Commencing at 12.00 noon

Event 1— Nom. \$5.50  
**BERWICK CONTINENTAL DB CHAMPIONSHIP**

30 Targets from 16 yards. Grades A, B and C.  
(1 sighter)  
First—Sash and Trophy and Trophies for 2nd in each grade.

Event 2— Nom. \$4.00  
**MONBULK DB CHAMPIONSHIP**  
20 TARGETS — Grades A, B and C.  
"A" from 20 yards, "B" from 17 yards and "C" from 15 yards.  
First—Sash and Trophy and Trophies for 2nd, 3rd and Front Marker.

Event 3— Nom. \$4.00  
**MONBULK ISU SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP**  
25 Targets. Grades: Open and Restricted.  
First—Sash and Trophy and Trophies for 2nd in each grade.

Event 4— Nom. \$4.00  
**25 TARGET HANDICAP SKEET SWEEPSTAKES, C/D**  
High Gun Trophy off the Gun over Events 3 and 4.

## PLEASE NOTE:

In the future 50 Target Skeet Championships will be discontinued and replaced with a 25 Target Championship and 25 Target Handicap Sweepstake with a High Gun Trophy over both events.

**Our fabulous Christmas Shoot is on December 15.**

**SKEET AND D.T.L. PRACTICE FROM 12.00 NOON.**

Optional Sweepstakes on the Main D.T.L. Event each day.

Gas Barbeque — Hot Water — Refreshments

Cartridges Available.

Secretary:  
R. TAYLOR,  
40 Grey Street,  
Belgrave, 3160.  
Phone: B.H. 602-1922.



The main event for the day was won by R. Dupuy from the Metropolitan Gun Club; 2nd place went to the well known Seymour shooter, Bruce Hall, and 3rd place to another Seymour shooter, G. Willett.

**FOSTER, 14/9/74.**—Heavy showers, cold. Attendance 19. Results: 10 Tgt. PD CD Sweep: B. Cripps, J. Green, 30/30; A. Cripps, 29/30. 20 Tgt. DB C'ship: B. Cripps, A. Cripps, T. Wilkinson, 20/20; Shoot off—1st, A. Cripps; 2nd, T. Wilkinson; 3rd, B. Cripps; Tyro sash to J. Bayne. 10 Tgt. SB Trophies: A. Cripps, 10/10; P. Green, M. Green—Placings, 1st, A. Cripps; 2nd, P. Green; 3rd, M. Green. 5 Pair DR CD Sweep: J. Green, 9/10; P. Green, A. Cripps, T. Wilkinson, 8/10.

John Bayne, a new member, won the Tyro sash.

**FRANKSTON, 30/9/74.**—Fine and cool. Attendance 99. Results: 10 Tgt. DB C'ship: A Grade, A. Bradshaw, 51/51; B Grade, R. Mele, 24/25; C Grade, L. Heywood, 50/51. 10 Tgt. SB C'ship: A Grade, R. Gillivray, 16/16; B Grade, W. Bamford, 18/19; C Grade, B. Brooks, 14/15. 10 Tgt. H'cap: 1st, I. Summers; 2nd, R. Earle; 3rd, J. Summers; 4th, R. Johnston. 10 Tgt. DB C'ship: A Grade, J. Hamblin; B Grade and High Gun, R. Schwarz; C Grade, A. McIntyre. 10 Tgt. SB C'ship: A Grade, W. Dalzell; B Grade and High Gun, R. Schwarz; C Grade, A. McIntyre.

Fine weather and a good attendance by both members and visitors for our charity shoot in aid of the "Angel of Mercy" was very nice to see. Our thanks to all the business houses in and around Frankston for the donation of so many fine prizes—so many prizes in fact that we gave them to the shooters who came second in each class in the championships. Nice to see consistent and popular shooter Bob McGillivray win the club aggregate trophy in a close contest with R. Allen and R. De Vries.

The shoot raised \$650 nett for the Angel of Mercy Helicopter Ambulance Committee. The local business houses who donated trophies included Winchester and IMI.

**GEELONG, 1/9/74.**—Overcast. Attendance 93. Results: Beretta H'cap: 1st D. Patterson, 39/39; 2nd R. McDonald, 38/39; 3rd P. Rodda, 31/32. \$100 S/S H'cap: A. Membridge, M. Italia, M. Sexton, P. Hjorth, I. Varley, T. Vodden, equal first, 15/15.

Excellent attendance for the main handicap with David Patterson, from Ballarat, taking home the gun.

**GEELONG, 21/9/74.**—Overcast. Attendance 24. Results: 10 Tgt. DTL Pts. EO: 1st P. Torok, 30/30; 2nd P. Rodda, D. Mills, R. Schwarz, I. Dickins, 29/30. Club President's SB Tower C'ship: 1st I. Varley, 33/33; 2nd A. Tremul, 32/33; 3rd P. Torok, 26/27. City of Geelong DB Pts. C'ship: A Grade and Overall, I. Dickins, 93/93; B Grade, N. Wenning, 71/72; C Grade, L. Bahr, 58/60. 20 Tgt. Trophy H'cap: 1st I. Varley, 33/33; 2nd P. Torok, 32/33; 3rd, M. Richards, 27/28; 4th A. Bant, 25/26; 5th L. Bahr, 27/29.

A fine display of shooting by Ian Varley by winning two of the main events, with Ian Dickins winning the other. New shooter Alwin Tremul of Geelong ran second in the Tower Single Barrel Championship and is improving with every shoot and it is only a matter of time before he wins a championship.

**HAMILTON, 21/9/74.**—Wet, gusty wind. Attendance 45. Results: 15 Tgt. Hamilton Cont. C'ship DB from 16 yds: 1st T. Linke, 26/26; 2nd G. Butcher, 25/26; 3rd S. Rentsch, 16/17; Front Marker, M. Whitehead. 20 Tgt. Novelty Event: 1st L. Storer, 20/20; 2nd J. Groves, 30/31; 3rd G. Butcher, 29/31.

Good site for Hamilton "Marina" with so much water underfoot. Very good roll up from as far as Mildura (J. Groves). Popular win to local T. Linke; targets, combined with conditions, made win well earned.

**HORSHAM, 14/9/74.**—Winny and showers. Attendance 32. Results: 15 Tgt. H'cap: Ron Newell, C. Nuske, 15/15, divided 1st and 2nd; E. Pannam, J. Hinneberg, 17/18, 3rd. 10 Pair DD: M. Howard and G. Eckel, 10/10; R. Newell and J. Clarke, J. Hinneberg and C. Budde,

# GEELONG CLAY TARGET CLUB

(VIC.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

## NOVEMBER PROGRAMME

Sunday, 3rd November, 1974

1.00 start

Event 1— Nom. \$2.00  
**10 Target Eye-Opener, Pts., 16 Yds.**

Event 2— Nom. \$4.00  
**CLUB DB POINTS CHAMPIONSHIP**  
Sash Overall — Grades A, B, C.

Event 3— Nom. \$5.00  
**15 TARGET HANDICAP**

1st, Trophy 500AA Cartridges; Trophy 2nd & 3rd.

Event 4— Nom. \$1.00  
**5 Target Tower Points Eye-Opener**

Event 5— Nom. \$4.00

**\*LIME BURNERS POINTS DB  
TOWER CHAMPIONSHIP**  
1st, Gold Badge and Trophy; Trophy 2nd & 3rd.

Saturday, 16th November, 1974

1.00 start

Event 1— Nom. \$1.00  
**5 Target Points Eye-Opener**

Event 2— Nom. \$4.00  
**CLUB DB CONTINENTAL  
CHAMPIONSHIP**

1st, Gold Badge — Grades A, B, C.

Event 3— Nom. \$4.00  
**CLUB SB CONTINENTAL  
CHAMPIONSHIP**

1st, Sash — Grades A, B, C.

Event 4— Nom. \$4.50  
**EASTERN GARDENS SKEET  
CHAMPIONSHIP**

1st, Gold Badge and Trophy; Trophy 2nd & 3rd.

Saturday, 30th November, 1974

1.00 start

## S.K.B. GUN SHOOT

Event 1— Nom. \$2.00  
**10 Target Handicap Eye-Opener**

Event 2— Nom. \$6.50  
**15 TARGET S.K.B. GUN SHOOT**

Overall winner S.K.B. Automatic Shot Gun.  
1st and 2nd in three Yardage Groups — 12 to 15,  
16 to 20; 21 to 27.

Event 3— Nom. \$4.00

**GEELONG & DIST. DB C'SHIP**

1st, Sash — Grades A, B, C.

The Committee reserves the right to alter the programme.

\* Club Aggregate Event.

J. J. HEHIR, President.



# MILDURA

## CLAY TARGET GUN CLUB

(VIC.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

**SATURDAY, 16th NOVEMBER, 1974**

Commencing 1.30 p.m.

### CLUB UNIVERSAL TRENCH CHAMPIONSHIP 25 TARGETS FROM 5 TRAP TRENCH SKEET AGGREGATE CHAMPIONSHIP 25 TARGETS

**SATURDAY, 30th NOVEMBER, 1974**

Commencing 1.30 p.m.

### VICTORIAN MINI TARGET TOWER CHAMPIONSHIP 20 TARGETS FROM 35 FT. TOWER TROPHY SHOOT 20 Targets off Handicap 15 TARGET SWEEPSTAKE off Handicap

Hon. Secretary:  
L. G. CONNORS,  
P.O. Box 19, Mildura, 3500.  
Phone: 23-2557.

# NOORAT GUN CLUB

(Vic.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

**SATURDAY, 23rd NOVEMBER, 1974**

Event 1— Nom. \$2.00  
10 Mini Targets Eye-Opener  
C/D—18 YARDS

Event 2— Nom. \$6.00  
**VIC. STATE NIGHT MINI  
TARGET DOUBLE BARREL  
CHAMPIONSHIP**

30 TARGETS—18 YARDS  
50c Op. Sweep on each 15 targets.

Event 3— Nom. \$3.00  
**GRADED MINI TARGETS  
TROPHY SHOOT**  
15 TARGETS

"A" Grade, 20 Yards.; "B" Grade,  
18 Yards; "C" Grade, 16 Yards.  
Trophies for each Grade.

A. Aitken and B. Robinson, H. Williamson and P. Cleggett, 9/10. 5 Tgt. Cont: I. Heard, F. Heinze, R. Newell, L. S. Heard, G. Jolley, T. Bethune, D. Jones, B. Robinson, V. Heard, 5/5. 5 Tgt. Cont: A. Aitken, I. Heard, J. Hinneberg, M. Gribben, J. Clarke, F. Heinze, V. Heard, B. Parsons, 5/5.

A good roll up considering the unpleasant weather. The first time that we tried out Continental type shooting since installing the new Winchester trap; this proved very popular.

**KANIVA, 22/9/74.**—Cold and wet. Attendance 27. Results: Winchester H'cap: J. Wagg, R. Newell, 15/15 (shared 225 cartridges); 3rd J. Standewick, R. Kilpatrick, 19/20 (25 cart.). 10 Tgt. S/S: C. England, B. Growden, R. Gould, E. Hall, 10/10. 10 Pair DD (drawn partners): B. McDonald and B. Andrews, B. Growden and C. Chapel, B. Wagg and R. Newell, 10/10. 5 Pair DR: H. Patts, J. Colwill, P. Plummer, B. Growden, 9/10.

Many thanks to Winchester for the half case of Red Ranger shotshells.

**KERANG, 20/9/74.**—Cold and clear. Attendance 36. Results: Loddon Valley C'ship: 1st F. James, 34/34; 2nd D. Moore, 33/34; 3rd K. Burton, 32/34; Front Marker C. Turvey, 25/25. 10 Tgt. Trophy: 1st S. McCurdy, 26/26; 2nd W. McGrath, 25/26; 3rd D. Moore, 22/23.

The John Shearer Shield was shot in conjunction with the Championship. Kerang No. 2 team (A. Walker, S. Kerr, F. James, D. Moore, K. Burton) won it, 96/100.

**KYNETON, 8/9/74.**—Excellent. Attendance 65. Results: 10 Tgt. Pts: T. Vodden, M. Spencer, N. Guy, 30 points; Novice prize, M. Demarco, 23. Daffodil Festival DB C'ship: A Grade, 1st and Overall, B. Kirkwood (Woods Point), 49/49; 2nd T. Vodden (Bendigo). B Grade, 1st J. Wright (Kyneton); 2nd R. Fowler (Kerang). C Grade, 1st I. Neale (Melb.); 2nd L. Veitch (Seb.). 10 Tgt. H'cap: 12 shooters shared prize money.

Bruce Kirkwood's first visit to Kyneton this year and proved a successful one.

**MANSFIELD, 15/9/74.**—Overcast and windy. Attendance 22. Results: 20 Tgt. Trophy: 1st D. Polwarth (Benalla), 35/35; 2nd A. Jones (Mansfield), 34/35; 3rd J. Woolmer (Alexandra), 31/32. 10 Tgt. Pts. CD: G. Saglietti (Euroa) only possible.

**MELBOURNE, 7/9/74.**—Dull, windy. Attendance 75. Results: 30 Tgt. DB D. B. O'Callaghan Memorial C'ship graded from 16 yds: A Grade, 1st R. Johnstone, 89/89; 2nd N. Dalzell, 88/89. B Grade, 1st T. Spence, 95/96; 2nd V. Mollica, 94/96. C Grade, 1st N. Mollica, 34/35; 2nd M. Hastie, 33/35. 20 Tgt. SB D. B. O'Callaghan Memorial C'ship graded from 16 yds: A Grade, 1st R. Toner, 20/20; 2nd B. Ireland, 26/27. B Grade, 1st T. Spence, 20/20; 2nd V. Mollica, 22/25. C Grade, 1st M. Hastie, 30/31; 2nd L. Heywood, 29/31. 50 Tgt. D. B. O'Callaghan Graded Skeet C'ship: O, 1st D. Germaine, 82/83; 2nd W. Delaney, 81/83. R, 1st V. Mollica, 50/50; 2nd M. Hastie, 60/62. Overall winner—Skeet and DFL Cup and Sash: Don Germaine, 98/100.

**MELBOURNE, 14/9/74.**—Windy with heavy showers. Attendance 50. Results: 10 Tgt. EO CD: W. Dalzell, S. Stamell, 30/30; D. Walker, R. Toner, 29/30. Club Spring 20 Tgt. SB Graded C'ship: A Grade, 1st W. Dalzell, 20/20; 2nd R. McGillivray, 19/20. B Grade, 1st N. Nuzzolese, 18/20; 2nd W. Lonie, 17/20. C Grade, R. Shroeder, 19/20; 2nd N. Mollica, 18/20. Best 12-14 yarder, J. Ritchie, 18/22. Club Spring 20 Tgt. DB Graded C'ship: A Grade, 1st W. Bruino, 40/40; 2nd T. Rowe, 39/40. B Grade, 1st N. De Lorenzo, 19/20; 2nd L. Nuzzolese, 24/26. C Grade, 1st G. Quansing, 23/23; 2nd L. Heywood, 22/23. Best 12-14 yarder, J. Irons, 20/20. 25 Tgt. Spring Skeet C'ship: 1st S. Stamell, 28/29; 2nd D. Souter, 26/28. Best 4-10 yarder, M. Black. 25 Tgt. Skeet H'cap: A. Bold, A. Kenworthy, L. Sutterby, R. English divided.

**MELBOURNE, 21/9/74.**—Wet, windy, cold. Attendance 68. Results: 20 Tgt. Yarra Valley DB Graded C'ship: A Grade, 1st W. Dalzell, 43/43; 2nd R. Toner, 42/43. B Grade, 1st L. Nuzzolese, 20/20; 2nd S. Stamell, 26/27. C Grade, 1st M. Landers, 20/20; 2nd L. J. Heywood, 20/22. 12-14 h'cap, M. Doherty, 19/22. 20 Pair DD C'ship off 20 yds: 1st S. Teboneras, M. Italia, 29/29;



2nd A. McCulloch, P. Wray, 28/29. 25 Tgt. Skeet Trophy Event OTG: 1st W. Delaney, 34/34; 2nd D. Germaine, 33/34; Best 3-10, R. Love, 23/25. 25 Tgt. Skeet H'cap Comp. Division: 1st B. Shanley, 25/25; 2nd J. Summers, 24/25; 3rd R. Johnstone, W. Finnigan, N. Moore.

**METROPOLITAN, 17/8/74.**—Wet and windy. Attendance 66. Results: 6 Pair DR: S. Stamell, L. Mitchell, 12/12; T. Spence, W. Finnigan, G. Butcher, A. Senserrick, M. Whitelaw, 11/12. Mernda DR C'ship: 1st D. Fisher, 19/20; 2nd J. Cuartero, 25/32; 3rd A. Senserrick, 24/32; 12-14 yds, G. Featherstone, 17/20; 15-16 yds, E. Loble, 19/24. Mernda DD C'ship: 1st M. Doherty and W. Bruino, 26/27; 2nd S. Stamell and J. Reizneiks, 25/27. Mernda Skeet C'ship: 1st K. Wiseman, 35/35; 2nd L. Mitchell, 32/33; 3rd T. Spence, 28/29; 2-4, H. Weitzel, 22/25; 5-10, A. McCulloch, 21/25. 12-14 Yard High Gun: G. Featherstone. Overall High Gun: L. Mitchell, 54/57.

Metropolitan have commenced a schoolboys' firearm safety course for all schools in the northern suburbs. This is planned to culminate in a local school championship some time in December.

The club is also trying to find which club is now the holder of the McCraith Shield and would appreciate the club contacting Metropolitan Secretary.

The club has arranged a full family carnival for their shoot on Melbourne Cup Day. Fifteen local charities will have stalls next to the ground and these stalls, together with kids rides, will enable everyone to have a great day. An added attraction will be Crawford Production's film crew who will be taking some scenes for Matlock Police and Homicide. The carnival will go all day.

**METROPOLITAN, 23/8/74.**—Fine but cold. Attendance 36. Results: 6 Pair DR EO: J. Glanville, V. Mollica, R. Evans, T. Spence, 11/12. Mernda DD Night C'ship: 1st M. Italia and S. Teboneras, 82/82; 2nd R. Evans and R. Morrison, 81/82. Mernda Skeet C'ship: 1st V. Mollica, 25/26; 2nd B. Amphlett, T. Spence, 24/26. 15 Tgt. H'cap: M. Mollica, J. Cuartero, M. Zamperoni, V. Mollica, 14/15.

**METROPOLITAN, 24/8/74.**—Fair. Attendance 79. Results: Novice DB: J. Binks, 11/11. Novice Walk Up: F. Hills, 9/10. IMI Novice H'cap: L. Elkner, 28/28.

**METROPOLITAN, 30/8/74.**—Windy and wet. Attendance 67. Results: Coburg DB C'ship: 1st Gary White, 82/82 (Gary showed just what he could do if given some extra little bit to do); 2nd R. Lane, 81/82; 3rd T. Spence, 77/78; 12-14 yds, G. Featherstone, 52/53; 15-16 yds, W. Duncan, 24/25. Coburg SB C'ship: 1st, T. Spence (he made amends in this one by scoring the only possible); 2nd R. Morrison, 27/28; 3rd B. Williams, 26/28. Coburg Intermediate SB C'ship: 1st W. Calaby, 20/20; 2nd N. Whaley, 24/25; 3rd T. Ditton, 23/25. Coburg Skeet C'ship: 1st K. Paterson, 25/25; 2nd D. Fisher, 35/36. Coburg Restricted Skeet C'ship: 1st J. McVicar, 35/36; 2nd J. Michelini, 34/36. 12-14 Yd. High Gun: W. Calaby, 50/50 (congratulations on great shooting). Overall High Gun: K. Paterson, 64/65.

**METROPOLITAN, 1/9/74.**—Fine but windy. Attendance 42. Results: Triple Rise EO: 1st K. Paterson and A. McCulloch, 29/30; 2nd R. Burgess and R. Hunter and F. Spinosa and K. Austin, 28/30. Lalor Silent Rise C'ship: 1st R. Lane, 20/20; 2nd L. Hubbard, 19/20; 3rd P. McVicar, 18/20; 12-14 yds, P. Cogger, 17/20; 15-16 Yds, L. Nuzzolese, 17/20. Atfar H'cap: 1st J. Reizneiks, 29/29; 2nd A. McCulloch, 28/29; 3rd M. Landers, 24/25; 12-13 Yds, P. Watkins, 17/18. 50 Tgt. Skeet H'cap: M. Landers, M. McPherson, D. White, A. McCulloch, H. Weitzel, 50/50.

**METROPOLITAN, 6/9/74.**—Cold night. Attendance 49. Results: Epping Cont. DB C'ship: 1st T. Spence, 16/16; 2nd J. Vale, 15/16; 3rd M. Italia, 13/14. Epping Cont. SB C'ship: 1st R. Evans, 14/14; 2nd R. Morrison, 13/14; 3rd G. Bernardi, 15/16. Epping Cont. DD C'ship: 1st R. Morrison and R. Evans, 28/28. Epping ISU Night Skeet C'ship: 1st A. Crikis, 22/25.

It was very good to receive a visit from an Executive Committee member, namely Kevin Dobson.

**METROPOLITAN, 7/9/74.**—Fine. Attendance 59. Results: Novice Cont. DB: 1st J. Natoli, 13/14. Novice Cont. SB: 1st M. McPherson, 8/10. IMI Novice Cont. DD: 1st K. McPherson and P. Cogger, 10/10.

**METROPOLITAN, 14/9/74.**—Fair. Attendance 78. Results: Kalkallo DB C'ship: 1st F. Burns, 29/29; 2nd G. White, 28/29; 3rd V. Mollica, 27/28; 12-14 Yds, A. Crikis, 19/20; 15-16 Yds, K. Vale, 24/24. Kalkallo Auto and Driven C'ship: 1st L. Mitchell, 28/28; 2nd K. Maurey, 27/28; 3rd P. Wray, 36/38; 12-14 Yds, G. Featherstone; 15-16 Yds, M. Mollica, 18/20. 15 Tgt. H'cap: J. Michelini, J. Atherton, J. Campbell, L. Elkner, J. Senserrick, 15/15. Kalkallo Skeet C'ship: 1st A. Crikis, 39/39; 2nd A. Isaacs, 37/38; 3rd P. Wray, 29/30; 2-4 Group, J. Flentjar, 24/25; 5-10 Group, D. Casamento, 23/25. Sept. Ladies' C'ship: 1st B. Dupuy, 6/10; 2nd J. Wray, 5/10; 3rd M. Hammond, 4/10. Overall High Gun: P. Wray, 64/65. 12-14 Yds. High Gun: L. Elkner, 60/66.

Our first Ladies' Championship attracted a small field of very nervous ladies.

## "WIN A COLOUR TV SET" COHUNA GUN CLUB

(VIC.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

**SATURDAY, JANUARY 25, 1975**

**1st Prize: 22" Phillips Colour TV**

**2nd Prize: Deep Freeze**

**3rd Prize: \$120 Trophy**

**4 Yardage Prizes**

**District Championship**

**State Championship**

Full particulars later issue.

President:  
R. HIPWELL,  
Phone: 56-2577.

Secretary:  
JOHN I. GARNER,  
Phone: 56-2543.

## WANGARATTA GUN CLUB

(VIC.)

(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

Ground located rear Vine Hotel, North Wangaratta.

**SATURDAY, 16th NOVEMBER, 1974**

Starting at 10.30 a.m.

Event 1— Nom. \$2.00

**10 Targets DB Handicap Eye-Opener**

Event 2— Nom. \$10.00

**CHOICE HANDICAP**

**20 TARGETS DB HANDICAP**

1st, choice of—Miroku 800W Trap or Skeet, Deep Freeze, Stereogram; 2nd, Auto Shot Gun; 3rd, Gas Barbeque.

Yardage prizes: \$15.00 cash—12/15, 16/19, 20/23 and 24/27 yards.

Op. Sweeps \$1.00

Event 3— Nom. \$4.00

**NORTH-EASTERN DISTRICT  
DOUBLE RISE CHAMPIONSHIP**

Op. Sweeps \$1.00

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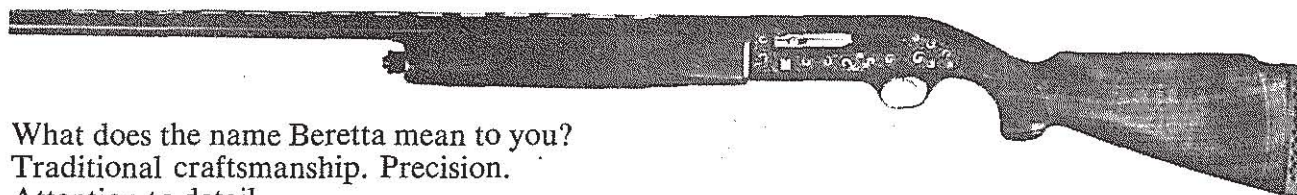
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**MORWELL, 23/9/74.**—Cool and windy. Attendance 20. Results: 10 Tgt. Pts. CD: A. Bremner, L. Mitchell, 30/30. 20 Tgt. DB Gippsland C'ship: 1st R. Marriott, 38/38; 2nd S. Collins, 37/38; 3rd R. Whykes, 33/34; Front Marker, N. Lapham, 23/24. 20 Tgt. SB H'cap: 1st A. Collins, 20/22; 2nd A. Bremner, 19/22; 3rd B. Cripps, 18/22; Front Marker, G. Botten, 16/20. 5 Triple Tgt. DTL DD: L. Mitchell, G. Williams, 15/15.

**SEBASTOPOL, 14/9/74.**—Wet, windy. Attendance: Day, 97; Night, 56. Results: **Day**—10 Tgt. Pts. H'cap EO: R. Cartledge, F. Taylor, G. Spagnolo, W. Pilkington, S. Bell, 30/30. Grand Prix H'cap: 1st L. Veitch, 58/58; 2nd P. Lamond, 57/58; 3rd P. Hardy, 55/56; Back Marker, S. Teboneras, 24/25. Dist. DD: 1st P. Telford and K. Dyson, 54/54; 2nd R. Evans and R. Morrison and R. Cartledge and L. Francis, 53/54; Front Markers, D. Height and F. Taylor, 30/31. **Night**—5 Pair DR EO: J. Finis, 10/10; S. Teboneras, G. Spagnolo, R. Morrison, I. Dickens, R. Evans, 9/10. Vic. State Night DR C'ship: A Grade, A. Bradshaw, 29/30; H. Heldridge, 32/34; R. Cartledge, 31/34. B Grade, G. Smith, 28/30; G. Leech, 25/30; R. McLure, 24/30. C Grade, R. Sargeant, 26/30; C. Alderson, 24/30; D. Howden, 23/30.

Congratulations to Tony Bradshaw on winning the State Night Double Rise Championship; also to Lyle Veitch for his win in the Grand Prix.

**TATURA, 15/9/74.**—Cool and cloudy. Attendance 48. 10 Tgt. Pts. EO: N. Berry, V. Ryan, J. Reid, P. Gribben divided. Club SB C'ship: 1st A. James, 27/27; 2nd V. Ryan, 26/27; 3rd A. Kriss, 36/36; Front Marker, R. Thatcher. Club DB Pts. C'ship: A Grade, N. Berry, 78/81; B Grade, J. Cooper, 66/69; C Grade, J. Honeysett, 57/60. 20 Tgt. Trophy H'cap: 1st Neil McPherson, 31/31; 2nd N. Berry, 30/31; 3rd R. English, 26/27.

**VICTORIAN, 4/9/74.**—Wet. Attendance 50. Results: 10 Tgt. H'cap: 18 divided. VGC Walk Up C'ship: 1st U. Bernardi, 18/20; 2nd I. Dickens, 22/25; 3rd R. Morrison, 21/25; Front Marker, U. Dipeitro, 13/15.

**VICTORIAN, 11/9/74.**—Fine. Attendance 75. Results: 15 Tgt. DB H'cap: 12 divided. VGC SB Tower C'ship: 1st V. Mollica, 20/20; 2nd R. Burrill, 19/20; 3rd J. Elliott, 14/15; Front Marker, R. Tremul, 11/12.

**VICTORIAN, 18/9/74.**—Fine. Attendance 60. Results: Spring SB C'ship: 1st V. Mollica, 34/34; 2nd R. Toner, 33/34; 3rd M. Italia, 30/31; Front Marker, R. Staker, 19/21. Spring DB C'ship: 1st R. Toner, 35/35; 2nd J. Spagnolo, 29/30; 3rd B. Wagg, 28/30; Front Marker, R. Tremul, 24/25.

**VICTORIAN, 22/9/74.**—Overcast. Attendance 50. Results: Altona Dist. DB C'ship: A Grade, T. Nash, 59/60; B Grade and Overall, R. Coombes, 70/70; C Grade, P. Hjorth, 30/31. Altona Dist. DD C'ship: 1st M. Italia and S. Teboneras, 48/48; 2nd R. Evans and R. Morrison, 47/48. 10 Tgt. DB H'cap: 13 divided.

**VICTORIAN, 25/9/74.**—Wet and cold. Attendance 42. Results: 15 Tgt. H'cap: 1st R. Morrison, 18/18; 2nd B. Patterson, 17/18; 3rd E. Gaetani, 15/16. 15 Tgt. DB 16 yds: 1st M. Italia, 19/19; 2nd V. Mollica, 18/19; 3rd S. Teboneras, 18/19.

**WANGARATTA, 31/8/74.**—Cool and rainy. Attendance 36. Results: Club Skeet C'ship: 1st A. Jamieson, 23/25; 2nd A. Tippet, 30/33; 3rd R. Maurey, 29/33. Skeet Trophy H'cap: 1st K. Gittings, 58/58; 2nd J. Reid, 57/58; 3rd D. Suter, 47/48.

**WANGARATTA, 19/9/74.**—Clear and cold. Attendance 62. Results: 20 Tgt. Boomerang Shield H'cap: 1st K. Gittings, 75/75; 2nd P. Trabant, 74/75; 3rd N. Berry, 53/54. Mixed Tgt. EO: G. Smith, P. Trabant, R. Lowry, 13/15. C'wealth Mixed Tgt. C'ship: A Grade, L. Jobling, 39/45; B Grade and Overall, G. McClure, 25/25; C Grade, A. Mabin, 28/35.

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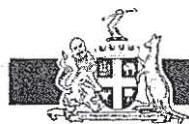
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The Boomerang Shield shot in conjunction with the handicap was won by Wangaratta No. 1 team (B. North, A. Penney, J. Paulus, E. Cavedon, T. Corre) with a score of 96/100.

A fabulous performance from Geoff McClure from Kyneton in winning the Commonwealth Mixed Targets without missing a target.

**WANGARATTA, 28/9/74.**—Cool and windy. Attendance 25. Results: City of Wangaratta Skeet C'ship: 1st J. Paulus, 24/25; 2nd D. Suter, 23/25; 3rd E. Williams, 22/25. 25 Tgt. Skeet H'cap: 1st G. Walker, 48/49; 2nd K. Maurey, 37/38; 3rd B. North, 33/34.



## SOUTH AUSTRALIA

**BARMERA, 1/9/74.**—Cold and windy. Attendance 34. Clarks Food Stores Trophy (off h'cap): 1st J. Finis, 25/26; 2nd P. Wielgosz, 24/26; 3rd M. Young, 21/23. Club DB C'ship (off 16 yds.): 1st P. Mules, 21/21; 2nd P. Wielgosz, 20/21; 3rd M. Whelan, 19/20. Taipan High Gun: P. Wielgosz, 48/50.

Extra good shoot with many visitors in attendance. Thanks to Clarks Foodland and Barmera Hotel for trophies.

**BUTE, 14/9/74.**—Very windy and cold. Attendance 40. Birthday Shoot with T. J. Burke Memorial: 1st S. Osman, 47/48; 2nd G. Worden, 46/48; 3rd R. Fortanella, 43/45. Elliot Bros. Trophy: 1st A. Dalle Molle, 23/23; 2nd R. Franks, 22/23; 3rd R. Alvaro, 19/20. Night Mid. Nth. DB C'ship: A Grade, 1st P. Mules; 2nd R. Mules. B Grade, 1st D. Panazzato; 2nd S. Rossette. C Grade, 1st E. Churches; 2nd R. Bisi. High Gun Badge: P. Marconi.

**FAR WEST, 15/9/74.**—Fine and warm. Attendance 10. 20-tgt. SB (Ladies Trophies): J. Averis, 19/20; T. Heard, B. Burnett, 17/20; G. McGuinness, 17/22; D. Kahne, 16/22; G. Burnett, 14/20; F. Alexander, J. Heard, 13/20; M. Hunt, 12/20; D. Coleopy, 9/20. 30-tgt. DB pts. (S.A. Sportgoods Trophy): B. Burnett, 88/90; G. Burnett, 79/90; D. Kahne, 76/90; J. Averis, 72/90; G. McGuinness, 71/90; M. Hunt, 68/90; T. Heard, F. Alexander, 65/90; J. Heard, 62/90; D. Coleopy, 41/90.

The lucky ladies who received trophies from Event 2 per favour of the first four placegetters were Mrs McGuinness, Mrs Heard, Mrs Hunt and Mrs Helen Coleopy. Good to see the ladies turn up on this, their day. Thanks to S.A. Sportgoods for such an excellent trophy.

**INTERNATIONAL, 18/8/74.**—Attendance 26. Results: Taipan Projectile Shield: 1st C. Verbis, 48/48; 2nd D. Panazzolo, 47/48; 3rd D. Kimber, 59/60; Others, J.

**WARRNAMBOOL, 14/9/74.**—Strong winds and rain. Attendance 15. Results: 5 Tgt. EO: B. Millard, B. Jennings, H. Brooksby, 5/5. 15 Tgt. H'cap: 1st W. Storer, 17/18; 2nd H. Brooksby, 16/18; 3rd Max Green, 17/19; 4th, S. Nelson, 16/19.

**WOODS POINT, 22/9/74.**—Cold and overcast. Attendance 12. Results: 5 Tgt. H'cap Pts. EO: J. Wood, 15/15. 10 Tgt. SB 16 yds: 1st S. Rivas, 18/19; 2nd B. Kirkwood, 17/19; 12-14 yds, M. Martyn, 8/10. 20 Tgt. DB H'cap: 1st M. Martyn, 20/20; 2nd B. Kirkwood, 19/20; 12-14 yds, J. Scott, 17/20. 10 Tgt. Walk Up: 1st M. Martyn, 10/12.

Pfitzner, 44/45. Club Anniversary DB C'ship: A Grade, 1st and Overall Winner, D. Sparnon, 63/63; 2nd E. J. Commons, 62/63. B Grade, 1st L. Spizzo; 2nd C. Sparnon. C Grade, 1st Mrs E. Curches, 23/24; 2nd R. Fontanelli, 22/24. High Gun: P. Marcolonni, 52/52.

**INTERNATIONAL, 15/9/74.**—Attendance 53. Sparnon Bros. H'cap: 1st A. Carbone, 41/41; 2nd P. Wielgosz, 40/41; 3rd D. Panazzolo, 25/26. Others, I. Rivella, 20/20. 5-tgt. H'cap: J. Logbottom, D. Martini, R. Johncock, E. Hall. Inter Grand H'cap: 1st G. Flaherty, 31/31; 2nd D. Martini, 30/31; 3rd K. Pfizner, 24/25. Others, I. Rivella, 19/20. Northern District DB Point Score C'ship: A Grade, 1st and Overall, F. Starling, 96/96; 2nd E. Hall, 95/96. B Grade, 1st J. Holder, 58/60; 2nd D. Panazzolo, 57/60; C Grade, 1st R. Fontanelli, 57/60; 2nd P. Wielgosz. High Gun: I. Campbell, 64/65.

**MANNUM, 15/9/74.**—Fine. Attendance 27. Results: Eudunda Farmers' Trophy: 1st D. Humphrey, 42/42; 2nd M. Rumbelow, 41/42; 3rd P. Depledge, 33/34. Club DB C'ship: A Grade, P. Mangelsdorf Senior, 20/20; B Grade, J. Caspers, 18/20; C Grade, P. Depledge, 18/20. High Gun Cup: P. Depledge, 39/40.

**MT. GAMBIER, 1/9/74.**—Fine and cold. Attendance 33. Results: Club DB Mini C'ship: 1st B. England (Bordertown), 21/22; 2nd I. Bell (Bordertown), 21/23; 3rd T. Megaw (Mt. Gambier), 20/23. Club Mini DD C'ship: 1st W. Bowman and S. Chambers (Mt. Gambier); 2nd H. Gaylard and P. Lamond (Mt. Gambier); 3rd B. Jennings and M. Holloway (Warrnambool). Trophy Shoot: 1st P. Lamond (rehandicapped to 15), 67/67; 2nd R. Schleter, 66/67; 3rd T. Megaw, 35/36.

**S.A.G.C., 7/9/74.**—Dull but clear and calm. Attendance 28. Results: TAA H'cap Trophy: 1st E. Kleinig, 33/33; 2nd S. Keen, 32/33. Salisbury DR C'ship: A Grade, D. Sparnon, 18/20; B Grade, F. Grey, 17/20; C Grade, H. Gaylard, 15/20. Overall: D. Sparnon.

**S.A.G.C., 8/9/74.**—Cool and warm. Attendance 45. Results: President's H'cap Trophy: 1st B. Jennings, 38/38; 2nd H. Gaylard, 37/38; 3rd B. Hayward, 30/31; Club DB C'ship: A Grade, 1st R. Mules, 117/117; 2nd K. Flaherty, 116/117. B Grade, 1st J. Holder, 53/53; 2nd S. Keen, 52/53. C Grade, 1st H. Gaylard, 20/20; 2nd P. Schwerdt, 19/20. High Gun Trophy: K. Flaherty, 75/80. 12-15 yds. H'cap Trophy: H. Gaylard, 73/80; F/M F. Carboni. Skeet: Six shooters shared cash trophy.

**S.A.G.C., 22/9/74.**—Dull and cool. Attendance 55. Results: Jim Hamilton Memorial H'cap: 1st J. Caspars, 26/26; 2nd R. Franks, 25/26; 3rd R. Wilson, 24/25; F/M I. Morgan, 19/20. Club DD C'ship: 1st D. C. Brown, Campbell, 39/40; 2nd R. Mules, P. Mules, 38/40. High Gun: P. Mules, 66/70. Taipan DTL Aggregate Trophy: I. Morgan, 24/25.

**SOUTHERN, 1/9/74.**—Fine, cool. Attendance 45. Results: Winchester H'cap, 20-tgt: 1st P. Depledge, 15 yds, 36/37; 2nd M. Rumbelow, 14 yds, 35/37; 3rd R. Hutchinson, 18 yds, 26/27; Yardage R. Hill, 15 yds, 19/20. Southern SB C'ship, 20-tgt: A Grade, I. Campbell, 20/20 (Badge); B Grade, F. Grey, 19/20; C Grade, M. Rumbelow, 19/20. Taipan High Gun: M. Rumbelow, 44/45.

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## NEW SOUTH WALES

**BARELLAN, 8/9/74.**—Cloudy, mild. Attendance 53. 10 Tgt. DB EO 16 yds. CD: 12 divided. 20 Tgt. DB Club C'ship, A and B Division: Three possibles A Division: N. Crooks, S. Papasidero, P. McWilliam, 20/20. Shoot off: 1st and Overall, N. Crooks, 25/25; 2nd, S. Papasidero, 24/25; 3rd, P. McWilliam, 21/22. B Division: K. Longmore, G. Graham, 19/20. Shoot off: 1st, K. Longmore, 23/24; 2nd, G. Graham, 22/24; 3rd K. Whytcross, 24/26. 10 Tgt. PS 16 yds. CD: Six divided. 6 Pair DR 16 yds. CD: Seven divided.

A good attendance with shooters participating from Griffith, Leeton, Ganmain, Narrandera and Junee Clubs as well as Barella. The weather reasonable although keeping some targets flat and hard to catch up with the dark cloud early.

The Double Barrel Club Championship was shot in two divisions, 16 yards and forward, and 17 yards and back with 1st, 2nd and 3rd in each division. The overall winner received a Club badge mounted on a disc with a badge fastener attached. There were no possibles in the B division, M. Waymouth, K. Whytcross, G. Ceely, L. Bandy and J. Gilmore shot off for third place after shooting 18/20.

P. McWilliam and K. Sim shot off for High Gun after only dropping one target over the scheduled programme and the winner was K. Sim. Winner of the front marker trophy was A. Halbesch. Ladies' trophy was won by Miss J. Ohlsen.

The Barellan Club will not shoot in December but will begin the 1975 year on the second Sunday in January.

**COFFS HARBOUR, 13/7/74.**—Fine. Attendance 30. Results: 10 Tgt. SB CD: J. Forsythe, J. Nolan, 10/10. 20 Tgt. SB Club C'ship: 1st J. Williamson, 23/25; 2nd G. Haynes, 22/25; 3rd A. Rowe, 17/20. 10 Tgt. Pts. CD: Four possibles—A. Rowe, R. Jackson, G. Haynes, M. Collins. 5 Pair DR CD: P. Cools, 10/10; J. Tuessink, 9/10; M. Collins, D. Seccombe, J. Nolan, R. Starr, 8/10. 10 Tgt. Cont. 18 yds. CD: Six possibles—R. Jackson, J. Nolan, J. Forsythe, P. Noble, J. Williamson, R. Starr. High Gun: J. Williamson, 53/60.

**COFFS HARBOUR, 10/8/74.**—Fine and cool. Attendance 29. Results: 10 Tgt. DB CD: Five possibles—S. Simmonds, J. Cunningham, Kath Noble, M. Little, G. D. T. Seccombe. 20 Tgt. H'cap Pts. Trophy: 1st P. Walsh, 21/60; 2nd P. Cools, 19/57; 3rd B. Little, 19/56. 10 Tgt. Cont. 18 yds. CD: Three possibles—S. Simmonds, J. Nolan, M. Bailey. 5 Pair DR CD: J. Nolan, P. Walsh, C. Morrison, 9/10. 10 Tgt. SB CD: J. Cunningham, 10/10; Mike Hutchby, P. Walsh, B. Little, E. Taylor, M. Bailey, M. Williamson, 9/10. High Gun: M. Bailey, 56/60.

J. Cunningham, P. Walsh, B. Little and Peter Cools each lost one yard.

**COFFS HARBOUR, 31/8/74.**—Fine and cool. Attendance 60. Results: 10 Tgt. Pts. 16 yds. CD: 14 shooters 10/30; 9 shooters 10/29; 2 shooters 10/28. Northern Rivers SB C'ship 16 yds: Overall, J. Foley, 33/33; A Grade, T. Rumble, 32/33; B Grade, D. Whittaker, 22/23; C Grade, J. Heiman, 24/25. 40 Tgt. DB Cash H'cap: P. Walsh, N. Doubleday, D. Vallance, 40/40; J. Foley, T. Alvaro, A. Rowe, B. Walton, 39/40; 10 shooters, 38/40. N. Doubleday shot 70/70 targets in lead in the High Gun over the two days.

Yardage losses: J. Foley to 17, P. Walsh to 14, D. Morris to 14, R. Ohlin to 14, B. Ingram to 13, N. Doubleday to 16, D. Vallance to 16.

**COFFS HARBOUR, 1/9/74.**—Fine and warm. Attendance 55. Results: 15 Tgt. DB 16 yds. CD: 14 shooters, 15/15. Northern Rivers DB C'ship 16 yds: Overall, C. Bland, 54/54; A Grade, V. Phillips, 35/35; B Grade, N. Doubleday, 53/54; C Grade, J. Heiman, 44/46. 20

Tgt. Pts. Trophy H'cap: 1st M. Bailey, 28/83 pts; 2nd M. Collins, 27/80; 3rd S. Simmonds, 24/70. 30 Tgt. DB Cash H'cap: D. Rumble, J. Tyquin, 30/30; V. Phillips, T. Alvaro, C. Bland, 29/30.

IMI High Gun: C. Bland in shoot off from N. Doubleday, 150/155. Ladies' High Gun: Miss G. Romanello, 117/155. Yard prizes: 12 yds, Mrs A. Simmonds, 19/155; 13 yds, B. Ingram, 112/155; 14 yds, D. Morris, 137/155; 15 yds, P. Walsh, 141/155.

Yard losses: N. Doubleday to 17, D. Rumble to 18, A. Del-Ben to 14, P. Walsh to 15, J. Tyquin to 18, M. Collins to 15, M. Bailey to 21.

**COFFS HARBOUR, 14/9/74.**—Overcast and windy. Attendance 35. Results: 10 Tgt. DB CD H'cap: Eight divided. 10 Pair DD Club C'ship 20 yds: 1st Jim Nolan, J. Littleboy, 10/10; 2nd C. Harrison, M. Little, 9/10; 3rd G. D. T. Seccombe, J. Forsythe, 8/10. 10 Tgt. H'cap Pts. CD: J. Leussink, J. Heiman, M. Little, M. Williamson, 10/30. 10 Tgt. SB H'cap CD: M. Hutchby, A. Palmer, J. Nolan, S. Simmonds, M. Williamson, 10/10. 10 Tgt. 18 yds. Cont. CD: M. Frew, E. Simmon, 10/10; J. Heiman, J. Nolan, A. Rowe, P. Walsh, B. Siddins, 9/10. 5 Pair DR CD: J. Leussink, 10/10; G. Colquhoun, J. Forsythe, M. Little, 9/10. High Gun: J. Leussink in shoot off with M. Little.

Yard losses: M. Hutchby to 13, A. Palmer to 13.

**CONDOBOLIN, 22/9/74.**—Fine and sunny. Attendance 42. Results: 20 Tgt. President's Trophy DB C'ship: 14 possibles—Overall and A Grade, B. K. Brown, 182/182; B Grade, B. Brittle, 146/147; C Grade, R. Shaw, 52/53. 20 Pair DD Tom Lawless Memorial Trophy 20

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yds: 1st I. Stewart, V. Bauert, 40/40; 2nd J. Crooks, R. Clarke, 39/40. 20 Tgt. \$100 H'cap: Nine divided. High Gun won by Stan Trembath.

Congratulations to the following shooters: Bevan Brown with a break of 229, John Crooks 181, Bob Brittle 156, Mike Malouf 106, Stan Trembath 101.

Owing to recent flooding of our ground the shoot was conducted at Lake Cargelligo. Our thanks to Lake for the use of ground and club facilities. Also thanks to Winchester Aust. for donating the High Gun Trophy and to Mr Bill Shelton for presenting same.

**COWRA, 7/9/74.**—Cold and sunny. Attendance 102. Results: Central Tablelands DB (Day) C'ship: A Grade, R. Webb (Wollongong), 130/130; B Grade, W. Marysaks (Marconi), 40/41; C Grade, T. Banko (Marconi), 54/55. (Note: 1973 winner Peter Bortolin was 2nd in A Grade with 129/130). 10 Tgt. Pts. Score Sweep: B. Scolaro, M. Weeks, R. Walker, C. Hawkins, Bob Thatcher, B. McGill, 30/30.

Badge winner Central Tablelands Double Barrel Championship: R. Webb.

#### Night Shoot:

Lachlan Valley DB (Night) C'ship: A Grade, B. Kable, 51/51; B Grade, N. McDermott, 50/51; C Grade, J. Gibson, 31/31.

**COWRA, 8/9/74.**—Fine and sunny. Attendance 108. Results: Central Tablelands SB C'ship: A Grade, B. Noll (Condobolin), 31/31; B Grade, P. Santarossa (Marconi), 31/31; C Grade, J. Gibson (Orange), 23/24. \$750 H'cap: 1st T. Banko (Marconi), 39/39; 2nd R. Northcott, (N.S.W.G.C.), 38/39; 3rd G. McDonald (Leeton), 34/35; F/M: A. Rossitto. ICI Perpetual Trophy: 1st Hawkesburn, 99/100; 2nd Royal Aero, 96/100.

Open High Gun winner: B. Kable (Sydney) from Peter Bortolin. Intermediate High Gun winner: D. McIntosh.

**FINLEY, 22/9/74.**—Cloudy and calm. Attendance 43. Results: Southern Riverina SB C'ship: Overall and A Grade, V. Ryan, 20/20; B Grade, P. MacFadyen, 24/25; C Grade, P. Cook, 19/21; F/M, G. Machlan, 18/21. 15 Tgt. H'cap (sponsored by BP Service Station): 11 possibles—1st R. Allen, 57/57; 2nd J. Harker, 56/57; 3rd A. Kriss, 43/44; Novice, R. Stanley, 17/18. 10 Tgt. SB G. A. Edwards Cup: R. Matheson, 11/12.

**GANMAIN, 7/9/74.**—Perfect. Attendance 33. Results: 10 Tgt. SB: D. Lucas, 10/10; A. Hatty, T. Roben, W. Charlton, J. Graham, K. Longmore, E. Thomas, R. Wilson, L. Graham. 20 Tgt. SB C'ship: 1st, D. Allen; 2nd, M. Holden; 3rd, A. Hatty. 15 Tgt. DB Trophy: 1st, K. Longmore; 2nd, R. Wise; 3rd, M. Holden. 9 Tgt. Mini Drive: G. Jones, 9/9; G. Dennis, J. Wilson, D. Turner, K. Longmore, K. Thompson, M. Holden, 8/9.

Our ladies' trophy went to Mrs A. Plane while her husband got the front markers' trophy. The High Gun was won by M. Holden.

**GRIFFITH, 1/9/74.**—Showery and cool. Attendance 65. Results: 10 Tgt. DB EO: 60 shooters competed, 15 shooting the possible and sharing sweepstakes. 15 Tgt. SB Club Trophy Event: A good entry of 61 but three only were able to make the possible and resulted: 1st, J. Blain; 2nd, I. Evans; 3rd, L. Bagatella; F/M, R. Curle; Novice, C. Dodds. Central Riverina Day DB C'ship: 52 shooters with six managing to break the 20 targets and shoot off resulted: Overall and A Grade, D. Lucas; B Grade, I. Evans; C Grade, M. Waymouth. High Gun: T. Merriman.

**GRIFFITH, 22/9/74.**—Cloudy and cold. Attendance 64. Results: NSW State Team Elimination: 56 competitors and only one, A. Crikis, of Victoria, breaking the 50 targets. \$100 H'cap: 56 shooters with 20 making the possible of 25 targets on handicap and after a fairly lengthy shoot off resulted: 1st, A. Jamieson (Corowa); 2nd, G. McDonald (Griffith); 3rd, J. Evans (Griffith). C'wealth Skeet Night C'ship: 41 shooters, no possibles, outright winner, G. McDonald (Griffith); 2nd, T. Evans; 3rd, P. Bortolin.

High Gun over events 1, 3 and 4 was won by A. Crikis of Victoria. High Gun for the teams' event, donated by Winchester (Aust.) Pty. Ltd., was won by

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# UPPER HUNTER GUN CLUB

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## OPEN SHOOT PROGRAMME

**Saturday, 9th November, 1974**

Start 3 p.m.

Event 1— Nom. \$1.00  
10 Target DB Eye-Opener

Event 2— Nom. \$3.00  
20 Target Upper Hunter District DB  
Championship  
50c each 10 targets. Sweeps \$1.00.

Event 3— Nom. \$5.00  
20 Points Score Trophy Handicap  
Barbeque Tea — Nominal Charge  
Refreshments

## SATURDAY NIGHT

Event 1— Nom. \$1.00  
10 Points Score Eye-Opener

Event 2— Nom. \$4.50  
NSW STATE NIGHT POINTS SCORE  
CHAMPIONSHIP  
50c each 10 targets. Sweep \$1.50.

**Sunday, 10th November, 1974**

Start 9.30 a.m.

Event 1— Nom. \$1.00  
10 Target Points Score Eye-Opener

Event 2— Nom. \$3.00  
20 Upper Hunter District Points  
Score Championship  
Sweeps \$1.00

Event 3— Nom. \$6.00  
20 DB Handicap Trophy

Event 4— Nom. \$3.00  
20 SB Upper Hunter District  
Championship  
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20 Target DB Cash Handicap  
Compulsory Division—30% first 10; 30% second  
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**Sunday, 17th November**

## FULL DAY SHOOT

BUCKETTS WAY DOUBLE BARREL  
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B. Rooke of Wagga. Best 6-10 Handicap: A. Jamieson of Corowa.

There was quite a good representation of skeet shooters from many places in NSW which resulted in a good day and night of shooting.

**GUYRA, 31/8/74.**—Wet. Attendance 33. Results: 10 Tgt. DB Royal Hotel Trophy: P. Clark, A. Moffatt, G. Howe, E. Redman, R. Varley, M. Campion, R. Kermode, 10/10. 20 Tgt. SB Club Trophy: Mrs M. White, A. Moffatt, D. Beesley, P. Moffatt, H. Campion, Miss R. Marstella, 19/20; shoot off won by Mrs White, 33/34. 10 Pair DR Club C'ship: A Grade, W. Thrift, 19/20; B Grade, A. Cregan; C Grade, N. Cook. High Gun: E. Redman.

**HAWKESBURY, 14/9/74.**—Gale force winds. Attendance 40. Results: 25 Tgt. Skeet H'cap: L. Wilkins, F. Portelli, W. Shelton, 25/25. 25 Tgt. Hawkesbury Valley Skeet C'ship: 1st R. Clarke, 25/25; 2nd J. Fryer, 35/36; 3rd M. Quirk, 34/36. 25 Tgt. Skeet H'cap: R. Walker, F. Portelli, R. Clarke, J. Fryer, B. Smith, W. Kay, J. Burrows, W. Hawkins, 25/25.

"Noisy" Shelton shot his first 25/25 off the gun. J. Fryer, all the way down from Newcastle, makes his presence felt and is always welcome. M. Quirk, "the Tahmoor Kid," has a new set of eyes—this could mean trouble for the rest of us. The club will be strongly represented at the skeet teams' shoot at Griffith.

**INVERELL, 21/9/74.**—Fine. Attendance 18. Results: 5 Tgt. SB EO Cont. H'cap: R. Loy, 5; five with 4. 10 Tgt. SB Cont. H'cap: C. Colley, 10; C. Burt, P. Jensen, 9. 10 Tgt. DB Cont. H'cap: Five with 10. 20 DB Cont. Trophy H'cap: 1st P. Jensen, 24/24; 2nd N. Cook, 23/24; 3rd C. Burt, 19/20. 20 DB Cash H'cap: J. Lane, N. Cook, 19/20; five with 18. High Gun: N. Cook, 59/65.

The annual general meeting held recently resulted: Patron, Mr C. McLane; President, H. Thomas; Secretary, N. McCarthy; Treasurer, F. Lingham; Club Captain, P. Jensen.

**JUNEE, 3/9/74.**—Very windy but fine. Attendance 41. Results: 10 Tgt. EO: 12 divided. 15 Tgt. DB: 1st, C. Fowler (Wagga); 2nd, B. Reynolds (Junee); 3rd, L. Rutzov (Tumut). 10 Tgt. Pts. Score: Maximum—J. Graham, B. Wilson, G. Dennis. High Gun: L. Rutzov. Front Marker: B. Wilson.

**LEETON, 22/9/74.**—Fine. Attendance 48. Results: 10 Tgt. EO: 11 possibles. 15 Tgt. Trophy: 11 possibles—1st E. Wardman, 34/34; 2nd, J. Wilson, 33/34; 3rd B. McDermott, 29/30. 10 Tgt. SB: 6 possibles—M. Evans, E. Thomas, A. Walker, G. McDonald, R. Catanzariti, P. McWilliam. 5 Pair DR: 2 possibles—L. Dow, B. Simpson. Front Marker: G. Jones. High Gun: M. Stanmore. Ladies' Trophy: M. Foggato.

**MARCONI, 15/9/74.**—Windy. Attendance 55. Results: SB Club C'ship: 1st W. Maryska, 25/25; 2nd S. Sciuto, 24/25; 3rd R. Maso, 36/37; 12-13 yds G. Caledran, 18/20; 14-15 yds G. Artis, 19/20. Mixed Tgt. C'ship: Overall and A Grade, A. Alvaro, 32/35; 2nd B. Smith, 21/25. B Grade, 1st W. Maryska, 22/25; 2nd A. Halpin, 20/25. C Grade, 1st A. Lucchese, 30/35; 2nd Z. Delben, 20/23. DR Club C'ship: 1st A. Lucchese, 28/30; 2nd C. Grima, 27/30; 3rd R. Alvaro, 20/22; 12-13 yds B. Prampero, 13/20; 14-15 yds J. Floreani, 11/20. High Gun badge and optional High Gun sweep won by A. Lucchese, 74/80; 2nd W. Maryska, 72/80; 3rd P. Bortolin, A. Alvaro, 70/80.

**MENINDEE, 1/9/74.**—Overcast. Attendance 25. Results: 15 Tgt. Club H'Cap: 1st, T. Murkins, 15/15; 2nd, J. Smaniotto; 3rd, C. Caskey; Front Marker, K. Andrews, 18/21. Burke & Wills DB C'ship, 20 Tgt: A Grade and Overall, J. Caskey, 33/33; B Grade, D. Gates, 20/20; C Grade, R. Williams, 19/20. 15 Tgt. IMI H'cap: 1st J. Smaniotto, 29/29; 2nd D. Gates, 28/29; 3rd L. Kolstad, 22/23; Front Marker K. Andrews, 24/25. High Gun: D. Gates.

Attendance was down slightly due to the wet roads but an enjoyable day nevertheless. Many thanks to IMI for their wonderful trophy and also to the ladies.



**NARRANDERA, 21/7/74.**—Overcast. Attendance 54. Results: 10 Tgt. DB EO: 14 Divided. 15 Tgt. Trophy Mixed Tgt: 1st, Max Stanmore; 2nd, Ian MacLeod; 3rd Mark O'Mahoney; Front Marker, Merv Halbisich; Back Marker, Doug Allen; High Gun, M. O'Mahoney; 12-13 High Gun, Ken Lovemore; Ladies' Trophy, M. O'Mahoney. 8 Pr. DD: G. Salkeld, Mark O'Mahoney, C. Kneebone, R. Bushby, I. MacLeod, C. Richens. 5 Pr. DR: M. Walker, D. Allen; 9 only, E. Wardman, M. Waymouth, M. O'Mahoney, T. Salafia.

**NARRANDERA, 18/8/74.**—Fine. Attendance 77. Results: 10 Tgt. SB off 16 yds: W. Arandt, K. Longmore, I. MacLeod, M. Allen, E. Wardman, J. Simpson, L. Graham. N'derra & Dist. SB C'ship: B Grade and Overall, M. Valentine; A Grade, K. Sim; C Grade, F. Martinelli; Front Marker, P. Labecki; IMI High Gun, W. Arandt; 12-13 High Gun, P. Labecki; Ladies' Trophy, Mrs A. Paonne. 10 Tgt. DB EO: 32 possibles. Hudson Shield: Hay No. 1, 96/100, W. Arandt, D. Sullivan, D. McRae, Ian MacLeod, B. Pryor. 2000 IMI Cartridge shot in conjunction with Hudson Shield: 1st (750 cart.), B. Arandt; 2nd (500 cart.), W. Crooks; 3rd (slit), W. Smith and J. Graham; 12-13, W. Hulm; 14-15, G. Kneebone; 16-17, M. Allen; 18-19, J. Evans; 20-21, L. Graham; 24-25, K. Sim.

The club would like to thank IMI for their High Gun trophy which was won by Bill Arandt. Congratulations to Nev Crooks for shooting his 75 break.

**NARRANDERA, 31/8/74.**—Cloudy and overcast. Attendance 39. Day—Results: 10 Tgt DB EO: 9 divided. 15 Tgt. DB Trophy: 1st, Kim Thompson; 2nd, Merv Holden; 3rd, Max Evans; Front Marker, George Ceely; Back Marker, Doug Lucas; Novice—1st, T. Ohlsen; 2nd, B. Charles, 3rd, Beth Allen. 10 Tgt. Cont: M. Evans, R. Bushby, A. Paonne, G. Ceely, C. Hatty, D. Lucas. 10 Tgt. SB: A. Walker, M. Stanmore, M. O'Mahoney, G. Dennis.

**NARRANDERA, 31/8/74.**—Overcast. Attendance 43. Night—Results: 10 Tgt. DB EO: 9 divided. 15 Tgt. Trophy: 1st, B. Keefe; 2nd, G. Ceely; 3rd, M. Weymouth; Front Marker, L. Odewahn; Back Marker, I. Whytcross; High Gun (over day and night), G. Ceely; 12-13 High Gun, C. Hatty; Ladies' trophy, Mary Phillips. Half pig raffle, Eric Wardman; one fowl each, Mrs John Wilson and Mrs Sullivan.

These two shoots were in aid of Miss Australia entrant Miss Cheryl Francis for the spastic centre. Our first night shoot was a big success and although the flood stopped many shooters from coming the attendance was very good. The day and night shoot gained Cheryl \$219.45.

**NARRANDERA, 15/9/74.**—Overcast. Attendance 45. Results: 10 Tgt. Pts. Score: E. Vincent, 30 points; A. Halbisich, J. Stewart, 29 points. 15 Tgt. Pts. Score Trophy: 1st, Armando Gamba; 2nd Angelo Paonne; 3rd, Don Ratcliffe; Front Marker, Merv Halbisich; Back Marker, Eric Vincent; High Gun, Eric Vincent; 12-14 High Gun, Gordon Jones; Ladies' Trophy, J. Keefe. 10 Tgt. DB: 13 possibles. 5 Pair DR: No possibles—P. Whyte, G. Jones, C. Fowler, A. Bologh, D. Allen, B. Keefe, 9.

**NEWCASTLE, 25/8/74.**—Overcast and breezy. Results: Skeet Sweep: J. Fryer, 25 + 0 = 25; A. Green, 23 + 3 = 25. Skeet Sweep: J. Fryer, 23 + 0 = 23; A. Whyte, 22 + 1 = 23. Skeet Sweep: J. Fryer, 25 + 0 = 25; H. Bowden, 21 + 2 = 23. Skeet Sweep: J. Fryer, 25 + 0 = 25; R. Boggiss, 24 + 0 = 24.

Pleased to have visitor, Mr Baxter from California, shooting with us. New shooter, Russ Williams, shot well at his first try at skeet.

**NEWCASTLE, 7/9/74.**—Perfect. Attendance 18. Results: 10 Tgt. DB H'cap: A. Green, A. Whyte, D. Asquith, W. Henwood, T. Asquith, L. Watsford divided. 20 Tgt. Pts. Trophy: 1st, L. Watsford; 2nd, D. Asquith; 3rd, T. Asquith. 15 Tgt. Triple Rise: 1st A. Whyte, J. Dunn, 9/15.

**NEWCASTLE, 21/9/74.**—Fine and calm. Attendance 18. Results: 10 Tgt. DB H'cap Sweep: I. Clarke, T. Asquith, A. Kent, G. Clendinning, C. Bentley, C. Harrison,

10/10, divided. 10 Tgt. Pts. H'cap Sweep: G. Clendinning, 30/30; G. Meredith, A. Kent, A. Whyte, 29/30. Merewether Dist. Pts' C'ship: 1st, G. Clendinning, 60/60; 2nd, T. Asquith, 58/60; 3rd, A. Green, 69/72; 12-15 yds, K. Hugo, 68/72. 10 Tgt. DR: A. Green, 10/10; A. Kent, A. Whyte, 9/10.

Merewether District Points Championship won by consistent shooter Geoff Clendinning from Upper Hunter Gun Club.

**NEW ENGLAND, 8/9/74.**—Fine. Attendance 20. Results: 10 Tgt. Cont. PS H'cap: Brian Smith, A. Ferguson, 30/30; Shirley Jones, Col Varley, Mal Thrift, 29/30. 20 Tgt. DB Cont. Club C'ship: Five shot possible—A Grade and Overall, H. Williamson (Guyra), 66/66; B Grade, H. Young, 61/66; C Grade, Nev Cook, 19/20. 10 Tgt. SB H'cap: H. Williamson, 10/10; five shooters 9/10. 5 Pair DR H'cap: H. Williamson, 10/10; H. Young, C. McLane, Col Burt, 9/10. Overall High Gun: H. Williamson, 67/70. Cuninghame tray: Nev Cook.

Sincere thanks to the support from visiting shooters.

**N.S.W.G.C., 7/9/74.**—Fine and sunny. Attendance 42. Results: 15 Tgt. PS Graded Trophy: Best 12/15, F. Denza; 16/19, J. Bosco; 20/27, J. Worley; Ladies' Trophy, Lorna Shelton. 15 Tgt. DB H'cap Trophy: 1st, C. Spence; 2nd, J. Bosco; 3rd L. Trew; Ladies Trophy, Lorna Shelton.

Due to the shortage of targets we apologise to members and visitors for the change in our program. Thanks to Charles Hlavaty for his assistance in the office.

**N.S.W.G.C., 21/9/74.**—Fine and sunny. Attendance 37. Results: 20 Tgt. H'cap EO: A. Cloke, G. Muoio, J. Edgell, R. McAllister, 20/20. 20 Tgt. 16 yds. Pts. Graded: Best 12-15—1st, B. MacKenzie; 2nd W. Bruce. Best 16-20—1st, J. Guberina; 2nd, M. Fuller; Best 21-27—1st, A. Alvaro. 20 Tgt. H'cap Trophy: 1st, D. Henthorn; 2nd, F. Marcellino; 3rd, P. McBeath. 25 Tgt. Skeet: M. Fuller, 25/25; J. Bosco, G. West, P. McBeath, 24/25. 25 Tgt. Skeet H'cap Trophy: 1st, J. Watson; 2nd, W. Maryska; 3rd, B. Knight.

**QUEANBEYAN/CANBERRA, 25/8/74.**—Overcast. Attendance 50. Results: 15 Tgt. Pts. Score CD: Three possibles—W. Beavan, E. Smith, A. Sohler. 50 Tgt. SB Club C'ship: Overall and 1st A Grade, T. Nash (Geelong), 58/61; 2nd J. Tankey, 57/61. B Grade, 1st N. Simms, 47/51; 2nd G. Kearins, 46/50. C Grade, 1st A. Sohler, 46/51; 2nd D. Hourigan, 45/51. 15 Tgt. DB H'cap Trophy: 1st D. Withers, 50/50; 2nd V. Kowalski, 49/50; Front Marker G. Venables, 22/23. High Gun: D. Withers. Intermediate High Gun: E. Smith.

Trevor Nash, a member of the Geelong Gun Club, visiting this area of the State proved his mastery of the very poor light conditions to win the Club Single Barrel Championship from John Tankey.

**QUEANBEYAN/CANBERRA, 8/9/74.**—Sunny. Attendance 24. Results: Full Round Skeet Trophy: 1st, S. Balogh; 2nd, K. Quirk; 7-10 h'cap, Sasha Koludrovic. Eight possibles.

## CLUB MARCONI GUN CLUB & HAWKESBURY GUN CLUB

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The growth of interest in skeet shooting in this club caused its committee to go ahead with the establishment of a second layout. Initial preparation of the site was undertaken by Club President Bill Jordan and Director Merv Lyons. It is expected that the second layout will be in use well before the end of the year.

**QUEANBEYAN/CANBERRA, 22/9/74.** — Sunny and windy. Attendance 38. Results: 10 Tgt. DB H'cap S/S: Five possibles—G. Baxter, Mrs P. Byrne, W. Collett, M. Hunt, B. Scanes. 20 Tgt. DB H'cap CD (run in conjunction with Ampol Shield): Three possibles—G. Kearins, R. Parker, C. Woodhouse; Ampol Shield won by Queanbeyan-Canberra No. 2 (C. Arena, Mrs P. Byrne, V. Kowalski, R. Parker, N. Simms) with a score of 92/100. 10 Tgt. DB H'cap Trophy: 1st B. Scanes, 19/19; 2nd G. Tilyard, 18/19; Front Marker, H. Huggett, 10 Pair DR Trophy: 1st N. Simms, 19/20; 2nd R. Parker, 23/28; Front Marker, H. Huggett. High Gun: N. Simms. Intermediate High Gun: R. Parker.

Four shooters—H. Huggett, G. Kearins, R. Parker and C. Woodhouse—each received a yard.

**RANKINS SPRINGS, 15/9/74.**—Cloudy, fine. Attendance 67. Results: 10 Tgt. EO 16 yds: 18 divided. 20 Tgt. Conapaira Range DB C'ship: Overall and A Grade, L. Graham, 50/50; B Grade, M. Holden, 48/50; C Grade, G. McDonald, 49/50. 4 Pair DD EO 22 yds: 20 divided. 20 Pair DD NSW State C'ship 22 yds: 1st J. Scott, L. Morris, 32/32; 2nd J. W. Harman, W. Jordan, 31/32. 20 Tgt. \$100 H'cap: 14 divided.

The IMI High Gun and Badge was won by Merv Holden from Ganmain and the Winchester Intermediate High Gun and Badge was won by Michael Hunt of Canberra.

**ROYAL AERO, 15/9/74.**—Slight wind. Attendance 55. Results: EO: 12 divided. Bankstown Dist. Mixed Tgt. C'ship: Overall and B Grade, A. Hirst; A Grade, John Worley; C Grade, J. Hodges; Ladies' C'ship, Mrs Laird. Royal Aero Club Trophy: 1st, John Worley, 2nd A. Hirst; 3rd, L. Trew; Front Marker, W. Bruce; Ladies, Sue Heath. High Gun: A. Hirst.

Mr Harry Somers was our shoot marshal for the day. Thanks to shooters' wives our canteen is now in full swing again after we lost all equipment in the fire.

**TAMWORTH, 15/9/74.**—Results: Tamworth & Dist. DB C'ship: Overall and B Grade, K. Neill, 95/95 A Grade, G. Wilson, 94/95; C Grade, D. Cassin. Tamworth & Dist. Pts. Score C'ship: A Grade, H. Williamson; B Grade, K. Neill; C Grade, N. Cook. 20 Tgt. Trophy H'cap Pts: 1st, N. Cook; 2nd, G. Wilson; 3rd, R. Hopper. 20 Tgt. DB Cash H'cap: Divided—J. Lane, K. Neill, L. Bull.

**TAREE-WINGHAM, 28/7/74.**—Cold and windy. Attendance 30. Results: 10 Tgt. SB CD off 16 yds: T. Rumbel, 10/10; D. Drury, J. Foley, D. Rumbel, V. Phillips, 9/10; W. Harris, D. Wood, T. Asquith, R. Sky, L. Cooper, B. Boggiss, 8/10; J. Andrews, D. Murrell, R. Clinch, V. Flower, W. Thurlow, 7/10. Club Pts. C'ship: 1st, L. Cooper, 59/60; A Grade, T. Asquith, 57/60; B Grade, D. Rumbel, 53/60; C Grade, R. Clinch, 53/60. Front Marker, D. Drury, 52/60. 10 Tgt. SB H'cap CD: J. Baker, R. Hinshelwood, R. Clinch, A. Carlyle, J. Foley, T. Asquith, T. Rumbel, L. Cooper, 9/10. 10 Tgt. DB H'cap CD: R. Clinch, A. Carlyle, J. Foley, T. Asquith, V. Flower, 10/10; D. Drury, D. Murrell, R. Hinshelwood, R. Sky, D. Rumbel, T. Rumbel, L. Cooper, V. Phillips, 9/10. 10 Tgt. DB Mini: T. Rumbel, D. Drury, 10/10; W. Harris, V. Flower, L. Cooper, V. Phillips, 9/10; A. Clinch, 7/10; P. Thompson, D. Murrell, R. Hinshelwood, D. Wood, T. Asquith, 6/10; D. Harvey, R. Sky, 5/10.

Winner of High Gun was Club President Terry Rumbel with 38/40.

On the Sunday morning we christened our newly laid skeet grounds when 15 members shot the first round. We will now shoot skeet on the second Saturday afternoon in the month.

**TAREE-WINGHAM, 10/8/74.**—Fine. Attendance 25. Results: 25 Tgt. Skeet: R. Clinch, 24; E. Pidgeon, 23; R. Boggiss, 22; T. Rumbel, 21; R. Sky, L. Cooper, 19; D. Rumbel, 18; A. Carlyle, T. Asquith, 17; N. Hughes, C. Russell, 16; D. Wood, 13. 25 Tgt. Skeet: T. Rumbel, 23; L. Cooper, D. Wood, 22; R. Sky, A. Carlyle, 21; T. Asquith, 20; R. Clinch, 19; E. Pidgeon, 18; M. Clinch, R. Boggiss, R. Hinshelwood, 16; W. Harris, 15; Night—10 Tgt. SB DTL 16 yds: J. Lambert, D. Rumbel, V. Phillips, R. Boggiss, 9/10; B. Bone, J. Foley, T. Asquith, 8/10; W. Harris, D. Drury, R. Ingram, 7/10; E. Pidgeon, P. Thompson, R. Sky, T. Rumbel, 6/10; R. Hinshelwood, L. Emerton, B. Lambert, 5/10. Club Pts. (Night) C'ship: 1st, D. Rumbel, 60/60; A Grade, T. Asquith, 58/60; B Grade, R. Sky, 55/60; C Grade, D. Drury, 54/60; Front Marker, R. Hinshelwood, 48/60.

Fifteen shooters attended the skeet in the afternoon and a further 10 shooters came along for down the line at night. Winner of High Gun night programme, D. Rumbel, 39/40.

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**TAREE-WINGHAM, 25/8/74.**—Cold and raining. Attendance 37. Results: 20 Tgt. DB Trophy off H'cap: 1st T. Rumbel, 100/100; 2nd V. Phillips, 100/100; 3rd, B. Bone, 69/70. 10 Tgt. SB H'cap: T. Asquith, V. Phillips, 10/10; D. Rumbel, D. Carlyle, A. Carlyle, D. Drury, R. Hinshelwood, 9/10; P. Thompson, R. Ingram, W. Harris, B. Bone, J. Lambert, J. Foley, R. Sky, W. Hayward, 8/10. 10 Pair DD: J. Lambert/R. Hinshelwood, R. Sky/T. Rumbel, J. Foley/V. Flower, 10/10; P. Stewart/W. Hayward, L. Cooper/V. Phillips, 9/10; D. Wood/R. Ingram, A. Carlyle/D. Carlyle, 8/10; J. Mumford/T. Taylor, B. Lambert/M. Harris, 5/10.

A very pleasing attendance to a monthly shoot on such a miserable day. Barry Bone obtained a 75 break and Vince Phillips a 100 break. Winner of the High Gun was Tom Asquith.

**WARREN, 14/9/74.**—Cloudy, cool, windy. Attendance 16. Results: 10 Tgt. DB: B. Murphy, R. Gale, A. Montgomery, R. Inglis, D. McMillan, W. Hunt, D. Cosgrove, D. Hunt, B. Rowe, 10/10. 10 Tgt. DB: A. Cleaver, A. Montgomery, R. Inglis, D. McMillan, D. Hunt, 10/10. 10 Tgt. DB Pts. Score: 1st A. Montgomery, 43/45; 2nd K. McLachlan, 42/45; 3rd B. Rowe, 29/30. 10 Pairs DR Club C'ship: A. Montgomery, 20/20; I. McCalman, D. McMillan, 19/20. 5 Pairs DR: W. Hunt, D. Hunt, K. McLachlan, 9/10.

Andy Montgomery is still maintaining very consistent form and seems to be in at the finish in most events.

**WYONG, 10/8/74.**—Fine. Attendance 26. Results: 5 Pair DR EO: A. Green, L. Kent, R. Britton, 9/10. Wyong Gun Club DR C'ship: Overall, A. Green, 18/20; A Grade, R. McAuley, 17/20; B Grade, L. Kent, 17/20; C Grade, 16/20; Front Marker, B. Gallard, 15/20. 10 Tgt. DB: 13 possibles. 15 Tgt. Pts. B. Whipps, 45/45; R. McAuley, L. Kent, T. Turner, 44/45. 10 Tgt. off 27 yds: L. Kent, 10/10; N. Jackson, R. McAuley, B. Whipps, 9/10.

**WYONG, 24/8/74.**—Fine. Attendance 25. Results: 20 Tgt. SB Trophy Event H'cap: 1st C. Jackson, 19/20; 2nd J. Paul, 19/20; 3rd L. Kent, 18/20; Front Marker, C. Bowman, 17/20. 10 Tgt. Pts. Score: E. Hill, L. Watsford, 30/30. 10 Tgt. off 27 yds: A. Green, 10/10; R. Britton, B. Goss, 9/10.

The club was pleased to welcome overseas visitor B. Goss from America. Congratulations to senior shooter C. Jackson for his fine trophy win.

**WYONG, 14/9/74.**—Very windy. Attendance 28. Results: 5 Pair DR EO: T. Turner, 10/10; B. Gallard, 9/10. Central Coast DD C'ship: 1st K. Moxey, R. Clifton, 20/20; 2nd T. Turner, R. Lambkin, 19/20. 10 Tgt. DB: R. Clifton, J. Dunn, G. Britton, R. McAuley, A. Green, T. Turner, 10/10. 15 Tgt. Pts. Score: N. Jackson, 45/45; T. Turner, 44/45; R. Lambkin, 43/45.

This was Kevin Moxey's first championship win.

**YAMBA, 15/9/74.**—Light breeze. Attendance 21. Results: 10 Tgt. DB S/S: E. Taylor, J. Paul, G. Haynes, P. Cools, J. Heiman, D. Vallance, 10/10. 10 Tgt. DB S/S: G. Haynes, P. Cools, G. Hitchin, 30/30. 5 Tgt. DB Trophy shoot off PS: 12 possibles—shoot off, 1st Mrs K. Noble, 18/18; 2nd J. Heiman, 17/18; 3rd C. Nichols, 13/14. 5 Pairs DR: D. Vallance, 10/10; A. Rowe, J. Nolan, M. Smith, 9/10. High Gun: D. Vallance.

The Yamba Club had the pleasure of welcoming John Paul of Wyong along with visitors from Coffs Harbour and Lismore. It was pleasing to witness the success of Mrs Kathy Noble in the trophy event who shot well to take it out.

**YAMBA, 14/9/74 (Night).**—Windy. Attendance 15. Results: 10 Tgt. DB S/S: J. L. Heiman, M. Smith, 9/10; C. Nichols, 8/10. 10 Tgt. DB S/S: J. Heiman, 9/10; G. Haynes, J. L. Heiman, A. Rowe, M. Smith, C. Nichols, N. Campbell, 8/10. 10 Tgt. DB PS S/S: C. Nichols, 30/30; J. Heiman, 25/30; M. Smith, 24/30. 5 WU S/S: D. Vallance, J. Heiman, M. Smith, 4/5. 5 Pairs DD: P. Cormack-A. Rowe, 5/5; D. Vallance-G. Haynes, 4/5.





## QUEENSLAND

**BALLANDEAN, 15/9/74.**—Mild. Attendance: 55. Results: Granite Belt SB C'ship: 1st, K. Harding, 26/26; Best A Grade, J. Lee, 25/27; B Grade, K. Lee, 25/26; C Grade, M. Patti, 25/26. Granite Belt DB C'ship: 1st, K. Harding, 93/93; Best A Grade, A. M. Puglisi, 92/93; B Grade, K. Lee, 35/36; C Grade, M. Patti, 23/29. 20 SB Teams' Match v. Lismore: 1st, D. DeLuca. Visitors' trophy, S. Bartley, 20/20.

We were very pleased to welcome the Lismore boys with us to contest the Marangan Cannel Shield. Our No. 1 Team consisting of K. Lee, J. Lee, L. Day, D. Campbell and M. Gough, with a score of 95/100 regained the Shield for our safe keeping for the time. Congratulations to Kevin Harding on winning both championships. Kevin Lee won the Hi-Gun trophy with 59/60.

**BLACKWATER & DISTRICT, 7-8/9/74.**—Good. Attendance: 16-24. Results: Utah DB Pts. H'cap, 20 Tgts: 1st, T. Cahill, 59/60; 2nd, A. Seccombe, 59/60; 3rd, J. Fittler, 55/60. Blackwater & District SB C'ship, 20 Tgts. —1st: J. Spark, overall winner, 20/20 (C); N. Massey, 20/20 (A); A. Seccombe, 19/20 (B). Bottee Tree H'cap, 30 Tgts., kills to count.—1st, A. Seccombe, 30/30; 2nd, J. Fittler, 30/30; 3rd, B. Hopgood, 29/30. Leichhardt Colliery H'cap, 20 Tgts., SB.—1st, B. Hopgood, 19/20; 2nd, I. Rooney, 18/20; 3rd, A. Seccombe, 18/20. Cuddy & Bretz H'cap, 20 Tgts., DB Pts.—1st, T. Cahill, 59/60; 2nd, K. Cross, 58/20; 3rd, A. Seccombe, 57/60. Thiess Bros. Shield Teams' Event.—Blackwater No. 1 Team: J. Spark, A. Seccombe, T. Cahill, J. Taylor, I. Rooney. \$300.00 Cash H'cap, 30 Tgts., Kills to count.—Eq. 1st, D. Ukena, K. Lorberg, 30/30; Eq. 2nd, J. Spark, G. Peterson, 29/30. Brochtrup Memorial Trophy, 20 Tgts., SB H'cap.—1st, I. Rooney, 20/20; 2nd, V. Thomas, G. Whitfield, 18/20; 3rd, A. Seccombe, T. Cahill, K. Cross, 17/20. High Gun over two days: A. Seccombe, 170-180 (donated by Dosco). Intermediate High Gun, donated by Garane & Bartley: I. Rooney, after shoot-off with J. Spark, 162/180. Best Front Marker of the two days: C. Roberts, 129/180 (trophy donated by Mr and Mrs. Seccombe).

The Blackwater & District DB C'ship was to be held over the 2-day shoot was scratched and the Brochtrup Memorial SB trophy was entered in its place, the reason for this change in programme was that Mr A. Brochtrup, who was a founder member of our Club, was tragically killed on the 2nd August, 1974. The event was won by I. Rooney, a Blackwater member. The Blackwater and District DB C'ship will be held at a later date.

A. Seccombe was the most outstanding shooter over the 2 days. I. Rooney and J. R. Spark most improved.

The winning team of the Thiess Brothers Shield, Blackwater No. 1 team—all work at Thiess Brothers South Blackwater mine.

Although attendance was not as expected a good two days was enjoyed by all. Visitors from Springsure, Clermont, Rockhampton. Our new clubhouse is near completion and in the near future we hope to provide an air strip.

**CHARTERS TOWERS, 1/9/74.**—Fine, hot day. Attendance: 27. Results: 10 Tgt. DB—Eight shooters shot the possible. 15 Tgt. Pts. Score Trophy Event.—1st, R. Titley, 2nd, R. Scott; 3rd, A. Hilder. 10 Tgt. DB Tower.—Five shooters shared the sweepstakes. 4 Pr. D/D drawn partners).—Won by R. Mackereth and B. Scott. 5 Pr. D/Rise.—Won by L. Bell, with four shooters sharing 2nd and 3rd.

With ideal weather, we were disappointed we didn't have more shooters.

**CAIRNS & DISTRICT, 15/9/74.**—Fine. Attendance: 40. Results: 10 Tgt. DB H'cap.—R. Simpson, 10/10; G. Lee Sye, 10/10; S. Archidiaceno, 10/10. 10 Tgt. DB

H'cap: G. Nichols, 10/10; P. Stockwell, 10/10; R. Plant, 10/10. 20 Tgt. DB Pts, 18 yds. Trophy, Graded.—Overall and B Grade, R. Simpson, 60/60; A Grade, I. Williams, 50/60; C Grade, G. Lee Sye, 58/60. 15 Tgt. SB \$50.00 H'cap.—G. Lee Sye, 13/15; P. Stockwell, 13/15. 5 Tgt. Walk-up.—S. Marino, 5/5; P. Stockwell, 5/5. High Gun of the day: R. Simpson.

Although this was the first shoot held by the newly-formed Cairns Club it proved to be a success. Our thanks go to the Atherton Gun Club for the use of their range and clubhouse at Tolga. The Cairns Club hopes to have its range operating by early 1975.

Congratulations go to S. Marino for his fine effort as a new shooter in the 5 target walk-up.

Trophies were presented by the President of the Ravenshoe Gun Club, Mr R. Plant, and the shoot was covered by local television station FNQ.10, Cairns.

**CENTRAL BURNETT, 15/9/74.**—Perfect. Attendance: 18. Results: 10 Tgt. DB SS H'cap.—A. Williams, J. Trott, L. Sandow, K. Zipf, G. Linskett, 10/10. 15 Tgt. SB, 16 yds.—A. Williams and G. Darlington, 15/15. 20 Tgt. DB Pts. H'cap.—1st, J. Bryant, 59/60; 2nd, J. Trott, 57/60; 3rd, N. Zipf, 56/60. 10 Tgt. Walk-up.—1st, B. Fett, 9/10; 2nd, J. Bryant, 8/10.

**CUNNAMULLA, 14/9/74.**—Fine and windy. Attendance: 34. Results: 10 Tgt. DB E/O.—7 divided, S. Stewart, C. Austin, C. Billington, G. Baker, L. Godfrey, E. Godfrey and T. Beel. 20 Tgt. DB Opal Festival C'ship.—1st, G. Haig, 50/50; 2nd, G. Webster, 49/50; 3rd, G. Dunsdon, 42/43. 10 Tgt. SB Club Mug.—1st, O. Schmidt. 20 Tgt. DB H'cap.—4 divided: L. Godfrey, E. Godfrey, T. Ecroyd, G. Dunsdon.

**DAWSON VALLEY, 8/9/74.**—Warm and fine. Attendance: 12. Results: 10 Tgt. SB SS.—1st, C. Hill, 9/10; 2nd, J. Ryan, G. Ziebeth, R. Woodward, C. Ward, R. R. Fechner, 8/10. 50 Tgt. DB Pts.—1st, C. Hill; 2nd, R. Fechner; 3rd, C. Ward.

Ideal conditions were enjoyed by the shooters, including three prospective new members.

**ETON, 7-8/9/74.**—Fine and cool, gusty winds. Attendance: 47. Results: 10 Tgt. DB H'cap.—C. Andresen, P. Roberts, M. Sievers, Chris. Nielson, R. Jaques, J. Sheafe, A. Walz—all 10/10. Pioneer Valley SB C'ship, 16 yd., Graded.—A Grade, C. Pietzner, 18/20; B Grade, A. Jones, 18/20; C Grade, M. Sievers, 19/20; Overall winner, M. Sievers. 15 Tgt. DB Pts., 16 yds.—Chris. Nielsen and T. Giezendanner, 44/45; F. Attard, A. Jones and M. Cousen, 42/45. President's Trophy, 20 Tgt. DB H'cap.—1st, H. Schmidt, 30; 2nd, R. Hodder, 29; 3rd, A. Jones, 27. \$300 Calcutta 30 Tgt. DB H'cap.—M. Sievers and M. Cousen, 30/30. 20 Tgt. SB, 16 yds., Graded.—A Grade, C. Pietzner, 18/20; B Grade, L. Todd, 15/20; C Grade, M. Sievers, 20/20; Overall winner, M. Sievers.

**GOLD COAST, 7 and 8/9/74.** Perfect. Attendance 54. Results: Night—Q'land Night DB Pts. C'ship.—A Grade and Overall, D. Barber, 94/99; B Grade, P. Freeleagus, 88/96; C Grade, B. Nellis, 91/99. C'wealth Night DB C'ship.—B Grade and Overall, N. Pittaway, 34/40; A Grade, C. Kassulke, 31/40; C Grade, B. Nellis, 31/40. Day—10 Tgt. DB Hcp.—Nine shooters, 10/10. Q'land Standard Mixed Tgt. C'ship.—A Grade and Overall, S. Jackson, 33/40; B Grade, W. Weeden, 31/40; C Grade, A. Page, 33/40. 30 Tgt. Cash Divide.—First 15 Tgt., G. Wethell, M. Gough, 15/15; C. Witt, J. Farrow, N. Pittaway, F. Francini, 14/15. Second 15 Tgt: Six shooters, 15/15. Overall: M. Gough, 30/30; J. Farrow, 29/30; C. Witt, J. Watson, J. Tyquin, 28/30. 30 Tgt. Pts.—1st, W. Weeden, 89/90; 2nd, J. Watson, 88/90; 3rd, R. Weeden, 85/90.



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**GOLD COAST, 18/9/74.**—Fine, windy. Attendance: 26. Results: 10 Tgt. DB.—W. Weeden, R. Weeden, A. Loder, 10/10. 15 Tgt. Pts.—1st, W. Weeden, 62/63; 2nd, J. B. Rowsell, 59/63; 3rd, F. Thatcher, 40/45; 12/13 yarder, D. Hutchinson, 33/45. 15 Tgt. S/Rise, Mixed.—F. Thatcher, 26/31; A. Hicks, 24/31; C. Witt, N. Miller, W. K. Bamberry, 22/31. 15 Tgt. SB.—A. Grade, A. Marstella, 14/15; B. Grade, N. Miller, 15/15; C. Grade, C. Witt, 14/15. 10 Pr. D/Rise.—S. Kentish, 18/20; A. Hicks, A. Marstella, R. Marstella, C. Witt, W. K. Bamberry, C. Camilleri, 14/20.

Overall High Gun went to W. Weeden, 100/100. Best 12/13 yarder R. Hedley.

**IPSWICH, 1/9/74.**—Fine but cloudy. Attendance 28. Results: 15 Tgt. DB Sweep: J. Herman, C. Cammilleri, G. McClymont, J. Farrow, 15/15. City of Ipswich SB C'ship: A. Grade and Overall, S. Jackson, 20/20; B. Grade, J. Herman, 17/20; C. Grade, C. Cammilleri, 20/22. 20 Tgt. DB Pts. Trophy H'cap: 1st J. Herman, 81/84; 2nd G. Mawer, 80/84; 3rd R. Porter, 60/66. High Gun: J. Farrow, 52/55.

Attendance was down due to other clubs having their annual shoots. John Farrow, of Gold Coast Gun Club, shot very consistently all day and won the High Gun trophy. Sid Jackson won the Championship with the only full score. Joe Herman and Charlie Cammilleri, who both won trophies and money, were only one target off the pace in the race for High Gun.

**MOUNT ISA, 8/9/74.**—Fine and warm. Attendance 16. Results: Club SB Cont. C'ship. 20 Tgt (16 yds): 1st T. Wellington, 19/20; 2nd H. J. Smith, 18/20; 3rd T. Kittila, 28/31; 12-15 yds, C. Latimer, 19/23. 10 Tgt. Walk Up: T. Kittila, E. Sebastiani, 9/10. 10 Tgt. DB H'cap: T. Kittila, A. C. Selke, H. J. Smith, A. Fenk, 10/10. Night—20 Tgt. DB Pts. H'cap: 1st T. Kittila, 59/60; 2nd E. Sebastiani, 57/60; 3rd G. Buerchler, 54/60; 12-15 yds, A. Fenk, 49/60.

**RICHMOND, 17/8/74.**—Good. Attendance 32. Results: 10 Tgt. DB S/S: Possibles by L. Papulin, F. Boinanno, A. Kinna, T. Kittila, D. I. Murray, R. Titley, G. Lillyman Nth. Qld. DD C'ship: Possibles by L. Papulin, J. Scalia, F. Boinanno, A. Kenna. Shoot off won by L. Papulin, J. Scalia, 75/75. Horrie Batt Memorial Shield Teams' Shoot: Tied between Mt. Isa and Richmond, 138/150. Shoot off won by Mt. Isa by one point, score 71/75. High Gun, A. Kenna, 60/60. \$200 Night H'cap, 20 Tgt DB: Won by P. R. Kennedy, 19/20. Places shared by G. Buerchler, G. H. Burke, R. Titley, G. Lillyman, 18/20. Nth. Qld. DB Night C'ship: A. Grade and Overall, A. C. Selke, 31/31; B. Grade, K. Peace, 19/20; C. Grade, P. R. Kennedy, 19/20.

**RICHMOND, 18/8/74.**—Windy. Attendance 41. Results: 5 Pairs DR Sweeps: Shared by Buerchler, A. Hardwick, L. Falco, J. Scalia, 9/10. Nth. Qld. DR C'ship: A. Grade, D. E. Murray, 30/36; B. Grade, A. Hardwick, 25/28; C. Grade and Overall, L. Falco, 19/20. Angus Smith Sports Store Trophy, 20 Tgt. DB Pts: 1st L. Falco, 63/63; 2nd G. Lillyman, 60/63; 3rd F. Boinanno, 74/75.

Two good days shooting with visitors from Mt. Isa, Charters Towers, Burdekin and Townsville. The Sunday shoot was somewhat spoilt as all members had to leave to help fight a serious bushfire at 3 p.m., causing the last event to be cancelled. Apologies to our most understanding visitors.

High Gun over two days won by L. Falco, of Burdekin, 88/100.

**ROCKHAMPTON, 1/9/74.**—Good. Attendance 14. Results: 10 Tgt. DB: G. Wust, H. Milner, C. Power, R.

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High Gun was won by Terry Cahill with runner-up V. W. Thomas. Visitors from Blackwater Club were very welcome.

**SOUTH BURNETT, 1/9/74.**—Fine and mild. Attendance 14. Results: 25 Tgt. DB H'cap Trophy: 1st N. Dale, 54/55; 2nd S. Horn, 53/55. 20 Tgt. Pts. Trophy: 1st S. Horn, 54/60; 2nd R. Glasgow, 53/60. 10 Pair DR: 1st N. Dale, 18/20; 2nd T. Hauritz, 18/22. Down the Line: 1st N. Dale; 2nd S. Horn.

The day was a benefit for Norm Dale and Sel Horn, and why not? They shot well.

**WARWICK, 1/9/74.**—Perfect. Attendance 71. Results: City of Warwick DB C'ship: Overall winner John Lee, 90/90; A Grade, L. James, 89/90; B Grade, G. Hope; C Grade, R. Starr. City of Warwick SB C'ship: Overall winner Doug Smith, 22/22; A Grade, J. Porter; B Grade, F. Wiltshire; C Grade, Ross Bartley. \$750 Cash H'cap 20 Tgt. DB, 20 Pts: Only one shooter managed a possible 80 points and that was Bill Francis of Condamine. Tom Robinson and Ken Stevens managed 40 kills and Clive Evans and Doug Campbell shot the 60 points in the points section. Thirteen shooters divided the double barrel section.

A very good roll up for our annual shoot with visitors from Brisbane, Ipswich, Toowoomba, Ballandean, Lismore, Dubbo, Upper Hunter and Condamine. We enjoyed perfect weather which helped to provide good scores. Our own Warwick shooter, Doug Campbell, won High Gun for the day and D. Aitken was the best 12 yarder.

**WARWICK, 28/9/74.**—Cool and windy. Attendance 45. Results: 15 Tgt. SB S/S: Terry Erlandson and Brian Mundt shot a possible and 16 other shooters shared some sweeps. City of Warwick Pts. C'ship: A Grade and Overall, E. Andersen, 59/60; B Grade, J. J. Crothers; C Grade, Mrs Pam Stewart. Southern Downs Pts. C'ship: Overall winner John Lee, 59/60; A Grade, G. Newey; B Grade, C. Evans; C Grade, R. Beck.

A very good attendance for our first night shoot this summer with visitors from Ipswich and Toowoomba. High Gun for the programme was won by John Lee. The two 12 yard trophies over the programme were both won in fine style by Scott Bartley.



## NORTHERN TERRITORY PAPUA NEW GUINEA



**MADANG, 1/9/74.**—Wet early, fining up to hot. Attendance 7. 10-tgt. DB pts.: 1st Gerry Vanderleest, 27/30; 2nd Leslie Cheung, 24/30; 3rd Eugene Lewin, 23/30. 10-tgt. SB H'cap: 1st Eugene Lewin, 9/11; 2nd Gerry Vanderleest, 8/11; 3rd Leslie Cheung and Adel Elbashary, 7/10. 10 pr. DR 16 yds.: 1st Eugene Lewin, 16/20; 2nd Adel Elbashary, 16/23; 3rd Gerry Vanderleest, 15/23.

**MT. HAGEN, 1/9/74.**—Fine. Attendance 22. WHD DB pts. C'ship: 1st Jim Lynch, 58/60; 2nd Norm Camps, 71/78; 3rd W. Collins, 70/78. WHD Mixed Tgt. C'ship: 1st Wally Collins, 22/25; 2nd Cyril Schwass, 21/25; 3rd Jim Lynch, 20/25. \$100 Value H'cap: 1st Mick Wells, 19/20; 2nd Ian Harris, Jim Middleton, 18/20. WHD DB Tower C'ship: 1st Ian Harris, 20/20; 2nd Wally Collins, 32/32; 3rd Mick Arthur, 32/33. High gun winner for the day, Jim Lynch, 112/125. The club was happy to see new faces and a few old ones, which made the day complete.



## WEST AUSTRALIA

**ALBANY, 22/9/74.**—Fine and cold. Attendance 9. Results: 25 Skeet: M. Lubcke, 20; J. Thompson, 16; D. Levingston, 18; J. Donner, 15; E. Griffith, 17; M. Reger, 19; D. Levingston, 20; P. Jewell, 14; D. Webb, 23. 25 Skeet: M. Lubcke, 23; J. Thompson, 12; J. Downer, 17; E. Griffith, 18; M. Reger, 19; D. Levingston, 19; P. Jewell, 16; D. Webb, 24.

**ALBANY, 1/9/74.**—Good conditions. Attendance 9. Results: 30-tgt. DB from 16 yds: G. Stone, 26; M. Lubcke, 22; W. Oliver, 13; J. Downer, 28; J. Cameron, 27; M. Doyle, 28; D. Levingston, 29; B. Pollett, 23. J. Thompson, 22. 20-tgt. DB from 16 yds: G. Stone, 17; M. Lubcke, 15; W. Oliver, 8; J. Downer, 16; J. Cameron, 17; M. Doyle, 19; D. Levingston, 19; B. Pollett, 14; J. Thompson, 16. The Albany Gun Club's DB C'ship: Winner, David Levingston, 48; runner-up, Maurie Doyle, 47; tie for third, Jim Cameron and John Downer, 44.

**AZZURRI, 8/9/74.**—Fine and warm. Attendance 41. Results: 50 Graded Skeet: A Grade, J. Boyes, 50/50; B Grade, A. Larini, 48/50; C Grade, C. Brown, 41/50.

**AZZURRI, 22/9/74.**—Fine and warm. Attendance 40. Results: 30-tgt. DB H'cap: 1st R. Mordini; 2nd M. Lip-trot; 3rd M. Alexander. 10 Pair DR: 1st R. Mordini; 2nd J. King; 3rd M. Alexander.

**EASTERN GOLDFIELDS, 1/9/74.**—Cold and wet. Attendance 17. Results: 15 Pairs Club DR C'ship: A Grade and Overall, W. Montgomery; B Grade, L. Naylor; C Grade, A. Ward (a first year shooter). 10 Pair Deauvilles (sweep partners drawn): Ken Holman and G. Nowland, Bill Montgomery and Len Nangle. 10 DB ACTA H'cap (Sweep): L. Nangle.

**GERALDTON, 8/9/74.**—Fine and sunny. Attendance 20. Results: 25-tgt. Skeet: Jean Webb, Noel Mellows, Greg MacDonald, Athol Webb, 25/25. 10-tgt. Continental: Ray MacDonald, Greg MacDonald, Noel Mellows, Frank Bombara, Andy Ferreo, 10/10. 10-tgt. DB: Ray MacDonald, Greg MacDonald, Wal Johns, Theo Harris, Dick Burton, 10/10.

**GERALDTON, 15/9/74.**—Fine. Attendance 24. Results: President's Trophy: 1st Andy Ferreo, 51/53; 2nd Dick Burton, 51/53; 3rd John Glass, Athol Webb, Carlo Zorino, 50/53.

**GERALDTON, 25/8/74.**—Fine. Attendance 25. Results: 10-tgt. DB: F. Bombara, 10/10; N. Mellows, W. Bailey, A. Webb, W. Johns, 9/10. 10-tgt. ISU Graded: A Grade, E. Daws, 10/10; J. Glass, W. Johns, J. Stephenson, 9/10. B Grade, F. Bombara, 10/10; Jean Webb, N. Mellows, P. Burton, 9/10. 25-tgt. Skeet: A. Webb, N. Mellows, 25/25.

Perfect weather made conditions ideal for the first day of the Geraldton Sunshine Festival Shoot. The programme was aimed at promotion of the sport and it was pleasing to see a number of new faces. Frank Bombara shot well to record possibles in both of the "down the line" events, while Noel Mellows and Athol Webb shot possibles in the round of skeet.

**GERALDTON, 1/9/74.**—Fine and sunny. Attendance good. Results: 25-tgt. Skeet: Ray MacDonald, Wal Johns, Alby Filgate, Wayne Bailey, 25/25. 25-tgt. Skeet: Ray MacDonald, Noel Mellows, Sam Zorino, Andy Ferreo, John Glass, Athol Webb, 25/25.

The perfect weather conditions continued for the second leg of our Sunshine Festival Shoot and an excellent attendance of members contested two rounds of



skeet. It is very pleasing to see some of the newer shooters mastering the art of skeet shooting and keeping the veterans on their toes. With the current interest in skeet a strong showing is expected in the skeet teams match.

**KATANNING, 1/9/74.**—Fine and calm. Attendance 12. Results: 30-tgt. DB H'cap (D. Anderson Trophy): 1st Russ Bessen, 27/30; 2nd Ross Anderson, 26/30. 10-tgt. SB H'cap S/S: 1st L. Lupp, 10/10; 2nd Rob Bessen, W. Coleman, Russ Bessen, 8/10. High Gun: Russ Bessen, 35/40 and 4/4, from L. Lupp, 35/40 and 3/4.

Very small attendance because of school holidays. Good to see juniors in Ned and Eric Crossley having a try.

**KATANNING, 15/9/74.**—Sunny and calm. Attendance 22. Results: 25-tgt. Skeet (Rob Bessen Trophy): 1st T. Catling; 2nd G. Woithe; 3rd S. Gibson. 25-tgt. Skeet: M. Crossley, G. Woithe, S. Leach, Rob Bessen, D. Livingstone, T. Ryall, M. Lubcke, Russ Bessen, R. Anderson, M. Doyle, J. Clegg. Visitor's Trophy: D. Campbell. High Gun: T. Catling, 48/50 and 12/12, from M. Alexander, 48/50 and 11/12.

Katanning's Skeet Team: T. Catling, E. Pedler, S. Gibson, S. Leach, R. Anderson.

Conditions were perfect and it was nice to see visitors from Albany, Narrogin and Azzurri. Congratulations to Mike Crossley on shooting his first 25 break at skeet. This was our inter-club skeet teams' match and Katanning's score was a very good one.

**LEONORA, 16/7/74.**—Fine and windy. Attendance 14. Results: 20 Pair DR Club C'ship: A Grade, N. Johnson, 31/40, and Overall; B Grade, G. Foale, 27/40; C Grade, K. Winter, 28/40.

**LEONORA, 28/7/74.**—Fine. Attendance 15. Results: 20 Pair DD: Won by N. Cruickshank and K. Holmwood, 19/20. 20 Pair DD: 19/20 shoot off between K. Holmwood, N. Cruickshank and D. Detez, N. Johnson won by K. Holmwood and N. Cruickshank, 11/12.

**LEONORA, 11/8/74.**—Fine. Attendance 15. Results: 10-tgt. SB, 10-tgt. DB: Won by D. Nowland, 18/20.

**LEONORA, 25/8/74.**—Fine. Attendance 10. Results: 20-tgt. SB: Won by P. Hicks, 19/20.

**LEONORA, 8/9/74.**—Fine. Attendance 14. Results: 50-tgt. DB Club C'ship and Inter Club Teams' Match: A Grade, K. Holmwood, 48/50, and overall; B Grade, G. Foale, 44/50; C Grade, K. Winter, 47/50.

Team score for down the line State teams match: K. Holmwood, 48/50, 1; K. Winter, 47/50, 2; N. Biggs, 45/50, 3; N. Cruickshank, 44/50, 4; N. Johnson, 42/50, 5.

**NORTHAM AND DISTRICTS, 8/9/74.** Weather perfect. Attendance 24. Jim Morgan returned to form convincingly to win the trophy outright. His adjusted score of 52 put him one point in front of Geoff Boyle and Geoff Way who were equal second with 51 points. Kevin Hopkins, Les Levien and Perth visitor John Bailey were all equal third with 50.5.

Robin Bailey won the High Gun trophy in a shoot off with Doug Morgan, Geoff Way, Don Watts and Ivan Halbert. The only serious challenge came from Doug Morgan who missed his 102nd target before dropping out.

Being the Inter-Club teams' shoot, Northern members were keen to win again. The members who were successful in making the team were D. Morgan, G. Way, B. Smart, R. Holtfreter, L. Levien.

Aggregate competition results: B. Smart, 22 points; R. Holtfreter, 16; G. Way, 13.5.

**NORTHAM AND DISTRICTS, 22/9/74.**—Fine. Attendance 16. Results: 50-tgt. Skeet: Mike Clements won with a fine adjusted score of 50, having only shot four rounds of skeet previously. In equal second place came Max Draper, Merv Madew and Roy Holtfreter, who scored 49, followed by Les Levien with 48.

A shoot off between Merv Madew, Roy Holtfreter and Les Levien was necessary to determine High Gun, and Merv Madew was successful.

## STATE OF TASMANIA SCHEDULE OF 1975 CHAMPIONSHIP DATES

- Interstate Trap Teams Match — Tasmanian G.C. — October 11-12.
- Interstate Skeet Teams Match — Tasmanian G.C. — February 8-9.
- Commonwealth Skeet Championship — Hobart G.C. — May 25
- Commonwealth Continental DB Championship — Huonville G.C. — December 7.
- Commonwealth Night SB Championship — Cressy G.C. — April 5.
- Commonwealth Night D/D Championships — Hobart G.C. — August 31.
- Tasmanian State DB Championship — Cressy G.C. — February 2.
- Tasmanian State SB Championship — Tasmanian G.C. — March 2.
- Tasmanian State D/D Championship — Mersey G.C. — May 17.
- Tasmanian State D/Rise Championship — Tasmanian G.C. — March 1.
- Tasmanian State Mixed Targets Championship — Burnie G.C. — November 1.
- Tasmanian State Skeet Championship — Tasmanian G.C. — February 8-9.
- Tasmanian State Tower (Points) Championship — Huonville G.C. — October 4.
- Tasmanian State Points Score Championship — Tasmanian G.C. — March 2.
- Tasmanian State I.S.U. Skeet Championship — Tasmanian G.C. — December 14.
- Tasmanian State Olympic Skeet Championship — Hobart G.C. — March 15.
- Tasmanian State Continental Trap Championship — Cressy G.C. — October 5.
- Tasmanian State Night DB Championship — Hobart G.C. — August 31.
- Tasmanian State Night SB Championship — Cressy G.C. — September 6.
- Tasmanian State Night D/D Championship — Hobart G.C. — June 29.
- Tasmanian State Night Points Score Championship — Cressy G.C. — November 1.
- National Olympic Trench Championship — Hobart G.C. — March 15.



# Tasmanian Gun Club

(LAUNCESTON)  
(Affiliated A.C.T.A.)

## PRE-NATIONAL SHOOT

**Saturday, March 1 to Monday, March 3**

9 a.m. daily

**Saturday, March 1, 1975**

Event 1— Nom. \$5.00

### TASMANIAN STATE D/RISE CHAMPIONSHIP

15 PAIRS FROM 16 METRES  
Graded A, B, C — Trophy each Grade  
Sash High Gun

Event 2— Nom. \$4.50

### CITY OF LAUNCESTON SB CHAMPIONSHIP

25 TARGETS FROM 16 METRES  
Graded A, B, C. — Trophy each Grade  
Sash High Gun

Event 3— Nom. \$4.50

### 25 Target DB Handicap

Trophies 1, 2, 3.

**Sunday, March 2, 1975**

Event 4— Nom. \$5.00

### TASMANIAN STATE DB POINTS DECISION CHAMPIONSHIP

30 TARGETS FROM 18 METRES  
Graded A, B, C. — Trophy each Grade  
Sash High Gun

Event 5— Nom. \$5.00

### TASMANIAN STATE SB C'SHIP

30 TARGETS FROM 18 METRES  
Graded A, B, C. — Trophy each Grade  
Sash High Gun

Event 6— Nom. \$7.00

### 25 Target DB Handicap

First Prize O/U Beretta Trap Gun (compliments  
Terry Charlton); 2nd and 3rd trophies.

**Monday, March 3, 1975**

## PRE-NATIONAL GRADED DB POINTS DECISION

25 Targets from 16 metres

Graded A, B, C. — Nom. \$10.00  
Gun each Grade: Compliments IMI, O/U Luigi-  
Franchi; Compliments Winchester, O/U Win-  
chester; Compliments Charlton's Sports Store,  
O/U S.K.B.

**High Gun over Events 1-7 — Kills to count.**

Winchester 1400 Vent Rib—Compliments  
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Half rounds of skeet practice during the day  
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Bruce Smart still leads the aggregate competition with 22 points followed by Roy Holtfreter 19 and Geoff Way 13.5.

**PERTH, 31/8/74.**—Overcast, light rain. Attendance 55. Results: 20-tgt. DB H'cap (points scoring): 1st J. King, 60/60; 2nd B. Smith, 59/60; 3rd A. Wright, 58/60; Lady, Mrs P. King, 49/60. 30-tgt. DB IMI Cartridge H'cap: 1st M. Liptrot, 64/64; 2nd A. Yozzi, 63/64; 3rd B. Smart, 47/48.

Almost a record attendance and warm thanks to IMI representative Dick Snow who presented the main prize.



**TASMANIA**

**CRESSY, 7/9/74.**—Fine and calm. Attendance 47. 10-tgt. Novice: 12yds, D. Gray, 10/11; 13 yds, S. Yates, 10/10; 14 yds, T. Nichols, 10/10. C'wealth Night DB C'ship: A Grade and High Gun, I. Rist, 50/50; B Grade, C. Holmes, 41/44; C Grade, C. Brownrigg, 40/42. 15-tgt. DB Cash H'cap: Divide R. Blake, C. Brownrigg, J. Woods, D. J. Cunningham, A. Holmes.

**EAST COAST, 22/9/74.**—Very windy. Attendance 19. 10-tgt. SR S/S C/M: Divided. 20-tgt. SR Eastern Dist. C'ship (trophy graded): A Grade, B. Castle, 20/20; B Grade, L. Witzerman, 19/20; C Grade, G. Elphinstone, 20/20. 10-tgt. PD H'cap S/S: G. Richardson, D. Denison, 30/30. 10-tgt. DB S/S H'cap: 1st C. Elphinstone; 2nd R. V. Conlan; 3rd L. Witzerman.

**EAST COAST, 26/8/74.**—Fine. Attendance 21. 5 pr. DR S/S C/M: B. Castle, G. Smith, L. Witzerman divided. 10 pr. DR Club C'ship (graded C/M): A Grade, B. Castle, 17/20; B Grade, G. Elphinstone, 13/20; C Grade, K. Schott, 14/20. 10 pr. DD S/S (partners drawn): D. Cunningham and R. Week, L. Witzerman and R. Smith, divided. Club shoot marshal was W. Geale.

**HUONVILLE, 1/9/74.**—Overcast, light rain. Attendance 29. 10-tgt. DB H'cap: A. Henderson, D. Reynolds, 10/10. 20-tgt. DB C'ship: 1st, R. Cowling, 31/31; 2nd B. Buonacorsi, 30/31; 3rd, L. Doyle, 29/30. Best front marker D. Weeks, 21/22. 10-tgt. DB S/S: G. Rider, D. White, C. W. Calvert, 10/10. 10-tgt. DB Pt. Decision: 1st F. O'Brien, 28/30; 2nd G. Rider, C. Brownrigg, D. White, R. Weeks, G. Elphinstone, 27/30.

**MERSEY, 21/9/74.**—Rain, windy and cold. Attendance 26. 20-tgt. (off 16 yds.) Pts. (graded trophy): A. Grade, R. Elmer, 67/69; B Grade, K. Blazely, 54/60; C Grade, Master Chris Mason, 56/60. Best 12-13 yd. shooter, T. Beluch, 40/60. 15-tgt. DB S/S: C. Latham, S. Munday, C. Brownrigg, 15/15. 5 off 12 yds., 5 off fence: R. Mason, C. Latham, 9/10.

Young Chris Mason (13 yrs.) continued his good form to win the C Grade Club trophy shoot with a score of 56/60. New shooter T. Beluch won the best 12/13 yd. shooter trophy. Visitors attended from other clubs despite poor weather conditions.

**ROSEBERRY, 22/9/74.**—Wet and cold. Attendance 23. 10-tgt. SB (off 16 yds.): 1st R. Abblitt, 10/10; 2nd J. Woods and K. Woods, 9/10. 5-tgt. Novice: 1st T. Clarke, 5/5; 2nd R. Boyle, 4/5. Club DD C'ship: 1st J. Woods and H. Deverell, 10/10; 2nd C. Woods and J. Murray, 10/11. 10-tgt. DB Pts: 1st J. Hyatt, 66/66; 2nd K. Woods, 63/66.

**TASMANIAN, 8/9/74.**—Fine. Attendance 74. Northern Districts Pts. C'ship: A Grade, D. Whitely, 74/75; B Grade, L. Witzerman, 74/75; C Grade, A. Elmer, 72/75. 12-13 yards, B. Bailey, 73/75. 10-tgt. DB F/M: 12 yds, W. Medcraft, 10/10; 13 yds, E. J. Green, 10/10; 14 yds, D. Charlton, 48/48. H'cap Skeet: 1st I. Rist, 64/64; 2nd L. Martin, 63/64; 3rd S. Munday, 62/64. 25-tgt. Division Shoot: A Grade, I. Rist, 25/25; B Grade, L. Witzerman, 25/25; C Grade, H. Mansfield, 49/50. 12-13 yds, P. Jones, 25/25. 15-tgt. H'cap: P. Thurley, A. Holmes, G. Elphinstone, 15/15.





Onlookers watch as the Salmon is barbecued at Vancouver Gun Club, Canada. Sitting: Tup and Enid Pedersen, Kathleen Rooke. Walking: Jim Blythman. Harry Williamson on extreme right.



Looking west on the grounds of Ata at Vandalia, Ohio. This photo is taken from the centre of the field. 58 traps in all, 290 shooters on the field at the same time. August 1974.



Australian Team versus Canada at Vancouver Gun Club, 24-8-74. John Forsythe (Coffs Harbour, NSW), Barney Rooke (Wagga, NSW), Gordon Wakefield (Mildura, Vic.), Peter Caddy (Barmera, SA), Jim Blythman (Patchewollock, Vic.).



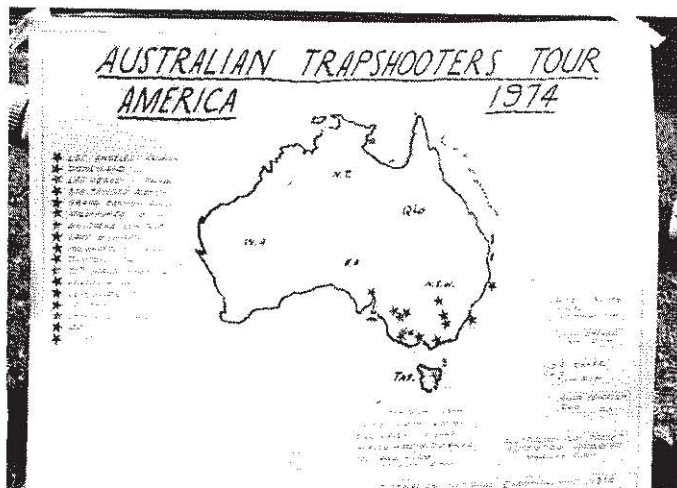


Above: The Australian group with their wives at the trophy presentation dinner, Frontier Hotel, Las Vegas, August 1974.



Above right: Members of the American and Australian teams, Las Vegas Gun Club. Randy Gates, Elgin Gates Jr., Bob Taylor, Elgin Gates, Gordon Wakefield, Peter Caddy, Barney Rooke, John Forsythe, Tup Pedersen and Brenten Warden.

Right: Map of Australia presented to the Waukesha Gun Club showing names of all the Australians and where they came from, also where they were visiting.



Below: The Australian trapshooters outside the club house at Vandalia during the 75th Grand American, August, 1974. Left to right, back row: Brentan Warden, Alec Baker, Laurie Connors, Don Maher, Harry Williamson, Ted Wilkinson, Pat Barnes, Bill Lavery, Sandy Cox, Peter Caddy. Front row: Tup Pedersen, Jack Wilkinson, Jim Blythman, Barney Rooke, Gordon Wakefield. Absent were Bill Abbott and John Forsyth.



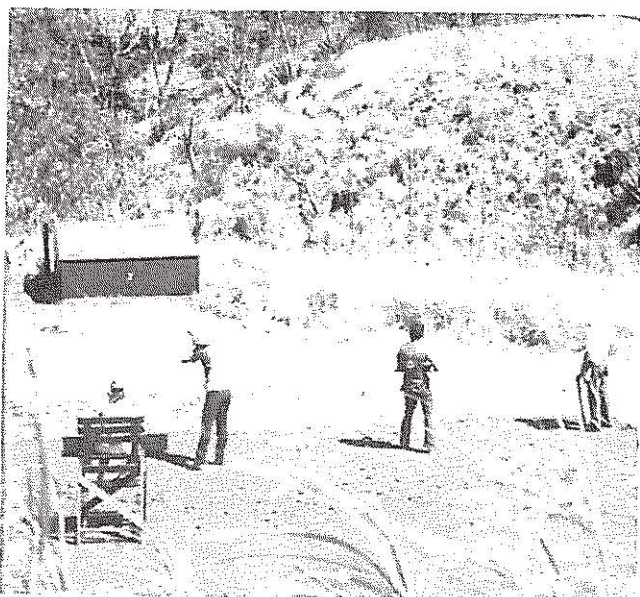




Jim Blythman (Patchewollock, Vic., Aust.) following a hard day's shooting at Maui Gun Club, 1-9-74.



Australian team versus U.S.A. team at Maui Gun Club, 1-9-74. Gordon Wakefield, Barney Rooke, Harry Williamson, Jack Wilkinson, Peter Caddy.



Two trap layout at Maui Gun Club, Maui is one of the Hawaiian islands. Note the background. Only one possible 100 targets has ever been achieved at Maui.



Bud Archer receiving the Australian sash from Barney Rooke while Vic Reinders looks on at Waukesha Gun Club, August 1974.



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