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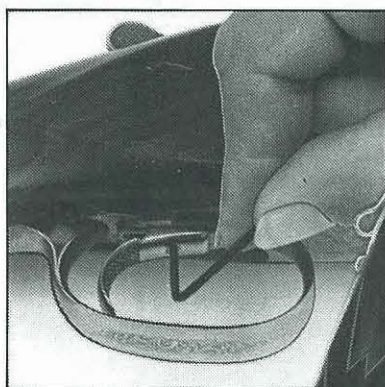
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Trap
Luigi Franchi Australia — Junior High Gun Olympic
Trap

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Front Cover: A.C.T.A. Presidents, past and present, Tup Pederson and Ray Holtfreter congratulate a pleased and worthy winner of the National Skeet Championship for 1987 in Barney Rooke.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S NOTES

The outcome of the National Referees Association rules review has now been determined and is printed in this month's C.T.S.N. As well as the full rules of the Association being published, you will find a separate heading entitled "Guidelines for Referees".

This information is included for your benefit as it has been found that of the many queries that can arise, the majority are of a similar kind and can be answered by referring to the guidelines. I hope that you find this to be so.

Back to the rules, please read them carefully and ensure that as a shooter or as an official you familiarise yourself with them as soon as possible. The changes are not overly dramatic, however, they are changes and because of this they now become the rule.

It is anticipated that not all will agree with the rules, however the sequence of events behind the changes are, firstly a meeting did take place between all members of the National Referees Association, this was in February of this year.

The referees recommendations were placed before the National Executive Committee where discussion took place prior to the recommendations being referred to each State Association for their perusal and considered opinion.

This took some months and following written submissions from State Associations, the recommendations were represented to the members of the National Executive Committee.

In turn they were discussed and certain recommendations were rejected. Those that were approved as well as some minor cosmetic changes were referred to the Referees Association for their final approval.

This final approval has now been received and as from January 1, 1988 the new rules as published herein are the rules governing Clay Target Shooting in Australia.

Unless it can be shown to the Executive that there is an imbalance in the rules there will not be any changes made until the expiration of the next period of five years.

The stabilisation of the rules is something that is wanted by what appears to be all shooters. We can now forget about some of the rules that used to be and concentrate on shooting under the rules as they now exist.

In order to check the changes you will need to cross read the new rules with the old rule book. In doing this you are probably embarking on the surest method to familiarise yourself with the alterations.

New rule books will be printed, however, this will not be for some months. Once available they will be advertised as such in the C.T.S.N.

As can be seen by a somewhat lengthy explanation, nothing has been rushed, opinions have been asked for and received from all States and we trust that the end result is favoured by the greater majority of shooters.

We are also pleased to be able to announce that an agreement has been entered into with Olin Australia, Winchester Division, whereby Winchester will become the major sponsor of the A.C.T.A. Trap Nationals for 1988 by providing a total sponsorship package of some \$52,000.

Winchester will be sponsoring the three Mackintosh events, Double Barrel, Single Barrel and the A.N.Z. Points Championship as well as providing Winchester cartridges for the teams shoot. The overall winner of the three Mackintosh events will receive a trophy from Winchester valued at \$2,500 with other trophies purchased by the A.C.T.A. from sponsorship funds.

With sponsorship of this magnitude it is inevitable that changes take place and in this regard the change is in the trophy for the overall High Gun. The trophy from Winchester will be a magnificent Beretta S04 shotgun and will be presented by Winchester to the overall High Gun commencing with the 1988 National Trap Championships at Wagga in April.

On behalf of all shooters we thank Olin Australia, Winchester Division for the support they are providing our Association and at the same time sincerely thank Fuller Firearms and their principal David Fuller, for the support received from their company over the period of the presentation of the Browning High Gun award, hopefully we will hear more of this at a not too distant date as discussions with Fuller Firearms and the Browning Company continue.

As well as the Winchester sponsorship, agreement has been reached whereby Olympic Targets will be sponsoring the prestigious Champion of Champions event for the next two years for a total sponsorship from Sergio Zuffo and his Company of \$8200.

We are currently investigating other sponsorship opportunities and with contract sponsorship to date for the next two years of some \$60,000, the National Trap Championships should attract record attendances both at Wagga in 1988 and Victoria in 1989.

Our association with Winchester and Olympic Targets sees the Association entering into an exciting era, particularly for trap shooters. For those who don't shoot D.T.L. don't think that our efforts are solely related to trap shooters. We are conscious of I.S.U. and skeet shooters and will be doing our best to procure sponsorship for both of these disciplines.

I did also mention last month that I would provide a summary of the meetings that have recently taken place. In doing so I will disregard the rules and sponsorship arrangements as these, as well as being very time consuming, have been previously covered.

ASIAN CLAY PIGEON SHOOTING FEDERATION

Discussions are continuing with the Asian Federation in an attempt to establish some form of friendly competition between Australia and the Asian area. Should we be successful then it would open up a new area of competition and provide opportunities for more shooters to show their skills against shooters from other areas.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETINGS

The practice of conducting two meetings a year is to be discontinued in favor of one meeting a year which will be held in Melbourne in a concerted effort to reduce costs, with the first meeting scheduled for May 1988.

The Management Committee which is elected from the Executive members will assume more responsibility and manage the affairs of the Association in accordance with the elected roles.

1988 OLYMPIC DISCIPLINE NATIONALS

Owing to a decision taken by the Executive the 1988 O.D. titles will now be shot at the Brisbane Gun Club under the auspices of the Q.C.T.A.

I.S.U. REFEREES

Mr David Menck from Tamworth N.S.W., has been appointed National Rules Supervisor I.S.U. David will be the sole person appointed and in conjunction with the National office each State Association will be asked to appoint a Referee Examiner I.S.U. whose role will be to ensure that Referees are accredited for I.S.U. in the same manner as does exist for trap and skeet.

NOMINATIONS — NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

As from the 1988 O.D. Nationals, shooters may only nominate in any one section of an event: open, ladies, junior or veteran.

Medals and trophies will only be awarded for the section nominated.

Open teams selection is not dependent on open nominations as all results will be taken into account when selecting teams.

Nominations at each National Trap Championship will close daily at 11.00am.

NATIONALS COMPUTER

Ongoing efforts will be made in an attempt to computerise each of the National Championships.

NOTICE OF MOTION TO A.G.M.

A Notice of Motion will be prepared to allow for the

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reduction in number of the Executive Committee by one. That person being the present substitute member from the State whose representative is elected as National President.

Meetings can be very demanding and do take a lot of time to complete. As stated many times before, the decisions made by those people elected on your behalf to make decisions concerning the affairs of the Association, will not be acceptable to all, however what is important is that their decisions are accepted as being made in the best interest of each and every member.

In closing, we must congratulate our junior internationals in Michael Diamond (N.S.W.), Brett Dunstan (Vic.) and Filippo Petriella (ACT) for their win in the Junior teams events at the World Shot Gun Championships in Venezuela, gold medals for Australia.

Further mention must be made of Michael who, with his 185/200 won for himself and Australia a gold medal at the Championships and the title of Junior World Shotgun Champion, Olympic Trap.

We have, over a period of time, been endeavouring to provide some financial support for our juniors. Many members have contributed to the Junior Fund and I am certain that they have been rewarded in the best possible way with all of our juniors who have received financial assistance producing the results by coming home winners.

On behalf of the junior team, thank you for your support and encouragement.

Our senior team had mixed success with Jim Ellis finishing 4th in the individual trap event. Conditions were not as one would have expected according to all reports, and neither was the organisation. Perhaps it may be time to throw our hats into the ring for the 1989 World Shotgun Championships. We have the facilities in Perth and the matter will be raised and discussed at the next meeting of the International Shooting Committee.

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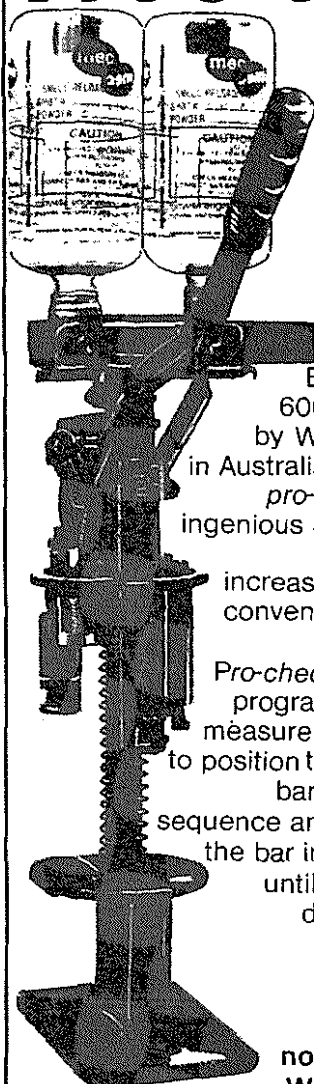
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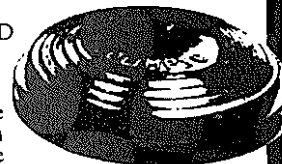
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ATTENTION CLAY SHOOTERS OF AUSTRALIA

The Australian International Team that competed in the World Shooting Championships has had the best result of any International Team ever to represent The Clay Target Association internationally.

MICHAEL DIAMOND: Individual World Champion, Junior;

BRETT DUNSTAN: Individual Bronze Medalist, Junior;

JIM ELLIS: Individual Fourth, Seniors Trench;

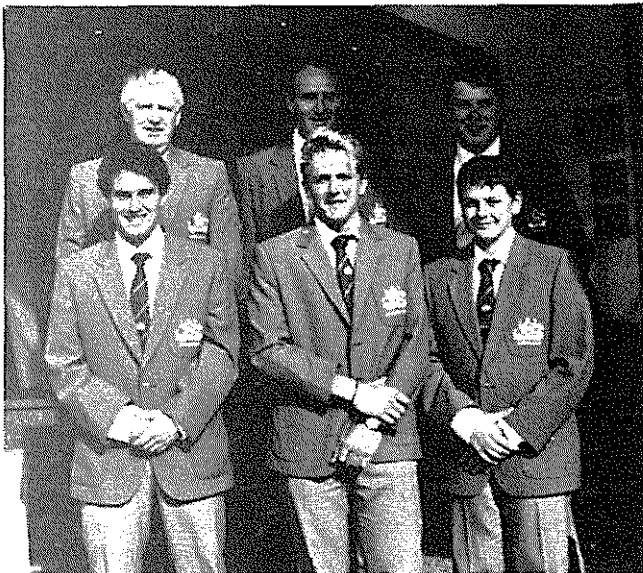
RUSSELL MARK: Individual Equal Ninth score, Senior Trench;

GOLD MEDAL AND WORLD JUNIOR CHAMPIONS, THE KEEN MACHINE: Michael Diamond, Fillipo Petriella, Brett Dunstan;

FOURTH PLACE WORLD TEAM MATCH SENIORS: Trench, Jim Ellis, John Maxwell and Russell Mark;

SEVENTH PLACE WORLD TEAM MATCH SENIORS: Skeet, Ian Hale, Craig Meuleman and John Summers.

What a result! I am so proud and pleased to have been part of this great success, it is the culmination of the coaching and administrative policies that have been pursued by the Clay Target Association for the past eight years. These policies have meant that our great shooters are encouraged from an early age, to believe that the world is their oyster. If they are good enough to represent Australia, in their chosen sport, there are no barriers to them doing so.



• Coach Peter, John, Russell & Juniors; the best presented team there.

The shining example of the older representatives, Jim Ellis, John Maxwell, Terry Rumbel, Russell Mark, Ian Hale, and many more, have given these young shooters an example of what is possible, with dedication, sacrifice, and the spirit of greatness. As you can see, I can't hide my delight.

The trip by the team was an exhausting one and I was



• The Junior World Champion receiving his medal.

lucky to have the excellent support of two senior Australian coaches, Bill Stevens and Hillary Baynes, thank you both. I am sure the competitors thank you too. Michael Diamond had the added support of his parents, who were in Valencia as supporters. The parents of Fillipo and Brett were there in spirit and like the Diamonds, deserve admiration for their efforts on their son's behalf.

The Valencia range was most difficult, and the organisation left a lot to be desired. The U.I.T. representatives all hope that we will apply for a World Championship here.

The skeet team were deprived of one of the practice days. The competition was put forward a day, with no notice. The



• Jim Ellis preparing to shoot the final; a picture of concentration.

targets were so hard that I could jump on them and they would not break. So, unless you were an Italian Skeet Shooter, there were no chips given.

The traps changed from range to range. There were five different types of traps altogether. In skeet, Lady Luck played a big part. The noise on one trap was so bad that the shooters would jump as the solenoid for the timer clicked in. The skeet background was poor, and the dark orange target against the red cliff background caused problems. Nonetheless, the skeet was won in a controversial shoot off between Matt Dryke of USA and A. Benelli of Italy, both shooting 195. Benelli won the shoot off with one of those previously mentioned chips. I have been to many World Championships, Olympics etc., but never seen the reaction to the result as occurred after this shoot off in skeet. Ian Hale and Craig Meuleman both finished with the equal 15th highest score.

The Trench lay-outs were positioned badly. Before midday any targets to the left were in the sun. The targets were fast and hard and shot over a cliff, the up-draught lifted the targets making them unpredictable to shoot. Jim Ellis and Russell Mark made the last 25 shooters. Jim, in particular, handled the difficult conditions extremely well and shot on in the last six for the final. He shot the second score 191, Russell shot a 188, a very credible equal ninth score. Jim finished 4th as stated above.



• Australian champs (Michael, Filipo and Brett), USA second.

What a success the junior team was. Their win was extremely popular and very meritorious. They were the youngest team there and won by 20 targets from the Venezuelan team and the USA third. Each of the boys was a delight to have in the team. They worked hard, and as coach I could not have asked for more co-operation than they gave. This team will be a threat to the rest of the world for many years to come. To have a history is important but for any sport to have a future is essential.

Michael Diamond, Junior World Champion. What can I say? He shot 185 under the extreme pressure of international competition. He was probably the youngest shooter to win a world championship. Michael enjoys competition at any level and as we know, has already

climbed many mountains within Australia, and I am sure will make the top of the International mountain in years to come. Brett Dunstan also shot extremely well to be third junior in the world. If Brett had a Trench lay-out somewhere near Kerang to practice on, he would have even more of an International future than he has.

WELL DONE ALL WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM MEMBERS.

AUSTRALIAN SPORTS COMMISSION

The Australian Sports Commission has advised the Association of a grant for 1987/88 totalling \$55,000.

With the economic situation that prevails we are as an Association receiving very valuable assistance from the Commission and we look forward to justifying their faith in our sport during the grant period.

We do certainly appreciate the interest that the Sports Commission places on the shooting sports and our results in recent times is proof positive that their interest in Clay Target Shooting is well founded.

The Commission as well as funding varying segments of our involvement in shooting, also fund the position of our National Coaching Director Peter Quire.

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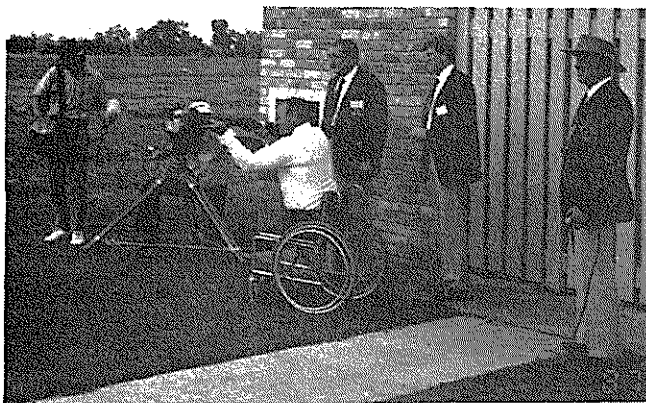


1987 NATIONAL SKEET CHAMPIONSHIPS

STATE TEAMS SHOULDER TO SHOULDER — 50T

With shooters assembled in State shooting jackets, the teams marched on to the presentation area piped by two Scottish pipers and with the W.A. Shooting Complex in magnificent condition, the Championships were opened by Mr Graham Edwards, W.A. Minister for Sport, who fired the opening shot.

So successful was the Minister that he was given the opportunity to shoot at some additional targets and after breaking the majority declared that the sport was one that a person could easily be hooked on. How right he was, perhaps a new member is on the way.



• The opening shot fired by Mr Graham Edwards.

The W.A. Gun Club and Complex Manager Mr Reg Wagland are to be complimented on the preparation of the grounds as are the W.A.C.T.A. through Tournament Director Clive Shepherd for the most impressive conduct of the opening ceremony.

With shooters anxious to get under way the State Teams plus a team from New Zealand headed by N.Z.C.T.A. President Graeme Webber, who were competing by invitation, took to the grounds and the 1987 National Championships were underway.

After the smoke had settled the victorious State was N.S.W., captained by Warren Charlton, with an impressive score of 239/250. In second place so far as official results were concerned was the Victorian team on 229/250. In the middle however was the New Zealand team on 230/250, which was an excellent result and unofficially pushed the Victorian team into third place.

1st NATIONAL SKEET DOUBLES

CHAMPIONSHIP — 20 PR — Sponsored by W.A.C.T.A.

With conditions fine and windy, a field of 105 set out to shoot the inaugural National Doubles Championship.

Not many of the competitors found the windy conditions



• Victorious NSW State Shoulder to Shoulder Team (No, Bob Buchan is not their coach).

to their liking and good scores were difficult to come by.

After the full 50 targets had been completed, the best score recorded was 46 and that had been achieved by five shooters.

The shoot-off field comprised three Victorians, Brian Thomson, Paul Johnston and Les Beechey, one well-known N.S.W. shooter in Warren Charlton and one New Zealander, Graeme Webber.

With the shoot-off decided on miss and out, the first shooter to depart the scene was Warren Charlton who looked as though he might have forgotten he was shooting doubles as he left his second target very late, finally picking it up when it had passed the marker.

Next to go was Les Beechey who had shot well to make the shoot-off and will benefit by the experience.

Graeme Webber, who as president was carrying New Zealand on his shoulders, found the targets difficult to break and left the battle to the two Victorians who were both anxious to win the coveted Silver Australia Badge that goes with the National Title.

Brian Thomson who had been shooting well missed a target and the title was there for the taking.

As is often the case, Johnson also missed and away they went again, shot for shot. Thomson left the door open again by missing another two targets and this time Paul Johnson did not let the opportunity pass him by again.

After firing and hitting both targets the 1st National Skeet Doubles Championship was well won by the Victorian shooter who was more than pleased with his morning's work.

Special mention must be made to record the appreciation of all competitors to the W.A.C.T.A. who totally sponsored this inaugural Doubles Championship.

Major Results: Overall: Paul Johnston, Vic. 89/94;

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• Top performance throughout the series from Paul Johnston, National Doubles Champion and National Skeet High Gunner.

Ladies: Maree Rooke, NSW, 43/50; Veteran: Cec Herbert, NSW, 44/56; Junior: No entrants.

CITY OF PERTH SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP — 50T — Sponsored by M. Urquhart and N. Johnson

The event sponsored by W.A. shooters, Morrie Urquhart and Neil Johnson, attracted a field of 124 who found the standard skeet a little difficult after the 50 doubles targets.

The windy conditions had not abated and good scores were a rarity. After the 50 targets had been shot there was only one possible, Graham Guy from Frankston-Australia, who took the overall outright.

There were however a number of shooters contesting the grade placings, with two placings eventually going to our New Zealand visitors, Zelda Melure, 2nd in B grade, and that most frequent visitor to our championships, veteran Ted McRae from Timaru.

Major Results: Overall: Graham Guy, Vic., 50/50; Ladies: Maree Rooke, NSW, 49/50; Veteran: Ted McRae, NZ, 45/50; Junior: No entrants.

ALL STATES SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP — 50T — Sponsored by Latitude Fisheries and Stratco, W.A.

Day two of the Skeet Nationals and conditions had improved. A little overnight rain had reduced the temperature to a pleasant 22°C although conditions were slightly overcast. One thing that had dropped however was the wind that had caused the lower scores on the first day.

The most noticeable feature on the second day was the reluctance of shooters to nominate early enough to enable the competition to get under way at close to the advertised time of 9.00am.

While it is understandable that shooters may have a

preferred time for them to shoot, what is difficult to understand is their reluctance to nominate when on the ground — spare a thought for those who conduct the events and nominate when you arrive. Most results indicate that there are many good and bad scores recorded throughout the day regardless of the time of shooting.

With the wind abating, good scores were anticipated. At the completion of the 50 targets there were only two possibles recorded by Victorians Paul Krumins and Paul Johnston and after a shoot-off the overall winner was Melbourne shooter Paul Krumins with a 59/59.

Major Results: Overall: Paul Krumins, Vic., 59/59; Ladies: Zelda McLure, NZ, 48/50; Veteran: Fred Thatcher, Vic., 46/50; Junior: No entrants.



• Paul Krumins shot 59/59 to win the All States Skeet Championship.

AUSTRALASIAN SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP — 50T — Sponsored by Latitude Fisheries

With only a slight wind blowing, the conditions were almost perfect for shooting. The majority of competitors were anxious to redeem themselves and post what they thought should be for them a respectable score.

At the completion of the 50 targets, two Victorians, Alan Blease and Paul Krumins led the field with the only two possibles.

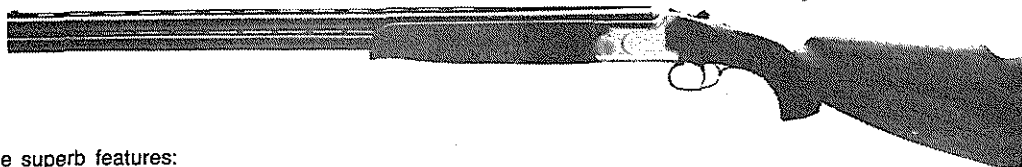
Close behind on 49 were Warren Charlton, NSW, Doug Siggs, Qld, Adrian Cousens, Vic. and Gary Lisle from Waitemata in New Zealand.

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Generally speaking, scores had not improved from the first three events and so once again the majority were looking to the next event to endeavour to improve their score.

After the shoot-offs had been completed the overall winner was Alan Blease from Victoria who was obviously delighted with his victory.

Major Results: Overall: Alan Blease, Vic., 60/60; Ladies: Maree Rooke, NSW, 47/50; Veteran: Ted McRae, NZ, 47/50; Junior: No entrants.

1987 COMMONWEALTH SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP — 100T — Sponsored by ACT Lightning Shot

With the 50T preliminary events having been completed the first of the 100T events commenced in cool, overcast and rainy conditions.

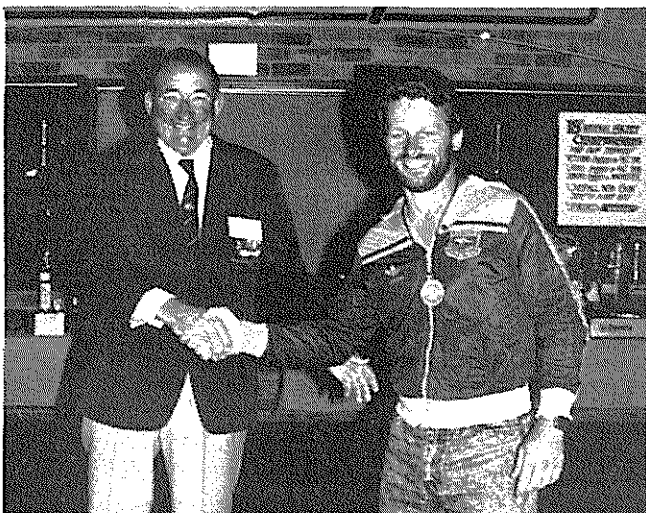
Numbers had increased and with the change in conditions the wet weather gear was out in force and in stark contrast to the finer weather that had been experienced.

Whether or not the conditions had any bearing on the scores was anyone's guess, however, better scores were more the order of the day with a total of nine shooters scoring the possible 50T.

They were: G. Webber, NZ; B. Barlow, NSW; T. Yozzi, W.A.; B. Rooke, NSW; T. Weis, NT; G. Guy, Vic.; B. Thomson, Vic.; A. Crikis, Vic.; and B. Old, Vic.

The rain continued throughout the day and at the end of the Commonwealth title, the only possible and outright winner was Brian Thomson from Melbourne.

Major Results: Overall: Brian Thomson, Vic., 100/100; Ladies: Maree Rooke, NSW, 92/100; Veteran: Ted McRae, NZ, 97/100.



• Brian Thomson rarely leaves a shoot without a medal. This year he shot the only possible to become the 1987 Commonwealth Champion.

1987 NATIONAL SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP — 100T — Sponsored by Olimpyc Targets

The last event on the last day and the opportunity to put one's name into the record book. What score would it take to win the National Title and the Silver Australia Badge which goes to the National Champion.

Possibles at the 50T mark were impossible to find with the best performances recorded by B. Rooke, M. McGill, A. Crikis and A. Forsberg who all had shot a 49 with another group of eight just one target behind.

With the pressure mounting in the second of the 50 targets only one shooter was left in front after a second round 49 for a score of 98/100. There was no more pleased shooter on the ground than Wagga stalwart Barney Rooke who with his shooting on the day had outscored the opposition and won for himself the 18th National Skeet

Championship — well done Barney.

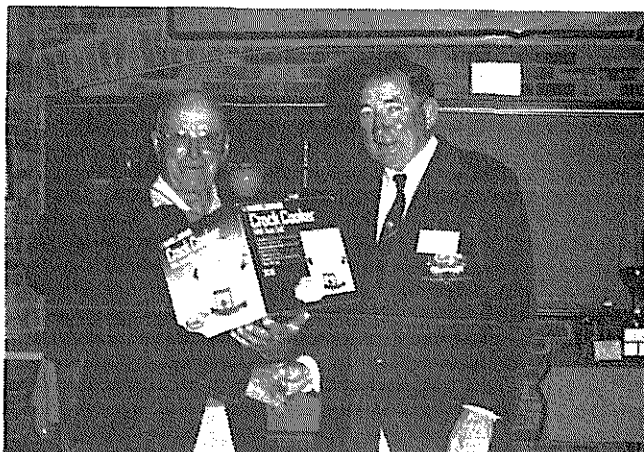
Major Results: Overall: Barney Rooke, NSW, 98/100; Ladies: Maree Rooke, NSW, 98/100; Veteran: Ted McRae, NZ, 91/100; Junior: Shaun Ratcliffe, WA, 64/100.

OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCES

Paul Johnston — A Silver Australia Badge for the inaugural Doubles Championship to add to his Gold Australia Badge for Overall High Gun.

Maree Rooke — Winning five of the six events conducted over the Championships as well as Ladies High Gun.

Ted McRae — Veteran's High Gun and four of the six events conducted.



• Ted McRae from Timaru (NZ) stole the show in the veterans' section, not the first and surely not the last time. Hope to see you return Ted.

Barney and Maree Rooke — Father and daughter combining to win the Overall and Ladies National Skeet Championship titles.

New South Wales — Defeating the well-fancied Victorian team for the coveted State Teams Shoulder to Shoulder Match.

Melbourne Gun Club — For providing the overall winners of four of the six events plus the Overall High Gun.

Western Australian Shooters — For their magnificent "call to arms" for the support they gave their State in ensuring that the numbers of competitors in all events were above what may possibly have been expected.

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP HIGH GUNS — 400T

Overall — Paul Johnston from Melbourne Gun Club continued on from the first event, the National Doubles Championship, to record an excellent 385/400 and so have his name inscribed on the Cec Herbert trophy awarded to the Overall High Gun. Paul had a great carnival and will prove to be a force for many years to come.

Ladies — Wagga shooter Maree Rooke with a score of 370/400 successfully defended the title won in 1986. Maree shot consistently throughout the National titles and with the improvement she continues to show, will be a difficult opponent in this section in the years ahead.

Veteran — What can be said about veteran Ted McRae from Timaru in New Zealand that hasn't been said before. A very popular victory to an excellent competitor who recorded a meritorious 362/400 in conditions which were considered to be difficult.

Junior — Unfortunately the absence of juniors in 1987 did not enable a junior award to be presented. We look forward to this situation being overcome in 1988.

F.I.T.A.S.C. Club Team — 400T — Just to show the strength of skeet shooting in Victoria, both first and second positions were filled by combinations from the Melbourne Gun Club. 1987 was the fifth successive year that this trophy, which is extremely well thought of by all



● Ladies' Section in the All States Skeet Championship was won by Zeldia McClure (NZ). Zeldia is pictured with trophy donor Bert Boschetti of WA.

competitors, went to Melbourne.

N.S.W.C.T.A. Two Lady Teams — 400T — An Australasian combination in Maree Rooke from Wagga and Zeldia McClure from Waitemata in New Zealand took out the ladies teams event for 1987. Only its second year of competition this event will grow in stature as the years go by and will no doubt carry the names of other fine competitors from the ladies ranks.

Adrian Cousens Two Man Teams — 400T — A Victorian combination in Graham Guy from Frankston-Australia and Paul Johnston from Melbourne outshot their opposition to add their names to this perpetual trophy.

Many fine shooters have competed for this teams' trophy which is a difficult one to win as you certainly have to pick the right team partner and then make certain that you don't let him down.

RESULTS

NATIONAL SKEET DOUBLES

Overall	Paul Johnston	98/94	Melbourne, Vic.
AA 1st	Brian Thompson	87/94	Melbourne, Vic.
2nd	Graham Webber	63/68	Waitamata, NZ
3rd	Adrian Cousens	53/58	Melbourne, Vic.
A 1st	Les Beechy	53/58	Bairnsdale, Vic.
2nd	Warren Charlton	49/54	Ganmain, NSW
3rd	Ross Eckersley	45/50	Narrogin, W.A.
B 1st	Geoff Moore	48/54	Swan Hill, Vic.
2nd	Ray Wendt	46/54	Katanning, W.A.
3rd	Dick Burton	43/50	Geraldton, W.A.
C 1st	Jack Hartley	43/50	Geraldton, W.A.
2nd	Dave Richter	41/50	Edgehill, W.A.
3rd	Tup Peddersen	34/50	Melbourne, Vic.
Ladies	Maree Rooke	43/50	Wagga, NSW
Veterans	Cecil Herbert	44/56	Tamworth, NSW

CITY OF PERTH CHAMPIONSHIP

Overall	Graham Guy	50/50	Frankston, Vic.
AA 1st	Paul Krumins	71/72	Melbourne, Vic.
2nd	Max Weston	70/72	Darwin, NT
3rd	Paul Johnston	98/100	Melbourne, Vic.
A 1st	Warren Charlton	55/56	Ganmain, NSW
2nd	Maree Rooke	54/56	Wagga, NSW
3rd	Mick Watson	49/51	Geraldton, W.A.
B 1st	Tim Catling	59/61	Katanning, W.A.
2nd	Zeldia McClure	58/61	Waitamata, NZ
3rd	Geoff Moore	52/55	Swan Hill, Vic.
C 1st	Dave Richter	50/54	Edgehill, W.A.
2nd	Euan Taylor	49/54	W.A.G.C.
3rd	Jack Hartley	44/50	Geraldton, W.A.
Ladies	Maree Rooke	49/50	Wagga, NSW
Veterans	Ted McRae	45/50	Timaru, NZ

ALL STATES SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP

Overall	Paul Krumins	59/59	Melbourne, Vic.
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AA	1st	Paul Johnston	58/59	Melbourne, Vic.
	2nd	Adrian Cousens	80/81	Melbourne, Vic.
	3rd	Gary Lisle	79/81	Waitamata, NZ
A	1st	Barney Rooke	49/50	Wagga, NSW
	2nd	Kevin Weatherall	61/64	Tamworth, NSW
	3rd	Laurie Hull	60/63	Katanning, W.A.
B	1st	Dave Richter	49/50	Edgehill, W.A.
	2nd	Zelda McClure	57/60	Waitamata, NZ
	3rd	Craig Bentley	56/59	Port Augusta, S.A.
C	1st	Jack Hartley	44/50	Geraldton, W.A.
	2nd	Euan Taylor	43/50	W.A.G.C.
	3rd	Leigh Wilson	52/60	Melbourne, Vic.
Ladies		Zelda McClure	48/50	Waitamata, NZ
Veterans		Fred Thatcher	46/50	Melbourne, Vic.

AUSTRALASIAN SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP

Overall		Alan Blease	60/60	Melbourne, Vic.
AA	1st	Paul Krumins	50/50	Melbourne, Vic.
	2nd	Doug Siggs	60/61	Brisbane, Qld
	3rd	Gary Lisle	59/61	Waitamata, NZ
A	1st	Warren Charlton	49/50	Ganmain, NSW
	2nd	Mick McGill	66/68	Mt Isa, Qld
	3rd	Brad Day	65/68	Edgehill, W.A.
B	1st	Ray Wendt	48/50	Katanning, W.A.
	2nd	Bryan Sanger	56/59	Melbourne, Vic.
	3rd	Chas. Riegert	55/59	Katanning, W.A.
C	1st	Jack Hartley	47/50	Geraldton, W.A.
	2nd	Jim Lithgow	44/50	W.A.G.C.
	3rd	Marco Ponta	47/54	W.A.G.C.
Ladies		Maree Rooke	47/50	Wagga, NSW
Veterans		Ted McRae	47/50	Timaru, NZ

COMMONWEALTH SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP

Overall		Brian Thompson	100/100	Melbourne, Vic.
AA	1st	Paul Johnston	111/112	Melbourne, Vic.
	2nd	Graham Guy	110/112	Frankston, Vic.
	3rd	Graham Webber	98/100	Waitamata, NZ
A	1st	Kevin Weatherall	110/112	Tamworth, NSW
	2nd	Bob Old	109/112	Melbourne, Vic.
	3rd	Barney Rooke	107/110	Wagga, NSW
B	1st	Ted McRae	107/110	Timaru, NZ
	2nd	Ray Wendt	106/110	Katanning, W.A.
	3rd	Mark Middleton	103/108	W.A.G.C.
C	1st	Kevin Marley	91/100	Wagin, W.A.
	2nd	Steve Silvi	90/100	Lancelin, W.A.
	3rd	Ken Dew	89/100	Northam, W.A.
Ladies		Maree Rooke	92/100	Wagga, NSW
Veterans		Ted McRae	97/100	Timaru, NZ

NATIONAL SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP

Overall		Barney Rooke	98/100	Wagga, NSW
AA	1st	Doug Siggs	97/100	Brisbane, Qld
	2nd	Max Weston	95/100	Darwin, NT
	3rd	Brian Thomson	106/112	Melbourne, Vic.
A	1st	Mick McGill	107/110	Mt Isa, Qld
	2nd	Arne Forsberg	106/110	W.A.G.C.
	3rd	Alan Blease	101/105	Melbourne, Vic.
B	1st	Dave Perkins	94/101	Esperance, W.A.
	2nd	Mark Middleton	93/101	W.A.G.C.
	3rd	Lex Shipp	92/100	W.A.G.C.
C	1st	Steve Herbert	92/100	Katanning, W.A.
	2nd	Ray Sharp	88/100	Katanning, W.A.
	3rd	Ken Dew	93/109	Northam, W.A.
Ladies		Maree Rooke	93/100	Wagga, NSW
Veterans		Ted McRae	91/100	Timaru, NZ
Junior		Shaunt Ratcliffe	64/100	W.A.G.C.

Shoulder To Shoulder — 50T — 1987 Winning State: New South Wales, 239/250. Team Members: W. Charlton 49, S. Balogh 48, M. Blenman 47, B. Barlow 48, K. Weatherall 47.

F.I.T.A.S.C. Club Five Man Team — 400T — 1987 Winning Club: Melbourne No. 1, 1898/2000. Team Members: Adrian Cousens 379, Alex Crikis 373, Paul Johnston 385, Paul Krumins 377, Brian Thomson 384. Second: Melbourne No. 2, 1834/2000. Third: W.A. Gun Club, 1772/2000.

Adrian Cousens Any Two Man Team — 400T — 1987 Winning Team: Graham Guy 379, Paul Johnston 385, total 764/800. Second: Doug Siggs & Adrian Cousens. Third: Brian Thomson & Alex Crikis.

N.S.W.C.T.A. Any Two Lady Team — 400T — 1987 Winning Team: Maree Rooke 370, Zelda McLure (NZ) 339, total 709/800.

Australian Team 1987 — P. Johnston 339, D. Siggs 339,



• Australian Skeet Team 1987.

B. Thomson 338, G. Guy 337, W. Charlton 336, B. Rooke 336, A. Cousens 334, P. Krumins 334, A. Blease 333, M. Weston 333, K. Weatherall 331, B. Barlow 331, G. Moore 330, M. McGill 329, A. Forsberg 329.

Ladies Team — M. Rooke 327, D. Jones 308, F. Scott 294, J. Bunter 290, L. Johnston 285.

Veterans Team — F. Thatcher 294, C. Herbert 294, A. Pedersen 221.

High Guns — Overall: Paul Johnston, 385/400, Melbourne, Vic.; **Ladies:** Maree Rooke, 370/400, Wagga, NSW; **Veteran:** Ted McRae, 362/400, Timaru, NZ; **Junior:** Insufficient competitors.

ENTRIES

Event 1 — National Skeet Doubles — Entries 105 — AA17, A36, B40, C12 — Vic. 19, NSW 9, Qld 5, W.A. 56, Tas. 2, S.A. 4, NT 5, New Zealand 5.

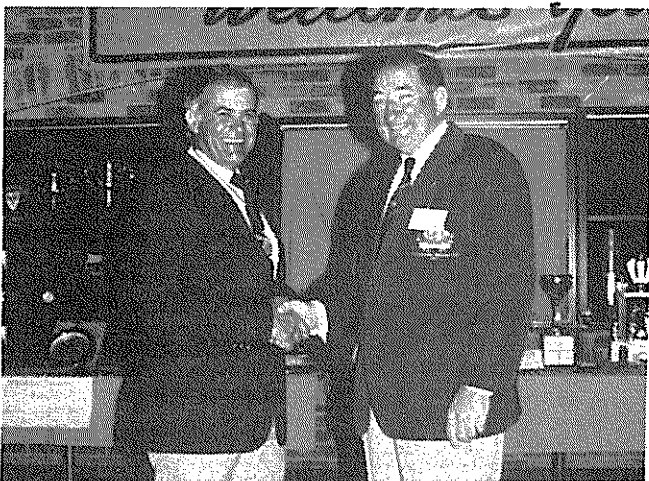
Event 2 — City of Perth Skeet Championship — Entries 124 — AA18, A38, B50, C28 — Vic. 21, NSW 9, Qld 5, S.A. 5, W.A. 65, Tas. 2, NT 8, NZ 8.

Event 3 — All States Skeet Championship — Entries 130 — AA15, A40, B57, C18 — Vic. 22, NSW 9, Qld 5, W.A. 73, Tas. 2, S.A. 5, NT 6, NZ 8.

Event 4 — Australasian Skeet Championship — Entries 134 — AA15, A39, B58, C22 — Vic. 22, NSW 9, Qld 5, W.A. 76, Tas. 2, S.A. 5, NT 7, NZ 8.

Event 5 — Commonwealth Skeet Championship — Entries 152 — AA14, A38, B61, C39 — Vic. 22, NSW 9, Qld 6, W.A. 95, Tas. 2, S.A. 3, NT 7, NZ 8.

Event 6 — National Skeet Championship — Entries 166 — AA14, A40, B66, C46 — Vic. 21, NSW 9, Qld 6, W.A. 111, Tas. 2, S.A. 3, NT 6, NZ 8.



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On behalf of all shooters, skeet shooters in particular, we record our appreciation of the support received, thank you all.

APPRECIATION

We would like to extend our appreciation to the many people who played their part in the successful staging of the National Championships.

Without naming the many people who did assist (for obvious reasons) we particularly thank President Rod Franklin and members of the W.A. Gun Club for their assistance as well as for handing their club and its facilities to the State Association who in turn conducted a most efficiently run and enjoyable four days of skeet shooting.

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Saturday April 16 — Thursday April 21

NATIONAL TITLE EVENTS

Saturday:	39th Grand Australian Handicap.
Sunday:	36th Double Barrel Championship. Sponsored by Winchester Australia.
	8th Ladies Double Barrel Championship. Sponsored by Winchester Australia.
	8th Junior Double Barrel Championship. Sponsored by Winchester Australia.
Monday:	34th Single Barrel Championship.
Tuesday:	27th Australia/New Zealand Points Championship.
Wednesday:	48th Champion of Champions. Sponsored by Olimpyc Targets.
Thursday:	28th Double Rise Championship.

1988 Open Ladies and Junior Team Shoot sponsored by Winchester Australia. Open High Gun . . . Beretta S04, sponsored by Winchester Australia.

GUIDELINES FOR REFEREES TRAP & SKEET

1. Read shooters' names from squad sheets and ensure competitors are on correct tracks and marks. For safety reasons ask all shooters to check for obstructions in barrels.
2. The Referee must stand where he has a clear view of targets and competitors, preferably between lanes 2 and 3, approximately 2 metres behind the competitor's shooting mark. If there is excessive background noise, the Referee may move between lanes 2 and 4 in order to hear the competitors call so as to give all competitors equity of competition.
3. Describe the event and procedure for conduct of the event, e.g. "25 Target Single Barrel Championship, shot from 15 metres, 13 targets from trap 1 and 12 targets from trap 2."
4. The Referee should ask his scorer to stand close enough to him, so that the Referee can see the score sheet, and the scorer can observe the target as a check Referee.
5. Target to be shown by Referees.
 - (a) when the competitors are all in position, the Referee must release a target for number 1 shooter to look at on his call
 - (i) At the beginning of all events.
 - (ii) After any breakdown or delay.
 - (iii) At the commencement of all shoot-offs.
 - (iv) On each trap used for a shoot-off.
 - (v) After any break for shells etc. during a shoot-off.
 - (vi) If a competitor received two broken targets in a row, the Referee should ask the competitor "Would you like to see a target."
 - (b) If it is a six man squad and there is to be 1 target per shooter eye-opener, number 6 shooter must move up to take the first target, but he must still be shown a target, on his call, before he shoots at his eye-opener target.
6. The Referee must at all times release the target immediately on the competitor's call.
7. The Referee must clearly call the result thus: one, lost, three, two, no target, as appropriate.
8. Lost targets must be called immediately, and the Referee can change his decision if the target breaks before it hits the ground. The Referee is to see that the next shooter does not close his gun until the result of the previous shot has been called, and should not release the next target if the competitor calls before the result has been called. Refer Rule 1.1E.
9. At all times ensure that no competitor leaves a cartridge(s) in his gun, after a red signal from the traphouse (breakdown etc) and when moving from lane 5 to lane 1, or anytime competitors or other personnel are in front of him.
10. The Referee must speak to a shooter immediately on any breach of the safety rules. If the rules of etiquette are broken, the Referee should speak to the shooter concerned after the squad has finished, depending on circumstances.
11. Providing a shooter does not obstruct the Referee in the execution of his duties, the shooter may walk in front of the Referee when changing from lanes 1 to 5.
12. In Single Barrel competition the Referee must ensure that the second barrel in Double Barrel guns remains clear.
13. The Referee must not restore a target if the competitor opens his gun after a malfunction.
14. In the case of a malfunction the Referee shall firstly check the safety catch is not in the on position, he shall then check that the action is closed, enquire of the competitor how the action operates, i.e. whether mechanical, or inertia triggers, and then test fire the gun once only. If the shooter is using a release trigger gun, the Referee will ask the shooter to test fire the gun once only. Under no circumstances will the Referee attempt to test fire it in this case.
15. The Referee should be mindful of the rule regarding squad members disturbing the competitor shooting.
16. A Referee will not call no target to deny a shooter the opportunity to shoot at a whole target, unless a safety hazard exists.
17. Interpretation of refusal rule:
A shooter may refuse to shoot at any target which he considers to be too high, too low, too wide, too quickly released, too slowly released, at any target he considers to be illegal. There is no limit to the number of targets the shooter may refuse as long as the Referee agrees with the reasons. Obviously, if too many targets are refused for illegality, the Referee must inspect the trap, find the cause, the correct it. If the Referee does not consider that the target refused is illegal, he will ask the shooter why he refused the target. If the Referee is not satisfied with the reason, he will tell the shooter. He will also state that any further targets which are refused, and are considered by the Referee to be legal, will be scored "lost target". If the above situation seems likely to arise, it is preferable that a third party, qualified if possible, adjudicates subsequent refusals. The foregoing procedure in no way discriminates against Referees using their judgement, it is meant to assist in equity of competition. A major point missed by older style Referees is that although a shooter may refuse to shoot at an illegal target, he is equally entitled to accept an illegal target, and shoot at it. However, if he shoots at, and misses an illegal target, the only decision open to the Referee is "lost target". Similarly, if he hits it, "three", "two", or "one" as the case may be is the only decision to be given.
A Referee should not call "No Target" for a fast or slow released target nor

if the target seems to him to be too high, too low, or too wide. "No Target" should only be called in the case of a broken target, a pair of targets emerging instead of a single (or vice versa), or where a safety hazard exists if a shooter elects to shoot at the target.

The Shooter must be the only person to decide if the target is acceptable to him.

Many older style Referees consider that this rule takes away too many of their decision-making powers. The fact is that the rule puts the decision whether to shoot or not with the sole person who should have to decide — the shooter concerned.

The Referee must leave the "No Target" decision where it belongs — with the shooter. If the shooter breaks the target, illegal or not, he is credited with it, if he misses an illegal target, he must equally accept the "lost target" decision.

Referees are to ensure that "R" for refusal is entered on scorecards. Every refusal must be called either "No Target" or "lost target" by the Referee.

18. The Referee is to see that all competitors remain as a squad until the last shooter has finished.

19. At the completion of each visit to a trap, the Referee must say, "unload your guns and check your scores."

- J. In Skeet, the Referee is to ensure that the competitor's feet are within the 1 metre square at each station.

1. The Referee should take up a position as recommended for each station.

EDITOR'S MAILBOX

Dear Alan,

Thank you for your telegram of congratulations on the teams' win in Venezuela and my bronze in the individual event.

Thank you Alan and A.C.T.A. members for your support through the grant of \$1000. It was a big help to my parents who support me with my shooting and travel.

It has been an honour to shoot for Australia and to be a representative of the Australian Clay Target Association.

With thanks,
Brett Dunstan

MACKINTOSH TEAMS EVENT 1987

Correspondence to England concerning the 1987 Teams Events has not as yet received a reply. Further attempts are being made in an effort to obtain the 1987 results which will be published as soon as they come to hand.

VALE

Members of the Wangaratta Clay Target Club were recently saddened by the death of their eldest club member, Mr Roy Grossman, who, at the age of 85, hadn't done any trap shooting for approximately 20 years, but continued to take a keen interest in the sport and liked to keep up to date with events by continuing his membership with the ACTA so he could read the Clay Target Shooting News magazine.

In the early 30s he was a very keen live bird shooter, then took up Clay Target shooting, being selected in the National Team in 1952 and State Team in 1954. He was an enthusiastic club member who readily organised the shoots.

Years ago Roy conducted a barber's shop and sports store business, therefore was very well known in the sporting fraternity.

Roy really enjoyed duck shooting and even in the later years when arthritis restricted his movements, it did not deter his enthusiasm. He would get someone to drive his boat out into the swamp and he would then shoot the ducks while kneeling on the bottom of the boat.

The Committee and Members extend their deepest sympathy to Mrs Grossman and family.

REFEREE & REFEREE EXAMINERS

REFEREE EXAMINER

MEMBERS:

As appointed by a Rules Supervisor in accordance with rule 4.23.

APPOINTMENT:

To retain appointment until such time as he may elect to resign or alternatively his appointment is terminated by the respective State Association in relation to rule 4.20(c).

DUTIES:

In accordance with Rule 4.22.

1. To examine applicants for referee status for A.C.T.A. trap and/or skeet.
2. To submit to the A.C.T.A. Executive Director a recommendation for the confirmation of appointment as a qualified referee for the respective candidates.
3. To re-examine every referee within six months of the expiration of his five year appointment and advise the A.C.T.A. Executive Director of either the:
 - (a) Continuance of Referee status if re-examined satisfactorily, for an additional five year period.
 - (b) Cancellation of referee status if unsatisfactory.
 - (c) Continuance of referee status — without re-examination for an additional five year period.
 - (d) Cancellation of referee status — without re-examination, together with cancellation reasons.

IDENTIFICATION:

Each referees examiner will be issued with a "Referees Examiner" badge by the A.C.T.A. Office.

The A.C.T.A. will provide details annually on each State Secretary of those referees who are eligible for re-appointment. State Secretary will advise referee examiners accordingly.

ADVICE:

Each referee will be advised by the A.C.T.A. office of the decision of the referee examiner at the expiration of his five year referee appointment.

REFEREES:

1. Following upon an approach by a registered shooter to his Club President or Secretary.

OR

2. An approach by a Club President or Secretary to a registered shooter. Providing the shooter has achieved a satisfactory standard a recommendation will be made in writing to the nearest registered Referee Examiner that the candidate be given a practical and oral examination.

APPOINTMENT:

1. For a period of five years from the date of examination.
2. To be re-examined at the expiration of each five year period.
3. Failure to be re-examined following this period will result in the withdrawal of referee status.
4. A six month extension will be granted to allow for re-examination.

DUTIES:

In accordance with rule 4.20.

AUTHORITY:

To give final determination in all cases coming under his jurisdiction as set forth in the rules.

IDENTIFICATION:

Each referee will be issued with a referee's badge which must be worn at all shoots. Would all referees and referee examiners please familiarise themselves with the guidelines that have now been established on an ongoing basis.

Alan J. Maher

W.A.C.T.A. REPORT

The Skeet Nationals, as most of you are aware, were a great success — now W.A. holds the record for attendance at a Skeet Nationals. Congratulations must go to all who attended to make this record possible. The Whiteman Park Complex was handed over to A.C.T.A. in all its splendour due to the efforts of members of W.A. Gun Club and Reg Wagland. I felt that from day one, Thursday to Sunday, the Tournament Director, Clive Shepherd, and his team handled all their tasks extremely well. I have received a letter from Alan Maher, A.C.T.A. Executive Director, congratulating W.A. on a well run Nationals, which made me most proud. I would also make mention of the few people who worked tirelessly before, during and after the Nationals. Those individuals know who I am referring to, and my sincere thanks goes to them. My congratulations are also extended to all State members who gained places in any events or teams.

The weekend prior to the Nationals saw the Katanning Club's annual Carnival on the Saturday and the Cherry Tree Pool field shoot on Sunday. Two State events were shot and congratulations to Warren Charlton for winning the State S/B and to Gordon Cammock who won the State Handicap. The weekend was well run as usual and attracted a good number of shooters. It was nice to shoot at Cherry Tree again after some time. It is always a popular shoot.

The effort by you all on the duck shooting question is most impressive but as it now appears we will not have a season due to lack of rain, it will probably seem a waste of time. I can assure you this is not the case, and we must continue with this campaign next year.

On Sunday 22 November, my wife Maxine and I were guests of the Minister for Sport, Hon. Graham Edwards, at the opening of the Superdome Sports Complex at Graylands. The word spectacular is the only way to describe this magnificent Complex which caters for many sports, including the dietary and health aspects. We were proud that the Clay Target Shooting sport was included in this major event. I see our sport being recognised more by other sports. The Minister himself seems very interested in clay target shooting and may become a member of W.A.G.C.

On Wednesday 25 November, the annual presentation of W.A. Sports Federation Sportsperson of the Year awards takes place at the Merlin Hotel. I will be accompanying our Delegates Terry Morony and our two nominees for the awards, John Fissioli (senior) and Mark Wakeham (junior) who is flying down from Kalgoorlie to attend the dinner.

On Sunday 15 November the last of our club's major carnivals for the year was held at Collie. The State Tower S/B was won by Neil Dowe and congratulations are extended to him. It was very pleasing to see the Club is preparing for the new layouts and a Clubhouse. We hope all goes well for them.

By the time you read this, Christmas will be over, but I hope you had a merry one, and all the club Christmas and closing shoots were enjoyable. Also when you read this, 1988 will be on us and I would remind you of the only major Carnival in January at Albany, and look forward to seeing you there.

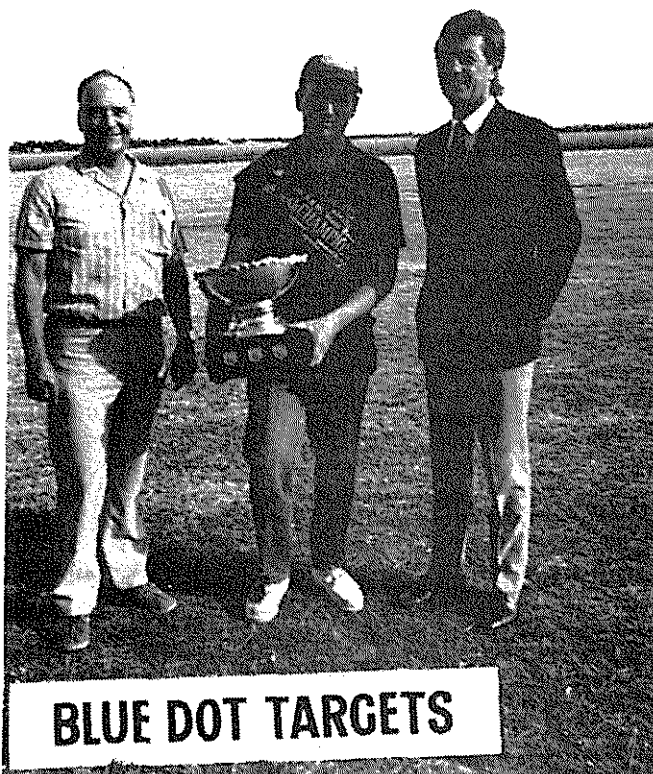
Ross Silvester,
President.

1987 N.S.W. STATE TRAP CARNIVAL — COWRA

As we drove through the town of Cowra and out towards the Gun Club, I commented that I could hear a cracking noise and the closer we came to the Gun Club the louder the noise became. On parking the car it was quite clear what the noise was — Len Bird in full flight — cracking the whip over the backs of those Cowra workers — and hadn't they worked. I found out later that Len had been "in residence" since the Tuesday and had had the "team" going from sun-up to sun-down to have all in readiness.

The grounds were looking great and set to go on Saturday morning when 178 shooters lined up to be squadded.

The Carnival got underway with the 50 target "Blue Dot Targets" State Double Barrel Championship, and what an event this turned out to be — the final result being a N.S.W. State Carnival record from all accounts. Thirty-nine possibles were recorded and the mammoth shoot off was certainly a great start to the weekend. Arthur Turner (Jnr) from Dubbo was the winner with a score of 405/405. Mr Phil Jost from "Blue Dot" was on hand to present Arthur with his sash, silver NSW Badge and a \$700 watch, and Frank Smith from Winchester presented Arthur with the Winchester Perpetual Cup. Runner-up to Arthur was Illawarra Club President, Bill Jones, who commented that he was a little older than Arthur, but he would "wheel him" one day. A great effort from both shooters in some very hot conditions. Second in "AA" grade went to Trevor Grummett from Noorat in Victoria with 199/200. I did hear mention that Trevor was on his way home from his honeymoon — if that was the case — it just goes to show that you can not separate a shooter from his gun — not even when he's on his honeymoon.



• State Double Barrel, L to R: Phil Jost — Blue Dot, Arthur Turner, Frank Smith — Winchester.

Sunday morning was a little cooler than the previous day and the clouds started to creep in by mid morning. 182 shooters were entered in the 50 target "Boyce Holdings" State Single Barrel Championship. In sharp contrast to the previous day, only three possibles were recorded — local Dick Toshack, State Handicapper Peter Hayman and Sydneysider Barry Kable. With Dick's wife, Gwen waiting in the wings to shoot off for the Ladies section, Barry faulted on the 9th target and Dick Toshack was declared the overall winner with 59/59, with Kable taking out 1st in "AA" with 58/59. 2nd in "AA" went to Steve Guest 68/69. In "A" Grade, Peter Hayman was 1st with 50/50, from Molong shooter Glen Eade who recorded 60/63. Warren O'Rourke from the Dubbo Club took out 1st place in "B" Grade with 47/50 with 2nd in "B" Grade going to Mino Dallacosta on 49/53. A fine 47/50 from Joe Shalhoub earned him 1st in "C" Grade from Boorowa shooter Merv Campbell on 45/50. Gwen Toshack gained her composure and won the Ladies shoot off from Jannene Kidd with 44/51, Junior winner was Glen Campbell on 45/50 and Bill Mackay from Narooma was the Veteran winner with 45/50.



• L to R: Arthur Turner DB, Dick Toshack SB, Dick Piotrowski PS and Champ of Champs.

With the commencement of the 50 target "Horsley Park Gun Shop" State Point Score Championship — the weather worsened and the storm rolled in. The driving rain and strong winds played havoc and only 4 x 149s were recorded.

The overall winner for 1987 was Cowra shooter, Dick Piotrowski who returned 200/201 after the shoot off with Bert Boyd from West Wyalong, Pat Mason from Downside and Paul Lyons of the Majura Park Club. Lyons took 1st in "AA" with 199/201.

At the completion of the three main championships the 1987 State Team could be finalised with nine shooters having to shoot off for the last four places in the team.

Those who had to be up bright and early the following morning to have their photographs taken were:

Dick Piotrowski (Cowra), Robert Smith (Sydney), Leo McIntyre (Canberra), Arthur Turner (Dubbo), Bert Boyd (West Wyalong), Paul Lyons (Majura Park), "Digger" Ellison (Parkes), John Finn (Cowra), Barry Kable (Sydney), Brian Samuels (Marconi), Paul Simon (Majura Park), Tim Murray (West Wyalong), John Blain (Narrandera) and Doug Ellis (Guyra).



● NSW '87 Trap: Back L to R: D. Ellis, J. Finn, R. Ellison, B. Kable, A. Turner, L. McIntyre, J.W. Smith, J. Blain. Front L to R: B. Boyd, T. Murray, R. Smith, R. Piotrowski, P. Simon, B. Samuels, P. Lyons.

The Ladies State Team is: Lola Charles (Narrandera), Glenys Lawrence (Canowindra), Gwen Toshack (Cowra), Marilyn Dwight (Cowra), Jannene Kidd (Sydney) and Suzy Balogh (Canberra).

The Junior Team members are: Glen Campbell (Boorowa), Tom Turner (Cessnock), Paul Fairall (Boorowa), Mark Piotrowski (Cowra), Josh Balogh (Canberra) and Robert Holmes (Moree).

Monday morning was certainly a marked change — Friday and Saturday summer, Sunday autumn and Monday, winter — it was nothing short of freezing. However, National Vice President, Jim Scott and State Vice President, Peter Mould, presented all team members with their pockets and badges and their shells to use in the Team section, which were very generously donated by Fuller Firearms again this year.

With the completion of the Team events, the 5 Man Shoulder-to-Shoulder Team to compete at the Wagga National in April was announced. Those shooters are: Dick Piotrowski, Arthur Turner, Robert Smith, J.W. Smith and John Blain.

The Reserve team members in qualifying order are: Leo McIntyre, "Digger" Ellison, Paul Lyons, Doug Ellis, Barry Kable, Tim Murray, Bert Boyd, John Finn, Brian Samuels, Paul Simon. The Shoulder-to-Shoulder Team being selected over the Double Barrel, Single Barrel and Point Score Championship — plus — the 50 targets Point Score of the Team — therefore being out of a total of 400.

With all team competition over, the 75 target "Shelley's Soft Drinks" Champion of Champions was underway and the 130 taking part had to battle the cold and windy conditions. The closest we could get to a possible was current National Champion, Dick Piotrowski's 123/125 — a great effort under the conditions — a fitting reward for Dick, who shot extremely well over the three days.

The Denis Hunt Trophy for Inter-Zone Competition is also decided at the State Carnival and is shot over the Point Score Championship — the winners this year were those "two-tone blue shout for the south" Team from the Southern Zone. Their team comprised Frazer Roberts, Paul Lyons, Dennis Turner, G. Geering, Angelo Piazza, Bill Jones, Robert Smith, Graham Smith, Wayne Baxter, Paul Simon, Peter Kenyon and Mathew Facer — congratulations to the Southern Zone — but watch out next year!!

The Ladies Inter-Zone competition for the Jenny Burt trophy was won in fine style by the Central Zone Team of Gwen Toshack, Glenys Lawrence and Marilyn Dwight.

The Central Zone kept their flag flying by also taking out the Junior competition for the Edgewood Park trophy — the winning members were Glen Campbell, Paul Fairall and Darren Corcoran.

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As the dust started to settle, the final High Gun trophies were the only remaining ones to present.

Firstly, the Team High Guns — these trophies were sponsored by Fuller Firearms again this year. In the Open Team, the High Gun went to Arthur Turner with 148/150, the Ladies Team High Gun was taken out by Glenys Lawrence with 75/84, and a 72/75 from Tom Turner saw him receive the Junior Team High Gun.

Winchester's N.S.W. State Manager, Frank Smith was on hand to present the overall high gun winners with their trophies — Winchester having very kindly sponsored these trophies again this year.

The Overall High Gun was awarded to Dick Piotrowski of Cowra with 371/375, a great effort — congratulations Dick.

The Ladies High Gun winner was Glenys Lawrence from Canowindra with a fine score of 318/375 — well done Glenys.

Tom Turner continued to come out ahead in the Junior section and his final score was 341/375 — keep up the good shooting Tom. And last but by no means least, the Veterans winner was Narooma shooter Bill Mackay, with a score of 353/375.



● Overall High Guns Winners: L to R: Frank Smith — Winchester, G. Lawrence — Ladies, B. Mackay — Veterans, R. Piotrowski — Open, T. Turner — Junior.

As you will see from the photographs accompanying this report, the overall winners of the three main State Championships all receive a Perpetual Cup. For the first time this year the Association was able to provide a Cup for the Point Score Championship — due to a very generous and anonymous donation having been made with the express wish that the Cup be for the Point Score Championship. This magnificent Trophy now takes pride of place alongside the Winchester Cup for the Double Barrel, the R. and P. Smith Cup for the Single Barrel and now the Alan Cramp Cup for the Point Score.

It was a decision of the State Executive that this Cup be called the Alan Cramp Cup because of the amount that Alan has put into this sport. As many of you would know, Alan has not been well and we all hope that he is feeling much better and that he will be able to be on hand to present this cup to its winner at next year's carnival.

The State Association was also very fortunate to have had a beautiful carry box made for this cup by Tony Alvaro — thank you Tony.

Well, another Carnival has drawn to a close — and there are just so many people to thank — and no doubt I will miss someone — please forgive my memory if your names does not appear. The biggest thank you possible to those fantastic ladies in the kitchen area — they cooked and cooked and cooked from 8.00am till well after dark — and if anyone went hungry they had no one to blame but themselves — the food had to be seen to be believed.

Thank you to Jenny Mould and Joy Dwight for their help in the office and the score board. Thanks also to Mr Money



● The Alan Cramp Cup for State Point Score Championship.

Counter, Jim Scott and his wife Joan for their help — to the Handicapper and Assistant — Peter and Peter to "Dutchy" for doing the sweeps and purse section, to Andrew Futter for looking after the team scores and High Gun section and of course, the Cowra Gun Club for having everything ready and in top class order. And last but not least, to all the shooters who attended and helped make it such a great weekend, thank you all.

Next year the Sydney/Marconi complex — many hours of work to be put in down there — but we are sure that everything will be ready and we can depend on yet another beautiful State Carnival in 1988.

Jenny Burt,

VALE

The Forest Clay Target Club regrettably advise the passing of Alf Wakeling on Sunday November 29, and extend their sympathy to his wife and family.

One of the most valuable assets of any Club is its members. Members who give voluntarily their time and effort to enhance the joys of others. These members are far and few between. Alf Wakeling was such a member.

The Lord's gain is truly our loss.

Mike Bateman,
Forest Clay Target Club.

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HISTORY OF OUR SPORT LOOKING BACK OVER 25 YEARS OR SO

By GEORGE BIGGS
A.C.T.A. Historian

I've recently received a very interesting letter from a friend at Mt Larcom, Qld. He is Mr Rick Hannan. Rick has enclosed a photo of the 1957 Mackintosh International Team together with a photocopy of an old Toowoomba Gun Club handicap card which details the members handicap at that date — 1902. At this time the competition was, of course, at live pigeons. It would be interesting to know if anyone in the present Toowoomba Gun Club knew of any connections with people of that time and where their original club was located. Perhaps my friend Bob Donovan may be able to run down a few clues.

An extract from Mr Hannan's letter follows:
Dear George,

Enclosed find two articles which may be of interest to you and others who pursue your very interesting articles in the A.C.T.A. monthly. Keep it up.

The photo is of the 1957 Mackintosh team, the other is a copy I screwed out of an old friend of mine in Rockhampton. He is 98 and an ardent follower of clay busting. I am 72 and an ardent participant who is getting slow. I am a foundation member of Gladstone and patron of Rockhampton.

I am at a loss to name many in the photo, the few I do know are listed over.

Rich Hannan.

HANDICAP CARD

The W. Webb at the top of the Handicap was my great uncle.

Coming from an old English family, one of the principals

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TOOWOOMBA GUN CLUB.

HANDICAP

From 1st January, to 30th April, 1902

YDS.		YDS.	
30	Webb, W.	23	North, F. W.
28	Cunliffe, P. S.	23	Perkins, C. E.
28	Pointer, H. C.	23	Graham, J. L.
28	Hamilton, C. A.	23	Kennard, S. B.
27	Taylor, F.	23	Taylor, W. B.
27	Davis, C. W.	23	Dr. Garde, junr.
26	Mundell, G.	22	Sealy, E.
26	Campbell, D. E.	22	King, G. B.
26	Anderson, J. H.	22	Ferguson, H. W.
26	Thornton, W. H. L.	22	Beirne, B. J.
26	Feldmann, G.	21	Davies, H. J.
25	King, H. V.	21	Goertz, F.
25	Ramsay, M. F.	21	O'Sullivan, M. J.
25	Gibson, A. E.	21	Boys, H. A.
25	Mayne, H.	21	Godsall, G. A.
25	Malcolm, B.	21	Allman, D.
25	Trevethan, W.	21	Robinson, S. C. W.
25	Mahon, J.	21	Coren, A. J.
24	Taylor, Jas.	21	Dr. McDonnell
24	Beebe, A. H.	21	Wood, G. O.
24	Petermann, W.	21	Dr. Freshney
24	Dr. Garde, senr.	21	Brown, W. L.
24	Metcalfe, E. J.		



• 1957 International Team.

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of Webbs Bank London, was considered one of the "Elite". He, on "invitation" shot at some of the Edwards shooting club at Grouse & Pheasant.

On one occasion William shot 864 birds from his stand. Noted for his shooting ability was a back marker and often shot from 32 yards.

From George F. MacArthur-Webb.

SOUTHPORT, QLD. (Photo previous page)

The 1957 Mackintosh International Team runners-up to New Zealand in the International extreme left (second row standing) is Leo Haseler of Clara Creek, Qld. The Australian High Gun 1957. The association president, Mr John Houston, of Hay, N.S.W., is shown second from left (standing) in the second front row (hat in hand). Description details team.

BANKSTOWN ROYAL AERO GUN CLUB

Records are made at 1959 Nationals.

Newton Thomas, Australian Champion shotgunner set an Australian record and broke his previous record by breaking 454 targets straight. He set his previous record of 321 at Cootamundra in 1953. Thomas established his record in two days shooting at the National Championships conducted on the ground of the Royal Aero Club at Bankstown, N.S.W.



• Newton Thomas.

One other competitor at the shoot also broke Thomas' old record. He was Don Scowcroft from N.S.W. who shot a straight 324 before missing.

Newton Thomas also created another record during the events by becoming the first Australian shooter to win three major titles at the one meeting. He won the Single and Double Barrel Championships and also top scored for Australia in the International Teams Match to become the High Gun of the International Team, shooting 100 targets straight, total score of 300/300 points. He was also 3rd in the Champion of Champions Cup. First place going to Paul Marshall (Tasmania) and Don Scowcroft in second place. The only target Thomas missed during the 5 days' shooting was his 545th.

Richard A. Dean of Roma, Qld, with a smile of satisfaction, after establishing a Queensland State record of 388/388 straight to win the Double Barrel Title 1968.

It is interesting to note how break records were



• R. Dean with his smile of confidence after establishing a Queensland State Record of 388/388 successive broken targets.

beginning to show up in the late 1950s. 1958 saw Jack Blake and Paul Marshall both of Tasmania, with record 200 straight. Then in 1966 we had R. Kimber of S.A. with a 359, also in 1966 K. Heywood, N.S.W. shot a 501. Tim Catling of W.A. made a break of 253 in 1967, D. Kimber shot a 457 in 1967.

During 1968 R. Dean of Qld. shot a 393 to establish a Qld. record. The above records were recorded up to the end of 1968 and were shot over a one day program which was a condition of break records at that time.

AUSTRALIAN OLYMPIC FEDERATION — DRUG POLICY

- 1) Any athlete who is found by his or her National Federation, International Federation, the Australian Institute of Sport, the Australian Sports Commission, the Australian Olympic Federation, or the International Olympic Committee to have taken or used drugs or stimulants or participated in other related doping practices prohibited by the NF, IF, the AIS, the ASC, the AOF or the IOC (all of which are hereinafter called "doping provisions"), will be ineligible for life selection in any Australian Olympic Team or to hold any position on the AOF.
- 2) Any coach, official, medical officer, or other person who aids, abets, counsels or procures, or is knowingly involved in an athlete's breach of an NF's, IF's, the AIS's, the ASC's, the AOF's or the IOC's doping provision will be ineligible for life selection in any Australian Olympic Team and to hold any position on the AOF.
- 3) If already selected in an Australian Olympic Team or

holding an AOF position, the athlete, coach, official or medical officer will be immediately removed from that team or position upon any breach of the doping provisions.

- 4) The doping practices prohibited by the AOF shall be the same as those prohibited by the IOC.
- 5) All Olympic Team members, and all potential Olympic Team members are liable to doping controls which shall be conducted by the AOF Medical Commission in conformity with the rules of the IOC Medical Commission ("a doping control examination"). Any Olympic Team member who refuses to submit to a doping control examination will be immediately removed from that Team and be ineligible for life for selection in any Australian Olympic Team or to hold any position on the AOF. Any potential Olympic Team member who refuses to submit to a doping control examination will be ineligible for life for selection in any Australian Olympic Team or to hold any position on the AOF.
- 6) Athletes are liable to any number of doping control examinations in any year.
- 7) Samples taken by the AOF Medical Commission shall be analysed by a laboratory accredited by the IOC. Two samples shall be taken and upon being informed by the laboratory that the analysis of the first sample reveals a breach of the doping provisions, the Chairman of the AOF Medical Commission will authorise the analysis of the second sample. Upon being informed that the analysis of the second sample confirms the breach of the doping provisions, the President or Secretary-General of the AOF will notify the athlete and any coach, official or medical officer involved that he or she is, or they, are ineligible for life for selection in any Australian Olympic Team or to hold any position on the AOF and, if a member of an Olympic Team, is immediately removed from that Team.
- 8) The Australian Olympic Federation Executive Board will be responsible for the administration and implementation of this policy and will continue to monitor developments in this area.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

From time to time we do receive letters requesting space in the C.T.S.N. that are unsigned and therefore remain unpublished.

The latest being from a writer known as "The Sydney Kid" to whom I must say that while his comments may or may not have been constructive, he should at least have had courage of his convictions and not sheltered behind a non de plume.

Unidentified correspondence will continue to find their way to their proper destination — the waste paper bin.

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TAIPAN SHIELD — 1987



With the 1987 Taipan Shield being shot for during November and December we have just received a photo of the 1986 winning team from the Kerang Gun Club who were victorious with a score of 96/100, great shooting girls.

The shield was presented by Frank James, Zone Coach and Club President.

Having tasted success, the same five girls have decided to team again during December and do their best to retain the shield.

LEFT TO RIGHT: Lisa Williams (Kerang), 19/20, Susan Rigney (Boort), 19/20, Faye Burton (Kerang), 20/20, Jan Woodhatch (Bendigo), 18/20 and Angela Johns (Colbinabbin) 20/20.

STH WEST SCHOOL STUDENTS' CHAMPIONSHIPS

Recently the Noorat Gun Club hosted and helped organise the 1987 South West Regional School Students Clay Target Championships.

Students from 23 schools attended totalling 158 shooters — junior, senior, male, female. The event was a 15T Single Barrel over three traps, five targets per visit, which was a new format and appeared to be well accepted. The competition started at 9.20am and was all finished by 1.30pm.

Sponsorship was received from Winchester (Shells), Olympic Targets (Targets), Terang Co-op (½ case of shells), W/bool Co-op (½ case of shells), Tom Rigors Newsagency W/bool supplied individual trophies.

Mr Wayne Pilkington from Winchester attended and Mr Jack Matthey ACTA executive member was present. H. Vaughan was shoot marshal and Shane Riordan managed the office.

Individual scores recorded were by Andrew Mills of Cobden Technical School who shot a perfect score of 15/15. J. Caldwell was first with 20/23. Second was P. McMaster 19/23, third P. Riordan 17/21.

Juniors overall: S. McNabb 18/21 first, Glen Hayden 17/21 second, R. Hunt 15/19 third.

Girls: first — K. Dumesney 10/18, second K. Heaney 9/18, third L. Light 7/15.

STURT PEA FROM S.A.

Well, do you believe it, we are starting off a new year. I hope it will be a good one for everyone.

The programme books should be well and truly out by now and I hope to everyone's satisfaction.

STATE CARNIVAL:

Feb. 5, 6, 7. I am hoping that no matter what anyone's opinion is, you will try to support the State Carnival by attending. It is our biggest event of the year and very important as far as running the State.

The value of trophies has been considerably increased, so hope this will encourage you all to come. The overall High Gun winner will receive a sash and a solid opal and gold ring.

As you can see, there is an event programmed for 5pm on Friday 5th. The winner of this event will receive free Nominations for the Carnival. While this event is being shot there will be a barbecue tea available, after which the S.A.C.T.A. Annual General Meeting will be held in the Club Rooms at Monarto at 8pm.

I would like to remind Club Delegates that if they are unable to attend they can get another Club Member to take their place and I would strongly encourage Delegates to do so. It is important that as many clubs as possible attend. Please check to see that your Club has paid your affiliation fee prior to the meeting to ensure your voting rights.

Winchester are again sponsoring Junior Shooting with the Junior Event first thing Sunday with the Zone Teams event. Cartridges will be supplied to Junior Shooters for this event. 1st, 2nd and 3rd trophy to go to Registered and Unregistered shooters. If you have any Juniors in your Club keen to come but need accommodation, let me know and I will arrange something.

RESPONSE:

This has recently been overwhelming with stories coming in from all over the State. If by any chance your club's story does not appear in this issue, don't become offended. Sometimes space does not allow for all copy to be included, so it will carry over to the next month . . . keep up the good work.

SPECIAL SHOTS:

Tunarama 2-day shoot January 23 and 24, Pt Lincoln.

PLEASE NOTE:

Rob Walker from Whyalla has kindly consented to bring his Computer over for the State Carnival and do all the Nominations, Score Sheets, Prize Winners, Sweeps etc. on it. It will make the whole thing quicker and easier for everyone.

Please make sure you present both your 1987 and 1988 cards when you hand in your nomination sheet. This saves a lot of hassles.

I.M.G.

BORDERTOWN GUN CLUB

The club was well supported with many visitors from other clubs as well as spectators on Saturday when the 80-target medley Blue Lake Oatmillers Super Shoot was held.

A grade and overall winner was Basil Wagg (Kaniva) 187/189 with Bob Andrews 186/189 runner-up. B grade: G. Height 114/120, Reg Pallant 113/120. C grade: G. Wombell 117/120, D. Height 104/120. Best lady was Lin Beelitz 98/120, best veteran Bruce Pallant 103/120, high gun Basil Wagg 187/189, and ladies spectator trophy went to Mrs Wagg.

Sponsors of the event were Blue Lake Oatmillers, Dalgety Farmers, Elders Pastoral, Victorian Producers, Martlews Transport, O'Brien's Tyres, N.S. & P.A. Murch, Commonwealth Bank, Chas Mathews and A.W.E. Richards.



A grade and O/A winner Basil Wagg received his trophy from Blue Lake Oatmillers rep. Wayne Johnson.



Dalgety Bennet Farmers manager Brian Mandel presenting best lady shooter Lyn Beelitz with her trophy.



L to R: Glen Dinning, Tom Mock and Jack Standerwick after being presented with life membership certificates and badge. Bordertown Gun Club S.A.

At the presentation of the trophies, president Jeff Hinge presented life membership badges and certificates to three of the present club's foundation members, Mr Jack Standerwick, Mr Glen Dinning and Mr Tom Mock.

Tom Mock

LAKE ALBERT COACHING



During the third term, eight coaching sessions were conducted for high school students from the Meningie Secondary School. Nine students attended with seven on a regular basis.

Starting with lessons on gun safety, carrying firearms in vehicles, negotiating obstacles and fences, danger of ricocheting bullets, reloading, ballistics and finally shooting, the class proved very interested and keen to learn. It concluded with a written assessment and a 20 target competition and all students proved that they had been listening and learning while attending.

The class was supervised by coach Phil Johncock and Sandie Appelkamp and a teacher Julian Smalacomb. A few other club members attended as available.

Pictured are the class with teacher Sandie and coach. Thanks to all who attended and helpers.

Phil Johncock, Club Coach

ANNUAL ROTARY SHOOT

The Kings Meadows Rotary Club recently conducted its annual charity shoot in conjunction with the Tasmanian Gun Club. The program was designed to offer something for everyone and the actual shoot was made an open shoot in order to entice non-ACTA members as well, and thus achieve a greater roll up of shooters.

Tasmania turned on the best shooting conditions anyone could hope for, with a warm, windless, cloudless 25 degree day. This, coupled with the willing and able assistance of the Kings Meadows Rotary Club, and the Tasmanian Gun Club Committee, made it an efficient and successful day.

The first event was 25 target skeet, sponsored by Taubman's paints. This brought about the first of many shoot-offs, with Keith Blazely winning A Grade with 39/39. B Grade was won by Herb Kerrison and C Grade by Kevin Aylett, both with 25/25.

The next event was a 10 target sweepstake and saw many possibles shot, they were: D. Robinson, L. Axton, G. Sturzaker, H. Kerrison, N. Chenall, R. Meikle, S. Marshall, I. Hudson, D. Perry, J. Bryan, N. Curbishley, W. Richardson, A. Blaskett, D. Shaw, G. Blaskett, J. Murphy.

The third event was the prestigious Michael Blake Memorial, and this saw some brilliant shooting. Three A Graders made it to two hundred straight. The final result was Sperry Marshall winning with 273/273, John Murphy shot brilliantly until he missed his 273rd target. Other winners were B Grade: D. Robinson and C Grade: A. Blaskett with 27/27 and 36/37 respectively. This event was sponsored by Chellis and Cuthill Pharmacies and Jack and Joan Blake donated the sashes.

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Bill Husband's Golf Shop sponsored the fourth event, the 10 target points charity challenge. The winning team was S. Yates, G. Blaskett, J. Murphy with a score of 90/90.

The fifth event, the Charity Grand Prix, sponsored by the Kings Meadows Hotel, was 25 targets P/S. Stuart Browning broke the Tasmanian record and we think the Australian record, shooting 573/573, Sperry Marshall pulled a second barrel on his 191st target, thus seeing Stuart taking out A Grade. The other winners were B: K. Aylett 75/75. C: N. Mayne 78/78.

The last event was the Charity Skeet Championship, and the grade winners were: A — Stuart Browning; B — Graeme Blaskett; C — Alison Blaskett, with the scores 37/37, 24/25 and 24/25 respectively. This event was sponsored by Applied Chemicals.

Stuart Browning won high gun over the program with a perfect score of 150/150. Yet another highlight was Sperry Marshall's brilliant 496 targets straight over the day — a Tasmanian record.

The day went for quite some time due to the large number of shoot-offs, but the delay was made up for by such excellent shooting. The day raised \$1161.50, all to go to Rotary's Charity, which is Polio Plus. We hope next year's shoot is as successful.

David Perry,
Rotary Shoot, Shoot Marshal.

WARATAH STATE NOTES

For those of you who have read their December C.T.S.N. and are under the impression that the State Double Barrel Championship has been shifted from its normal place at the State Carnival — after reading the Griffith Gun Club's Open Shoot Advertisement — let me assure you that this is not correct — Griffith are actually hosting the 1988 STATE DOUBLE BARREL CONTINENTAL CHAMPIONSHIP on the 3rd January.

HANDICAP CARDS:

As you are all aware the new rules come into force from January 1st — however, there is one rule that hasn't changed and I must impress upon all Club Secretaries and Handicapper the following:

Part of Rule 2.1 (i) ALL SCORES AFTER THE LAST GRADING MUST BE CARRIED FORWARD ONTO THE NEW HANDICAP CARD.

In other words when the shooter turns up to his/her first shoot in the new year with a new handicap card — you must ask them for their old (1987) one so you can carry any necessary targets forward.

This should also be remembered by all shooters — please take your 1987 card along with you to your next shoot.

COMMUNICATION LINES:

I had an opportunity to speak at length recently, with a reasonably new shooter and some interesting topics were discussed. The one which alarmed me the most was the fact that the new shooters don't know about the Club-Zone-State structure, how it works, what the Zone and State Committees do and so on.

The most disappointing factor for me, and I would imagine all other State Secretaries would face the same problem, is that Newsletters, information from the Association, etc. are not being read at meetings, and even after repeated requests, are not being placed on the Club Notice Boards, for all members to read — should they not attend meeting.

I do not know just how many shooters actually read this report each month, but this along with our regular Newsletters are our only means of contact with our respective Clubs, so the next time you go to your Clubs meeting or attend your Club, will you please ask the question, if in fact there is no State Newsletter on display.

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CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS:

At the last State Executive Meeting the matter of which meterage the Champion of Champions should be shot from was discussed, and it was agreed that a small questionnaire should be sent to each Club, so that every shooter in this State can have a say in the final discussion. This questionnaire was forwarded to all clubs in early December and must be returned by FRIDAY 5th FEBRUARY, 1988.

Therefore, if you haven't read about it or seen anything at your Club, ASK YOUR CLUB SECRETARY WHERE IT IS — WHAT HAS BEEN DONE ABOUT IT. The outcome will decide if the event should be shot from its existing mark of 18m or should it come from the 16m mark.

I would just point out that the event being addressed is the Champion of Champions held at the N.S.W. State Trap Carnival.

RE-EXAMINATION OF REFEREES:

It was agreed at our last State meeting, that the States Referee Examiners would be re-examined firstly, then as advice is received for re-examination of referees, they would be examined by the Examiners.

CONGRATULATIONS TEAMS:

Finally this month, I would like to take this opportunity on behalf of the State Association to congratulate our three victorious Shoulder-to-Shoulder Teams in 1987, in Brisbane the Team of Arthur Turner, "Digger" Ellison, Sam Papasidero, Dick Piotrowski and Peter Pontello won the Trap Team, in Perth our Team of Warren Charlton, Michael Blenman, Bruce Barlow, Steven Balough and Kevin Weatherall won the Skeet Team and the Olympic Trap Team comprising Terry Rumbel, Kevin Perkins and Filippo Petriella won, also in Perth.

I'm sure all shooters in N.S.W. also offer their congratulations to all three teams — well done.

Remember: Sportsmanship — Friendship — means membership.

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NORTH WEST ZONE OLYMPIC TARGET SCHOOLBOY/GIRL SHOOT

The annual North West Zone schoolboy/girl shoot was held on Thursday 17th October at the Warracknabeal Gun Club. Eight schools entered with a total of 110 shooters. All of these students had participated in an extensive firearms awareness training course provided by their respective schools and participating Gun Clubs. The safety precautions taken by these students was of an outstanding quality and there was not one case of gun negligence or unsafe behavior.

Results are as follows:

Senior boys — 1st Tony Flavel, Rainbow High School, 21/25; 2nd Aaron Croft, Stawell Tech College, 19/25; 3rd Chris Sprague, Horsham Tech, 15/20.

Junior Boys — 1st Jason Hadden, Goroke, 14/20; 2nd Mathew Lea, Burchip, 13/20; 3rd I. Stokes, Stawell, 7/20.

Girls — 1st Nicole Clark, Warracknabeal; 2nd Vicky Hemley, Stawell; 3rd Cindy Crisp, Ballarat.

School Team — Horsham Technical School, 44/60; Mathew Pilgrim, Chris Sprague, Trevor Stehn, Terry Cameron.

SPRINGSURE GUN CLUB

Springsure Gun Club attracted a good number of shooters for the Lochran Rum Rebellion Shoot in November.

Light rain fell during the program, but the thought of a rum prize kept all squads competing barrel for barrel.

The first of the 75 target event was 25 double barrel handicap and Shorty Moore set the pace with 23/25.

The second 25 single barrel best scores were Shorty with 25 and also Noel Deeley with the possible.

In the final round of 25 double barrel points, Shorty again was on top with 71 points evenly placed with Club Coach, Dick Burns.



• Brian Hopgood receiving his "Rum Trophy" from sponsor Fiona Lochran.



• L to R: Herb Tyson, Shorty Moore, Ross Rolfe and Brian Hopgood. Envious onlooker (far right) Peter Comino!!!

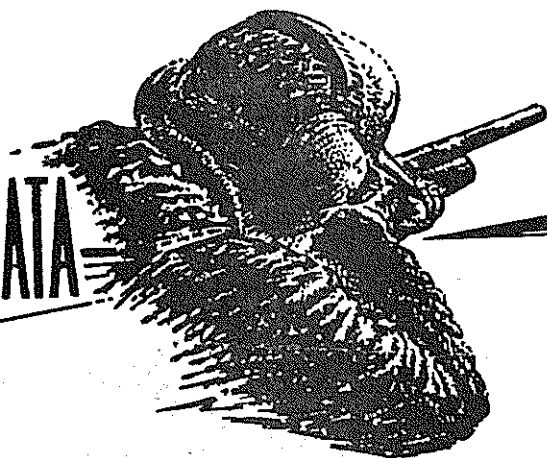
Fiona Lochran of Springsure Pharmacy presented a very pleased Shorty with his extra large Johnny Walker in a cradle. This was a well deserved first major High Gun for him.

Local members, Brian Hopgood, Ross Rolfe and Herb Tyson each won a good supply of rum along with place-getters to fifth prize, all donated by Lochrans.

Best Lady Shooter for the day was Gaye Burns. Club President, Lester Knox presented the front marker monthly medallion to Fiona Lochran.

Rita Hartree,
Club Secretary

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All correspondence with Waitemata Gun Club Inc., PO Box 275, Kumeu.

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TRAP SHOOTING RULES

Section 1

Any reference in these rules pertaining to "him" will also mean "her".

1.1 SAFETY

- (a) All guns must be immediately opened upon removal from a gun rack or car to determine that they are indeed empty.
- (b) All guns carried on or about the shooting ground must be held in a position of safety, with the breech open and unloaded at all times.
- (c) Shooting on the grounds at any place other than the firing point at legitimate targets only is prohibited except where a pattern plate is installed, and then only with permission of club management.
- (d) Shooting, holding the gun in any position other than orthodox i.e. to the shoulder, is prohibited (with the exception of a physical disability). Any shooter acting in this way will be immediately suspended by Referee or Management, and reported to the Executive Committee in writing. Minimum penalty three (3) months suspension.
- (e) The shooter will not close his gun until the result of the previous target has been called. The shooter must immediately open the gun upon having fired at his target, and must not attempt to turn around or move back up his shooting lane until his gun has been opened.
- (f) Shooters experiencing a misfire or malfunction must remain with their gun pointed in the direction of the traphouse until the referee arrives to adjudicate.
- (g) During any event, competitors must remove all cartridges from their guns immediately upon the red signal at the traphouse, or if any official approaches the traphouse concerned.
- (h) No competitor shall close his gun to fire until all persons on the shooting tracks have withdrawn to a handicap mark at least equal to his own.
- (i) Release trigger guns shall not be left in gun racks or in positions where they can be mistakenly handled but shall be constantly under the control and supervision of the user, and shall be labelled as per Rule 4.11 (b) (iii).
- (j) Powder loads for reloads should not exceed the manufacturer's recommended specification. Shooters exceeding the recommended load shall be deemed to be in breach of the safety regulations.

1.2 PROCEDURE

- (a) A competitor must be at the firing point within two minutes after having been called by the official referee, scorer or a member of the Club Management. Failing therein, he may be disqualified or penalised with loss of targets and may be re-squadded in the last squad at the discretion of the club.
- (b) A target must be thrown for No. 1 shooter on his call at his first and subsequent visit to each trap, or after a break in shooting.
- (c) When at the firing point ready for competition, the competitor shall distinctly give the command "pull" or a similar command to the referee and thereafter the competitor is in the competition.
- (d) A shooter must stand on the station, position himself, load his gun and call for his target within 10 seconds after the shooter preceding him has completed his firing and after the referee has given the signal to commence firing or to resume firing. Non-compliance with the above will draw a warning from the referee, subsequent occurrences per event will be penalised one target each.

- (a) When it is his turn to shoot, a competitor shall close his gun only when at the firing point and facing the traps, he must remove the cartridge or cartridges from his gun before turning from the firing point on No. 5 lane and proceeding to No. 1 lane and shall not reload until standing on No. 1 lane. The cartridge or cartridges must be removed from any magazine gun between each lane.
- (b) Provided he is standing on the mark from where he is going to shoot, a competitor may drop cartridges into the breech whilst he is waiting his turn to shoot.
- (c) Shooters must not close or attempt to mount the gun to the shoulder until the result of the previous shot has been called by the referee.
- (d) All competitors in a squad shall automatically change lanes. Once having fired his shot, a competitor may move back along his own shooting lane but he may not move off his shooting lane until the next competitor has fired his shot, excepting the shooter on number five (5) lane who having removed the cartridges from his gun before turning round may proceed to number one lane and not reload until on that lane. No competitor shall close his gun to fire until all persons on the shooting tracks have withdrawn to a handicap mark at least equal to his own.
- (e) Unless, in the opinion of the referee, it is contrary to the equity of the competition, a competitor taking part in the competition may shoot at pieces of his own target, if he so wishes.
- (f) Empty shells on the ground must not be collected by anyone whilst the shooters are on the tracks. Only those people directly associated with the competition will be on the ground whilst the shoot is in progress.
- (g) No competitor shall make, negotiate or discuss any bet (either on his own shooting or that of any competitor) whilst he is at the firing point or shooting tracks for the purpose of making, negotiating or discussing any bet. If any competitor infringes this rule, he may be disqualified by the referee.
- (h) All members in a squad must remain at the shooting tracks until the last competitor has shot.

- (i) The officiating referee or the management must adjust the trap immediately if it is not throwing regulation targets. Immediately following such alteration a target must be thrown and the competition continued.

1.4 SQUADS

- (a) Competitors shall be in squads with a maximum of 6; where there are withdrawals from a squad or squads after the competition has begun, squads will be closed up before each run over any trap. No 1 competitor in each squad shall always start the shooting. The club, at its discretion, may require competitors to change starting lanes on each trap as follows: — No. 1 competitor shall commence shooting from Lane 1, on Trap No. 1, Lane 2 on Trap No. 2, Lane 3 and so forth over all the traps. This rule shall also apply to Double-rise.
- (b) Managements have the right to divide the number of targets by the number of traps available, shooting 6, 7 and 8 targets per visit per trap. Illustration No. 1: 15 targets, 2 traps, 1 visit. No. 1 competitor shoots 8 targets on trap No. 1, finishing on Lane 3. No. 1 competitor now starts on lane 4 on trap No. 2 and shoots 7 targets, finishing on Lane No. 5. Illustration No. 2: 30 targets, 5 traps, 6 targets per trap, one visit. Clubs must preserve equality by lane changing between traps.
- (c) In events of more than twenty-five (25) targets, managements of the clubs with multi-trap facilities may start squad No. 1 on Trap No. 1, squad No. 2 on Trap No. 2, squad No. 3 on Trap No. 3 etc., and shoot up to half the number of targets in the event per trap. For the second round squad No. 1 will advance up to half the number of traps available.
Examples:
 1. For a three (3) trap layout, squad Nos. 1, 4, 7, etc., will shoot their first round from Trap No. 1 and will advance to trap no. 2 for their second round — squads 2, 5, and 8, will advance from Trap 2 to Trap 3.
 2. For a four (4) trap layout, squad Nos. 1, 5, 9 etc., will shoot their first round from Trap No. 1 and will advance to trap No. 3 for their second round — squads 2, 6 and 10 will advance from Trap 2 to Trap 4.
- (d) Events of 25 targets but not greater may be shot in a visit to a trap.
- (e) Club managements shall have the option of shooting 5 targets per lane in 25 target events. Squads to be a maximum of 5 shooters.
- (f) In any squad where no more than three shooters commence in the squad, shooters will initially occupy stations one, three and five. In any squad where only two shooters commence in the squad, shooters will initially occupy stations one and three. This procedure shall also apply to shoot offs.

- (a) The referee shall release the target instantly in response to the competitor's acceptable call. If a shooter fires at what is considered to be an irregular target or a fast or slow released target, he must abide by the result.
- (b) Club managements have the option of conducting events using separate Button Pushers, Referees and Scorer(s). The Referee shall have an uninterrupted view of the competitors at the firing points.

1.6 BROKEN TARGETS

A broken target is one which has a visible piece or pieces broken from it, whilst in the air, by the shot from the competitor's gun.

1.7 DUSTED TARGETS

- (a) A "dusted target" is one from which more or less dust is detached by the competitor's shot, but which shows no visible diminution in size therefrom. A dusted target is not a broken target and is a "lost target".
- (b) A whole target when fired upon is to count even if it falls outside legal limits because of wind or some other factor.

1.8 NO TARGETS

After "No target" has been called by the Referee under any of the following conditions it thereafter plays no part in the competition and is irrelevant to it.

No target shall be called when a target is refused for the following reasons.

- (a) A target is released without the competitor's call and the target has not been fired at.
- (b) A time interval occurs before or after the competitor's call unless the target is fired at.
- (c) A target does not conform to the definition of a legal target as regards height, distance or angle thrown and the target has not been fired at.

Note: If in the opinion of the management, an excess of refusals is recorded, the management has the right to check the shooter, referee and equipment.

If in the opinion of the referee legal targets are being refused, the referee may call "lost target".

All refusals must be recorded on the score sheet as "R".

"No Target" shall be called when:

- (d) A broken target is released.
- (e) In single target shooting, two targets are released at the same time.
- (f) When a competitor shoots out of turn or from the wrong lane.
- (g) Two competitors, or a competitor and a non-competitor shoot at the same time, at the same target.
- (h) A misfire or malfunction occurs in either barrel caused by the competitor's gun or misfire of a cartridge due to no neglect on the competitor's part. In the event of a misfire of the second barrel, the competitor must fire a live cartridge in the general direction of the target, and is permitted to score with the second barrel only. If the competitor accidentally breaks this target with the first barrel, "No

target" shall be called and another thrown; if he again breaks this with the first barrel, "Lost target" will be scored. If in the opinion of the referee the first shot was fired before the target was visible, "Lost target" shall be scored.

- (i) A simultaneous or near simultaneous discharge occurs, i.e., from any cause both barrels are discharged together or nearly together. Simultaneous discharges shall be recorded as a malfunction. The following are considered malfunctions of ammunition: Failure to fire when firing pin indentation is clearly visible; When only the primer fires; When the powder charge has been omitted; When the powder charge is not ignited. Components of the load remain in the barrel. THE REFEREE MUST DECIDE. All misfires and malfunctions must be marked on the score sheet as "M".

1.9 BAULK

- (a) Any extraneous occurrence which, in the opinion of the referee, materially interferes with the equity of the competitor after he calls for his target constitutes a baulk.
- (b) Under no circumstances will a baulk be granted unless claimed by the competitor immediately it occurs, or if, in the opinion of the referee, a baulk has occurred, he may restore the competitor's target.

1.10 LOST TARGET

Lost target shall be called when:

- (a) A competitor fails to break the target.
- (b) The competitor fails to shoot because his gun is unloaded, or because the safety was faultily adjusted or jarred back whether from his oversight or not, or because of any other cause chargeable to his oversight or neglect. Should this happen in a double rise event, the first target only should be declared lost and a proof pair shall be thrown to determine the result of the second shot only. However, a shot shall be fired at each target in the proof pair.
- (c) The competitor has an apparent misfire or malfunction and attempts to open the gun before the referee examines it. A competitor having an apparent misfire or malfunction will forthwith call the Referee for his decision. The competitor must not turn around and must keep his gun pointed in the direction of the trap house until the Referee has given his decision. If a competitor's gun breaks down and it is necessary to seek a replacement the competitor is allowed five (5) minutes to do so. If this is not possible the competitor may leave the squad and finish the remaining targets of the round at a time decided by the Referee or when a vacancy occurs. Should a gun malfunction occur during a shoot-off, the competitor has 5 minutes to repair or replace the gun. Failure to comply "Lost target".
- (d) In single barrel shooting the competitor loads two cartridges into the gun. A competitor is allowed to load one cartridge only and is not permitted to load an empty shell or dummy cartridge.
- (e) A competitor shoots from his wrong handicap mark, or the competitor's stance violates rule No. 4.
- (f) The fourth and subsequent malfunction in any one event occurs. However, at the end of each 100 targets in any one event, the malfunctions that have occurred shall be cancelled, and the count shall re-commence from zero.
- (g) A target is dusted.
- (h) A whole target was fired upon and missed, but was blown out of bounds or fell short of distance due to adverse weather conditions.
- (i) An illegal target or a slow or fast released target is fired upon and missed. A competitor may refuse illegal targets, but if he shoots, the result must be scored.

1.11 ABIDE BY RESULT

Should there be a faulty cartridge, misfire or malfunction in the first barrel, in any type of event, and the competitor fires the second barrel where this is possible, the competitor shall abide by the result and shall have no claim to a repeat target for the first barrel.

Where this happens in a points scoring event and the target is broken with the second barrel the decision shall be as follows:

- (a) If there was no detonation of either primer or powder with the first barrel the score shall be "3";
- (b) If there was a detonation of either primer or powder with the first barrel the score shall be "2".

In both cases if the target has been missed with the second barrel the score would be lost.

1.12 ALTERING A REFEREE'S DECISION

- (a) The Referee has power to alter his decision. If altering his decision on "Lost target" or "Baulk", etc., during the competition, this must be done before the shooter in question shoots his next target or the shooter leaves the tracks should this be his last target.
- (b) A competitor may appeal against the decision of a referee in regard to interpretation and application of these rules. The competitor shall advise the referee before he leaves the shooting track that he intends to appeal, and, immediately upon completing his run over the traps the competitor shall lodge a written appeal and \$20 forfeit with the management. The management shall enlist the aid of at least three, including any Executive Committee Members, Referee Examiners, Rules Supervisors, or official Referees on the grounds, to examine the matter, and should the competitor's appeal be upheld, his forfeit shall be returned and the correct ruling shall be applied to the target appealed against. Should the appeal be disallowed the forfeit shall be paid to the Club concerned. There shall be no appeal against a referee's decision in regard to whether a target is legal or whether it has been missed.

TYPES OF SHOOTING

1.13 DOUBLE BARREL

Double barrel shall be shot with two barrels permitted and a score on

either barrel to be of equal value.

1.14 SINGLE BARREL

Single barrel the competitor is permitted to load one cartridge only in the gun.

1.15 POINTS SCORING

Points scoring shall be shot as double barrel where a score on the first barrel is scored three points, a score on the second barrel is scored two points, and no points for a loss with both barrels.

1.16 DOUBLE RISE

- (a) Double rise shall be shot squad system and may be off handicap or championship marks and called by the referee, 1-1 or lost-1 or 1-lost or lost-lost whichever the case may be, each target to count one point.
- (b) A competitor must shoot at a complete pair of targets on every occasion, each target broken by the competitor's shot shall score one point, two barrels must not be attempted to be fired at one target.
- (c) IT IS "NO TARGET" and the referee shall declare "no target" and allow the shooter another pair under the following conditions:
 1. When only one target is thrown.
 2. When both targets are broken by one shot.
 3. When there is an allowable misfire on either shot.
 4. In the event of a misfire or malfunction on the second barrel, the referee shall declare "No target on the second barrel". The result of the first shot shall stand and a proof pair thrown to determine the result of the second shot only.
 5. Should a gun malfunction occur during a shoot-off, the competitor has 5 minutes to repair or replace the gun. Failure to comply "Lost target".
- (d) When one or both targets are thrown broken even though the shooter fires one or both shots.
- (e) If one or both targets of a pair are not within the prescribed angle or height limits, it is "no target" if the shooter does not fire either shot. If the shooter shoots at an illegal first target and the SECOND target is LEGAL, he must also shoot the second target. However, a shooter is not required to shoot at an illegal second target even though he shot at the first target which may have been either a legal or an illegal target. In this case the result of the first shot shall be scored, and a proof pair thrown to determine the result of the second shot only.
- (f) When both targets are not released simultaneously.
- (g) When one target or both targets are thrown at a wider or narrower angle or angles than is set forth, subject to the following conditions: Both targets shall be called "lost" if the shooter deliberately shoots at the same target twice. This rule is not applicable to a gun "doubling" or "machinegunning", these are malfunctions and are not deliberate second shots.

- 1.17 A check Referee shall be employed for Deauville Doubles and Double Rise competition with the chief Referee to give the decision.

1.18 DEAUVILLE DOUBLES

- (a) Deauville Doubles shall be shot with four competitors on the tracks at one time, the first pair using lanes 1 and 5 and the second pair using lanes 2 and 4. After shooting first round of 5 pairs, competitors then change lanes, first pair taking lanes 2 and 4 and second pair taking lanes 1 and 5. The shoots shall be conducted first miss-out from lanes 2 and 4, one team at a time. The competitors may arrange between themselves which lane they will take, and who will call for the release of the clay targets, which will be released instantly on the competitor's acceptable call. In the event of a false call by either competitor they must abide by the result. Only pairs will count, and as 1 point. Either competitor can help his partner.
- (c) Any faulty cartridge, misfire or malfunction in Deauville Doubles does not entitle the competitors to another pair of targets and they must abide by the result.

1.19 WALK UP

Walk-up events shall be shot double-barrel from No. 3 lane, squad system. The competitor shall load his gun at the 22 metres mark; when ready in this position he commences to walk at a normal walking pace, holding his gun in such a position that the butt of the gun must be level with his hip and cannot be mounted to the shoulder until the target is released. The Referee/puller shall release the target between the 20 metres and 15 metres marks inclusive, the mark being unknown to the competitor, having previously been determined by an indicator or dice. No. 1 competitor shoots at one target, he then returns to the rear of the squad, each competitor doing the same in turn.

1.20 WALK UP POSITION OF SAFETY

- (a) A loaded gun shall be deemed to be in a position of safety when it is the competitor's turn to shoot and he faces and points the gun in the general direction of the trap house, having the gun in the gun-down position.
- (b) Having fired at the target, or in the event of a no target, the competitor shall open his gun and remove all live shells and fired cases before attempting to turn around and return to the rear of the squad or to recommence his walk.

1.21 MIXED TARGETS

A mixed target event shall be a combination of a series of double barrel, single barrel, points score and double rise targets. Shot squad system under rules applicable to the appropriate section with target numbers and shooting marks in accordance with the appropriate championship.

1.22 TOWER EVENTS

- (a) Tower events may be shot double barrel, single barrel, points scoring and double rise squad system, competitors in a straight line left to right, with centre No. 3 competitor standing in front of the centre of the tower. Whilst at the firing point the competitor must not turn towards the tower, but must face directly to the front throughout the competition.
- (b) Shooters stand 3 metres apart at the rear of the concrete track, as for

down-the-line trap shooting. The track is 1.5 metres from the front to rear and each shooter must stand at the rear of this track until it is his turn to shoot. He then steps forward up to, but not over, the leading edge of the track which then puts him 1.5 metres in front of a vertical line from the centre pivot point of the trap. After shooting, he breaks his gun and returns to the rear of the track.

- (c) When Number 5 shooter has shot, he walks to the rear of the tower, and around to the No. 1 station.
- (d) The trap shall be 10 metres above the ground, plus or minus 1 metre, mounted on a tower. Targets shall be thrown at standard angles, i.e., 45 deg. either side of the centre line. Tower targets shall be thrown within a minimum of 75 metres and a maximum of 85 metres, measured laterally along the base point of a vertical line from the centre pivot of the trap. The targets shall leave the trap as near to horizontal as practical.

1.23 CONTINENTAL

Continental events shall be shot double barrel, single barrel and points scoring with the traps set as follows:

- (i) low targets shall be thrown 1.5 metres above the level of the centre lane at a point 10 metres from the trap, with a tolerance of 15 centimetres above or below.
- (ii) high targets shall be thrown 5 metres above the level of the centre lane at a point 10 metres from the trap, with a tolerance of 15 centimetres above or below.
- (iii) distance — the low target shall be thrown a minimum 45 metres and a maximum of 55 metres.
- (iv) angles — flight of targets shall be thrown at unknown angles a maximum of 45 deg. right and left of the centre lane.

1.24 TIES

- (a) Commonwealth, State, Zone and District championships shall be shot off squad system, first miss out. All competitors to commence on the same trap, competitors shall be squadded in the order they qualified. Competitors shall close up when commencing at each trap or at the recommencement of shooting after a break for ammunition where the shoot-off is being solely conducted on one trap. Shoot-off competitors shall carry enough shells for a complete run over each trap or for at least 25 targets where the shoot-off is being conducted over one trap. Failure to comply, penalty "lost target". Competitor allowed five (5) minutes to replenish ammunition between rounds of shoot-off. Failure to comply "lost target". Competitors shall be re-squadded at the commencement of each run over a line of traps or immediately there is only one survivor of a run over a particular trap (i.e., no competitor shall be required to commence a run over a trap on his own unless he is the last competitor in the shoot-off). Initial shoot-off squads shall not comprise any more than five shooters unless there are no more than six shooters contesting the shoot-off.
- (b) Deauville Doubles. First miss-out shot from lanes 2 and 4 as per Rule No. 1.18 (a).
- (c) Double Rise. In the event of a tie to be shot off squad system, 5 pairs, total 10 points until finality.
- (d) Walk-up. To be shot from centre lane, best of five targets until finality.
- (e) Mixed Targets. To be shot in any order from No. 3 lane, 2 double barrel, 2 single barrel, 2 points score, 2 pair double rise. Total 14 points until finality.
- (f) Tower double barrel, single barrel and points scoring shoot-offs to be shot squad system, first miss out.
- (g) In all shoot-offs, competitors shall shoot in the order in which they qualified.
- (h) At the discretion of club management D.T.L. shoot-offs may be conducted in conjunction with the following event providing it is the same type of event.

1.25 HIGH GUN

- (a) The High Gun for a shoot shall be over the advertised program comprising a minimum of two events or such events as the club, at its discretion, has advertised. In the event of a tie for High Gun, where such program included varied types of events, the shoot-offs shall consist of rounds of two of each type of targets (D.B., S.B., Points, D.R. two pairs off the prescribed marks where applicable) on the High Gun program, all to be shot from the centre lane with the highest scorer, over the full round, to be the winner. Points events must count as points to determine High Gun.
- (b) When skeet or I.S.U. Skeet is included in a High Gun over a program, the High Gun shoot-off shall comprise of a high and low target from station four. When skeet doubles are included in a High Gun over a program the High Gun shoot-off shall include a double from station four with shooting continuing in brackets of two targets from each type of event until a result is achieved.
- (c) When I.S.U. or F.I.T.A.S.C. disciplines are involved, any two targets shall be shot from the centre station.

HANDICAPPING/GRADING

Section 2

2.1 COMMON MARK SHOOTING AND CLASSIFICATION

- (a) All appropriate 15 metre scores shall be recorded for percentage performance classification irrespective of how the event is run. Note: Recording for Grading does not apply to the following novelty events such as D.D., D.R., W.U., M.T. (except D.B. component of mixed targets), Continental and Tower, or to single barrel events.
- (b) A graded event is a competition common mark shooting event in which all the competitors shoot from the same mark and prizes are allocated for various classes of competitor.

- (c) Shooters shall be graded into four grades by their percentage performance at all standard targets fired upon in common mark 15 metre competition day or night, including shoot-off targets, in double barrel and points scoring events with broken targets to count. Results in handicap events or off common marks other than 15 metres shall not be included.

(d) Grades shall be:

AA 97% and over; A 94% and under 97%; B 87% and under 94%; C 80% and under 87%. Note: Club managements have the option of shooting D Grade under 80%.

- (e) All shooters not previously registered with the A.C.T.A., and competing for the first time in common mark events, will be graded on the first 50 targets shot in competition, under the common mark classification.
- (f) Club managements have the option of running common mark events AA, A, B and C; Overall, A, B and C or First, Second and Third.
- (g) The grade earned by a shooter on his 15 metre results shall be his classification for all common mark events.
- (h) It shall be the responsibility of a designated club official to progressively mark the shooter's card with his 15 metre results and after each 200 targets regrade the shooter, if necessary. Note: If the 200 targets fall during an event or shoot-off, regrading will not take place until the completion of that event. All targets to the end of that event and shoot-off targets are to be used in calculation of percentage. When he re-registers the shooter shall be placed in the allowable grading indicated by his percentage, at the conclusion of his last 200 targets. If he has not shot at 200 targets during the year he shall be graded on the percentage of the targets shot at up to the time of re-registration.

- (i) A shooter will have his grade increased after shooting 200 targets but must shoot two consecutive groups of 200 targets at a lower grade percentage to be down graded. All scores after the last grading must be carried forward onto the new handicap card.

- (j) No shooter, other than those awaiting the issue of a card after registering for the first time, shall be allowed to enter in any competition unless he submits his card to the designated club official on each shooting day. However, if a shooter has lost his card he shall be allowed to compete providing he is registered with the A.C.T.A.

- (k) He shall be allowed to compete in his grade in common mark events and shall be allowed to compete in handicap events from the mark he claims to be his correct handicap mark. Should he win prize money or trophies they shall be retained by the club until such time as the shooter finds his card or obtains a new one and presents it to the club for marking.

- (l) Should it be found that the shooter has claimed the wrong handicap mark or grade, the State Association shall advise the nearest Executive Committeeman so that the matter may be investigated.

- (m) Should it be also found the shooter deliberately misled the club management regarding his grade and/or his handicap, the shooter be suspended for a period of three (3) months.

- (n) A shooter must not shoot in a grade higher than his best performance. Once having attained a grade he may elect to remain in that higher grade at the time of re-registering or reclassification. If a shooter elects to shoot in a grade higher than his percentage indicates after 400 targets, he must stay in the higher grade until he has shot at a further 400 targets to be downgraded. Note: If the shooter elects to shoot in a grade higher than his percentage indicates, the club handicapper is to mark his card "prefer A Grade" etc.

Once attaining A Grade a shooter cannot be reclassified as C grade. Once attaining AA Grade he cannot be regraded to B Grade.

Other than in the authority vested in Rule 2.7.

- (o) Any shooter re-registering after a period of non-registration shall be placed in the same grade and handicap as when he was last registered.

- (p) Managements conducting graded common mark events shall provide a minimum of one equal value prize or trophy for each grade. Unless the management clearly advertises otherwise, the optional sweepstakes on graded common mark events shall not be broken up into classes but shall be compulsorily divided over the whole field.

2.2 HANDICAP SHOOTING

- (a) No competitor is permitted to shoot from other than his A.C.T.A. handicap mark except in novelty events, common mark graded trophy events or common mark open championships or eyeopeners preceding common mark events which shall be shot from the same mark as the common mark event. All common mark graded events must be shot within the common mark rules.

- (b) All group handicap events must be shot from A.C.T.A. handicap marks.

2.3 A.C.T.A. TRAP HANDICAPPING FORMULA

- (a) Note: State Associations must elect State and Zone Handicappers, to advise and assist Club Handicappers, and re-handicap any obviously under-handicapped or over-handicapped, under-graded or over-graded shooter.

- (b) Each club must appoint a Club Handicapper to handicap and grade shooters, check to see that all common mark scores are entered on cards and check that handicap changes are recorded on cards. To re-handicap or re-grade any obviously under-handicapped or over-handicapped, under-graded or over-graded shooter. To advise Club Secretary of any changes in grading or handicapping for forwarding on to the A.C.T.A. office.

- (c) All shooters registering for the first time with the A.C.T.A. commence on 15 metres and are assessed for handicap by Club Handicapper after shooting their first 50 targets double barrel in competition.

- (d) Assessment of Handicap shall be 1 metre forward of 15 metres for

every 5 targets lost on the 1st 50 targets double barrel taken to the nearest multiple of 5 targets, e.g. 48/50 handicap 15 metres, 47/50 handicap 14 metres, 42/50 handicap 13 metres, Minimum handicap mark 11 metres.

- (e) Any competitor winning first in a handicap event will be handicapped 1 metre. Second placegetters and group winners to be handicapped 1 metre providing they have shot the possible. All handicap events must be shot out to finality, broken targets to count and not points to determine the possible.
- (f) In a group handicap event shot from handicap marks, the overall winner and each group winner will be handicapped 1 metre providing they have shot the possible. Any competitor winning overall in any Double Barrel, Single Barrel or Points championship event from behind his A.C.T.A. handicap mark will be re-handicapped to that mark, providing he has shot the possible.
- (g) All shooters who shoot 50 targets straight from or behind their handicap marks and are not re-handicapped under rules 2.3 (e) or 2.3 (f) will be handicapped 1 metre. A shooter can only be handicapped 1 metre per event except as in rule 2.3 (f).
- (h) Grades will indicate minimum handicaps as follows: AA 18 metres, A 17 metres and B 16 metres. If a shooter's grade changes, his handicap is still controlled by 2.4 (a).
- (i) For other than National, Commonwealth or State titles, handicap events shall consist of a maximum of 25 targets.

2.4 INWARD MOVEMENT

- (a) Any shooter who has shot at 200 targets from his A.C.T.A. handicap without backward movement will be entitled to inward movement of 1 metre per year, when renewing his annual registration. If any backward movement has been recorded for the past year no inward movement is allowed.
- (b) It is the shooter's responsibility to record his handicap scores on his handicap card, and have them stamped and signed by the Club Secretary.
- (c) A competitor may apply through the State Association for inward movement due to proven physical disability.
- (d) In handicap events competitors must shoot from their approved handicaps. If the competitor shoots from any other mark the target is lost.

2.5 GENERAL

Club Management and Secretaries are instructed that after any event the management must immediately rehandicap each and every shooter, who, for any of the reasons prescribed in the A.C.T.A. Handicapping Formula, qualifies for any movement off his handicap. Such adjustments are to strictly comply with the Formula. No shooter is to be permitted to compete in another event should he refuse to accept his new mark. Handicap details concerning on-the-spot adjustments are to be forwarded within 14 DAYS, to the A.C.T.A. Official Handicapper for ratification.

- 2.6 If some clerical error appears on a shooter's handicap card, or if a shooter is re-handicapped after any event, it is the shooter's responsibility to have the mistake corrected and to shoot off the correct handicap mark.

Such errors and/or amendments may be corrected by the club Secretary or a member of the Executive Committee of the A.C.T.A. or by the Association Handicapper.

- 2.7 Club Managements, Rules Supervisors, State or Zone Handicappers, or a member of the A.C.T.A. Executive Committee have the right to re-handicap or re-grade any obviously under-handicapped or over-handicapped, under-graded or over-graded shooter immediately, providing the Association is notified within 7 days and the reason given on a handicap return form. If these details are not completed such handicap movement cannot be ratified.

- 2.8 Club managements are informed that a Handicap Return must accompany EVERY result sheet forwarded to the A.C.T.A. office within SEVEN DAYS for each shoot being held. (Handicap Return Pads are available on application to the A.C.T.A., P.O. Box 198, Blackburn, Vic. 3130.)

2.9 SWEEPSTAKES DEDUCTION AND CASH DISTRIBUTION

- (a) All handicap sweepstakes events will be shot compulsory division with a maximum nomination of \$5.00. No handicap penalty to apply. Clubs have the option of taking 60% and returning 40% to shooters in sweepstakes events.
- (b) No deduction is permitted by clubs in optional sweepstakes.
- (c) In all sweepstakes, the distribution shall be on the basis of 60% (1st), 30% (2nd) and 10% (3rd). A competitor scoring the only possible in the event wins only 60% first place. All optional sweepstakes shall be compulsory division as in the above formula. The management shall clearly indicate on the official score sheet or score board those who have entered for the optional sweep.
- (d) Sweepstakes at State Carnivals on Championships may be decided by the State concerned. State Associations shall have the option of conducting either compulsory or optional sweepstakes at State Carnivals.

Note: TROPHY EVENTS — CASH OR OTHERWISE

In all Common Mark or Handicap events for cash prizes or trophies, other than sweepstakes, the placings shall be decided by shoot-off. The grading and handicap formulae will apply.

CHAMPIONSHIP CONDITIONS

Section 3

- 3.1 CHAMPIONSHIP CONDITIONS — MACKINTOSH INTERNATIONAL TRAP TEAMS MATCH
International Trap Teams match shall be shot under the conditions that apply at the time.

QUALIFICATIONS

- (a) Each team member shall be an Australian citizen of at least 12 months' standing. In the event of a member being unable to take his place in the team, his place will be filled by another shooter, agreed upon by the Organising Committee.
- (b) The necessary highest scores over the National Double Barrel of 50 targets; National Single Barrel of 50 targets; and the Australian and New Zealand Championship of 50 targets; point scoring 3 and 2, shall become Australia's International Team. In the event of a tie, to be shot-off in the order of qualification, squad system, at full rounds of 5 targets double barrel, 5 targets single barrel, 5 targets point scoring 3 and 2, for a possible score of 25, from 15 metres.
- (c) Highest scorer in the Australian team will hold the special International High Gun Cup (presented by the late J. M. Bauman, Esq., of Brisbane) for 12 months (or until the next International match) and will be awarded a special trophy and the International High Gun Sash.
- (d) Every member of the Australian Team will receive the special "International Badge".
- (e) Ladies and junior teams of five (5) shooters will be selected under the above conditions.
- (f) Only A.C.T.A. official Referees to officiate, scorer and check scorer to be provided, score sheets to be signed by scorers and Referees. The team members to be squadded in the order in which they qualify.

3.2 AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL DOUBLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

To be an event which for the time being shall be shot under conditions as determined by the Executive Committee.

3.3 AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL SINGLE BARREL CHAMPIONSHIP

To be an event which for the time being shall be shot under conditions as determined by the Executive Committee.

3.4 AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL DOUBLE RISE CHAMPIONSHIP

To be an event which for the time being shall be shot under conditions as determined by the Executive Committee.

3.5 AUSTRALIA-NEW ZEALAND CHAMPIONSHIP

To be an event which for the time being shall be shot under conditions as determined by the Executive Committee.

3.6 CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS CUP

To be an event which for the time being shall be shot under conditions as determined by the Executive Committee.

3.7 ENTRANCE FEES

Entrance fees and trophies for all National Championships to be determined each year by the full Executive Committee.

3.8 RON PORTER REMEMBRANCE TROPHY

Shall be determined from the highest overall scores in the six major trap events comprising Grand Australian Handicap, National Double Barrel, Single Barrel, A.N.Z. Double Rise and Champion of Champions. "The actual overall scores to be counted, with the results of the points scoring event to be counted as a figure within the overall result." In the event of ties, to be shot-off in the sequence of the program, five of each type of trap target on the high gun program.

3.9 J. NEWTON THOMAS OVERALL HIGH GUN TROPHY

Shall be determined from the highest overall scorers in the six major events of Grand Australian Handicap, National Double Barrel, Single Barrel, A.N.Z. Champion of Champions, Double Rise. "The actual overall scores to be counted with the results of the points scoring events to be counted as a figure within the overall result." In the event of ties, to be shot-off in the sequence of the program, five of each type of trap target on the high gun program.

3.10 AUSTRALIA-NEW ZEALAND TRAP TEAMS' MATCH

- (a) Teams to consist of six shooters. Both teams shoot at 20 targets per shooter, double barrel from 15 metres. Each competitor to shoot from five lanes, squad system. Cartridges shall be the prescribed maximum 32 gram shot load as for all Championship series.

- (b) Team Selection — when conducted in Australia: the six top Australian scorers in the Australia-New Zealand Championship comprise the Australian team. When conducted in New Zealand: the Australian team will be selected in accordance with an Executive Committee decision.

- 3.11 Venue — the match to be hosted, alternately by arrangement, in Australia during the odd numbered years.

- 3.12 Empty shells — empty shells on the ground at the National Championships are the property of the A.C.T.A.

- 3.13 Clubs shall have the option of running all Championships other than State or Commonwealth Championships either as graded events or as one class events.

3.14 COMMONWEALTH CHAMPIONSHIPS

- (a) The Double Barrel Championship shall be shot as a graded event at 50 targets from 20 metres.
 - (b) The Single Barrel Championship shall be shot as a graded event at 50 targets from 20 metres.
 - (c) The Double Barrel Points Score Championship shall be shot as a graded event 50 targets from 20 metres.
 - (d) The Mixed Target Championship shall be shot as a graded event at 10 targets double, 10 targets single barrel, 10 pairs double rise and 10 points score off 20 metres except Double Rise, which is shot off 15 metres. Total 70 points.
 - (e) The Walk-Up Championship shall be shot as a graded event at 25 targets.
 - (f) The Double Rise Championship shall be shot as a graded event at 25 pairs of targets from 15 metres.
 - (g) The Deauville Doubles Championship shall be shot at 20 pairs of targets from 24 metres.
- Conditions: The Management shall provide four trophies — two for first and two for second.

- (h) The Tower Championship shall be shot as a graded event at 40 targets. Double Rise to be shot at 20 pairs of targets.
- (i) The Continental Championship shall be shot as a graded event at 50 targets from 20 metres.

3.15 STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

- (a) The Double Barrel Championship shall be shot as a graded event at 50 targets from either 15 or 18 metres.
- (b) The Single Barrel Championship shall be shot as a graded event at 50 targets from either 15 or 18 metres.
- (c) The Double Barrel Points Score Championship shall be shot as a graded event at 50 targets from either 15 or 18 metres.
- (d) The Mixed Target Championship shall be shot as a graded event at 10 targets double barrel, 10 targets single barrel, 10 targets points score and 5 pairs double rise from either 15 or 18 metres. Total 60 points.
- (e) The Walk-up championship shall be shot at 20 targets.
- (f) The Double Rise Championship shall be shot as a graded event at 25 pairs of targets from 15 metres.
- (g) The Deauville Doubles Championship shall be shot at 20 pairs of targets from 22 metres.
Conditions: The Management shall provide four trophies — two for 1st and two for 2nd.
- (h) The Tower Championship shall be shot at 30 targets. Double Rise to be shot at 15 pairs of targets.
- (i) The Continental Championship shall be shot at 50 targets from 15 metres.

3.16 ZONE CHAMPIONSHIPS

- (a) The Double Barrel Championship shall be shot at 25 targets from 15 metres.
- (b) The Single Barrel Championship shall be shot at 25 targets from 15 metres.
- (c) The Double Barrel Points Score shall be shot at 25 targets from 15 metres.
- (d) The Mixed Target Championship shall be shot at 10 double barrel, 10 single barrel, 10 points score and 5 pairs double rise targets, total 60 points.
- (e) The Walk-up Championship shall be shot at 20 targets.
- (f) The Double Rise Championship shall be shot at 15 pairs of targets from 15 metres.
- (g) The Deauville Doubles Championship shall be shot at 20 pairs of targets from 22 metres.
- (h) The Tower Championship shall be shot at 25 targets.
- (i) The Continental Championship shall be shot at 25 targets from 15 metres.

3.17 DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIPS

- (a) The Double Barrel Championship shall be shot at 25 targets from 15 metres.
- (b) The Single Barrel Championship shall be shot at 25 targets from 15 metres.
- (c) The Double Barrel Points Score Championship shall be shot at 25 targets from 15 metres.
- (d) The Mixed Target Championship shall be shot at 5 double barrel, 5 single barrel, 5 points score and 5 pairs double rise total 35 points.
- (e) The Walk-up Championship shall be shot at 20 targets.
- (f) The Double Rise Championship shall be shot at 10 pairs of targets from 15 metres.
- (g) The Deauville Doubles Championship shall be shot at 20 pairs of targets from 20 metres.
- (h) The Tower Championship shall be shot at 25 targets.
- (i) The Continental Championship shall be shot at 25 targets from 15 metres.

3.18 CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHY VALUES AND NOMINATIONS

- (a) Championship trophy values (inclusive of badge or sash) and nominations for Commonwealth, State and Zone Championships, are fixed by the Association from time to time and advised in C.T.S.N. In District and Club Championships, the minimum retail value of trophies is left optional and at the discretion of the Clubs conducting the events.
- (b) In all Championships the management shall provide a sash or badge for the overall winner.
- (c) A surcharge fixed by the Executive Committee from time to time may be charged for all night events.

3.19 INTERSTATE TEAMS' MATCHES — D.T.L.

- (a) Team 15 members, 10 highest scores to count. 50 targets per member from 15 metres, double barrel points scoring, 5 lane squad system to be shot in two stages of 25 targets per visit, 5 targets from each lane per member before changing lanes. In the event of a tie for High Gun to be shot-off squad system, points scoring first miss out. International load shells 32 grams shot No. 6 size or lighter only. Manual — Automatic or electric oscillating traps to be used.
- (b) Ladies and juniors to comprise 6 shooters to shoot at 25 targets, double barrel points scoring from 15 metres, changing after each shot, and 5 scores to count.
- (c) **QUALIFICATIONS** — each team member shall have registered in the State which he represents and may only represent one State in any one year.
- (d) State Associations shall choose their team on the results of an elimination shoot or series.
- (e) An appropriate High Gun trophy shall be provided and a souvenir badge shall be given to each member of the State Team (15) by the club conducting the event — badges are available on application from the A.C.T.A. The program and venue of the Interstate Teams' Match shall be advertised in the A.C.T.A. "Shooting News" at least two months prior to the State Teams' elimination shoot, and the State Teams' Match.

- (f) The club conducting the Elimination Match shall provide compulsory division prize money of \$150 or 40% of the total nomination, whichever is the greatest. Where there are no tied scores, the distribution will be 60% for 1st, 30% for 2nd and 10% for 3rd. (This rule does not apply where the selection is conducted over a series.)

- (g) Maximum nomination for the elimination match shall be as set by the Executive Committee from time to time.

- (h) Only official A.C.T.A. Referees to officiate, scorer and check scorer to be provided. Score sheets to be signed by Scorers and Referees.

- (i) No other major shoot is permitted in the particular State on the day or days when elimination and State Teams' Shoot is held.

- (j) Results of the competition which must be completed by December 31 must not be publicised until all teams have contested. These results, including the scoresheets signed by both the Referee and principal scorer, must be sealed and lodged with the A.C.T.A. Executive Director by December 31. Weather conditions during the match are required. A check scorer should be used at each set of tracks. Final details of the Interstate teams' Matches to be published in the first available A.C.T.A. Shooting News.

- (k) Should a tie occur between competing teams then the score sheets shall be checked, points scoring, with a count-back for the 10 members of each team (or the 5 ladies and 5 juniors) to break the tie.

3.20 I.S.U. TEAMS' MATCHES

The qualifying event shall be conducted over either 50 or 100 targets. Teams are to consist of 6 shooters with the top 4 scores to count — the course of the team's event is to be 100 targets. I.S.U. Ladies and Junior teams to consist of 4 members with the 3 best scores to count, 25 targets per member.

3.21 QUALIFICATIONS

- (a) Each team member shall have registered in the State which he represents.
- (b) State Associations shall choose their team on the results of an elimination shoot or series.
- (c) In the event of a tie for placings it may be decided by the state association concerned.
- (d) An appropriate High Gun shall be provided, and a souvenir badge shall be given to each member of the State Team by the club conducting the event. Badges are available on application from the A.C.T.A.

3.22 I.S.U. CHAMPIONSHIPS

- (a) Commonwealth, State, Zone and District Championships may be conducted under International Shooting Union Rules. A.C.T.A. grading system shall be in addition to I.S.U. Shooting Rules.
 - (i) District I.S.U. Championships to be of 50 targets or 100 targets.
 - (ii) Zone I.S.U. Championships to be of 50 targets or 100 targets.
 - (iii) State I.S.U. Championships to be of 100 targets or 200 targets.
 - (iv) Commonwealth I.S.U. Championships to be of 200 targets.
 - (v) State or Commonwealth Ball Trap and Universal Trench (5 Trap) to be of 50 targets minimum, 100 or 200 targets.
- (b) (i) All I.S.U. events shall be run as graded events and equal trophies shall be provided for each grade.
- (ii) Shooters shall be graded into four classes by their percentage performance at all targets fired upon in competition, and shoot-offs, from 15 metres at either I.S.U. Trench or U.I.T. Trap.
- (iii) The grades shall be: AA — 95% and over; A — 85% and under 95%; B — 75% and under 85%; C — under 75%.
- (iv) It shall be the responsibility of a designated club official to progressively mark the shooter's card and after each 200 targets, regrade the shooter if necessary.
Note: If the 200 targets fall during an event or shoot-off, regrading will not take place until the completion of that event. All targets to the end of that event and shoot-off targets are to be used in calculation of percentage. When he re-registers, the shooter shall be placed in the allowable grading indicated by his percentage at the conclusion of his last 200 targets. If he has not shot at 200 targets during the year he shall be graded on the percentage of the targets shot at up to the time of re-registration.
- (v) A shooter may have his grade increased after shooting 200 targets but must shoot two consecutive groups of 200 targets at a lower grade percentage to be down graded. All scores after the last grading must be carried forward onto new handicap card.
- (vi) Shooters may compete in one grade only.
- (vii) Until such time as a shooter records his initial 100 I.S.U. or U.I.T. targets he shall be placed in the same class as his grading under A.C.T.A. Rules.

3.23 BALL TRAP

- (a) To be conducted under the rules of F.I.T.A.S.C.
- (b) Gradings shall be as I.S.U. trench, AA 95% and over. A 85% and under 95%, B 75% and under 85%, C under 75%.

3.24 TARGETS ONLY

Shooting for targets only, is a term which shall be held to define the status of a competitor in any given event, or events, or in an entire tournament program, and shall signify that a competitor is "shooting for targets only" and has no interest in any trophy or trophies, nor any interest in money or moneys in any specific event or events or in the entire program. The competitor's name shall be placed on the squad board, signifying that he is shooting for targets only. "Shooting for targets only" shall be allowed in any event at the discretion of the Club.

(a) Open shoots, that is Commonwealth, State and District Championships and open competitions (cases where more than \$200 value is allotted for distribution in any one event), must have the approval of the State Association before being advertised or conducted. (This rule applies to the actual event and the date of holding.)

- (b) Clubs allocated Commonwealth Championships and Interstate Teams' Matches must advertise the event in the A.C.T.A. "Shooting News" at least once, two months before the actual shooting date.
- (c) Clubs allocated State Championships must advertise these events in the A.C.T.A. "Shooting News".

A manual, automatic or electric oscillating trap must be used at all open shoots.

3.25 SASHES

- (a) Sash colours for clubs to be any colour other than those designated for National, Commonwealth (both royal blue), State (red) and District (white) Championship sashes.
- (b) Any person or persons or organisations may donate a trophy or trophies for competition but must comply with A.C.T.A. rules.

ADMINISTRATION

Section 4

4.1 TRAP LAYOUT

- (a) A standard trap layout shall consist of five firing points arranged on the arc of a circle of radius 16 metres and whose centre is the trap, firing points to be 3 metres apart, numbered 1-5 from left to right when viewed from the firing points and facing the trap, with No. 3 firing point directly behind the trap.

- (b) A horizontal line joining No. 3 firing point and the trap and prolonged indefinitely will be known as the "Centre Line".

4.2 FIRING POINTS FOR HANDICAPS

- (a) These firing points are situated at intervals of 1 metre from 11 to 25 metres behind the trap on lines from the trap extended through the firing points for standard trap layout. These firing points may be referred to as "Handicap Marks" and each line of firing points shall be known as a shooting lane.

- (b) The 11 metre mark is to be measured from the top centre pivot point of the trap.

4.3 This collection of firing points and shooting lanes, forming a fan-shaped pattern, shall be known as the "Shooting Tracks" and on each lane distances should be clearly marked to signify the forward limit of each firing point.

4.4 SHOOTING SQUARE

- (a) When firing the competitor's feet must be behind any line indicating the firing mark assigned to him, must stand with both feet completely within 1 metre square; this square shall extend 50 centimetres either side of the centre of the shooting lane and shall extend backwards 1 metre from the assigned handicap mark.
- (b) However, provided his front foot is as close as possible to the forward edge of a shooting square a shooter with a wide stance will not be penalised if his back foot extends beyond the rear edge of the shooting square.

4.5 TRAP HOUSES

Trap houses shall be used to give full protection to the trappers. These houses shall be 1 metre high in front, tapering or sloping to 85 centimetres at the back, and shall be 2 metres from back to front, 2.5 metres wide. A tolerance of 10 centimetres either way is permissible on these dimensions. All height measurements shall be taken from the level of the centre lane. The trap shall be mounted in a manner which will bring the top centre pivot point of the throwing arm 35 centimetres above the level of the centre lane and 1.5 metres from inside back of traphouse and 30 centimetres left of centre. A tolerance of 5 centimetres either side of this dimension is permissible.

4.6 LEGAL TARGETS

- (a) Targets, to be legal, whether single or doubles, shall be thrown out not less than 45 metres nor more than 55 metres (measured horizontally at trap level) with a flight of 3 metres above the centre lane at a point 10 metres from the trap, with a margin of tolerance of not more than 50 centimetres above or below. Except in double target shooting, the flight of targets shall be at unknown angles, thrown within an area subtending an angle at the trap of 45 degrees right and left of the centre line.

- (b) As an aid in determining the legality of targets, where possible three pegs at least 1 metre high are to be placed on the arc of a circle (known as the "Distance Circle") of radius 50 metres and whose centre is the trap; one on the centre line — "The Central Peg" — and one other each 45 degrees to the right and left of centre line respectively. These two pegs will be known as the "Lateral Limit Pegs". Concrete blocks and measuring sticks for measuring target height are to be standard equipment at all clubs.

- (c) Where practical, three minimum distance pegs shall be placed at 45 metres.

4.7 LEGAL TARGETS DOUBLE

Each double shall be thrown as a right and left quarterer respectively into an area subtending an angle of 25 degrees at the trap; each area having as one boundary a line to the lateral limit peg as defined, and as its other line drawn 20 degrees to the left and the right respectively of the centre line.

4.8 There is a tendency among officials to set the trap at 3.5 metres and say that they are within the permissible tolerance. This is not so. The trap so set has no tolerance above and has 1 metre tolerance below the 3.5 metre bar. In all cases the trap should be set to throw targets 3 metres high when 10 metres from the trap and should be altered immediately weather conditions cause targets to be thrown outside these limits. All too few clubs set their traps so that they cannot lower them to cope with an oncoming wind.

4.9 The provisions of rules 4.6 and 4.7 shall apply to targets released in still air.

If a target was fired upon and missed, but was blown out of bounds or fell short of distance due to adverse weather conditions it shall still be classed as a legal target.

4.10 TARGETS

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.

4.11 GUNS AND LOADS

- (a) The term "Magazine gun" applies alike to automatic guns, pump guns (so called) and other guns not directly dependent on hand loading and are permissible for clay target shooting.

- (b) Release trigger guns shall only be used on registered A.C.T.A. ground, subject to the following conditions:

- (i) A.C.T.A. shooters suffering from some condition which would make the use of a release trigger gun desirable shall obtain a statement signed by the President and Secretary of the shooter's home club, that the shooter suffers from such condition and shall present the statement to a Referee Examiner who shall satisfy himself that the shooter understands the use of a release trigger device.

Having been so satisfied the Referee Examiner shall forward the club statement to the A.C.T.A. Executive Director who shall keep the register of shooters authorised to use release trigger guns.

- (ii) No A.C.T.A. shooter other than those authorised in Trap Rules 11 (b) (i) shall use a release trigger gun.

- (iii) All release trigger guns used by A.C.T.A. shooters and overseas visitors shall be clearly labelled "CAUTION RELEASE TRIGGER" — in a conspicuous place near the breech. Such labelling to be consistent with 12mm width marking tape.

- (iv) Release trigger guns shall not be left in gun racks or in positions where they can be mistakenly handled but shall be constantly under the control and supervision of the user.

- (v) The user of a release trigger gun shall notify the Referee at each visit to the trap and skeet layout.

4.12 No gun which has a gauge larger than 12 gauge is permitted nor shall any barrel(s) length be shorter than 63 centimetres overall. No gun with a fitted compensator is permitted.

4.13 CARTRIDGES

- (a) For Championship events (Commonwealth, State, Zone and District), the load is limited to 32 grams struck measure or equivalent, shot size not larger than No. 6. Re-loads are permitted in all events except National Championships.

- (b) For handicap events, load is restricted to 36 grams struck measure or equivalent, shot size not larger than No. 6.

4.14 CHALLENGE

- (a) At all major competitions a jury shall be appointed. Any appointed jury shall have the authority to supervise the setting of traps and their decision shall be binding.

- (b) A competitor may challenge the load of any other competitor. On receipt of a written challenge, with \$20 forfeit, the Management shall obtain a cartridge from the challenger, and if after public examination of it the Management finds the challengee has violated requirements he may be disqualified or not accordingly as the offence was wilfully committed or otherwise. In case the challengee is wholly innocent the forfeit shall be paid to him, otherwise it shall be returned to the challenger. The Management of any Club, or of any tournament has the power to examine any competitor's cartridges at their discretion, without involving themselves in any penalty.

- (c) A competitor may appeal against the decision of a referee in regard to interpretation and application of these rules. The competitor shall advise the referee before he leaves the shooting track that he intends to appeal, and, immediately upon completing his run over the traps the competitor shall lodge a written appeal and \$20 forfeit with the Management. The Management shall appoint a jury of three chosen initially from members of the Referees Association. In the event of insufficient members being available, the jury shall be appointed from (in order) members of the Executive Committee, Rules Supervisors, Referee Examiners, Qualified Referees on the grounds, to examine the matter, and should the competitor's appeal be upheld, his deposit shall be returned and the correct ruling shall be applied to the target appealed against. Should the appeal be disallowed the deposit shall be forfeited and paid to the Club concerned. There shall be no appeal against a referee's decision in regard to whether a target is legal or whether it has been missed.

4.15 MANAGEMENT

The Management of any club holding a tournament or competition under these rules has the authority to reject any entry in the said tournament or other competition without giving any reason and to disqualify in whole or in part any competitor who acts in an ungentelemanly or disorderly manner, or who handles his gun dangerously.

4.16 COMPETITOR AND COMPETITION

- (a) Wheresoever the word "Competition" may be used in the following rules, it is to be understood to refer to each particular event, and must at all times be construed by the Management in whose charge the carrying out of such "Competition" has been entrusted.

- (b) A competitor is one who has nominated for a particular event, and whose name appears on the official score sheets or score board. A competitor can compete only once in each event. Each competitor shall carry and present his current Handicap/Registration Card at all shoots before he is allowed to participate.

- (c) Every competitor entering competitions agrees to accept all official decisions, and to abide by the rules controlling the competition.

- (d) All competitors must be registered by the A.C.T.A. before taking part in competition. Unregistered competitors are not permitted to compete at any time.

- (e) Competitors must at all times use their correct names when entering a competition. Shooting nom-de-plumes are not permitted.

Any competitor who commences an event and withdraws or is disqualified from the competition forfeits the right to resume and to any refund from the event.

4.17 All clay targets — broken or otherwise — shall remain the property of the Club and not the competitor. The competitor only pays for the privilege of shooting.

4.18 Should darkness, bad weather, or other cause interfere with the competition the Management shall have the right to decide when and how the competition shall be continued, provided that this is not postponed longer than one calendar month. Any competitor who defaults in respect of such postponed competition forfeits all his rights and standing therein.

4.19 SHOOTING UP

No shooter may be allowed to enter an event after the commencement of the second round of that event.

4.20 REFEREE

(a) To become a registered referee, a candidate shall approach his Club Secretary and President, who (when they consider that the candidate has achieved a satisfactory standard) shall recommend in writing to the nearest Registered Referee Examiner on the prescribed form that the candidate be given a practical and oral examination. When the candidate has passed this examination to the Examiner's entire satisfaction the examiner will then submit his recommendation plus the form to the A.C.T.A. Executive Director, who will issue a Referee badge to the candidate.

Any candidate who has failed and wishes to be re-examined must be re-examined by the same Examiner.

(b) The Rules Supervisors will keep a record of all Referees in their State.

(c) The Club Management complaint of any Referee or Referee examiner shall be referred to the nearest Rules Supervisor within the State for investigation. The Rules Supervisor has the power to suspend the person concerned until the State Association Meeting. If justified the State Association has the power to further suspend and recall the Referee or Referee Examiner's badge and shall advise the A.C.T.A. Executive Director of the action taken.

(d) Referees shall be appointed for a period of five (5) years and are eligible for re-examination. Any Referee or Referee examiner who fails to register in any year will have his name automatically removed from the Association Referee and Referee Examiner list.

(e) The Referee's decision in all cases coming under his jurisdiction as set forth in the rules, shall be final. Referees must wear their official badge at all shoots.

DUTIES OF REFEREES

(f) The Referee, besides attending to special duties set forth in these rules, shall adjudicate the competition, he shall distinctly and loudly announce the result of each shot by calling out "one" when the target is broken, and "Lost" when the target is unbroken, except Points Scoring, he shall decide all other issues which arise in relation to the direct competition.

(g) A check Referee shall be employed for Deauville Doubles and Double Rise competition with the chief Referee to give the decision.

(h) If the Referee is negligent, or inefficient, impairing thereby the equity of the competition, the Management may forthwith remove him. This rule applies also to scorers, pullers, trappers and any other of the staff.

(i) The Referee is empowered to challenge the ammunition used by any competitor.

(j) The Referee has power to alter his decision. If altering his decision on "Lost target" or "Baulk", etc., during the competition, this must be done before the shooter in question shoots his next target or the shooter leaves the tracks should this be his last target.

(k) The officiating Referee or the Management MUST adjust the trap immediately if it is not throwing regulation targets. Immediately following such alteration a target must be thrown and the competition continued.

(l) He must have complete knowledge of the Rules of the A.C.T.A. and shall adjudicate the competition at all times as set by the management.

(m) It is his responsibility to announce the conditions as set out in the Rules for each event before the competition commences, also to deploy shooters to their correct firing lanes.

(n) As shooting proceeds he must observe that shooters are commencing on their correct mark, not shooting out of turn, are handling their guns with safety, and using the correct shells as laid down for each individual event.

(o) The referee must be efficient and alert at all times and it is most important that he should gain the confidence and respect of each and every competitor.

4.21 DUTIES OF SHOOT MARSHAL

(a) He must observe all the duties of the official referee.

(b) He must be present at all shoot-offs.

(c) He must see that all traps are checked for correct height and angles prior to shoot-off.

(d) The shoot marshal shall be in charge of all operations and personnel including referees relating to the shoot and shall be responsible only to the management.

(e) He must instruct and roster the duties of all personnel prior to the commencement of each day's shooting.

4.22 DUTIES OF REFEREE EXAMINER

(a) To examine applicants for Referee in trap and or skeet, who have been recommended as required in the A.C.T.A. shooting rules. I.S.U. appointed Referee Examiner to examine applicants for referee in I.S.U., who have been recommended as required in the A.C.T.A. shooting rules.

(b) To assess the applicant's temperament, fairness, his ability to

control a situation and his personal behaviour on the shooting tracks as a shooter before considering an examination.

(c) To observe the actions of existing Referees on the shooting ground and to discuss any problems or make any recommendations considered appropriate.

(d) To make himself available when convenient to attend Rules discussions when required by clubs.

4.23 DUTIES OF RULES SUPERVISOR

(a) To examine applicants, theoretically and practically, for the position of A.C.T.A. Trap and Skeet Referee Examiner and to advise the A.C.T.A. Office when the applicant is successful.

I.S.U. appointed Rules Supervisor to examine applicants theoretically and practically for the position of A.C.T.A. I.S.U. Referee Examiner and to advise the A.C.T.A. when the applicant is successful. Maximum of one I.S.U. Referee Examiner per State to be appointed.

(b) To demand a degree of ability, before authorising new Referee Examiners, that will ensure a high standard of Refereeing.

(c) To observe the actions of existing Referee Examiners and Referees and to discuss any problems concerning their duties.

(d) To investigate the written complaint of any club management or Referee Examiner concerning the ability of existing Referees and to report to the appropriate State Association when action is considered necessary, with full facts so that the State Association concerned may recommend the action to be taken as detailed in trap rule 4.20 (c).

(e) To investigate the written complaint of any club management concerning the ability of any Referee Examiner and to report the facts to the appropriate State Association concerned, so that the State Association concerned may recommend the action to be taken.

(f) To arrange or require the re-examination of any Referee examiner or Referee. (When investigating complaints concerning Referee Examiners and Referees every effort should be made to correct the complaint by re-examination or re-training in preference to suspension.)

(g) To control the number of Referee Examiners so that:

(i) Referee applicants cannot shop around for an easy examiner.
(ii) The principle of common interpretation is maintained — (the more examiners the more chance of interpretation becoming loose).

(h) A Rules Supervisor should not generally carry out Referee examinations but may do so if requested or if there is no Referee examiner in the area.

(i) To make himself available when convenient to attend Rules discussions when requested by clubs.

4.24 REFEREE AND SCORER

(a) The scorer shall keep an accurate record of each shot, according to the referee's call. He shall mark the figure "1" for the call of "one" or the figure "0" for the call of "lost" for either single barrel or double barrel shooting. Double barrel denotes that two shots are allowed per target, each shot of equal scoring value. Double barrel "Points" denotes three points for a "score" on the first barrel, two points for a "score" on the second barrel and no points for "lost". These points scored will be called by the referee and scored by the scorer accordingly.

If the scorer is incompetent at scoring the referee has the right to change the scorer before commencement or during the event.

(b) All malfunctions, faulty cartridges or misfires must be recorded on the score sheet as "M" for malfunction, "R" for all refusals.

(c) The official score must be kept on a score sheet and be available for inspection by the competitor.

(d) It shall be the responsibility of the competitor to check his score with the score sheets before leaving the shooting tracks. Any protest on his score must be lodged with the referee immediately, i.e. before leaving the shooting tracks. Such protest can only be made against incorrect score.

4.25 BREAK RECOGNITION

(a) Break badges will be recognised in sequences of 50, 75, 100, 150, 200, 250 and so on, provided these are shot over automatic traps under double or single barrel conditions and in regular competition on one day only excepting over a program of two or more successive days. Also for ball trap and double rise i.e. 25 pair, 50 pair and so on.

(b) Non-oscillating traps are not acceptable within the rules.

(c) Break badges may also be similarly earned in Continental down-the-line events, or Tower events provided that the break is achieved from events of the same nature.

(d) No practice between events is permitted and breaks must be continuous.

(e) Shooting at not more than two sighter targets (not to count) prior to commencement of an event does not terminate a break in progress.

(f) To shoot in other than a specific type of event, as named above, immediately concludes a break.

(g) Clubs must submit form number 17, duly completed, to the A.C.T.A. Secretary, with the prescribed fee for each requested badge, before recognition can be considered or granted. Break badges once they have been obtained, will not be repeated. Badges for "25 metres" will also be available to those attaining this as their registered handicap.

(h) Distinctive break badges may also be similarly earned from the "25 metre" mark.

(i) Break badges are available for all breaks up to the total break achieved.

4.26 PENALTIES

Any shooter deliberately firing at any fauna on any shooting ground shall be immediately suspended by the club management and shall remain suspended until the incident is dealt with by his State Association.

SKEET SHOOTING RULES

Section 5

5.1 SAFETY

- (a) All guns must be immediately opened upon removal from a gun rack or car to determine that they are indeed empty.
- (b) All guns carried on or about the shooting grounds must be held in a position of safety with the breech open, and unloaded, at all times.
- (c) Shooting on the grounds at any place other than the firing point at legitimate targets only is prohibited except where a pattern plate is installed and then only with the permission of the club management.
- (d) Shooting, holding the gun in any position other than orthodox, i.e. to the shoulder is prohibited, (with the exception of a physical disability). Any shooter acting in this way will be immediately suspended by Referee or management, and reported to the Executive Committee in writing. Minimum penalty three (3) months suspension.
- (e) Any shooter committing an ungently or unsafe act on the shooting ground shall be liable to suspension or disqualification.
- (f) Any shooter deliberately firing at any fauna on any shooting ground shall immediately be suspended by the club management and shall remain suspended until the incident is dealt with by his State Association.
- (g) When it is his turn to shoot, a competitor shall stand on the shooting station, load and close his gun. He must open his gun and remove the cartridges before turning or leaving the shooting station.
- (h) Shooters experiencing a misfire or malfunction must remain with their gun pointed in the direction of the traphouse until the referee arrives to adjudicate.
- (i) The shooter will not insert a cartridge in his gun until he is on the shooting station, at his turn. All cartridges must be removed from a gun upon the red signal at the traphouse, or if any official approaches the traphouses on that layout.
- (j) Release trigger guns shall not be left in gun racks or in positions where they can be mistakenly handled but shall be constantly under the control and supervision of the user, and shall be labelled as per rule 8.5 (b) (iii).
- (k) The user of a release trigger gun shall notify the referee at each visit to the trap or skeet layout.

5.2 SKEET ROUND PROCEDURE

- (a) The squad shall start shooting at Station 1 in the order in which the names appear on the score sheet. The first competitor shall start shooting singles, firing upon the high house target first and the low house target second. Then he shall proceed to shoot doubles, firing the first shot at the target emerging from the high house and the second shot at the target from the low house, before leaving the station. The second shooter shall then proceed likewise, followed by the other members of the squad in turn. Then the squad shall proceed to Station 2 and repeat the same sequence as on Station 1. The squad shall then proceed to Station 3 where each competitor will shoot at a single target from the high house first and then a single target from the low house before leaving the shooting station. The same procedure will be followed at Station 4 and 5. Upon advancing to Station 6 the first competitor will shoot singles in the same sequence as at the previous stations and then he shall shoot doubles by firing at the low house target first and the high house target second before leaving the station. The other competitors will follow in their turn. The procedure to follow at Station 7: The first competitor shall start shooting singles firing upon the low house target first, and the high house target second. Then he shall proceed to shoot doubles, firing first shot at the target emerging from the low house and the second shot at the target emerging from the high house, before leaving the station. The other competitors will follow in their turn. The squad will advance to Station 8 where they will stand in their shooting order behind the referee on an imaginary line drawn between the centre of Station 8 and Station 4. The first competitor, loading one cartridge only, shall shoot at one target from the high house. If the competitor has broken his first 23 targets he shall then turn and load two cartridges to shoot his 24th and 25th targets from the low house. The other competitors will then follow in order the same procedure. A shooter must stand on the station, position himself, load his gun and call for his target within 15 seconds after the shooter preceding him has completed his firing or after the referee has given the signal to commence firing or to resume firing. Non-compliance with the above will draw a warning from the referee. Subsequent occurrences during a 25 target series will be penalised one target each.
- (b) A round of skeet for one person consists of 25 targets. The object being to score the greatest number of broken targets.
- (c) The first target lost in each round shall be repeated immediately and the result scored as the 25th target and recorded in the 25th column on the score sheet.
- (d) Should the first target lost occur in a double, the Lost Target shall be repeated as a single and scored as the 25th shot.
- (e) On station 1 to 7 two cartridges must be loaded to shoot single targets with the exception of users of release trigger guns, one cartridge only to be fired at each target.
- (f) During single target shooting with the gun loaded with cartridges, the shooter must not open his gun after shooting the first of the two singles, except when a shooter is repeating the 25th target.
- (g) A HALF ROUND OF SKEET consists of 13 targets as follows:
Station 1 = a single high house target = 1
Station 2 = a single low house target + 2
and one pair of targets (H & L) + 2 = 4

Station 3 = a single high house target + 1 = 5
Station 4 = a single low house target + 1 = 6
Station 5 = a single high house target + 1 = 7
Station 6 = a single low house target + 1 = 8
and a pair of targets (L then H) + 2 = 10
Station 7 = a single high house target + 1 = 11
Station 8 = a single high house target + 1 = 12
and a single low house target + 1 = 13

- (h) Club managements have the option of conducting events using separate button pushers, referees and scorers.

5.3 RULES AND PROCEDURE FOR DOUBLES EVENTS

- (a) Open Double Championships shall be shot at 25 pairs or multiples of 25 pairs.
- (b) Round One, commencing on station one through station four, a double to be shot from each station, taking the high house first. Stations five, six and seven a double to be shot taking the low house first. Reverse through stations six, five and four, a double to be shot taking the low house first. Stations three and two, a double to be shot taking the high house first. Round Two, stations one to seven to be shot as in round one. The reverse section of round two will conclude with a normal double from station one.
- (c) Clubs have the option of conducting a 25 target event. This event will be the first round of the double (12 pair) with the addition of a single high house target immediately following the concluding double, from station two.
- (d) In the event of doubles being included in a high gun over a program, the shoot will be conducted in the following manner: Competitors will shoot at a high and low single from station four, they will then return and shoot a double from station four. Shooting will continue in brackets of four targets until a result is achieved.
- (e) For handicapping purposes only, this event will be considered to be a novelty event.
- (f) For other than the above, all A.C.T.A. Rules will apply.

5.4 PROCEDURE AND DEFINITIONS

- (a) A competitor must be at the firing point within two minutes after having been called by the official referee, scorer or a member of the Club Management. Failing therein, he may be disqualified or penalised with loss of targets or may be re-squadded in the last squad at the discretion of the Club. A competitor is duly notified to compete when his name is called out by the referee, scorer or other person authorised to do so by the Management or when his name appears on the score board. If a "squad hustler" is furnished it is a matter of courtesy only and does not relieve the competitor from responsibility. It is the duty of each and every competitor to be promptly on hand to compete when called upon to do so.

5.5 SHOOTING POSITIONS

- The competitor must stand with both feet entirely within the boundary of the shooting station.

5.6 GUN POSITION

- The competitor may hold his gun in any position consistent with safety.

5.7 SQUAD

- (a) A squad for shooting skeet shall have a maximum of six (6) competitors. Under safety requirements this number must not be exceeded.
- (b) The officiating referee or management MUST adjust the traps immediately if they are not throwing regulation targets.
- (c) The competitor whose turn it is to shoot must observe a Legal Target from a traphouse where the trap has been adjusted or repaired or where several non-legal (irregular) or No Targets have been released.
- (d) No competitor shall unduly delay a squad without good and sufficient reason in the judgement of the referee in charge of the squad. A shooter who persists in deliberately causing inexcusable delays after receiving a first warning from the referee shall be subject to disqualification from the event.
- (e) At the beginning of each round when the squad is assembled at Station 1, the squad must observe a single target from both the High and Low Traphouses.
- (f) No member of a squad having shot from one station shall proceed toward the next station in such a way as to interfere with another shooter. The penalty for wilful interference in this manner shall be disqualification from the event. However, when in the opinion of the referee it is done unobtrusively the first competitor in a squad should be allowed to move across and stand at least three metres behind the next station from Station 2 to 6 inclusive.

5.8 BAULK

- (a) Any extraneous occurrence which, in the opinion of the referee, materially interferes with the equity of the competitor after he calls for his target constitutes a baulk.
- (b) Under no circumstances will a baulk be granted unless claimed by the competitor immediately it occurs, or if, in the opinion of the referee, a baulk has occurred, he may restore the competitor's target.

5.9 BROKEN TARGET

- A "broken target" called by the referee as "1", is one which has a visible piece broken from it, whilst in the air and within the shooting bounds, by the shot from the competitor's gun.

5.10 DUSTED TARGET

- (a) A Dusted Target is one from which dust is detached by the competitor's shot, but the target shows no visible lessening in size therefrom. A Dusted Target is not a Broken Target, and is a Lost Target.
- (b) A whole target when fired upon is to count even if it falls outside legal limits because of wind or some other factor.

5.11 NO TARGET SINGLES

After "No Target" has been called by the referee under any of the following conditions it thereafter plays no part in the competition and is irrelevant to it.

No Target shall be called when a target is refused for the following reasons

- (a) A target is released without the competitor's call and the target has not been fired at.

- (b) A time interval occurs before or after the competitor's call. Unless the target is fired at.

Note: If in the opinion of the management an excess of refusals is recorded, the management has the right to check the shooter, Referee and equipment.

If in the opinion of the referee, legal targets are being refused, the referee shall call lost target.

- (c) A broken target is released.
- (d) In single target shooting, two targets are released at the same time (unless fired at).

- (e) A target does not conform to the definition of a legal target as regards height distance or angle thrown and the target has not been fired at.

- (f) A misfire or malfunction caused by the competitor's gun or a misfire of the cartridge occurs due to no neglect of the competitor.

- (g) If when double loading while shooting single targets a misfire or malfunction should occur preventing the competitor from shooting at the second target.

- (h) A simultaneous or near simultaneous discharge occurs: i.e. from any cause both barrels are discharged together or nearly together. Simultaneous discharges shall be classed as malfunctions.

- (i) The following are considered malfunctions of ammunition, i.e. failure to fire when firing pin indentation is clearly noticeable:

(1) When only the primer fires.

(2) When the powder charge has been omitted.

(3) When the powder charge is not ignited.

- (j) Components of the load remaining in the barrel shall be considered as evidence of defective ammunition. The referee must decide.

- (j) All misfires or malfunctions, faulty cartridges or refusals must be recorded on the score sheet as "M" for malfunction or "R" for refusal.

5.12 NO TARGET DOUBLES AND PROOF DOUBLES

- (a) No targets (both) shall be called when either target in doubles is released broken.

- (b) No targets (both) shall be called in doubles when both targets are not released simultaneously.

- (c) No targets (both) shall be called when only one target is released in doubles.

- (d) No targets (both) shall be declared if any allowable malfunction occurs on the first shot in doubles, and a proof pair shall be thrown to determine the results of both shots. If such malfunction is excessive the Referee shall declare "first target lost, and no target on second barrel", and a proof double shall be thrown to determine the result of the second shot only.

- (e) No targets (both) shall be declared if the targets of a double collide before the result of the first shot is determined, and a proof double shall be thrown to determine the result of both shots.

- (f) If the first target lost be the first target of a regular double, when the competitor is deprived of the opportunity of shooting at a second target then a proof double shall be fired upon to determine the result of the second shot and then the first target lost shall be repeated as a single and scored as the 25th target.

- 5.13 If a double be thrown but the shooter is deprived of a normal second shot for any of the following reasons, the result of the first shot shall be scored and the second target only shall be declared "no target", and a proof double shall be fired to determine the result of the second shot only:

- (a) Both targets are broken with the first shot.

- (b) The wrong target is broken with the first shot. The competitor must notify the Referee on each occasion he elects to shoot at the incoming target while shooting doubles.

- (c) The first shot is lost and a collision occurs before the result of the second shot is determined.

- (d) The second target collides with fragments of the first target, properly broken, before the result of the second shot is determined.

- (e) The result of the first shot is determined and a baulk occurs interfering with the equity of the second shot.

- (f) An allowable malfunction occurs on the second shot. If such malfunction is excessive, not allowable, the second target shall be scored "lost".

Note: If the shooter shoots at an illegal first target and the SECOND target is LEGAL, he must also shoot the second target. However, a shooter is not required to shoot at an illegal second target even though he shot at the first target which may have been either a legal or an illegal target.

5.14 LOST TARGET

Lost target shall be called when:

- (a) A competitor fails to break a legal target.

- (b) When the competitor fails to shoot because his gun is unloaded, or because the safety was faultily adjusted or jarred back from his own oversight or not, or because of any other cause chargeable to his own oversight or neglect. Should this happen when shooting doubles the first target should be declared lost and a proof pair shall be thrown to determine the result of the second shot only.

- (c) The competitor attempts to open the gun before the Referee examines it. A competitor having an apparent misfire or malfunction will forthwith call the Referee for his decision. The competitor must not turn around and must keep his gun pointed in the direction of the traphouse until the Referee has given his decision. If a competitor's

gun breaks down and it is necessary to seek a replacement the competitor is allowed five (5) minutes to do so. If this is not possible the competitor may leave the squad and finish the remaining targets of the round at a time decided by the Referee or when a vacancy occurs.

- (d) On the fourth and subsequent malfunction in any one event. However, at the end of each 100 targets in any one event, the malfunctions that have occurred shall be cancelled, and the count shall re-commence from zero.

- (e) When the competitor breaks a target outside the shooting bounds.

- (f) If the first target lost be the first target of a regular double, when the competitor is deprived of the opportunity of shooting at a second target then a proof double shall first be fired upon to determine the result of the second shot and then the first target lost shall be repeated as a single and scored as the 25th target.

- (g) If when shooting a proof double the competitor accidentally breaks the wrong target first the result shall be NO TARGET and a further proof double shall be released. If no result is obtained after three attempts both targets shall be scored lost.

- 5.15 The referee has power to alter his decision. If altering his decision on "lost target" or "baulk" etc., during the competition this must be done before the shooter in question shoots his next target or before he leaves the tracks, should this be his last target.

- 5.16 (a) Every competitor entering competitions agrees to accept all official decisions, and to abide by the rules controlling the competitions.

- (b) A competitor may appeal against the decision of the referee in regard to interpretation and application of these rules. The competitor shall advise the referee before he leaves the shooting tracks that he intends to appeal, and, immediately upon completing his run over the traps the competitor shall lodge a written appeal and \$20 forfeit with the management.

The management shall enlist the aid of at least three, including any Executive Committee members, Rules Supervisors, Referee Examiners or Official Referees on the grounds to examine the matter and should the competitor's appeal be upheld his forfeit shall be returned and the correct ruling shall be applied to the target appealed against. Should the appeal be disallowed the forfeit shall be paid to the club concerned.

There shall be no appeal against a referee's decision in regard to whether a target is legal or whether it has been missed.

- (c) All competitors must be registered by the A.C.T.A. before taking part in competition. Unregistered competitors are not permitted to compete at any time.

- (d) Competitors must at all times use their correct names when entering a competition. Shooting nom-de-plumes are not permitted.

- (e) If a competitor who commences an event withdraws or is disqualified from the competition, he forfeits his right to resume and to any refund from the event.

5.17 CHAMPIONSHIP EVENT TIES

- (a) All tie shoots in Championships must be shot off squad system first miss out.

- (b) At the discretion of club management, skeet shoot-offs may be conducted in conjunction with following events or as doubles from Stations 1 to 7.

- (c) Commonwealth, State, Zone and District Championships shall be shot off squad system, first miss out.

Shoot-off competitors shall carry enough shells for a complete run over a Skeet layout. Failure to comply "lost target".

- (d) Competitor allowed five (5) minutes to replenish ammunition between rounds of shoot-off. Failure to comply "lost target".

- (e) When shooting doubles in a first miss-out shoot-off, both targets shall be fired upon and recorded even though the first target may have been missed. The score on the second target shall be considered to be part of the competition and shall be used to arrive at a decision when the tied competitors all miss the first target of the double.

Examples:

- (i) Shooter A scores 0-1 in the doubles and shooter B scores 1-0. Shooter B is the winner.

- (ii) Shooter A scores 0-1 and shooter B scores 0-0. Shooter A is the winner.

- (iii) Both shooters score 0-1 or both shooters score 1-0. The shooters are equal and, if this was their first miss, both would return to the station and shoot a repeat target.

- (f) Should a gun malfunction occur during a shoot-off, the competitor has five (5) minutes to repair or replace the gun. Failure to comply "Lost Target".

5.18 HANDICAP EVENT TIES

- (a) Each competitor will commence the shoot-off with a handicap allowance equivalent to the surplus of his A.C.T.A. handicap remaining after qualifying for the shoot-off and will continue in the shoot-off until he has lost one target in excess of the handicap allowance irrespective of the length of the shoot-off.

Examples:

- (i) 25 target event. A competitor whose A.C.T.A. handicap is 5 shoots 22-25. He will commence the shoot-off with a handicap allowance of 2 and will be eliminated immediately he loses one target in excess of the allowance. Should he shoot 23-25 in the first round of the shoot-off he will commence the second round with an allowance of 0 targets.

- (ii) 50 target event. A competitor whose A.C.T.A. handicap is 5 shoots 42-50. He will commence the shoot-off with a handicap allowance of 2 and will continue in the shoot-off as in (i) above.

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6.1 SKET HANDICAPPING FORMULA

- (a) A skeet shooter with no past performance or handicap rating shall

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- shoot his first round on a zero handicap to establish a handicap.
- (b) For his second round his handicap allowance shall be the difference between his score in the first round and 25.
 - (c) For his third round his handicap allowance shall be the difference between the average of his first two rounds and 25.
 - (d) For his fourth round his handicap allowance shall be the difference between the average of his first three rounds and 25.
 - (e) For his fifth round his handicap allowance shall be the difference between the average of his first four rounds and 25.
 - (f) After shooting five rounds the lowest score of the five shall be discarded and the difference between the average of the other four rounds and 25 shall be his handicap allowance.
 - (g) Grades. After shooting the next 200 targets and each successive 200 targets the shooter's handicap and grading shall then be adjusted according to the handicap and grading formula.
A shooter may have his grade increased after shooting 200 targets but must shoot two consecutive groups of 200 targets at a lower grade percentage to be down graded. All scores after the last grading must be carried forward onto new handicap card.
AA Grade 97% and over — Handicap 0; A Grade 94% and under 97% — Handicap 1; B Grade 87% and under 94% — Handicap 2 or 3; C Grade 80% and under 87% — Handicap 4 or 5.
Note: Club Managements have the option of shooting D Grade under 80% — Handicap 6.

6.2 Note: No shooter shall have a handicap greater than 5 except when Club Management programmes D Grade (handicap 6) and then for that event only. A shooter must not shoot in a grade higher than his best performance. Once having attained a grade he may elect to remain in a higher grade at the time of re-registering or reclassification. Once attaining 'A' Grade a shooter cannot be reclassified as 'C' Grade. Once attaining AA Grade he cannot be re-graded to B Grade. Other than in the authority vested in rule 6.3.

6.3 Rules Supervisors, State or Zone Handicappers, or a member of the A.C.T.A. Executive Committee have the right to re-handicap or regrade any obviously under handicapped or over handicapped, under graded or over graded shooter immediately, providing the Association is notified within 7 days and the reason given on handicap return form. If these details are not completed such handicap movement cannot be ratified.

6.4 After shooting the first five rounds the shooter's handicap shall then only be adjusted after each successive 200 targets as in 6.1(g).

6.5 All full skeet rounds of 25 targets are to be recorded and used for handicapping (championship events, handicap events and any shoot-off full rounds).

Note: Practice rounds are not to be used for handicapping. See rule 8.7 concerning "targets only" scores that are to be used for handicapping.

6.6 It shall be the responsibility of the designated club official to progressively mark the shooter's card with his full round scores and after each 200 targets to calculate his new handicap. Any handicap adjustments as a result of these rules shall be notified, on the club return, to the A.C.T.A. Secretary within seven days.

6.7 Shooters should retain and be able to produce their handicap card of the previous year so that scores for the previous six months are readily available.
Decreases in handicap or grade will not be granted unless these records can be provided.

6.8 Any shooter re-registering after a period of non-registration shall be placed in the same grade and handicap as when he was last registered.

6.9 COMPETITOR

(a) A "competitor" is one who has nominated for particular events and whose name appears on the official score sheet or score board. A competitor can compete only once in each event. Each competitor shall carry and present his handicap and registration card to all shoots and shall present it to the nomination office before being allowed to participate. It shall be the responsibility of the club to enter the competitor's scores on his card and to calculate his handicap at the appropriate times.

However, if a shooter has lost his card he shall be allowed to compete provided he is registered with the A.C.T.A. in the Grade or Handicap he claims to be correct.

(b) Should he win prize money or trophies they shall be retained by the club until such time as the shooter finds his card or obtains a new one and presents it to the club for marking.

(c) Should it be found that the shooter has claimed the wrong handicap mark or grade, the State Association shall advise the nearest Executive Committeeman so that the matter may be investigated.

(d) Should it be found the shooter deliberately misled the club management regarding his Grade and/or his handicap, the shooter be suspended for a period of three (3) months.

6.10 SKEET SWEEPSTAKES

(a) The normal method in a Skeet Handicap is to divide the sweepstakes amongst those shooters attaining twenty-five broken targets, with handicaps included:

Example:
Smith 25-25, handicap 3 total = 25-25
Jones 22-25, handicap 3 total = 25-25
Brown 20-25, handicap 5 total = 25-25

(b) The normal method in skeet championships is to divide the sweepstakes using off the gun scores.

(c) All sweepstakes must be divided 60%, 30% and 10%.

(d) Possible deduction from sweepstakes by Clubs in contests shall not be more than 60% (inclusive of targets). In optional sweepstakes no deduction may be retained by clubs.

(e) Sweepstakes at State Carnivals on Championships may be decided by the State concerned. State Associations shall have the option of conducting either compulsory or optional sweepstakes at State Carnivals.

7.1 Club Managements have the option of running all Championships either as graded events or as one class events with placings of 1st, 2nd and 3rd. When run as graded events the grades shall be: A-A, A, B and C; A, B and C; Overall A, B and C.

Note: Club Managements have the option of shooting D Grade under 80% — Handicap 6.

7.2 COMPETITION

Wheresoever the word "Competition" may be used in the following rules, it is to be understood to refer to each particular event, and must at all times be construed by the Management in whose charge the carrying out of such "Competition" has been entrusted.

(a) Open Shoots, that is Commonwealth, State and District Championships and open competitions (cases where more than \$200 is allotted for distribution in any one event), must have the approval of the State Association before being advertised or conducted. (This rule applies to the actual event and the proposed date of holding.)

(b) Clubs allocated Commonwealth Championships and Interstate Teams' Matches must advertise the event in A.C.T.A. "Shooting News" at least once, two months before the actual shooting date.

(c) Clubs allocated State Championships must advertise these events in the A.C.T.A. "Shooting News".

CHAMPIONSHIP CONDITIONS

7.3 AUSTRALIAN SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP

To be an event which for the time being shall be shot under conditions as determined by the Executive Committee.

7.4 AUSTRALIAN/NEW ZEALAND SKEET TEAMS MATCH

The five top scorers in the Australian National Skeet Championship will comprise the Australian Team. Both teams will shoot at one round of 25 targets per shooter. In the event of tie scores, the result to be a tie. When the match is conducted in New Zealand, the Australian team selection policy will be determined by an Executive Committee decision.

OTHER SKEET CHAMPIONSHIPS

7.5 NUMBER OF TARGETS

Commonwealth — 100 targets or 200 targets

State and Zone — 50 targets or 100 targets

District — 25 targets or 50 targets.

7.6 I.S.U. CHAMPIONSHIPS

(a) Commonwealth, State, Zone and District Championships may be conducted under International Shooting Union Rules using standard targets only.

(b) Trophies for I.S.U. Championships should be limited to sashes, badges and similar. Clubs may provide additional trophies at their own discretion.

(c) Number of targets shall be:

Commonwealth — 200 targets; State — 100 or 200 targets; District — 100 or 50 targets; Zone — 50 or 100 targets.

7.7 CARTRIDGES

(a) Standard shell for Championships. Shells used in all open championships (Commonwealth, State, Zone and District) are required to be restricted to 32 grams of shot, struck measure, or its equivalent, No. 7 shot size or lighter. Shells marked by reputable manufacturer as complying with this regulation are approved. Reloaded cartridges are permitted.

(b) Home-loaded or reloaded cartridges may be used in all events.

7.8 CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHY VALUES AND NOMINATIONS

(a) Championship trophy values (inclusive of badge or sash) and nominations for Commonwealth, State, and Zone Championships, are fixed by the Association from time to time and advised in C.T.S.N. In District and Club Championships the value of trophies and nominations is left optional and at the discretion of the club conducting the event.

(b) In all Championships Management will provide a sash or badge for the overall winner.

(c) Sash colours for clubs to be any colour other than those designated for National, Commonwealth (both Royal Blue), State (Red), and District (White) Championships respectively.

(d) A surcharge as fixed by the Executive Committee from time to time may be charged for all night events.

7.9 INTERSTATE TEAMS MATCH

(a) Team 15 members. Best 10 scores to count, 50 targets per member, to be shot in two rounds of 25 targets as a separate event. In the event of a tie for High Gun, to be shot off squad system, first miss-out. Standard load shells not to exceed 32 grams of shot, No. 7 size or lighter.

Ladies and Juniors teams to be 6 members with 5 best scores to count, 25 targets per member.

(b) QUALIFICATIONS — each team member shall have registered in the State which he represents and may only represent one State in any one year.

(c) State Associations shall choose their team on the results of an elimination shoot or series.

(d) In the event of a tie, to be shot-off squad system, first miss-out.

(e) An appropriate High Gun trophy shall be provided and a souvenir badge shall be given to each member of the State Team (15) by the club conducting the event — badges are available on application from the A.C.T.A. The program and venue of the Interstate Skeet Teams' Match shall be advertised in the A.C.T.A. "Shooting News" at least two months prior to the State Teams' elimination shoot, and the State Teams' Match. The competition to be completed in each State not later than the thirtieth day of December of each year.

(f) The club conducting the Elimination Match shall provide compulsory division prize money of \$150 or 40% of the total nomination, whichever is the greater. Where there are no tied Scores, the distribution will be 60% for 1st, 30% for 2nd and 10% for 3rd. This rule does not apply where the selection is conducted over a series.

- (g) Skeet elimination match shall be a minimum of 50 targets.
- (h) Only official A.C.T.A. Referees to officiate, scorer and check scorer to be provided. Score sheets to be signed by Scorers and Referees.
- (i) No other major skeet shoot is permitted in the particular State on the day or days when elimination and State Teams' Shoot is held.
- (j) Should a tie occur between any of the respective State Skeet Team scores, then the count back system is to be applied to achieve a decision.

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8.1 FIELD LAYOUT

- (a) A skeet field shall consist of eight shooting stations arranged on a segment of a circle of 19.2 metres radius, with a base chord 36.8 metres long, drawn 5.49 metres from the centre of the circle. The centre of the circle is known as the target-crossing point and is marked by a stake.
- (b) Station 1 is located at the left end of the base chord, and station 7 at the right end when facing the centre while standing on the periphery of the segment. Stations 2 to 6 inclusive, are located on the periphery at points equidistant from each other (the exact distance between stations 1 and 2, 2 and 3, etc. is 8.13 metres.) Station 8 is located at the centre of the base chord.
- (c) Shooting Stations one to seven inclusive, are a square area one metre on a side, with two sides parallel to a radius of the circle drawn through the station marker. Shooting station eight is a rectangular area one metre wide by two metres long, with the long sides parallel to the base chord. The location of each shooting station one to seven, shall be accurately designated by a suitable pad one metre by one metre with the front edge on the periphery of the circle. However, the pad for shooting station eight is placed lengthwise on the centre point of the base chord and is two metres by one metre.
- (d) A shield should be installed at the target opening of each traphouse, so that the trap operator is not visible to the shooter when he is firing from any station. This precaution is desirable as a safety factor for the protection of the trap operator from possible injury from direct or ricocheting shot.
- (e) One target should emerge from a traphouse (called high house) at a point 99 centimetres beyond the front of pad one (measured along the base chord extended) and 3.05 metres above ground level. The other should emerge from a traphouse (called low house) at a point 91 centimetres beyond the front of pad seven (measured along the base chord extended), and 78 centimetres from the base chord extended (measured on side of target crossing point) and one metre above the ground.
- (f) Suitable markers shall be placed at points 40.23 metres and 50 metres from both the high and low house measured along the flight of a regular target. The first marker shall indicate the shooting boundary limit and the second marker shall indicate the minimum distance a target shall travel in still air.
- (g) As a safety precaution, a safety fence should be erected running parallel with the base chord line and at least 3 metres behind No. 4 Station, extending from the High to the Low Traphouse. No spectator to be allowed in front of this fence.

8.2 SHOOTING BOUNDS

For Stations 1 to 7 inclusive, to be an area 40.23 metres in front of the traphouse from which the target is released. (These bounds must be clearly marked on the skeet field with a suitable marker) — see field layout. For No. 8 Station, to be from the traphouse from whence the target is released to a point defined on the field layout as the centre line. Note: Targets shot at and broken after they pass the centre from No. 8 Station are lost targets.

8.3 TARGETS

- (a) 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.
- (b) A legal target is one that is released instantly in response to the competitor's acceptable call, and passes "within 50 centimetres" horizontally or vertically of a point 4.51 metres above the target crossing point. The target in still air must carry to a distance equivalent on level ground to 50 metres and not exceed 80 metres.

8.4 REGULAR DOUBLE

Two legal targets released simultaneously (one from each traphouse).

8.5 GUNS AND LOADS

- (a) The term "Magazine Gun" applies alike to automatic guns, pump guns (so called) and other guns not directly dependent on hand loading and are permissible for skeet shooting.
- (b) Release trigger guns shall only be used on registered A.C.T.A. grounds, subject to the following conditions:
 - (i) A.C.T.A. shooters suffering from some condition which would make the use of a release trigger gun desirable shall obtain a statement, signed by the President and Secretary of the shooter's home club, that the shooter suffers from such condition and shall present the statement to a Referee Examiner who shall satisfy himself that the shooter understands the use of a release trigger device. Having been so satisfied the Referee Examiner shall forward the club statement to the A.C.T.A. Office which shall keep a register of shooters authorised to use release trigger guns.
 - (ii) No A.C.T.A. shooter other than those authorised in Skeet Rule 8.5 (b) (i) shall use a release trigger gun.
 - (iii) All release trigger guns used by A.C.T.A. shooters and overseas visitors shall be clearly labelled — CAUTION RELEASE TRIGGER — in a conspicuous place near the breech. Such labelling to be consistent with 12mm width marking tape.
 - (iv) Release trigger guns shall not be left in gun racks or in positions where they can be mistakenly handled but shall be constantly under the control and supervision of user.

- (v) The user of a release trigger gun shall notify the referee at each visit to the trap or skeet layout.

- (c) No gun which has a gauge larger than 12 gauge is permitted nor shall any barrel(s) length be shorter than 63 centimetres overall. No gun with a fitted compensator is permitted.

- (d) For all Skeet shooting, the load is limited to 32 grams struck measure or equivalent, shot size not larger than 7 to be used. Reloads are permitted in all events except National Championships.

- 8.6 Should darkness, bad weather, or other causes interfere with the competition, the Management shall have the right to decide when and how the competition shall be continued, provided that this is not postponed longer than one calendar month. Any competitor who defaults in respect of such postponed competition forfeits all his rights and standing therein.

- 8.7 Shooting for targets only, is a term which shall be held to define the status of a competitor in any given event, or events, or in an entire tournament program, and shall signify that a competitor is "shooting for targets only" and has no interest in any trophy or trophies, nor any interest in money or moneys in any specific event, or events or in the entire program. The competitor's name shall be placed on the squad board, signifying that he is shooting for targets only. Shooting for targets only shall be permitted at the discretion of the Club. In any event in which any competitor is shooting for a sweepstake or prize the scores of these competitors in the event who are shooting for targets only shall be used for handicapping purposes.

- 8.8 All clay targets — broken or otherwise — at all time remain the property of the club and not the competitor. The competitor only pays for the privilege of shooting.

8.9 TRAPS

In all open events any trap which throws a Legal Target may be used, provided the target is released from a position in the field by mechanical or electrical device (NOT released from within the traphouse).

8.10 SHOOTING UP

Where a competitor has entered but does not present himself to start an event with his squad, he will not be permitted to shoot up after the first man in the squad has fired the first shot at Station 2. He may join the squad for all later rounds, but the round missed because of lateness must be shot on the proper field in the first vacancy, or after all other contestants have finished.

8.11 REFEREE

- (a) To become a registered referee, a candidate shall approach his club Secretary and President, who (when they consider that the candidate has achieved a satisfactory standard) shall recommend in writing to the nearest Registered Referee Examiner on the prescribed form that the candidate be given a practical and oral examination. When the candidate has passed this examination to the Examiner's entire satisfaction the Examiner will then submit his recommendation plus the form to the ACTA Office which will issue a Referee badge to the candidate.

Any candidate who has failed and wishes to be re-examined must be re-examined by the same Examiner.

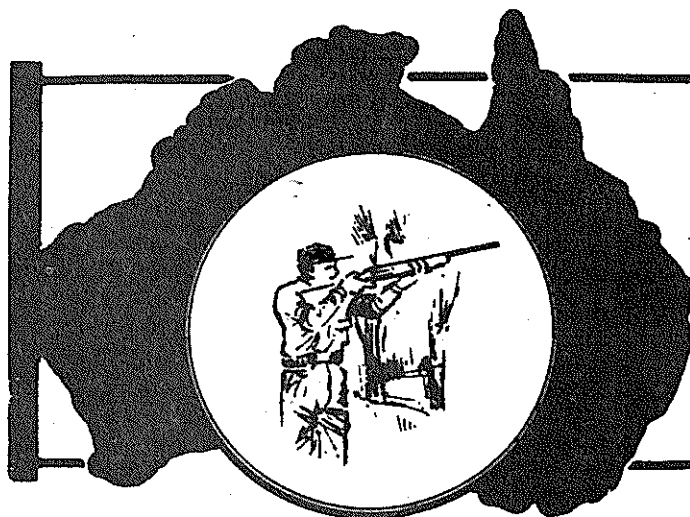
- (b) Rules Supervisors will keep a record of all Referees in their State.
- (c) A club management complaint against any Referee or Referee Examiner shall be referred to the nearest Rules Supervisor within the State for investigation. The Rules Supervisor has the power to suspend the person concerned until the next State Association meeting. If justified the State Association has the power to further suspend and recall the Referee or Referee Examiner's badge and shall advise the ACTA Secretary of the action taken.
- (d) Referees shall be appointed for a period of five (5) years and are eligible for re-examination. Any Referee or Referee Examiner who fails to register in any year will have his name automatically removed from the Association Referee and Referee Examiner list.
- (e) The Referee's decision in all cases coming under his jurisdiction as set forth in the rules, shall be final. Referees must wear their official badge at all shoots.

8.12 SCORER

- (a) The scorer shall keep an accurate record of each shot, according to the Referee's call. He shall mark the figure "1" for the call of "one" or the figure "0" for the call of "lost", for each target.
- (b) The official score must be kept on a score sheet and be available for inspection by the competitor.
- (c) If the scorer is incompetent at scoring the referee has the right to change the scorer before commencement, or during the event.
- (d) It shall be the responsibility of the competitor to check his score with the score sheet before leaving the skeet field. Any protest on his score must be lodged with the Referee immediately i.e. before leaving the shooting track. Such protest can only be made against incorrect score.

8.13 BREAK RECOGNITION

- (a) The A.C.T.A. recognises BREAKS in sequences of 50, 75, 100, 150, 200, 250 and so on, provided the break is shot in competition on one day only excepting over a program of two or more successive days.
- (b) Break badges may be earned provided that the break is achieved from events of the same nature.
- (c) No practice between events is permitted and breaks must be continuous.
- (d) Shooting at not more than two sighter targets (not to count) prior to the commencement of an event does not terminate a break in progress.
- (e) Clubs must submit form Number 17, duly completed to the A.C.T.A. Secretary, together with the prescribed fee for each requested badge, before recognition can be considered, or granted. Break badges once they have been obtained will not be repeated.
- (f) Break badges are available for all breaks up to the total break achieved.



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ALBURY WODONGA CLAY TARGET CLUB

The following were elected at the A.G.M. on November 6. President — R. Petts, (060) 25 1239; Vice President — L. Mitsch; Secretary — D. Smailes (060) 21 5040; Assist. Secretary — M. Liersch; Shoot Marshall — B. Liersch; Treasurer — G. Agnew (060) 59 1806; and the Committee consist of: T. Beach, G. Boyd, G. Pinner, R. Ehlers, R. Noordewier, G. Putkunz, G. Clark, L. Bahr, N. Hackett, C. McIntyre.

WANGARATTA CLAY TARGET CLUB INC.

At the annual meeting, held on November 19th, Tony Penney was re-elected as President. Other office bearers elected were Alan Larkings — Vice President; David Jackel — Junior Vice President; Bev Penney — Secretary; Harry Memery — Treasurer and Ken Maurey — Press Correspondent.

Special thanks from the President were conveyed to Harry Memery for an excellent job as Treasurer and for being a great help to the President and Secretary during the year; to the Ladies Committee for their very high standard and friendly service provided in the kitchen; to Wally Ford for donating the High Gun trophies throughout the year; to the trappers for their reliable work, and Bob Barron for cleaning the club house prior to each shoot.

While presenting his report, the President thanked the following trophy donors and sponsors for their generous support throughout the year:

Fred Jones; Ern & Jean Williams; G. Robinson Corowah Fuels; Willoughby's Gas & Disposal Centre; Rowan Street Caltex Service Centre; Paulus Blinds; Monier Roof Tiles; Chas French & Sons; Keith Oakley's ACT Ammunition;

Melbourne Gun Club; Chris Walker Memorial Fund; George Walker; Wangaratta Gun Club Ladies Committee; Ken Maurey; Vine Hotel; Jock Steer; Bob Barron; Bill Attwood; Ian McGeoch; Keenan's Spas and Pools; Dick and Mrs Love; Myrtleford Tyre & Battery Service; Witham Family; Stamp Family; Trevor Jones; Wangaratta Motors; Graham Boyd; Henshall Family.

The President reported to members that the land at North Wangaratta occupied by the football club and Gun Club had been purchased by the Wangaratta Shire and the users, with the aid of a grant from Youth, Sport & Recreation Department. This area is to be retained as a sporting complex. It is felt that in light of the current attitude towards guns and shooting the Shire's decision to purchase the land was indeed significant and secures a future for trap shooting on this location.

It was decided at this meeting that the name of the Club be changed to "Wangaratta Clay Target Club Inc."

Wishing all our fellow shooters a prosperous 1988 and GOOD SHOOTING.

MORWELL GUN CLUB

Newly elected Secretary of the Morwell Gun Club is Fiona Roberts. Any correspondence should be forwarded to Fiona at 19 Hoyle St, Morwell, 3840.



SOUTH AUSTRALIA

BARMERA 1-11-87 — Very hot (11). 10T D/B Hep: R. Maywald 10-10, H. Nunn, P. Caddy both 9-10. patron Hall Hep 20 D/B: R. Maywald 20-20, A. Grose 19-20, D. Pfeiler 21-24. Bradtke Team Shoot 25 D/B: A. Grose 31-32, P. Caddy 30-32, R. Maywald 23-25. Winning team: Walkerie 108-125. Skeet Hep: R. Maywald 62-64, H. Nunn 60-63, P. Caddy 23-25. HG: R. Maywald 78-80.

BORDERTOWN 21-11-87 — Cool, head wind (46). 80T Medley Blue Lake Oct

1988 S.A.C.T.A. STATE

FEBRUARY 5, 6, 7

Venue: Monarto Clay Target Club

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45 mins drive South East Adelaide off South Eastern Freeway

Over \$5,000 Trophies

**O/A High Gun
Solid Opal & Gold Ring
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Friday 5th — 5pm Start

Noms \$12.00
L.V.J. \$9.00

30T — 15T D/B, 15T P/S, 16M
Cash O/A 1 & 2 A, B, C
O/A to get Free Noms for Carnival
B-B-Q TEA

S.A.C.T.A. ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING, 8PM, ALL WELCOME

Saturday 6th — 9am Sharp

EVENT 1

Noms \$8.00
L.V.J. \$6.00

15T P/S GRADED CASH DIVIDE 15M
AA, A, B, C

EVENT 2

Noms \$20.00
L.V.J. \$13.00
Sweeps \$3.00

\$1000 TROPHIES
60T STATE CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS 15M
1 Visit 20T ea. D/B, S/B, P/S
AA, A, B, C

EVENT 3

Noms \$17.00
L.V.J. \$12.00
Sweeps \$2.00

50T STATE P/S CHAMPIONSHIP 15M
AA, A, B, C

EVENTS 2, 3, 5, 6 — O/A Sash & Trophy
1st ea. Grade Ribbon & Trophy, 2nd Trophy, L.V.J. Trophy

CALCUTTA — During Saturday Evening Tea
TEA — Pig and Lamb on Spit

★ Three Juniors minimum for Trophies

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Sunday 7th — 9am Sharp

EVENT 4

**WINCHESTER AUST. JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP
20 TARGET D/B**

Cartridges supplied by Winchester for the event.

Trophy 1st, 2nd, 3rd Registered Junior

Trophy 1st, 2nd, 3rd Unregistered Junior

Plus ZONE TEAM SHOOT

EVENT 4A

EVENT 5

**9am Sharp
Noms \$17.00
L.V.J. \$12.00
Sweeps \$2.00**

\$1000 TROPHIES

50T STATE D/B CHAMPIONSHIP 15M

AA, A, B, C

O/A Sash & Trophy — Sponsor Winchester Aust.

1 Case Cartridges O/A

S.A.C.T.A. giving Cartridges 1st & 2nd ea. grade L.V.J., AA, A, B, C

EVENT 6

**Noms \$17.00
L.V.J. \$12.00
Sweeps \$2.00**

50T STATE S/B CHAMPIONSHIP 15M

AA, A, B, C

Event 8

STATE TEAM SHOOT & LADIES & JUNIOR POSTAL TEAM

Events 3, 5, 6 — State Team, Ladies Junior

Events 2, 3, 4, 5 — O/A High Gun

Events 2, 3, 5, 6 Plus State Team Shoot — S.A. Champion Shooter

Events 3, 5, 6 Ladies, Junior High Gun

Events 2, 3, 5, 6 — Veteran High Gun, 65 yrs & over

Badge & Team High Gun Trophy Open, Ladies, Junior

B.B.Q. TEA

Canteen, Meals, Refreshments available.

Power, Showers, Toilet facilities available.

8 Powered Sites — book early.

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**STATE TEAM (5-MAN) receive State Jackets, Shirt, Hat plus
State Badge & \$50 1988 Nationals.**

PORT LINCOLN GUN CLUB INC.

Welcomes all shooters to celebrate our

10th ANNIVERSARY TUNARAMA BIRTHDAY SHOOT

Venue: Port Lincoln Gun Club, behind Port
Lincoln Airport
SATURDAY 23rd JANUARY, 10am Start

EVENT 1

50 Target Tunarama Skeet C'ship
A.B.C. O/A Sash

EVENT 2

50 Target State Continental D/B C'ship
A.B.C. O/A Sash

Saturday night dinner at the Wheat Sheaf Hotel,
Nth Shields

SUNDAY 24th JANUARY, 10am Start

EVENT 3

10 Target Point Score Eye Opener

EVENT 4

50 Target Tunarama D/B C'ship
A.B.C. O/A Sash

2nd 25 Targets to count for Mack family trophy

EVENT 5

30 Target Australia Day Point Score C'ship
1st in A.B.C. O/A Sash

EVENT 6

25 Target Handicap

Remember Tunarama weekend runs from the
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Non-power caravan sites on club grounds available.

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January '88

President — Paul Beale (086) 82 2328 —
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Millers Super Shoot: A & OA: B. Wagg 187-189, R. Andrews 188-189; B: G. Height 114-120, R. Pallant 113-120; C: G. Wombell 117-120, G. Height 104-120, Veteran: Bert Pallant 103-120, Lady: L. Beelitz 98-120, Junior: Bruce Pallant, HG: Basil Wagg 187-189.

FAR WEST — CEDUNA 4-10-87 — Fine 18° (6). 50T Skeet: T. Heard 51-58, J. Innes 50-58, G. Burnett 41, 25T S/B: B. Pobke 29-30, G. Burnett 26-30, T. Heard 26-30, 25T P/S: J. Innes 73, B. Pobke 65, T. Woods 64.

FAR WEST — CEDUNA 8-11-87 — Warm 26° (5). 5T E/O P/S: G. Burnett 15, B. Silby 11, B. Pobke 9, 50T P/S C'ship: T. Woods 134, B. Pobke 133, G. Burnett 126.

LAKE ALBERT 1-11-87 — Hot! (17). 20 Pr D/D Coorong C'ship Drawn Partner: K. Strother & B. Lutze 17-20, R. Semmler & S. Appelkamp 17-21, 20 Pr Joe Richards D/D C'ship Own Partners: T. Selby & R. Semmler 20-20, L. Beelitz & D. Beelitz 41-42, 10 Pr D/R C/D: A. D. Beelitz 18-20, T. Selby 13-20; B: K. Strother 14-20, Shane Craig 13-20, R. Semmler 11-20; C: B. Lutze, Scott Craig both 15-20, A. Williams 14-20.

MALLALA 8-11-87 — Hot (23). 20T Cont Don Fleetwood Trophy: OA & A: B. Greenshields 20-20; B: B. Finch 19-20; C: F. Kopriva 20-22, 20T D/B F. Kopriva Trophy: OA & A: J. Ellis 20-20; B: B. Finch 19-20; C: W. Bowman 19-20, HG: John Ellis 39-40, Ladies Calcutta: Mrs Margaret Stevens.

MOUNT GAMBIER 14-11-87 — Excellent (27). 25T Skeet C'ship: OA & B: T. Sims 25-25; A: W. Hetherington 36-38; C: D. Height 23-25, 25T D/B Grd: A: W. Hetherington 43-43, T. Smith 42-43; B: P. Vaughan 29-30, S. Wombwell 27-30; C: B. Shelton 27-30, D. Height 26-30, 25T Club S/B C'ship: OA & A: W. Hetherington 29-31, T. Smith 28-31; B: P. Vaughan 22-25, P. Woods 18-25; C: G. Wombwell 21-25, B. Shelton 22-28, 20T D/B Hep: B. Shelton 26-28, S. Wombwell 25-26, P. Vaughan 25-26; BM: K. Holmes 20-20, Morrison Motors HG: W. Hetherington 96-100, 1987 S.E. Aggregate: Phil Green 95-105. Many thanks to the sponsors of the day: Gambier Farm Supplies, Morrison Motors and Nampara Enterprises. Congratulations to 'Bill Hetherington on his excellent shooting over the day and HG win at 96-100. Well done Phil Green — S.E. Aggregate winner for 1987. Also this shoot was the concluding round of the Club Double Barrel Graded Aggregate for 1987 with trophies for the best shooter in each grade. This year's winners were: A Grade — Phil Green 251-260 — 98.5%; B Grade — Bill Hetherington 232-230 — 89.3%; C Grade — Alf Moody 203-260 — 80.00%.

NOARLUNGA CITY 1-11-87 — Hot & windy (28). 10T D/B C/D: J. Richichi, W. Reilly, D. Norwood all 10-10, 25T South Coast D/B C'ship: A: D. Oliviero 24-25, D. Norwood 29-32; B: P. Munting 22-25, K. Hobbs 26-30; C: T. Rake 32-35, Nigel Wayne 31-35, 25T Foreshore S/B C'ship: OA & A: D. Norwood 23-25, J. Richichi 22-25; B: W. Reilly 22-25, Norm Wayne 21-25; C: Nigel Wayne 20-25, F. Lupoi 20-26, 25T P/S C/D: A: D. Norwood 71-75, R. Dean 70-75; B: G. Zappia 68-75, N. Cricelli 60-75; C: E. De Michele 62-75, Nigel Wayne 59-75, John Stewart Reilly Memorial HG: D. Norwood 127-135.

PORT AUGUSTA 14, 15-11-87 — Very hot (40, 47). Saturday: 50 PAGA Skeet C'ship: A & OA: Grant Bollen 60-62, B. Murphy 58-62; B: S. Edmonds 47-50, B. Johnson 58-62; C: P. Maher 52-55, C. Heading 44-50, 5 P/S: A: T. Dipaolo 45-45; B: B. Wallace 30-30; C: L. Hancock 17-18, 50 D. Lynn UFO C'ship: C. Smith 122-125, J. Curtis 118-124, B. Waxdon 110-114, D. Lynn 100-101, P. Absalom 89-91, Sunday: 30 Hep: 11-15m: W. Lynn 29-30, G. Spackman 30-32; 16-20m: L. Trebilcock 45-46, P. Hall 44-46; 21-25m: Grant Bollen, C. Bentley both 27-30, 50 PAGA C'ship: A: C. Bentley 104-104, M. Fisher 103-104, F. Keen 73-74; B: H. Wallace 49-50, W. Spackman 51-53, C. Smith 50-53; C: B. Pobke 48-50, G. Spackman 46-50, W. Lynn 45-50, 20 D/B C/D: W. Spackman, P. Absalom, Grant Bollen, C. Bentley, J. Curtis, K. Zanoli all 20; C: G. Spackman 18-20, W. Lynn 18-20.

PORT LINCOLN 31-10-87, 1-11-87 — 30 knot northerly wind, 38°C, overcast (15). Saturday 31/10: 50T Skeet C'ship: A: Roy Pitt 46-50, G. Docking 41-50; B: P. Beale 49-50, D. Lynn 48-50; C: G. Burnett 47-50, T. Heard 46-50; OA: P. Beale 49-50, 25T P/S C'ship: A: D. Lynn 85-87, G. Docking 84-87; B: T. Heard 73-75, P. Beale 72-75; C: B. Silby 71-75, J. Beale 69-75; OA: T. Heard 115-117, 25T Cont C'ship: A: D. Lynn 29-29, G. Docking 28-39; B: P. Beale 24-25, T. Heard 23-25; C: B. Pobke 25-25, J. Beale 23-25; OA: D. Lynn 32-32, Sunday 1/11: 5T P/S E/O: D. Lynn, J. Beale, K. Firth all 15-15, 30T P/S Grd: A: D. Lynn 88-93, G. Docking 87-93; B: T. Heard 81-90, K. Firth 80-90; C: B. Silby 79-90, J. Beale 76-90, 25T D/B C'ship: A: D. Lynn 39-39, R. Pitt 27-28; B: G. Burnett 27-27, P. Beale 26-27; C: B. Silby 24-25, B. McHendrie 26-28; OA: D. Lynn 39-39, 50T Hep: "Gun Shoot" S. Edmonds 49-50, G. Docking (after shoot-off with J. Beale) 80-82, J. Beale 70-82, HG: D. Lynn over all events 317-330. Weather: Extremely hot and windy. J. Beale rehandicapped and regressed from C14 to B16 DTL.

SOUTHERN 8-11-87 — Warm, slight breeze (19). 25T Anniversary D/B Grd C'ship: A: H.J. Chibnall 27-29, R.C. Mules 26-29; B: L. Teisseire 25-25, T.W. Morris 27-28; C: R. Dini 27-29, Mrs D. Humberstone 26-29, SGC Anniversary D/B Grd C'ship 25T: A: B.C. Newell 25-25, H.J. Chibnall, R.C. Mules both 24-25; B: R. Cribb 25-25, T.W. Morris, R.F. Hill both 24-25; C: M.J. Humberstone 23-25, T.V. Roberts 22-25, President's P/S Grd C'ship 25T: A: H.J. Chibnall 69-75, B.C. Newell 68-75; B: T.W. Morris 73-75, W. Reilly 84-93; C & OA: M.J. Humberstone 74-75, C.J. Sweeney 58-25, SGC Anniversary S/B C'ship 25T: A & Badge: H.J. Chibnall 27-29, B.C. Newell 21-25; B: R. Hill 26-29, W. Reilly 23-26; C: M.J. Humberstone 22-25, T.V. Roberts 17-25, Southern Gun Club Anniversary HG Sash: T.W. Morris 143-150.

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN GUN CLUB 8-11-87 — Hot (35). 25T Skeet C'ship: OA & A: R. Dower 25-25, R. Dwyer 24-25; B: T. O'Connor 24-25, T. Kenyon 24-25; C: R. Winckel 23-25, R. Winzen 22-25, 50T Trench C'ship: OA & A: R. Dean 48-50, J. Johanson 45-50; B: L. Martin 45-50, R. Dower 44-50; C: G. Zappia 39-50, E. De Michel 37-50, 100T R. Dower ISU Skeet: OA & A: R. Dower 95-100; B: J. Struik 83-100, Sports Goods Hep: G. Zappia 18-20, W. Renney 19-22, J. Richichi 19-23, Junior: Michelle Kenyon 15-20, 25T D/B C'ship: OA & A: R. Dean 25-25, T. Kenyon 32-33; B: H. Wallace 26-27, G. Zappia 25-27; C: R. Winckel 31-36, R. Fleming 30-38, OA HG: T. Kenyon 107-120. Thank you to Sports Goods Gun Shop for trophies for handicap event, R. Dower for ISU Skeet event. Congratulations to Michelle Kenyon on her fine shooting in handicap. Michelle is one of our youngest shooters, being only 10 years old.

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN GUN CLUB 22-11-87 — Hot & hazy (41). 25T Skeet C'ship: OA & A: R. Dower 25-25; B: T. Keane 24-25, T. O'Connor 23-25; C: N.

Ramsay 22-25, R. Winckel 21-25. 50T Trench C'ship: OA & B: J. Richichi 64-75, S. Baynes 38-50; A: T. Kenyon 63-75, P. Marcianni 39-50; C: E. DeMichel 38-50, R. Fleming 37-50. 20T Hop: 11-15: R. Dini 18-20, R. Winckel 17-20; 16-20: R. Fleming 30-31, W. Sutherland 29-31; 21-25: T. Kenyon 17-20, B. Greenshields 16-20. 25T D/B C'ship: OA & A: W. James 28-28, M. Sparnon

PORT AUGUSTA'S ANNUAL 15TH BIRTHDAY SHOOT

On 14th-15th November we held our 15th Birthday shoot in what some of the shooters might call hot conditions with temperatures in the mid to high 30s.

On the Saturday a very pleasing crowd of shooters (40) turned up coming from as far away as Broken Hill, Adelaide, Far West and Port Lincoln. Shooting got underway some 10 minutes late because of the shooters having so much to talk about because of being so far apart and not seeing each other very often.

Event 1 was a 50 target skeet championship which saw some very good scores shot but I am pleased to say that a few breeders were left. The event was eventually won after a shoot off by Grant Bollen who came back all the way from Barrow Creek (N.T.) and decided to grace our club with his presence.

The 50 U.F.O. D. Lymn Championship went off well with four shooters shooting possibles and 10 shooters ending up shooting. After a five shoot off it was won by Chris Smith of Pt Pirie.

An excellent meal was served up by the ladies in the kitchen and on Saturday night — a big thank you ladies! A Calcutta was held on Saturday night with a visiting shooter D. Martini doing the very fine job as auctioneer.

On Sunday a very good field of 47 shooters turned up and kept everyone busy, from the secretary to the kitchen staff.



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Wally Spackman

26-27; B: W. Sutherland 25-25, L. Tesserie 24-25; C: R. Fleming 41-42, T. Keane 40-2. OA HG: T. Kenyon.

SYP 8-11-87 — Excellent (9). 5T E/O: B. Thompson, A. Phillips, J. Newbold, D. Cooper all 5-5. 20T D/B Hop Jarretts Hardware Trophy: B. Thompson 19-20, A. Phillips 18-20, C. Rawlings 17-20. 25T D/B C'ship Minlaton Plumbing Service: D. Cooper 25-25, B. Thompson 24-25, C. Rawlings 23-25. 20T Pts Thamn Toyota Trophy: D. Rohde 54-60, J. Newbold 62-69, D. Cooper 58-69. OA: B. Thompson 100-110. OA for 1987: B. Thompson.

WILKAWATT 8-11-87 — Hot (32). 25T Murray Mallee D/B C'ship: A: D. Oliviero 38-39, R. Andrews 37-38; B: K. Przibilla 27-29, T. Heinzel 26-29; C & OA: R. Wilcox 39-39, M. Videon 24-25. (Richard is now eligible to shoot at the Andrews Family Shoot at Bordertown.) 20 Fr Claas D/D Own Partners: D. Oliviero & A. Famiglietti 20-20, R. Ahrens & W. Hayward 49-50. Many thanks to new sponsorship of "Claas" to our club.



QUEENSLAND

BALLANDEAN 15-11-87 — Fine & warm (34). 5T Pts off 15m: R. De Luca, L. Grassick, P.J. Lynam, S.J. Puglisi all 15-15. 25T Pts 15m: OA: R. Potter 72-75; A: D. Batterham 69-75; B: R. Cosmo 69-75; C: S. Sonogo 69-75; Best Novice: W. Mattarollo 58-75. 25T Pts Hop: D. Middleton 73-78, R. Potter 72-78 after shoot-off D. Middleton, R. Waugh, R. Potter all 70-70. Best Novice: F. Musumeci 65-75. 20T Pts Hop Teams Match: R. Middleton, P.J. Lynam, S.J. Puglisi, W.D. Johnstone, S. Sonogo all 261; R. Potter, Nev Smith, R. Waugh, D. Middleton, F. Musumeci, S.L. Taylor 253. 10T Pts Cont 15m: 11-14m: D. Middleton 30-30; 15-18m: L. Grassick 39-39 after shoot-off L. Grassick & D. Batterham 30-30; 19-25m: Paul Rapisarda 29-30. Best Novice: B. Rowling 27-30. OA HG: R. Potter 230-255. Veterans HG: R. Middleton 223-255. 11-14m HG: S. Sonogo 226-255. Novice HG: W. Mattarollo 193-255. Many thanks to trophy donors Jack Lynam, R. Sonogo, A.J. Smith and R. De Luca.

BRISBANE 15-11-87 — 26T Skeet Doubles S/S: A: R. Porter, N. Dimmick, D. Groundwater, R. Lowry all 22-267; B: M. Taylor 24-26; C: J. O'Reilly. 50T Skeet S/S: A: J. Withers, N. Dimmick both 49-50; B: V. Tipman 46-50; C: J. O'Reilly 47-50. 50T Chancellors Skeet Trophies: A: R. Porter 50-50; B: V. Tipman 46-50; C: E. Rebgetz 45-50. OA HG: R. Porter 118-126. Annual HG: Winchester L/A Rifle donated by Stevens & Sons was won by Ray Porter.

BUNDAERG 1-11-87 — Fair (16). Skeet: 25T O/G S/S: R. Rehbein 25-25, G. Honor, C. Bunnag, T. Millman all 22-25. 25T C'ship: A: R. Rehbein 21-25; B: B. Honor 23-25; C: C. Bunnag 23-25. OA: C. Bunnag 23-25. Trap: 20T D/B Pts 15m S/S: A: R. Rehbein 59-60; B: K. Rehbein 58-60; C: B. Honor 49-60. 25T D/B C'ship 15m: A: B. Honor 25-25; B: F. Agius 25-26; C: A. Millman 27-28. OA: B. Honor 25-25. 25T D/B Hop: 11-15m: R. Hutchins 22-25; 16-19m: G. Plath 25-25; 20-25m: R. Rehbein 22-25. 10T D/R 15m: R. Rehbein 27-30, B. Honor 25-30, K. Rehbein 17-20. FM HG: T. Millman 101-180. HG: R. Rehbein 123-130.

CAIRNS 30-10-87 & 1-11-87 — Raining (10). 100 Trench: S. Butcher 93-100, A. Zappala 92-100, W. Ingledew 88-100. 25 Trench Grd: A: A. Zappala 25-25; B: N. Bruce 21-25; C: B. Bell 15-25. 25 Trench Hop: D. McKay 25-25, S. Butcher, P. Stein 24-25. 25 Trench Grd: A: P. Stein 23-25; B: N. Bruce 21-25; C: B. Bell 11-25. 25 Trench Hop: A. Zappala, P. Stein both 25-25, D. Jones 24-25. This was the last state team selection round to be shot in Cairns in 1987. Angelo Zappala (92%) and Steve Butcher (90%) shot very well under difficult weather conditions and hopefully the Northern Zone will have at least one representative on the State Team for 1988.

CALLIDE DAWSON 14, 15-11-87 — Fine (29). 10T D/B E/O: M. Elliott, R. Hannah, M. Bassingthwaite, R. Mylrea, R. Maroske, P. Stephenson all 10-10. Callide Dawson D/B C'ship: OA & A: R. Hannah 37-37; B: K. Ross 41-42; C: M. Bassingthwaite 22-25. 10 Fr D/R 15m: OA & A: D. Casagrande 25-30; B: C. Warnock 15-20; C: R. Woodward 12-20. 10T S/B E/O: W. Humphreys, L. Dalton both 10-10. Callide Dawson S/B C'ship: OA & A: D. Casagrande 25-25; B: C. Wooler 20-25; C: D. Ryan 20-25. Callide Dawson D/B Pts C'ship: OA & A: B. Ryan 73-75; B: C. Warnock 69-75; C: R. Woodward 67-75. Blue Dot 30T D/B Hop: OA: P. Stephenson 29-30; 11-15: W. Wooler 26-31; 16-20: P. Moloney 29-31; 21-25: C. Ennis 26-30. OA HG: R. Maroske 172-195. Intermediate HG: M. Bassingthwaite 117-211.

CHARLEVILLE 31-10-87 — Fine, warm (33). 20T D/B S/S: B. King, M. Ticehurst, N. Gadsby, R. Lindley, N. Johnson, A. McPherson all 20-20. Warrego & Dist Pts C'ship 25T 15m: OA: D. Turnbull 75-75; A: B. King 73-75; B: N. Johnson 74-75; C: J. Fien 71-75. 40T Cash Hop: B. Marks 40-40, N. Gadsby, M. Ticehurst both 39-40. 25T S/B 15m: B. Schmidt 32-34, N. Johnson 31-34, B. Marks 28-30. Warrego & Dist D/B Cont Night C'ship 25T 15m: OA: N. Johnson 25-25; A: K. Srb 24-26; B: J. Webber 23-25; C: C. Duffy 22-26. HG: N. Johnson 181-185. Inter HG: J. Fien, FM: J. Fien. Ladies HG: M. Denton. South West Shield Event 2 won by Charleville Team: D. Turnbull, N. Gadsby, K. Srb, A. Denton, B. King. Cunnamulla won shield overall for 1987.

CHINCHILLA 1-11-87 — Cloudy, warm (18). 20T D/B S/S: A: G. Watson, T. Hart both 19; B: J. Stone, W. Douglas both 19; C: P. Hart 20, C. Scott 18. 25T Hop: J. Stone 25, P. Douglas 25, J. Fabian 23. 25T S/B S/S: A: P. Ellem 23, G. Watson 22; B: W. Douglas 21, J. Stone 19; C: P. Hart, P. Douglas both 23. Good day.

DYSART 1-11-87 — Perfect (15). 25T Cont C/D: A: C. Ennis 24-25, R. Wright 24-25, S. Meaney 22-25; B: T. Williams 22-25, R. Schrock 19-25; C: J. Garz 23-25. W. McDonald 23-25, G. MacFarlane 19-25. 20T Hop C/D: W. McDonald 20-20, G. MacFarlane 22-24, R. Wright 21-24. 20T P/S C/D: A: M. Pietzner 59-60, B. Meaney 56-60, J. Watson 55-60, S. Meaney 55-60; B: R. Schrock 51-60, T. Williams 51-60; C: G. MacFarlane 51-60, W. McDonald 50-60, J. Garz 48-60. 50T D/B: A & OA: M. Pietzner 62-62; B: T. Williams 72-77; C: J. Garz 43-50. HG: B. Meaney 144-155.

GEMFIELDS 18-10-87 — Sunny, light breeze (17). 50T Cont 25 D/B, 25 S/B: OA: D. Burns 57-60, A. N. Deeley 55-60; B: N. Kavanagh 44-50; C: R. Linderman 24-50. 50T 25 D/B 15m, 25 Hop 15m: OA: B. Deeley 49-50; A: N.

WANDOAN GUN CLUB INC.

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ANNUAL SHOOT Saturday 19 & Sunday 20 March, 1988

FLURO TARGETS — TWO LAYOUTS

SATURDAY 19 — 1pm

- EVENT 1** Nom. \$5.00
10 Target D/B E/O 15m Shot 5-5 Graded S/S
- EVENT 2** Nom. \$10.00 O/S \$2.00
25 Target Wandoan & District D/B Championship
Sponsored by DAWSON MOTORS
Sash & Trophy O/A Badge & Trophy 1st A.B.C.
Trophy 2nd A.B.C.
- EVENT 3** Nom. \$10.00 O/S \$2.00
25 Target S/B 15m Andrew Turner Memorial
1st & 2nd A.B.C.
- EVENT 4** Nom. \$10.00
25 Target Pts Handicap President's Trophy 1st, 2nd,
3rd
- BARBECUE & CALCUTTA SATURDAY NIGHT**

SUNDAY 20 — 9am

- EVENT 5** Nom. \$10.00 O/S \$2.00
25 Target D/B Cont. Wandoan & District
Championship
Sponsored by GILROY MOTORS
Sash & Trophy O/A Badge & Trophy 1st A.B.C.
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- EVENT 6** Nom. \$20.00
\$500 Cash Handicap D/B
\$200 O/A shot to finality. Winner does not get
meterage. \$100 each group 60-30-10. 11-15, 16-19,
20-25
- EVENT 7** Nom. \$12.00
30 Target Medley 15m Cash Divide
10T D/B, 10T S/B, 10T Cont. Graded A.B.C.
60-30-10 each grade
Half Noms. back to shooters
High Guns: Overall — Veterans — Ladies
Juniors & C Grade Ladies 60% Noms.
Overall does not take grade — One High Gun per
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JANUARY 1988 SHOOT PROGRAM

- SUNDAY 17** 9.30am **SKEET**
EVENT 1 Nom. \$12.00
50 Target New Year Doubles C'ship
- EVENT 2** Nom. \$6.00
25 Target Handicap Cash Divide
- EVENT 3** Nom. \$13.00
50 Target Trophies Graded A.B.C.
- WEDNESDAY 20** 7.30pm **NIGHT TRAP**
Nom. \$15.00
50 Target D/B 15m Sweepstakes
Graded A.B.C.

- SUNDAY 31** 9.30am **TRAP**
EVENT 1 Nom. \$8.00
25 Target D/B 15m Trophies
Graded AA.A.B.C.
- EVENT 2** Nom. \$7.00
25 Target Points 15m Sweepstakes
Graded AA.A.B.C.
- EVENT 3** Nom. \$7.00
25 Target Single Barrel 15m Sweepstakes
Graded AA.A.B.C.
- EVENT 4** Nom. \$8.00
25 Target Handicap Trophies
1st, 2nd, 3rd

Scores on Event 1 to count for Stevens & Sons
Annual High Gun Award.
70% nominations for Ladies, Juniors & Veterans
over 65 years.

Trap & Skeet practice available from 1pm
Wednesday to Friday. Skeet practice from 9.30am
Saturday and Trap practice from 1pm Saturday and
from 1pm on the 3rd Sunday of the month.

GOLD COAST CLAY TARGET CLUB INC.

JANUARY 1988

January 6 — Night Trap 55 Tgts — 7.30 pm — \$17.00

Jan 12 — Night Practice & Coaching — 7.30pm

BICENTENNIAL JANUARY CARNIVAL

SATURDAY 16 — 10.00 AM

EVENT 1

J.M. BAUMAN PERPETUAL GOLD CUP

Nom. \$10.00

Pacific Coast D/B Championship, 25T D/B from 15m, Badge O/all & Replica, Trophies 1 & 2 in AA, A, B, C

EVENT 2

MAJOR TROPHY EVENT

Nom. \$18.00

30T D/B from 15m, Trophies AA, A, B, C.

FIRST EVENT FOR GOLD COAST ANNUAL HIGH GUN

EVENT 3

PACIFIC COAST POINTS CHAMPIONSHIP

Nom. \$10.00

25T Points from 15m, Badge O/all, Trophies 1 & 2 in AA, A, B, C

Smorgasbord Roving Roast — Saturday Nite

"FREE" for shooter with full noms.

CALCUTTA DRAWN & AUCTIONED

SUNDAY 17 — 9.00 AM

EVENT 4

LEE HOGARTH PERPETUAL SILVER CUP

Nom. \$10.00

Pacific Coast S/B Championship, 25T S/B from 15m

Badge O/all & Replica Cup, Trophies 1 & 2 in AA, A, B, C

EVENT 5

THE SHOOTERS LOOT

Nom. \$24.00

40T — 15m, \$700.00

20T D/B & 20T Points

\$150.00 divided 60/30/10 in AA, A, B, C

\$100.00 Overall *Calcutta Event*

EVENT 6

GOLD COAST CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS

Nom. \$10.00

25T D/B from 20m

Sash & Trophy O/all, Trophies AA, A, B, C

Noms. \$82.00

Events 1 & 4 — Sweeps \$4.00

TOTAL NOMS INC. "FREE" MEAL TICKET — \$86.00

Overall High Gun; Graded A, B, C, High Guns; Ladies, Juniors & Veterans High Guns if sufficient nominations

Morning & Afternoon Teas — Lunch — Jim Beam Bar — Ammo etc. — all available.

Camping allowed — hot shower

** A special \$250.00 to any shooter who shoots 260/260 over the program. If more than one possible money is to be divided.

The committee reserves the right to alter the program if necessary.

President

Colin Witt (07) 397 0939

Captain

Mike Swale (075) 33 1499

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GYMPIE 8-11-87 — 25T D/B C/D: A: G. Durre 25-25, B. Rowsell 24-25, G. Buerchler 23-25, P. Shaw 23-25; B: Barry Stolberg 24-25, Bev Grice 23-25, G. Foster, C. Harrison both 22-25; C: D. Whitfield 23-25, D. Gardner, B. Newton both 20-25. 26T 18m Champion of Champions: OA: G. Durre 26-28; AA: G. Buerchler 25-28; A: P. Shaw 26-28; B: Bev Grice 22-25; C: P. Pagliarino 21-26. 30T Tower: OA: Bill Stolberg 29-30; A: G. Durre 28-30; B: Barry Stolberg 37-39; C: D. Whitfield 29-31. HG: A: G. Durre 76-80; B: Barry Stolberg 73-80; C: D. Whitfield 68-80. Club HG for year: Lex Stolberg. Committee and members of Gympie wish all a Merry Xmas and Happy New Year.

KALLANGUR 1-11-87 — Showery (40). 25T D/B S/S 15m: AA: G. Fett, G. Dixon, G. Burlison; A: K. Munday, B. Pritchard, R. Spencer, W. Daniella, B. Dupuy; B: W. Chain, R. Samson, N. Bowden; C: S. Rohlf, Brenda Dupuy, J. Burlison, C. McFarlane. 15 Pr D/R John Burlison Trophy 15m: AA: G. Dixon 29-40, G. Burlison 27-40; A: W. Daniells 23-30, K. Munday 22-30; B: W. Chain 27-40, N. Bowden 26-40; C: S. Valastro 20-30, J. Burlison 25-40. 15 Pr D/D Family Cup: C. Bell, S. Bell both 13-15. 30T D/B Winchester Cup: OA: G. Burlison 57-57; OA & AA: G. Burlison 57-57, E. Chizzotti 34-35; A: K. Nasarenko 56-57, B. Pritchard 37-38, B: T. Zagor 29-30, C. Zagor 28-30; C: John Burlison 48-49, Ben Bowden 47-49. Lady: C. Zagor 28-30. Veteran: C. Selke 20-30. Junior HG donated by C. Bunnnett: J. Chizzotti 66-85, J. Flem 64-97, B. Bowden 63-97. Cash HG: AA: G. Fett, G. Dixon; A: K. Munday; B: W. Chain; C: John Burlison, G. McFarlane.

MOUNT ISA 7-11-87 — Warm (20). 20T D/B E/S off Hop: Rob Cusack 20-20, Rod Cusack 19-20, J. Yanko, R. Keyes, T. Matthews, D. Redman, M. McGill all 18-20, G. Magdics, W. Weedon both 17-20, R. Pickering, N. Kuskopf, B. Palethorpe, R. Davies all 16-20. 20T D/B Pts off 15m: J. Sebastiani 58-60, M. McGill 56-60, R. Keyes, Rod Cusack, E. Sebastiani 55-60, J. Yanko, R. Maxwell, Rob Cusack 54-60, B. Palethorpe 53-60, T. Matthews 52-60. MISC Night D/B Cont Pts C'ship 25T: OA: M. McGill 66-75; A: Rod Cusack 58-75; B: Rob Cusack 63-75; C: J. Yanko 57-75, E. Sebastiani 62-75, R. Maxwell 61-75, B. Palethorpe 60-75, J. Sebastiani 59-75.

MOUNT ISA 8-11-87 — (15). 50T Skeet off Hop: P. Leddick 84-86, J. Edmonds 80-87, J. Yanko 74-85, M. McGill 57-60, G. Magdics 43-50, G. Ladbroke, K. Streeter both 41-50, Rob Cusack 38-50, G. Cooke 34-50. 25T E/T: J. Edmonds, R. Keyes both 22-25, M. McGill, B. Power, Rod Cusack, J. Yanko, G. Ladbroke all 21-25, G. Cooke, T. Matthews 19-25, Rob Cusack, N. Kuskopf, P. Leddick, R. Maxwell all 17-25. DTL HG: M. McGill 140-155.

MUNGUNGO 8-11-87 — Cloudy (9). 15T S/B S/S: J. Cahill, J. Woodall, B. Goody all 14. 25T D/B 15m: 11-15m: D. Williams 14; 16-19m: G. Sergicomi 24; 20-25m: K. Goody 24. 26T D/B Hop: K. Goody 24, G. Sergicomi 23, J. Cahill 22. 10 Pr D/R 15m: A: K. Goody 14 (shoot-off); B: G. Hockey 12. HG: K. Goody 76-85.

FORT DENISON 25-1-87 — Fine, hot (19). 10T D/B Hop: D. Pugh 10, G. Chambers, I. Trenow both 9. 15T 5-5-5 Hop: M. Malone, I. Trenow, G. Maltby. 25T S/B Cont 15m: A & OA: B. Malone; B: D. Pugh; C: I. Trenow. 20 Pair D/D: J. Malone & I. Trenow, D. Pugh & G. Stewart. An enjoyable day by all. First shoot we have had with new this traps which performed perfectly.

ROCKHAMPTON 1-11-87 — Fine & breezy (39). Capricornia 100 D/B 15m: OA: D. Casagrande 98; A: M. Warnock 97, J. Riggs 96, V. Hyde 93; B: C. Warnock 90, R. Smithwick 88, P. Trotter 86; C: P. Francis 85, E. Needham 82 (91-110), M. Needham 82 (90-110). 25T D/B Cont Pts (Drawn 5-man team): Winning team: N. Bartlem, M. Needham, K. Harrower, A. Mikkleson, V. Hyde 323-375. Marli Casagrande won the raffle; Ben Chambers won the Lotto and a free day. The 'Rocky No.1' team won the Rockhampton Gun Club Shield — thanks to our friends from Gladstone Gun Club for coming and leaving the shield behind. Thanks to all for helping to make it a fine shoot.

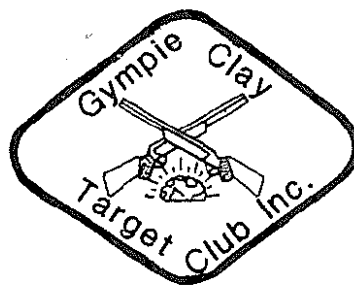
TAMBO 1-11-87 — Cloudy & windy. 10T D/B E/O: S. Goodman, T. Jarvis both 10-10, A. Wale, R. Kennedy both 8-10. Patrons 30T S/B: S. Taylor, C. Duffy, A. Wale. Barcoo Mug 25T D/B Pts: C. Duffy 70, S. Taylor 65, R. Kennedy 63.

SUNSHINE COAST 16-11-87 — Overcast — cool (29). 25T D/B S/S 15m: K. Nasarenko, D. Wyland, A. Buerchler, R. Fett, G. Burlison, L.C. Wilcocks, L. Cassella, Bev Grice, W. Chain, T.V. Gordon, S. Valastro, J. Wilson. 10 Pr D/R C'ship 15m: AA: R. Fett 19-20; A: W. Dunne 22-30; B: L. Cassella 19-20; C: S. Valastro 15-20. 20 Pr D/D C'ship 20m: G. Fett & Bev Grice, G. Fett & S. Burlison. 25T Champion of Champions 18m: AA: G. Fett 25-25, A. Buerchler 24-25; A: D. Wyland 24-25, W. Dunne 23-25; B: L. Cassella 27-29, Barry Stolberg 23-25; C: S. Valastro 18-25, S. Burlison 22-25. HG: AA: R. Fett; A: D. Wyland; B: L. Cassella; C: S. Burlison.

TERRANORA LAKES 8-11-87 — Excellent — light breeze (29). 20T D/B 15m: A: K. Munday 34-35; B: N. Bowden 18-20; C: W. Lagoon 18-20. 20T D/B Pts 15m: A: J. Ferret 69-23; B: R. Melrose 56-19; C: J. Chizzotti 53-18. 20T S/B 15m: A: J. Duyker 19-20; B: C. Hayward 17-21; C: J. Chizzotti 15-20. 20T D/B 15m: A: K. Munday 20-21; B: R. Melrose 21-24; C: J. Burlinson 20-20. 20T D/B Cont: A: J. Duyker 20-20; B: M. Donaldson 17-20; C: S. Burlinson 19-20. 20T B/T Sweeps: A: G. Burlinson, E. Chizzotti; B: C. Rohlf; C: W. Lagoon. Again the Jackpot was contested, and Mr K. Nasarenko missed the second target. Total next month: \$500. HG: J. Duyker. Jnr HG: J. Chizzotti. The Team Shoot: T.L.G.C./Kallangur was won by T.L.G.C.

TEXAS GUN 25-10-87 — Fine (15). 20T D/B S/S: A: P. Kuhn, R. Brook, T. Martin, R. Potter all 20; B: P. Croft 19; C: B. Woods 17. 20T F/S 15m: OA: T. Martin 20-60; A: T. Martin 20-60, R. Potter 20-59; B: G. Scudamore 20-60, B. Dehortoli 19-53; C: B. Woods 18-51, R. Rigby 15-43. 20T P/S Cont C'ship: A: P. Kuhn 20-58; B: G. Scudamore 20-58; C: D. Heslin 16-43. 10 Pr D/R: A: M. Heslin 17; B: G. Scudamore 17; C: D. Heslin 16. HG S/S: A: T. Martin 150; S: G. Scudamore 153; C: B. Woods 120. Miss Dianne Kuhn donated a Perpetual Silver Tray to be shot for in October every year. This tray is in memory of her father and our late member Maldon Edward Kuhn. This tray was shot for in conjunction with Event 2. T. Martin and G. Scudamore had to shoot-off in this event and T. Martin came out the winner.

TOOGLOOLAWAH 7-11-87 — Cloudy & cool (20). 15T D/B 15m, 15T D/B Pts 15m C/D: A: G. Burlison 59-60, K. Nasarenko 59-60; B: B. Guthrie 55-60; C: D. Damrow 53-60. 10 Pair D/R 15m: A: K. Nasarenko 18-20; B: W. Chain 15-20; C: A. Guthrie 15-20. 25T D/B Night C'ship 15m: A: G. Burlison 27-28; B: W. Chain 22-25; C: A. Guthrie 21-25. 25T Pts 15m: A: K. Nasarenko 25-75; B: W.



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 TARGET CLUB INC.**
 BANKS POCKET ROAD, GYMPIE, 4570
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 ASSOCIATION

SUNDAY 17th JANUARY, 1988

EVENT 1 — 20T D/B 15m CASH DIVIDE
 EVENT 2 — 25T S/B CASH DIVIDE
 EVENT 3 — 25T D/B CONT. 15m
 EVENT 4 — 15PR D/D DRAWN PARTNERS JACKPOT
 G.J. HOLMES — Secretary

Toowoomba Clay Target Club Inc.

**Open Shoot 12th, 13th March
 1988**

Saturday 12th March 4 Trap Layouts

EVENT 1 25 Target D/B 15m Grd. S/S
 EVENT 2 25 Target D/B C'ship
 EVENT 3 25 Target D/B Cont. C'ship

Sunday 13th March

EVENT 4 25 Target Points C'ship
 EVENT 5 50 Target D/B 15m Calcutta Event
 EVENT 6 25 Target D/B Handicap

**Warwick Outdoors & Sports Display — Barbecue
 and Calcutta Saturday night.**

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MURGON GUN CLUB



TWO DAY SHOOT



**Saturday 27th February, 1988 —
Starting Time 1.30pm**

- EVENT 1** 10 Target D/B E/O C/D **Nom. \$5.00**
EVENT 2 25 Target Murgon D/B C'ship **Nom. \$12.00**
 Overall and A.B.C. 1st and 2nd
EVENT 3 25 Target D/B Handicap **Nom. \$15.00**
 ½ Noms back 11-15, 16-19, 20-25m



SATURDAY NIGHT

- EVENT 4** 40 Target State Championship Mixed Targets **Nom. \$18.00**
 10 S/B, 10 D/B, 10 D/B/P, 5 Pr D/Rise



**SUNDAY 28th FEBRUARY, 1988 —
Starting Time 8.30am**

- EVENT 5** 25 Target D/B Barambah C'ship **Nom. \$12.00**
 Overall and A.B.C. 1st & 2nd
EVENT 6 25 Target D/B Handicap **Nom. \$15.00**
 ½ Noms back to shooter. 11-15, 16-19, 20-25m
EVENT 7 25 Target Western Zone D/B 15m **Nom. \$14.00**
 Overall and A.B.C. 1st & 2nd
EVENT 8 25 Target Murgon D/B Cont. C'ship **Nom. \$12.00**
 Overall and A.B.C. 1st & 2nd
FLURO CLAYS — BARBECUE SATURDAY NIGHT

KINGAROY GUN CLUB INC.

Annual Two Day Shoot

Sat., Feb. 6 — Sun., Feb. 7, 1988

Saturday, February 6 — 1 p.m. Start

- Event 1** **Nomination \$5**
10 TARGETS D.B. EYE OPENER — 15m
(Cash Divide)

- Event 2** **Nomination \$9**
ANDERSSON'S FRUIT MARKET
S.B. CHAMPIONSHIP (25T — 15m)
(Badge O.A., Trophy A, B, C — Optional Sweeps 12-13: \$2)

- Event 3** **Nomination \$9**
PROJECT ELECTRICAL
CONTINENTAL C'SHIP (25T — 15m)
(Badge O.A., Trophy A, B, C)

Sunday, February 7 — 9 a.m. Start

- Event 4** **Nomination \$9**
NOUD'S NEWSAGENT'S
D.B. CHAMPIONSHIP (25T — 15m)
(Badge O.A., Trophy A, B, C — Optional Sweeps 12-13: \$2)

- Event 5** **Nomination \$15**
30 TARGETS D.B. HANDICAP
(1st, 2nd, 3rd — 50% nomination 60/30/10 — Calcutta Event)

- Event 6** **Nomination \$9**
THORPS JEWELLERS
D.B. POINTS C'SHIP (25T — 15m)
(Badge O.A., Trophy A, B, C)

- Event 7** **Nomination \$12**
ELDERS PASTORAL 30T MEDLEY
(10T D.B., 10T D.B. POINTS, 10T D.B. CONT. POINTS — 15m)
(Trophy A, B, C)

**High Gun A, B, C. Full Fluro Targets. Sponsored
by Winchester Australia**
Total Nominations including Sweeps \$72.
Juniors 60% Nominations

Calcutta on Event 5 — No Deductions from Calcutta
Happy Hour 5.30 p.m. to 6.30 p.m. (All Drinks Half Price)
 Free BBQ 7 p.m., Calcutta Draw 5.30 p.m., Auction 6 p.m.

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Chain 24-71; C: D. Damrow 23-68, HG: K. Nasarenko 174-180.

TOOWOOMBA 8-11-87 — Fine, windy (42). 25T D/B 15m: AA: M. Barton 25-25; A: W. Hughes 25-25; B: J. Cuddihy 26-26; C: D. Heslin 22-25. 25T S/B 15m: AA: M. Barton 24-25; A: T. Robinson 26-31; B: J. Cuddihy 29-35; C: K. Janke 18-25. 25T Pts 15m: AA: A. Fotheringham 71-75; A: G. Manning 71-75; B: R. Jillett 73-75; C: K. Janke 60-75. 20T State Winchester Jnr Event: B. Dupuy 36-40, M. Heslin 34-40, R. Graham 32-40. 20 Pr D/D C'ship: M. Barton & G. Fett 21-23, J. Cuddihy & R. Jillett 20-23. The Wells-Donovan Trap Team Cup won by D. Heslin, R. Jillett, M. Heslin 196-225. Ladies HG: C. Zagor 106-125; Jnr HG: Bret Dupuy 104-125; Vet HG: W. Hughes 111-125; C11-15m HG: D. Heslin 97-125; OA HG: G. Manning 125-135.

WANDOOAN 15-11-87 — Fine (20). 10T D/B E/O off Hop: W. Sattler, Kev Kuhl, D. James, G. Mason, S. Phelps, C. Tootell, G. Gilroy all 10-10. 25T Pts Hop: R. Woodrow 81-87, S. Phelps 80-87, K. Williams 68-75. 20T D/B 15m Night: A: Ken Kuhl 20-20; B: W. Sattler, Kev Kuhl 20-20; C: C. Tootell 18-20. 20T S/B 15m Night: A: D. James 20-20; B: G. Mason 18-20; C: W. Steffensen 16-20. Extra Event 10 Pr D/R 15m: A: Ken Kuhl 15-20; B: C. Pulford 15-20; C: R. Woodrow, C. Tootell both 14-20.

WARWICK 14-11-87 — Night shoot — cool & windy (14). 50T D/B Night Event: A: L. Bartley 45-50, R. Bartley 39-50; B: D. Bartley 46-50, D. Cameron 38-50; C: P. Koch 41-50, E. Surawski 39-50.



VICTORIA

APSLEY 1-11-87 — Hot (19). 5 Pr D/R C/D: T. Zbierski 10-10, G. Steele, T. Langeldudecke both 9-10. P. Cleggett Snr D/D: G. Height & S. Henderson 31-31, P. Cleggett Jnr & J. Fartoh 30-31. 30T Selig Memorial: T. Drummond 72-72; B: T. Langeldudecke 43-45; A: G. Steel 71-72, R. Schleiter: C: B.L.L. Pallant 45-46, T. Zbierski 29-30. Thank you to Peter Cleggett Snr for attending and for his speech prior to the trophy presentation.

ARARAT 8-11-87 — Sunny, slight breeze (15). 10T E/O P/S C/D: W. Calaby, H. Vaughan, C. Dunn, R. Wright, D. Freeman all 30-30. 30T Harrison's Retravision D/B Grd C'ship: A & OA: W. Calaby 81-81, C. Dunn 80-81; B: W. Harris 43-44, H. Vaughan 28-30; C: G. Kirkpatrick 25-30, A. Wohlers 22-30. 25T Ararat Business Houses P/S Grd C'ship: A & OA: C. Dunn 75-75, W. Calaby 77-78; B: G. Bantz 73-75, W. Harris 65-75; C: L. Williams 62-75, G. Kirkpatrick 47-75. 15T C/D off 16m: G. Bantz, D. Freeman both 15-15. Special thanks to Harrison's Retravision for their donation of trophies four years in a row, also thanks to six Ararat business houses for their donations in the third event.

BAIRNSDALE 7-11-87 — Fine (30). 25T D/B C'ship: A & OA: A. Cousins 61-61; B: G. McMillan 52-53; C: L. Beechey 24-25. 25T Pts C'ship: A & OA: L. Curtis 75-75; B: G. Hines 78-81; C: P. Cooper 66-75. 25T S/B C'ship: A & OA: L. Curtis 38-39; B: G. McMillan 23-25; C: M. Mariani 37-39. 25T Hop: 11-15: L. Beechey 25-25; 16-19: B. Webb 30-30; 20-25: A. Cousins 27-27. OA winner Champion of Champions: B. Webb 30-30. Cake Shoot: B. Webb.

BENDIGO 7-11-87 — Good (30). 20T Pts C'ship: A & OA: T. Boucher 77-78, L. Downie 78-78; B: B. Knight 59-60, W. McCarthy 58-60; C: D. Knight 58-60. C. Roberts 56-60. 25T D/B C/D: A: R. McKenzie, T. Boucher, L. Downie; B: J. Landry, W. McCarthy; C: J. Govett, C. Roberts, E. McRae. 20T Silent Rise: A & OA: T. Boucher 60-60, R. McKenzie 59-60; B: J. Landry 31-32, W. McCarthy 23-24; C: L. Roberts 19-20, K. Gerry 23-25.

CASTLEMAINE 3-11-87 — Fine, cool, rain, gale force winds (46). 5T Pts Eye: D. Marriott, D. Loder, B. Billings, C. Opperman, R. McClure, W. Calaby, K. Goon, G. Hall, J. Shepard, L. Roberts. 20T Melbourne Cup Pts C'ship: A: A. James 62-63, J. Shepard 59-60; B: K. Goon 55-60, J. Lendon 54-60; C: D. Opperman 63-63, E.M. Graze 49-60. Ladies: L. Gray 44-60. Ladies: L. Gray 44-60. 20T Melbourne Pts C'ship: A: W. Calaby 20-20, J. Shepard 31-32; B: D. Collihole 21-23, K. Gray 32-35; C: L. Roberts 19-20, C. Roberts 28-30. Ladies: K. Williams 17-20. HG: J. Shepard 83-85.

CASTLEMAINE 14-11-87 — Perfect (27). 5T Eye: K. Goon, W. Calaby, G. Langridge, C. Opperman, J. Shepard, B. Rafferty, D. Marriott. 20T S/B C'ship: A: W. Calaby 22-23, A. James 25-27; B: B. Lendon 18-20, K. Goon 19-22; C: W. Phillips 21-23, L. Goodie 16-20. 10 Pr D/R C'ship: A: R. McClure 20-20, A. James 47-50; B: J. Lendon 24-30, P. Powell 22-30; C: L. Goodie 18-20, G. Langridge 16-20.

COHUNA 6-11-87 — Ideal (29). Novice: T. Hore 8-10. 10T S/S: Divided by G. Mustey, A. Day, R. Fowler, P. Kelly, H. Allen, R. Godfrey, T. Free. 20T S/B C'ship: A & OA: N. Lehmann 18-20; B: M. Absalom 21-25; C: G. Smith 16-21. Junior: A. Anderson 9-20. 20T D/B C'ship: A & OA: G. Hall 20-20; B: T. Free 46-47; C: G. Smith 18-20.

Colbinabbin Clay Target Club Inc.

Friday, 8th January, 1988 at 7.30pm

EVENT 1	15 Target P/S C/D	Nom. \$4.00
EVENT 2	20 Target Red Cross D/B Championship Graded	Nom. \$8.00
EVENT 3	20 Target Red Cross P/S Championship Graded O/S on events 2 & 3	Nom. \$8.00

President: A.W. Johns (054) 32 9370

Secretary: R.R. West (054) 32 9284

GEELONG CLAY TARGET CLUB INC.

JANUARY PROGRAM

NEW YEAR'S DAY CHARITY SHOOT LIONS CLUB NEW YEAR'S DAY GRAND PRIX

See December News and separate
advertisement this issue for details.

Saturday Jan. 16 — 1pm Start

- Event 1 Nom \$14.00
50 TARGET SKEET C'SHIP
Sash & 1st Trophy donated by Jack Allen
Trophies A-B-C Grades
- Event 2 Nom \$7.00
20 TARGET DOUBLE BARREL C'SHIP
Trophies A-B-C Grades
- Event 3 Nom \$8.00
20 TARGET DOUBLE BARREL TOWER C'SHIP
Trophies 1,2,3 and Front Marker
Other Events Time Permitting

Sunday Jan. 24 — 12.30pm Start BICENTENNIAL AUSTRALIA DAY CHAMPIONSHIPS

- Event 1 Nom \$5.00
15 TARGET POINTS E.O. 15M
- Event 2 Nom \$15.00
50 TARGET BICENTENNIAL
DOUBLE BARREL C'SHIP
Overall winner sash and cup,
donated by Noel Wenning
Medallion and trophies each grade
- Event 3 Nom \$10.00
30 TARGET BICENTENNIAL
CONTINENTAL C'SHIP
Sash for overall winner
Trophies each grade

Sunday Jan. 31 — 1pm Start

- Event 1 Nom \$14.00
Two rounds of 25 Targets with
trophies in AA-A-B-C grades
Both ACTA and VFCA members welcome
ACTA or VFCA handicap cards must be produced
or shooter will shoot AA grade.
Further sweepstakes round — time permitting

President: Noel Wenning
Phone (052) 43 9309

Secretary: Jack Powe
PO Box 857, Geelong 3220
Phone (052) 75 1555

DENILQUIN GUN CLUB

"GRAND PRIX"

JANUARY 24th, 1988

WINCHESTER TRAPS

SUNDAY 10.00am

EXCHANGE HOTEL EYE OPENER

EVENT 1

10 Target P/Score Eye Opener

Nom. \$2.50 O/P \$2.50

GTX2 POINTSCORE

EVENT 2

20 Target P/Score Championship

Nom. \$10.00 O/S \$1.00

Overall Sash & Trophy \$90 — Other Grades Sash & Trophy \$60 — 2nd A.B.C. Trophy \$30

DENILQUIN R.S.L. HANDICAP

EVENT 3

30 Target "Grand Prix" D/Barrel Handicap (BM - 21m)

Nom. \$25.00 O/S \$1.00

Overall Sash & Beretta 1200F, New Model 5 shot auto — 2nd case shells — 3rd ½ case shells — 4th trophy — F.M. Trophy

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EVENT 4

30 Target "Grand Prix" D/Barrel Championship

Nom. \$25.00 O/S \$1.00

Overall Sash & BRNO .22 & case shells — 1st A.B.C. Sash & BRNO .22 — 2nd A.B.C. ½ case shells

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WINCHESTER High Gun on Events 1, 2, 3, 4. Tartan Sash & case shells.

Deni Sports Centre High Gun on other two grades — sash & ½ case shells each.

Deni Electrical Discounts Junior High Gun, sash and trophy.

Faye Burton Ladies High Gun, sash and crystal.
IBIS HOPPER FED PRACTICE TRAP

LADIES/JUNIORS 60% NOMS.

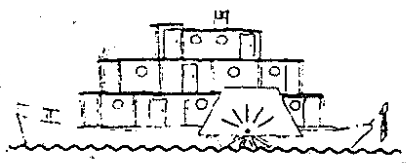
ZZ's run in conjunction with program.

SHOOT THE CIRCUIT, SEE BENDIGO'S AD, THIS ISSUE.

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Committee reserves the right to alter the program



ECHUCA GUN CLUB (INC.)

**SUNDAY JANUARY 10,
12 NOON**

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| EVENT 1 | 25 Target Skeet Champ. Graded | Nom. \$7.00 |
| EVENT 2 | 25 Target D/B Champ. Graded | Nom. \$7.00 |
| EVENT 3 | 25 Target Mixed Champ. Graded | Nom. \$7.00 |
| EVENT 4 | 15 Target Points Cash Divide | Nom. \$5.00 |

Overall winner each event, deluxe sash plus grade trophy. 2 other grades trophy.

President: R.W. McKenzie Secretary: D.W. Penn
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EUROA CLAY TARGET CLUB INCORPORATED

Dodge the Heat! Shoot in the Evening!

Friday Evening 22nd January, 6.30pm

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| EVENT 1 | 20 Target BOHO Twilight P/Score Championship | Nom. \$6.00 |
| | 1st, 2nd, 3rd & F/M — cash prizes | |
| EVENT 2 | 4 pair D/Doubles Eye Opener | Nom. \$1.00 |
| EVENT 3 | 30 pair EUROA NIGHT D/DOUBLES Championship | Nom. \$10.00 |
| | 1st pair sashes and trophies — 2nd pair trophies | |
| EVENT 4 | 25 Target NIGHT N.E.Z. D/B Championship | Nom. \$10.00 |
| | Graded A.B.C. — 1st & 2nd each grade | |

Refreshments available

Shooting ground is located 7km south of Euroa on the Hume Highway, then Halsall's Road.

President: R. Barns
(057) 95 2638

Secretary: W. Borden
(057) 95 2866

VENETO & ABRUZZO GUN CLUB

Sunday, January 17

*Held at Melbourne Gun Club
... Victoria Rd, Lilydale*



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| EVENT 1 | 10 Target D/B Graded A.B.C. C/D | Nom. \$6.00 |
| EVENT 2 | 50 Target Points 1 & 2 A.B.C. Encouragement Award | Nom. \$15.00 |
| EVENT 3 | 50 Target D/B 1st & 2nd A.B.C. Encouragement Award | Nom. \$15.00 |
| EVENT 4 | 50 Target Skeet 1st A.B.C. | Nom. \$15.00 |



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NEW SHOOTERS WELCOME

GEELONG CLAY TARGET CLUB (INC.)

NEW YEAR'S DAY CHARITY SHOOT

Friday January 1 — Starts 10am

This shoot is being conducted in conjunction with:
THE LIONS CLUB OF SOUTH BARWON — \$2000 TROPHY VALUE.

Event 1 \$5.00
15 tgt Points Score E/O C/D

Event 2 \$8.00
Beaurepaire Tyre Service Championship
20 tgt Double Barrel 15m
1st each grade, \$80 Trophy value
2nd each grade, Trophies
Sash overall winner

Event 3 \$14.00
Winchester/Lions Club GRAND PRIX
30 tgt from ACTA Handicap marks
Grouped Meterages (11-15), (16-20), (21-25)
1st each group 500 AA Winchester Cartridges
2nd each group 200 AA Winchester Cartridges
3rd each group 100 AA Winchester Cartridges
Sash overall winner

Event 4 \$8.00
Epic Hardware Championship
20 tgt Double Barrel 15m
1st Sash & Trophy \$10 value
Trophies 2nd, 3rd, Frontmarker, Ladies & Veteran

Event 5 \$8.00
NEW YEAR'S DAY Skeet Championship
25 tgt Graded A,B,C.
Sash & Trophy overall winner
Trophies other 2 grade winners

*High Gun Sash & Trophy
Events 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 — Points to count.
LION-SIZED BBQ Steaks and Salad for Lunch.
Morning and afternoon teas also available.*

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Any further information contact:

President: Noel Wenning (052) 43 9309

Secretary: Jack Powe (052) 75 1555

STATE MINI DOUBLE RISE CHAMPIONSHIP

ST. JAMES GUN CLUB INC.

Saturday January 30 — 1.00pm

EVENT 1 Nom. \$16.00
25 pr STATE MINI DOUBLE RISE GRADED C'SHIP

Deluxe Red Sash O/A & other Grades

Trophies 1st & 2nd each Grade.

EVENT 2 Nom. \$8.00

KELLY LAND D/B C'SHIP

Tri sashes each grade. Trophies 1st & 2nd each grade

EVENT 3 Nom. \$8.00

20 Target Handicap

1st, 2nd, 3rd & B/M Trophies

Excellent Trophies — \$2 Sweeps

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NUMURKAH CLAY TARGET CLUB INC.

CANCELLED

JANUARY NIGHT SHOOT

Alexandra Gun Club Inc.

CHRISTMAS SHOOT

**Sunday, 3rd January,
1988 — 1 p.m.**

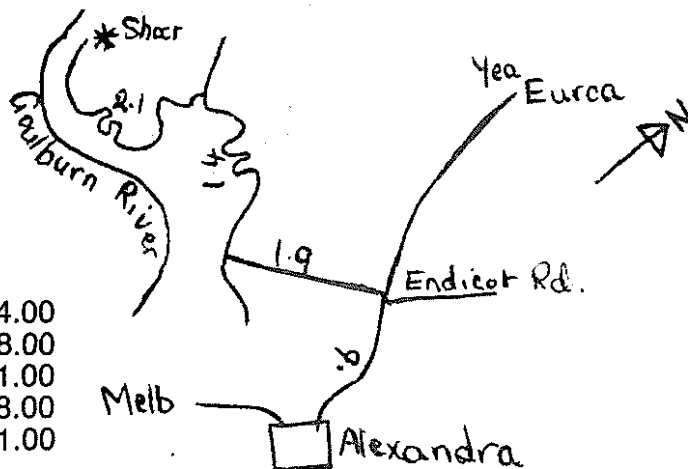
BYO BBQ Lunch 12.00 Noon —
Afternoon Tea available.

To be shot at Ron Hedger's property,
6km west of Alexandra.

10T D/B E/O Common Mark	\$4.00
20T D/B Brooks' Cutting Championship	\$8.00
Optional Sweeps	\$1.00
20T D/B Handicap	\$8.00
Optional Sweeps	\$1.00
Other Events — Time Permitting	

Pres: Jack Woolmer
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Sec: Sue McNair
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DON'T FORGET!!

Kerang Clay Target Club Inc.

PRESIDENTIAL SILVER JUBILEE SHOOT

In Honour of 25 Years as President by FRANK JAMES

NEW YEAR'S DAY 1st January 1988

Commencing 11.30am sharp

Program: Event 1 — 20 Target D/B Championship
Event 2 — 25 Target Presidential Silver Jubilee D/B Championship
Event 3 — 20 Target P/Score Championship
Event 4 — (Night) 50 Target STATE S/B Continental Championship
Total Noms Day/Night \$56 + Sweeps \$6 = \$62
ALL events graded AA, A, B, C 1st & 2nd & Ladies, Juniors & Veterans

OVERALL HIGH GUN WINNER (Events 1, 2, 3 & 4)

WILL WIN Trip for 2 flying Australian Airlines to Launceston, Tasmania with 2 nights accommodation at Country Club Casino

**Courtesy Sky High Travel, Kerang; Australian Airlines;
Launceston Country Club Casino**

Launceston  **Federal**



PLUS: Silver Cup — donated by M.S.D. Agvet

PLUS: Perpetual Cup — donated by M.S.D. Agvet

PLUS: High Gun Sash, Gillmans

Overall winner will automatically win his/hers grade High Gun

OTHER HIGH GUNS: (Events 1, 2, 3 & 4) 3 Grade High Guns, Sash & Trophy — Value \$100

Ladies, Juniors & Veterans High Gun — Sash & Trophy — Value \$100

Other Major Trophies on Program: Hand Cocking Ibis Trap Value \$330 (1 each grade)

TOTAL VALUE OF TROPHIES & SASHES IN EXCESS OF \$5,000

The Kerang Clay Target Club Inc. would like to thank the following sponsors and donors for helping us to make this day something "SPECIAL" for our President Frank James.

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Further information: Phone Fay Burton, Secretary (054) 54 7245

COHUNA 20-11-87 — Ideal. Novice: D. Marsh 8-12. 10T S/S: Divided by G. Bradley, G. Mustey, C. Doyle, I. Baker, J. Saville. 20T D/B: A & OA: C. Doyle 25-25; B: I. Baker 24-25; C: N. Sutherland 18-21. 20T S/B: B & OA: A. Day 23-24; A: C. Doyle 22-24; C: D. McKenzie. Junior: Anthony Anderson 7-20.

COLBINABBIN 13-11-87 — Night. 20T D/B C'ship: A: K. Shearer 25-25; B: Angie Johns 29-30; C: W. West (Jnr) 18-20. 25T N.E. Zone P/S C'ship: OA: T. Boucher 74-75; A: G. Hall 70-75; B: G. Bradley 73-75; C: P. Traill 52-78. 15 Pr N.E. Zone D/R C'ship: OA: S. Aitkins 25-30; A: R. Traill 22-30; B: Angie Johns 21-30; C: R. West (Jnr) 23-40.

ECHUCA 8-11-87 — Warm & windy (35). 50T D/B C'ship: A: J. Whittaker 50-50; B: J. Decker 49-50; C: D. Russell 44-50. 50T Pts C'ship: OA & A: N. Berry 160-165; B: J. Decker 136-150; C: D. Vick 134-150. 15 Pair D/R C'ship: OA & A: J. Whittaker 38-40; B: D. Penn 30-40; C: D. Healy 20-30.

FOSTER 14-11-87 — Cool & mild (37). 10T P/S C/D Hop: J. Newton, B. Stokes, R. Jennings, R. Barton, J. Tait, K. Brown all 30-30. 25T S/B Promontory C'ship: OA: R. Jennings 29-31; A: J. Palfy 28-31; B: L. Fincham 22-28; C: W. Jennings 27-30. Trophies donated by B. Salomon. 20T D/B Hop: J. Palfy 41-41, J. Kent 40-41, S. Allen 20-21. Daily HG: J. Palfy 62-65. Donated by R. Jennings. Fish Shoot: R. Whykes, W. Panter, J. Shellcut.

FRANKSTON AUST. 8-11-87 — Fine (64). 10T Pts C/D: M. Whitelaw 30-30, D. Edgerton 29-30, S. Zotti 29-30. 40T S/B Club C'ship: A & OA: D. Diaz 38-40; B: D. Edgerton 36-40; C: A. Heffner 35-40. 20T D/B C'ship: A & OA: J. McVitty 34-34; B: J. Haw 20-20; C: V. Hanson 21-25. 50T B/T C'ship: A & OA: G. Ash 48-50; B: J. O'Rourke 39-50; C: F. Foulisi 34-50. 100T American Skeet C'ship: A & OA: A. Crikis 94-100; B: B. Parker 88-100; C: F. Foulisi 87-100. 100T Trench C'ship: A & OA: D. Diaz 91-100; B: A. Reed 73-100; C: P. Reynolds 86-100.

FRANKSTON AUST. 15-11-87 — 30T Pts C'ship: A: F. Bolica 80-90; B & OA: P. Reynolds 82-90; C: J. Newmann 60-90. 30T S/B C'ship: A & OA: F. Bolica 28-30; B: B. Old 24-30; C: R. Sinclair 24-30. 30T D/B C'ship: A: K. Wright 29-30; B & OA: P. Reynolds 30-30; C: J. Newman 28-30. 25T B/T C'ship: A & OA: K. Wright 22-25; B: B. Brooks 21-25; C: J. Newman 21-28. 25T Tower S/B C'ship: A: F. Bolica 33-35; B & OA: N. Wedding 24-25; C: W. Mann 23-25. 50T American Skeet C'ship: A & OA: A. Cunningham 63-64; B: B. Old 62-64; C: R. Light 37-50. 100T Trench C'ship: OA: J. Yee 80-100; B: E. Reid 70-100; C: T. Lucas 74-100. 20T Sporting Re-entry: A: N. Salaman 20-24; B: J. Dutcheman 14-20; C: M. Braman 12-20. Inter-Club Challenge Cups: D/B: F/A 472-480, Melb 453-480. Skeet: Melb 1545-1600, F/A 1528-1600.

HOPETOUN 30-10-87 — Hot & clear (19). 5T E/O D/B C/D: T. Poulton, J. Clark, G. Hofmaier, N. Hinneberg, I. Wilson, A. Thomas, R. Brown, M. Smith, N. Latta, R. Black, J. Blythman, D. Afford. 25T Hopetoun & Dist D/B C'ship: OA & B: N. Hinneberg 49-49, M. Smith 39-41; A: R. Black 48-49, R. Lehmann 35-36; C: R. Brown 22-25, A. Thomas 24-30. 20T: A off 18m: R. Lehmann 26-26; B off 16m: D. Afford 27-28; C off 14m: I. Wilson 26-28. Champion of Champions 1987: Roger Lehmann 35-35. Club sincerely thanks Mr & Mrs E.A. Poulton for again donating this trophy.

KERANG 30-10-87 — Excellent (35). 15T S/S: T. Smith, A. Schirmer, F. James, N. Lehmann, M. Vieterini, S. Kerr, G. Bradley all 15-15. 20T D/B C'ship: A & OA: S. Kerr 50-50; B: A. Day 49-50; C: J. Absalom 21-22; Junior: J. Tuohey 17-20. 25T M/T: A & OA: S. Kerr 44-49, M. Vieterini 55-63; B: B. Fowler 42-49, G. Bradley 56-63; C: J. Absalom 30-55, L. Swinnerton 27-35.

KORUMBURRA 24-10-87 — 20-knot head wind (23). 10T Pts off 15: T. Gannon 30-30, A. Bremner, K. Cross, L. Johnson, B. Stokes all 29. 30T Hop: A. Hansen (15) 2931, T. Gannon (17) 28-31, B. Stokes (20) 30-33; 11-14: G. Milkins 27-31; 14-16m: M. Marshall 27-31; 19-22: R. Jennings 26-30; 23-25: M. Green 26-30. 25T Pts: C & OA: M. Marshall 74-75, S. Allen 66-75; A: B. Stokes 72-75, J. Newton 71-75; B: T. Gannon 65-75, L. Fincham 78-87. 25T D/B Mini: M. Firth 24, C. Heppell, S. Allen both 21. Cake shoot: C. Heppell. Jnr and HG: 15-y-o Mick Marshall 129-135.

KORUMBURRA 6-11-87 — Good (17). 25T Hop Skeet C/D: H. Goller (+5) 21, D. Kendall (+3) 24, I. Hall (+5) 21, P. White (+1) 25, N. Bull (+5) 22, C. Heppell (+5) 22, possibles. 25T D/B: A & OA: J. Chapple 28-29, D. Kendall 27-29; B: A. Sydenham 23-25, F. Foon 26-31; C: S. Allen 20-25, N. Bull 18-25. 25 D/B Hop: F. Foon (15) 20-20, I. Davidson (16) 24-25, P. White (21) 23-25. Cake shoot: W. Parks.

MELBOURNE 10-10-87 — Cool, overcast (70). 50T Pts Grd C'ship: OA & A: T. Grummet 146-150; B: G. Vella 132-150; C: R. Henwood 131-150. 50T D/B Grd C'ship: OA: R. Burgess 48-50; A: B. Perks 47-50; B: L. Connell 47-50; C: S. Aston 42-51. 20 Pair D/D Auto & Driven: A. Bleas & R. Dodds 32-40, G. Vella & N. Moore 26-40. 100T Alex Crikis Grd Skeet C'ship: OA: P. Johnston 99-100; AA: A. Crikis 97-100; A: B. Attwood 98-102; B: G. Thomas 95-100; C: G. Carroll 85-100. Best Lady: Carol Ogden 94-100. Best Junior: Stuart McCulloch 66-100. Best Veteran: Fred Thatcher 88-100.

MELBOURNE 31-10-87 — Hot, light breeze (37). 25T S/B Grd C'ship: OA & A: C. Carroll 24-26; B: G. McClure 22-28; C: R. Henwood 21-25. Novice: A. Guskich 22-25. 50T D/B Grd C'ship: OA & A: R. Godfrey 75-76; B: S. Zotti 48-50; C: L. Dodds 48-50. 25T Pts Grd C'ship: OA & A: R. Godfrey 93-93; B: A. Baker 92-93; C: L. Dodds 73-75. 75T Grd Skeet: OA & A: C. Hughes 68-75; B: L. Dunkley 65-75, C. White 62-75.

MELBOURNE 7-11-87 — Fine & light breeze (60). 25T S/B Grd C'ship: A: R. Lambden 23-26; OA & B: B. Ferres 26-29; C: L. Dodds 25-29; Novice: Mark Wright 17-25. 25T D/B Grd C'ship: OA & A: R. Jennings 33-33; B: A. Baker 32-33; C: T. Ballantine 24-25. 10 Pr D/R Grd C'ship: OA & A: D. Diaz 32-40; B: B. Ferres 31-40; C: T. Peters 22-25. 75T Grd Skeet: OA & A: Carol Ogden 74-75; B: B. Sanger 72-75; C: C. Sanger 71-75.

METROPOLITAN 31-10-87 — Hot & windy (34). Grand Prix Day 1. 20T D/B: A: J. Smith 24-25, B. Lobley 23-25; B: J. Reizneiks 19-20, T. Gourdon 16-20; C: N. Pengelly 21-23, G. Koury 20-23. 20T Pts: A: G. Senserrick 59-60, B. Lobley 56-60; B: J. Reizneiks 56-60, T. Gourdon 50-60; C: P. Pengelly 54-60, S. Scalora 53-60. Mollica Hep: S. Zanca 20-20, M. Rocco 19-20, V. Dawson 24-28. BM: V. Mollica 17-20. Metro D/Rise: A: V. Mollica 28-30, S. Zanca, P. McVicar both 23-30; B: M. Rocco 25-30, J. Reizneiks 16-30; C: S. Scalora 20-30, G. Koury 18-30. 50T Skeet: A: J. Smith 47-50, H. Weitzel, M. Piccolo both 44-50; B: R. Burrill 53-58, O. Hayek 51-58; C: L. Walsh 49-50, A. Bega 50-58.

METROPOLITAN 1-11-87 — Very hot & windy (36). Grand Prix Day 2. 20T D/B: A: M. Piccolo 35-35, S. Zanca 34-35; B: G. Magdziarz Jnr 25-28, A. Lorenzi 24-26; C: J. Trevisan 23-25, N. Pengelly 22-25. 20T S/B: A: M. Piccolo

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SATURDAY 9 JANUARY — 1pm Start

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| EVENT 1 | 10 Target Eye Opener C/D | Nom. \$3.50 |
| EVENT 2 | 20 Target Double Barrel Sash & Trophies A.B.C. | Nom. \$7.50 |
| EVENT 3 | 10 Pair Double Rise Tower Trophies A.B.C. | Nom. \$7.50 |
| EVENT 4 | 20 Target Points C/D Payouts per grade | Nom. \$7.00 |
| EVENT 5 | 25 Target Skeet A.B.C. | Nom. \$8.00 |
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| EVENT 3 | — 10 Target Points |
| EVENT 4 | — 10 Target S/B |
| EVENT 5 | — 20 Target D/B Handicap |

Saturday January 23 at Noon

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| EVENT 1 | — 10 Points |
| EVENT 2 | — 25 Target D/B 15m 1 & 2 |
| EVENT 3 | — 25 Target D/B Handicap 1.2.3. |

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SUNDAY 3

- EVENT 1 Nom. \$9.00
30 target Single Barrel Championship
EVENT 2 Nom. \$9.00
30 target Double Barrel Championship
EVENT 3 Nom. \$7.00
20 target Handicap 1, 2, 3 and B/M
EVENT 4 Nom. \$8.00
25 target Ball Trap Championship
EVENT 5 Nom. \$12.00
50 target American Skeet Championship
EVENT 6 Nom. \$13.00
50 target Trench Championship

SUNDAY 10

- EVENT 1 Nom. \$7.00
20 target Points Championship
EVENT 2 Nom. \$7.00
20 target Single Barrel Championship
EVENT 3 Nom. \$7.00
20 target Double Barrel Championship
EVENT 4 Nom. \$8.00
25 target Ball Trap Championship
EVENT 5 Nom. \$22.00
100 target American Skeet Championship
EVENT 6 Nom. \$25.00
100 target Trench Handicap

SATURDAY 16

- Nom. \$14.00
Port Phillip Field and Game Shoot
50 target Simulated O/A, AA, A, B, C, Restricted

SUNDAY 17

- EVENT 1 Nom. \$4.00
10 target Points Cash Divide
EVENT 2 Nom. \$8.00
Frank/Aust. Club Double Barrel Perpetual Cup
20 targets off 16 metres
EVENT 3 Nom. \$7.00
10 pair Double Rise Championship
EVENT 4 Nom. \$8.00
25 target Ball Trap Championship
EVENT 5 Nom. \$22.00
100 target American Skeet Championship
EVENT 6 Nom. \$25.00
100 target Trench Championship

SUNDAY 24

- EVENT 1 Nom. \$9.00
30 target Single Barrel Championship
EVENT 2 Nom. \$9.00
30 target Double Barrel Championship
EVENT 3 Nom. \$7.00
South East Zone Walk Up Championship
20 target Walk Up
EVENT 4 Nom. \$8.00
25 target Ball Trap Championship
EVENT 5 Nom. \$22.00
100 target American Skeet Championship
EVENT 6 Nom. \$25.00
100 target Trench Championship

SUNDAY 31

- EVENT 1 Nom. 7.00
20 target Points Championship
EVENT 2 Nom. \$7.00
20 target Single Barrel Championship
EVENT 3 Nom. \$7.00
20 target Double Barrel Championship
EVENT 4 Nom. \$8.00
25 target Ball Trap Championship
EVENT 5 Nom. \$12.00
50 target American Skeet Championship
EVENT 6 Nom. \$12.00
50 target Sporting Championship
High gun over Skeet and Sporting events 5 & 6
EVENT 7 \$13.00
50 target Trench Championship
EVENT 8 \$13.00
50 target Trench Handicap

20-20, J. Michelini 23-26; B: G. Magdziarz Snr 18-20, S. Zotti 17-20; C: S. Scalora 19-20, J. Trevisan 16-20. Metro Cup Hcp: G. Magdziarz Snr 20-20, L. Connell 23-25, N. Pengelly 22-25; BM: P. McVicar 17-20. 50T Skeet: A: W. Harvey 48-50, P. McVicar 46-50; B: B. Lobley 47-50, R. Burrill, A. Harvey both 46-50; C: A. Bega 49-54, L. Connell 48-54.

METROPOLITAN 2-11-87 — Hot & windy (30). 20T D/B: A: J. Smith 19-21, J. Hollands 18-21; B: S. Zotti 20-20, M. Rocco 22-23; C: M. Mariani 20-20, G. Sammut 20-23. 25T B/T: A: B. Lobley 25-25, R. Godfrey 24-25; B: S. Zotti 24-25, J. Finch 23-25; C: L. Perry 22-25, G. Sammut 21-25. 20T Pts Tower: R. Burrill, B. Lobley both 84-84, R. Godfrey 81-84. 25T Skeet: A: H. Weitzel 32-33, J. Smith 31-33; B: B. Mariani 25-25, R. Burvill 23-25; C: J. Hollands 24-25, P. Vance 29-33.

METROPOLITAN 3-11-87 — Fine & cool (102). Grand Prix Day 4. 25T S/B: OA & A: R. Godfrey 25-25, D. Diaz 29-30; B: P. Krumins 27-30, S. Zotti 28-30; C: L. Beechey 22-25, S. Rocco 21-25. 25T D/B: A: D. Diaz 71-71, B. Lobley 70-71; B: P. Krumins 42-43, L. Connell 38-37; C: M. Mariani 30-31, T. Faranda 27-28. OA & A: D. Diaz. 30T Hcp: S. Atkins 58-59, J. Trevisan 57-59, J. McVitty 39-41; BM: W. Eagle 25-30. 25T Skeet: A: D. Davidson 34-34, A. Blease 33-34; B: O. Hayek 24-25, B. Gibbs 31-33; C: R. Piccolo 24-25, L. Connell 35-37. Grand Prix HG: R. Godfrey 100-105.

METROPOLITAN 8-11-87 — Warm & windy (37). 10T E/O: M. Piccolo, R. Piccolo both 29-30, L. Cavallo 28-30. 20T D/B: A: J. Smith 28-30, M. Piccolo 27-30; B: R. Piccolo 19-20, L. Connell 19-21; C: P. Molluso 18-20, A. Bertieri 20-23. 20T Cont: A: M. Piccolo 20-20, H. Weitzel 17-20; B: G. Magdziarz Jnr 33-35, N. Sepe 32-35; C: P. Molluso 16-20, R. Dodds 18-23. 20T Hcp: F. Piccolo 20-20, L. Cavallo 33-34, G. Magdziarz Snr 31-33; BM: M. Piccolo 20-20. 50T Skeet: A: G. Smith 50-50, M. Piccolo 49-50; B: R. Piccolo 43-50, G. Bertieri, D. Macartney both 40-50; C: L. Connell 46-50, G. Bega 42-50.

METROPOLITAN 15-11-87 — Fine & warm (29). 10T E/O: G. Bega, T. Spence, P. McVicar all 30-30. 20T D/B (A 18m, B 16m, C 14m): B. Lobley 34-34, P. Krumins 33-34, N. Pengelly 21-22. 20T D/B: A: P. McVicar 20-20; B: L. Connell 31-31; C: N. Pengelly 20-23. 20T Tower: T. Spence 84-84, L. Connell 83-84, E. Lobley 68-69. 50T Skeet: A: P. Krumins 49-50; B: D. Macartney 49-50; C: A. Bega 45-50.

METROPOLITAN 22-11-87 — Fine & warm (37). 10T E/O: D. Macartney 30-30, M. Piccolo, A. Tesoreiro, M. McVicar all 29-30, B. Lobley, M. McInnes 27-30. 20T D/B: A: M. McInnes 44-45, T. Spence 43-45; B: P. Krumins 20-20, F. Piccolo 38-39; C: T. Edgar 19-20, J. Trevisan 21-23. 20T S/B: A: M. Piccolo 20-20, G. Smith 19-21; B: L. Cavallo 19-20, P. Krumins 18-20; C: T. Edgar 17-23, J. Trevisan 16-23. 20T Hcp: N. Pengelly 29-30, J. Trevisan 28-30, L. Cavallo 21-23; BM: E. Lobley 18-20. 50T Skeet: A: P. Krumins 49-50, D. Davidson 48-50; B: D. Macartney 48-50, P. Rosenboom 47-50; C: N. Basile 48-50, A. Bega 47-50.

MORNINGTON 14-11-87 — Fine & sunny (32). 100T Sonny Cross Memorial: A: K. Rose 128-127, B. Lobley 101-106, C. Carrol 100-106; B: A. Reed 125-127, G. Scalisi 95-100, M. Wangman 91-100; C: R. Hunter 91-100, W. Roberts 86-100, S. Podd 85-100. The Sonny Cross Memorial Rose Bowl was won by Ken Rose.

MT BOGONG 1-11-87 — Fine & sunny (21). 5T Mini P/S E/O C/D: D. Pigram, A. Mathews, S. Berry, K. Maurey, J. West, G. Boyd, V. Tomasoni all 15-15. 15T Mini P/S C'ship: A: A. Penney 43-48; B: V. Tomasoni 41-45; C: R. Phefley 42-51. 15T Hcp: K. Maurey 16-16, A. Mathews 15-16, N. Stovell 23-24. 10 Pr D/R C'ship: A & OA: G. Boyd 18-20; B: A. Mathews 17-20; C: R. Phefley 20-30. HG on Events 1-4 won by A. Mathews 85-95. The Club's Annual Champion of Champions was held this month with 18 shooters participating. The eventual winner was Tony Penney 50-50.

NUMURKAH 25-10-87 — Hot & clear (20). 25T D/B C'ship: A: N. Berry 120-122, G. Pinner 38-40; B & OA: T. Hicks 121-122, R. Newby 24-25; C: K. Perry 24-25, G. Connally 23-25. 30T P/S C'ship: A & OA: S. Atkins 87-90, N. Berry 85-90; B: R. Newby 86-90, T. Hicks 85-90; C: A. Patten 83-90, G. Connally 81-90. 25T S/B C'ship: A: W. Cakebread 24-25, S. Atkins 23-25; B & OA: R. Newby 25-25, T. Hicks 24-25; C: C. Wellington 23-25, A. Cole 20-25. 10 Pair D/R C/D: S. Atkins, N. Berry, A. Cole all 17-17.

NUMURKAH 7-11-87 — Hot, wet, windy & cold (54). 25T D/B C'ship: OA & A: J. Whittakers, S. Atkins; B: T. Thomas, E. Oliver; C: A. Cole, R. Reynolds. 20T Hcp: K. Perry, T. Hicks, A. Plum; BM: R. Allen. 25T S/B C'ship: OA & A: R. Allen, J. Whittakers; B: T. Plum, R. Decker; C: S. Threlfall, L. Piasiri. 20 Pair D/R: A: R. Godfrey, J. Whittakers; B: V. Satore, R. Decker; C: C. Wellington, S. Threlfall. 25T Night P/S C'ship: OA & A: J. Whittaker, N. Gribben; B: M. Rocca, G. Connally; C: F. Whiting, B. Brayson. 15T Metered Shoot: A: R. Godfrey, W. Cakebread; B: R. Decker, T. Thomas; C: B. Bright, S. Threlfall.

RAAF PT COOK 23-10-87 — Fine, cold (night). 15T Pts: J. Pistone 43-45, G. McHenry 42-45, G. Mahoney 41-45. 20T D/B Grd: A: J. Pistone, R. Mark both 20-20; B: A. Kennedy 18-20, M. Lax 17-20; C: P. Carlon 15-20, A. Dinatale 14-20. 20T D/B: R. Mark 20-20, G. Thomson 19-20, D. McLeod 19-20.

RAAF PT COOK 30-10-87 — Fine (night). 15T Pts (Twilight): R. Viney 45-45, R. Evans 43-45, G. Smith, G. McHenry both 42-45. 20T D/B Grd: A: G. Smith 37-37, D. McLeod 36-37; B: G. Magdziarz 20-20, G. Vella 18-20; C: A. Barnes 19-20, N. Bull 18-20. 20T D/B: G. Smith 20-20, V. Mollica, S. Allen, G. Thomson, R. Barton, M. Italia all 19-20.

RAAF PT COOK 6-11-87 — Fine, cold (night) (29). 15T Pts E/O: J. Pistone 45-45, W. McMillan 43-45, R. Viney 41-45. 20T D/B: D. McLeod 20-20, J. Pistone 18-20, E. Reid 17-20, A. Kennedy 17-20. 20T D/B Grd: A: D. Nielsen 18-20, J. Pistone 18-20; B: E. Reid 21-23, R. Ahmeling 20-23; C: A. Barnes 15-20, P. Carlon 14-20.

RAAF PT COOK 13-11-87 — (night). 15T Pts C/D: G. McHenry 44-45, M. Wallace 43-45, A. Kennedy, G. Faranda, G. Smith, G. Gauci all 42-45. 20T D/B Grd: A: G. Thomson 19-20, V. Mollica 18-20; B: G. J. Madgziarz 27-28, S. Allen 26-28; C: A. Barnes 17-20, M. Wallace 20-24. 20T D/B C/D: R. Mark 20-20, G. J. Madgziarz, S. Allen, R. Sadler, G. Smith all 19-20.

RAAF PT COOK 15-11-87 — Fine (68). 10T Pts E/O C/D: C. Chandler, G. Soppi both 30-30, R. Sadler, D. Frost, D. McLeod, W. Pilkington all 29-30. 30T Pts Grd: A: R. Mark 88-90, J. Pistone 87-90; B: R. Perry 83-90, G. Soppi 82-90; C: T. Faranda 80-90, P. Ellul 74-90.

SEBASTOPOL 7-11-87 — Good (30). 50T B/T: S. Haberman 50-50, G. Mark 48-50, B. Webley 47-50, M. Pollick, R. Scharz both 48-50, G. Ludbrook, S.

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Saturday January 16 — D.T.L. — 1.00pm

EVENT 1 Nom. \$3.00

10 Target Handicap Eye Opener

EVENT 2 Nom. \$7.00 O/S \$1.00

20 Target Handicap 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 22-25m

EVENT 3 Nom. \$7.00 O/S \$1.00

20 Target Double Barrel C'ship. 1st & 2nd A.B.C.

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Sunday January 31 — Skeet — 12.00 Noon
Start — No Juniors DTL in January

EVENT 1 Nom. \$8.00 O/S \$1.00

25 Target Skeet C'ship. Overall & A.B.C.

EVENT 2 Nom. \$14.00 O/S \$1.00

50 Target Skeet C'ship. 1st & 2nd A.B.C.

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12.30pm

EVENT 1 Nom. \$8.00 O/S \$1.00

25 Target D/B Championship A.B.C.

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EVENT 2 Nom. \$7.00 O/S \$1.00

10 Pr Double Rise Championship A.B.C.

EVENT 3 Nom. \$6.00 O/S \$1.00

10 Trebles Championship 1st & 2nd

EVENT 4 Nom. \$7.50 O/S \$1.00

20 Target Handicap. 1st, 2nd, 3rd — Backmarks

Practice available 11.30 — Plenty of eats and drinks
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MONTHLY GUIDE — JANUARY



Cerberus Gun Club

Saturday 2

10 Target C/D — Nom. \$3.00
20 Target "Cerberus Circles" — Nom. \$8.00
Sec: C. Carrol (03) 789 7826



Mornington Clay Target Club Inc.

Saturday 9

75 Target D/B Graded C'ship — Nom. \$18.00
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Saturday 16

50 Target D/B Graded C'ship — Nom. \$14.00
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Saturday 30

50 Target Simulated — Nom. \$14.00
O/A, AA.A.B.C. Veterans, Juniors, Ladies.
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Metropolitan Clay Target Club Inc.

January Program

Sunday 3 — Noon Start

EVENT 1	25 Target Ball Trap A.B.C.	Nom. \$9.00
EVENT 2	20 Target D/B A.B.C.	Nom. \$7.00
EVENT 3	20 Target S/B A.B.C.	Nom. \$7.00
EVENT 4	20 Target Handicap 1.2.3. & B/M	Nom. \$8.00
EVENT 5	50 Skeet A.B.C.	Nom. \$15.00

Sunday 10 — Noon Start

EVENT 1	50 Target D/B A.B.C.	Nom. \$15.00
EVENT 2	50 Target Pts A.B.C.	Nom. \$15.00
EVENT 3	50 Skeet A.B.C.	Nom. \$15.00

Sunday 17 — Noon Start

EVENT 1	10 Target Pts E/O	Nom. \$5.00
EVENT 2	20 Target D/B 1.2.3.	Nom. \$7.00
EVENT 3	20 Target D/B A.B.C.	Nom. \$7.00
EVENT 4	20 Target Pts Tower	Nom. \$7.00
EVENT 5	50 Skeet	Nom. \$15.00

Sunday 24 — Noon Start

EVENT 1	10 Target Pts E/O	Nom. \$5.00
EVENT 2	20 Target D/B A.B.C.	Nom. \$7.00
EVENT 3	20 Target Pts A.B.C.	Nom. \$7.00
EVENT 4	20 Target Handicap 1.2.3 & B/M	Nom. \$8.00
EVENT 5	50 Skeet A.B.C.	Nom. \$15.00

Sunday 31 — Noon Start

EVENT 1	10 Target Pts E/O	Nom. \$5.00
EVENT 2	20 Target D/B 1.2.3. A-18m, B-16m, C-14m	Nom. \$7.00
EVENT 3	20 Target D/B A.B.C.	Nom. \$7.00
EVENT 4	10 Pr D/R Tower 1.2.3.	Nom. \$7.00
EVENT 5	50 Skeet	Nom. \$15.00

Entries for E/O and first event close at 1.30pm sharp.

Practice — Saturdays 12-5pm — D.T.L., Skeet, Tower. Tuesdays 12-5pm — D.T.L., Skeet

Cook both 45-50. 50T B/T: Group 1 — S. Haberman 49-50, C. Kneebone 46-50, B. Webley 46-50; Group 2 — H. Cook 38-50, H. Nolan 35-50, T. Lucas 33-50. The Inaugural B/T 1987 HG Award of a silver mini-clay donated by Kevin Wright was won by Steven Haberman 99-100.

SEBASTOPOL 15-11-87 — Great (26). 30T P/S C/D: A: C. Kneebone, R. Schwarz, W. Calaby, A. Breen all 83-90; B: J. Holloway 83-90, T. Gourdon 77-90; C: N. Marinos 83-90, T. Previtt 80-90. 50T Gold Sovereign Stakes: A: W. Calaby 52-52, R. Hadlow 51-52; B: J. Holloway 49-50, J. Weightman 47-50; C: S. Middlin 47-50, N. Marinos 46-50, 10 Pair D/R: R. Hadlow, W. Calaby, A. Breen. 25T ABT: L. Cook 24-25, S. Middlin, R. Hadlow both 22-25.

SHEPPARTON 1-11-87 — Very hot 38° (61). 25T D/B Grd Ladies Committee C'ship: OA & A: N. Berry 183-183, B. Eagle 182-183, R. Piasiri 83-89; B: D. Bond 47-48, T. Hicks 45-46, G. Bradley 42-43; C: S. Threlfall 28-29, A. Cole 24-25, B. Braybon 23-25. 25T Grd Nubrick P/S C'ship: OA & A: S. Atkins 78-78, T. Nash 77-78; B: G. Bradley 74-75, T. Plum 82-87; C: S. Threlfall 71-75, B. Braybon 70-75. 30T Grp Shepp Tools & Firearms Hcp: OA & A: 16-20; T. Hicks 45-45, D. Oliver 44-45; 11-15m: S. Threlfall 39-40, S. McPherson 30-31; 21-25: B. Eagle 29-30, N. Berry 28-30. 25T Grd Anonymous Cont C'ship: OA & A: S. Bethune 57-57, E. Calandro 58-57; B: P. Kelly 53-54, P. MacFadyen 43-49; C: A. Patten 37-38, D. Calandro 24-25. 25T Grd Spring Classic P/S C'ship: OA & A: B. Cakebread 75-75, N. Berry 72-75; B: G. Bradley 74-75, P. Kelly 72-75; C: A. Cole 72-75, S. Threlfall 74-78. Very hot N/E wind made conditions very uncomfortable with temps in the high 30s.

S/W ZONE 31-10-87 — Windy, good (78). 15T Pts C/D: A: W. Wombell, P. Scott, R. McDonald, J. Pistone all 45-45; B: R. Jorgenson, R. Pistone, K. Goon all 44-45; C: N. Marinos, G. Bilson, B. Fleming all 43-45. 25T D/B 15m: OA: P. Britten 83-83; AA: W. Wombwell 82-83, R. Coombs 54-55; A: J. Jolly 41-42, R. McDonald 40-41; B: W. Abbott 38-37, R. Pistone 35-36; C: E. Goon 28-28, J. Faranda 27-28. Veteran: G. Kirkpatrick 22-25. Ladies: C. Carlon 29-33. Junior: L. Baker 18-25. 25T Pts: OA: R. Duthie 99-99; AA: P. Scott 98-99, W. Wombell 74-75; A: E. Bond 96-99, J. Pistone 87-90; B: P. Mach 74-75, M. Pollock 107-111; C: N. Marinos 72-75, A. Cook 69-75. Veteran: G. Kirkpatrick 88-75; Ladies: C. Carlon 88-90; Junior: J. Faranda 59-78. 20T Hcp: B. Malseed 37-37, C. Carlon 36-37, P. Mach 35-38, P. Britten 30-31. BM: W. Wombell 19-20. HG: W. Wombell 163-165. 20T B/T: AA: A. Kinnear 19-20; A: C. Corneby 19-20; B: M. Pollock 23-25; C: N. Marinos 18-20. Team Event: Noorat Gun Club 348-375 — Team capt. G. Coverdale, G. Owens, P. Britten, F. Crimmin, T. Grummett. SWZ Team 1988: W. Wombell, Myamyn, E. Bond, Myamyn; R. Duthie, Hamilton, A. Kinnear, W. Wombell, J. Hose, Cobden.

ST ARNAUD 15-11-87 — Perfect (22). 10T D/B E/O: A. James, N. Frankling, D. Freeman, A. Freeman, G. Devlin, D. Bertali, K. Sloane, R. Durbridge, J. McVitty all 10-10. 25T Little Tottington D/B Grd C'ship: A & OA: N. Frankling 58-58, A. James 57-58; B: C. Rogers 49-50; C: C. Roberts 24-25. 25T Boola Boola P/S Grd C'ship: A & OA: R. Durbridge 84-84; B: G. Devlin 71-75; C: R. Shay 83-84. Royal Hotel HG: R. Durbridge 110-110. Off the Fence: R. Durbridge. A poor roll-up for a pre State Carnival Shoot. Good form shown by Robert Durbridge who shot the programme and in doing so collected the jackpot and High Gun.

ST JAMES 31-10-87 — Hot (32). 15 Pr D/R Grd C'ship: A & OA: R. Ehlers 26-30, A. Spence 41-50; B: P. Pettit 23-30, R. Newby 21-30; C: G. Hargreaves 18-30, A. Patten 22-40. 20T Hcp: S. Atkins 28-29, R. McKenzie 27-29, K. Parish 23-25; BM: A. Spence 19-22. 20T Cont Grd C'ship: A & OA: S. Atkins 20-20, T. Penney 26-27; B: P. Pettit 30-31, E. Dowling 29-31; C: J. Saunders 18-20, A. Larking 18-23. Yellow Box Team Shoot: Echuca 88, St James 86. Echuca once again edged St James out with consistent handicap shooting.

TATURA 15-11-87 — Fine, hot (30). 25T President's D/B C'ship: OA: A. Spence 60-60; A: N. Berry 36-37, D. Kemp 27-28; B: T. Thomas 59-60, D. Collihole 35-36; C: M. Roberts 51-52, P. Traill 26-27. 10 Pr D/Rise C'ship: OA: S. Atkins 28-30; A: R. Traill 53-60, A. Spence 48-60; B: G. Pegg 17-20, T. Thomas 23-30; C: M. Roberts 28-30, A. Pattern 16-20. 30T Novelty 15T Hcp 15T Cont C/D: 60% G. Pegg 30-30; 40% D. Russell, D. Penn, A. Spence, B. Griffen 28-30. 15T Cont C/D Grd: A: G. Pinner 14-15; B: D. Penn 24-25; C: M. Roberts 14-15.

TYRENDARRA 7-11-87 — Fine, incoming breeze (27). 25T D/B Grd C'ship: OA & A: R. Schleter 49-49, E. Bond 40-41; B: M. Sutherland 48-49, P. Vaughan 42-43; C: T. Pevitt 24-25, R. Rundell 22-25. 25T P/S Grd C'ship: A: R. Schleter 98-102, S. Henderson 73-75; B: M. Sutherland 76-78, D. Grummett 70-75; OA & C: R. Rundell 101-102, T. Pevitt 60-75.

VICTORIAN 4-11-87 — Cold (30). 15T D/B Grd: A: J. Gilopidis 33-35, L. Gauci 31-33; B: G. Vella 41-42, J. Magdziarz 40-42; C: N. Stockdale 15-17, J.F. Gauci 14-16. 10T Pts E/O: K. Vasiliadis, E. Reid, L. Gauci, N. Salameh all 30-30. 16 Pr D/D: R. Hunter & R. Burgess 16-16, E. Reid & G. Vella 17-19. 20T D/B C/D: G.J. Magdziarz & R. Burgess 20-20, K. Vasiliadis & S. Ziegler 19-20.

VICTORIAN 11-11-87 — Cold (41). 15T D/B: D. Mark 39-39, G.J. Magdziarz 38-39, R. Perry 33-34; FM: B. Stewart 10-15. 10T Pts E/O: K. Vasiliadis, G.J. Magdziarz, R. Perry, M. Italia all 30-30. 20T D/B Grd: A: J. Gilopidis 24-25, R. Sorace 32-33; B: G.J. Magdziarz 48-49, E. Reid 47-49; C: R. Hunter 23-25, T. Moscott 32-34.

WERIBEE 8-11-87 — Thunder storms (45). 15T P/S E/O: T. Senserrick, J. Finch, J. Pistone all 45-45. 20T P/S 4 Mt Grp: 11-14: J. Faranda 53-60; 15-17: P. Gauci 60-60; 18-20: A. Breen 60-60; 21-25: G. Gauci 60-60. 20T D/B Grd C'ship: A & OA: G. Gauci 74-74, V. Flower 73-74; B: J. Finch 37-38, P. Gauci 33-34; C: B. Bamford 55-56, J. Faranda 27-28. Congratulations to John Finch on a 50 break and Bill Bamford on winning C Grade in the D/B Championship with 55 straight.

WONTHAGGI 7-11-87 — Sunny & fine (25). 10T Pts: J. Kent, R. Barlow, B. Halson, N. Bull all 30-30. 50T D/B C'ship: A & OA: B. Halson 113-113, W. Parks 112-113; B: I. Kent 52-54, L. Fincham 51-54; C: D. Egan 51-55, G. Milkins 50-55. 20 Pair Triple Rise: OA: Christine Burdett & Ian Kent 49-60. Plonk Shoot: Graham Goding. Congratulations to Brian Halson and Wayne Parks for shooting 100T plus in their shoot-off.

WOODS POINT 22-11-87 — Fine & sunny (16). 5T E/O C/D Pts Hcp: T. Apps 15-15. 10T D/R: T. Apps 17-20, I. McDonald 16-20, G. Pattie 27-38. 20T D/B Hcp President's Trophy: T. Apps 19-20, B. Dungey 18-20, M. Gracie 17-20. 10T Tower: M. Gracie 10-10, B. Scott 14-15, B. Dungey 15-17.

VICTORIAN GUN CLUB

JANUARY 1988

WEDNESDAY 6 — 6.30pm
NO SHOOTING

SATURDAY 9 — 12 Noon
NO SHOOTING

WEDNESDAY 13 — 6.30pm
15 Target Pts C/D Nom. \$7.00
10 Target H'cap C/D Nom. \$6.00
20 Target D/B Winner Nom. \$8.00

WEDNESDAY 20 — 6.30pm
15 Target D/B C/D Nom. \$7.00
10 Target Pts C/D Nom. \$6.00
20 Target D/B Graded Nom. \$8.00

WEDNESDAY 27 — 6.30pm
15 Target S/B C/D Nom. \$7.00
5 Pr D/Rise C/D Nom. \$6.00
16 Pr D/D Select Nom. \$8.00

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Graded and 16 Pr D/D**

**Location: Cnr. Geelong & Little
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AUSTRALIA DAY SHOOT

Monday, January 25,
1988

BENDIGO CLAY TARGET CLUB

10.00 a.m. Start
TROPHIES VALUED AT \$3500.00

EVENT 1 Nom. \$15.00 O/S \$1.00
25 Target Handicap
Group metres 11-15, 16-20, 21-25
1st each group trophy value \$220
.22 Clayco Rifle & Scope
2nd each group trophy value \$50

EVENT 2 Nom. \$18.00 O/S \$1.00
25 Target Double Barrel Championship
1st ABC Grade Lemair Bar Fridge value \$299.00
2nd ABC Grade trophy value \$60
3rd ABC Grade trophy value \$20

EVENT 3 Nom. \$8.00 O/S \$1.00
20 Pair Deauville Doubles Championship
1st trophy value \$80
2nd trophy value \$20

EVENT 4 Nom. \$7.00 O/S \$1.00
20 Targets Point Score Championship
O/A Trophy value \$80
1st each grade trophy value \$40
2nd each grade trophy value \$20
O/A Highgun, Ladies, Junior and Veteran (Trophy & Sash)
Full catering facilities on ground

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February 6, 1988

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50 Target D.B. Graded A.B.C.

Prizes to the value of \$1000

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NEW SOUTH WALES

ALBURY-WODONGA 6-11-87 — Fine & warm (34). 15T Hep: T. Laird 34-34, G. Pinner 33-34, S. Mitsch 16-17; BM: R. Ehlers 14-15. Sh West Riverina Zone M/T C'ship: OA & A: B. Liersch 33-35, P. Whitlock 59-63; B: R. Dale 31-35, M. Liersch 30-35; C: S. Mitsch 28-35, C. Bahr 27-35. 15T Peter Jack Ins Pts C'ship: OA & A: K. Maurey 45-45; B: R. Dale 42-45; C: D. Smailes 40-45.

ALBURY-WODONGA 6-11-87 — Rain (21). 15T B/T & 1/4 Round Skeet: OA & A: G. Boyd 49-51, T. Penney 48-51; B: L. Bahr 41-51, L. Mitsch 38-51; C: R. Oakley 21-28, T. Laird 19-28. 10T D/B, 10T Pts, 10T S/B, 5 Pr D/R: OA & A: G. Boyd 58-60, B. Liersch 55-60; B: M. Liersch 66-74, R. Petts 65-74; C: R. Oakley 52-60, R. Duffy 51-60. Champion of Champions shot over program: G. Boyd 84-88.

BARELLAN 8-11-87 — Stormy (35). 15T Novelty Trophy off hep: E. Cocapardo, eq. 2nd D. Wallace, P. White, K. Whytross. 5th T. Salafia, Lady: Kath Schmetzer. Veteran: I. Whytross. Mystery trophies to Alan Murdoch and John Graham. 20T Novelty Trophy off Hep: 11-14m: R. Nixon, G. Schmetzer; 16-18m: Lola Charles, P. White; 17-18m: A. Poonne, L. Brissenden; 14-25m: T. Salafia, N. McDermott. Lady: Kath Schmetzer. Veteran: I. Whytross. Junior: Bardi Brighenti. 15T Novelty Trophy off 15m: L. Irvin, eq. 2nd P. White, N. McDermott, 4th K. Whytross, 5th T. Salafia. Lady: Kath Schmetzer. Veteran: Lola Charles. FM: Bardi Brighenti. Open HG over the day was won by Peter White with Lola Charles winning the Ladies HG and Ian Whytross taking out the Veterans HG. Ladies' yearly aggregate HG went to Lola Charles with Ken Whytross taking out the members' yearly aggregate.

CANBERRA 18-10-87 — Fine (17). 100T Olympic Trap C'ship: AA & OA: M. Diamond 90-100; A: N. Simms 85-100; B: G. Webster 71-100; C: N. Milliken 60-100.

CANBERRA 7-11-87 — Fine & hot (8). 100T Woden ISU Skeet C'ship: A & OA: B. Prosser 82-100; B: C. Milligan 80-100; C: J. Prosser 63-100.

CANBERRA INT 14, 15-11-87 — Fine & hot (19). GCT OT C'ship: OA & AA: J. Ellis 92-100; A: P. Sbrinovski 86-100; B: B. Hall 85-100; C: G. Betar 68-100. Southern Zone O/T C'ship: OA & AA: J. Ellis 99-100; A: B. Prosser 113-125; B: C. Tilley 87-100.

COLEAMBALLY 14-11-87 — Fine & hot (16). 10T D/B Hep C/D: 4 possibles: M. Lorenz, P. Foote, F. Schmetzer, G. Evans. 20T D/B Hop Trophy: M. Lorenz 45-46, F. Schmetzer 44-46, C. Shields 41-46. 15T D/B 15m C/D: 9 possibles: S. Shields, B. Shields, M. Lorenz, D. Lucas, R. Foote, P. Foote, F. Schmetzer, G. Evans, I. Evans. 15T S/B 15m C/D: B. Shields, F. Schmetzer, G. Evans, I. Evans all 14-15. HG: F. Schmetzer 70-72.

COOMA 15-11-87 — Fine, warm (19). 10T Cont E/O C/D: D. Turner, T. Hayden, W. Mackay, S. Gault. Lake Eucumbene Cont C'ship: A: W. Mackay, G. Bookallil; OA & B: D. Blewitt, M. Gault, S. McIntyre; C: R. Schuhkraft, K. Croft, T. Hayden. 20T D/B Hop: M. Gault, P. Reeve, K. Gault. Southern Districts D/R C'ship: OA & A: W. Mackay, G. Bookallil; B: M. Gault, D. Turner, S. McIntyre; C: M. Hayden, R. Schuhkraft, K. Croft. 15T P/S Hep: M. Gault, T. Hayden, S. Gault, HG: M. Gault.

COWRA 7-11-87 — Hot with slight breeze (33). Sweep 10T off 16m: 13 possibles: P. Fairall, D. Fairall, B. Gittoes, G. Sinclair, P. Barnes, R. Wood, N. Butt, R. Shaw, G. Toshack, J. Lawrence, J. Blazley, J. Owen, J.W. Smith. Jackpot Trophy 20T off Hep: N. Fairall 20-20, B. Cole 30-31, L. Alexander 29-31. Central Tablelands D/R C'ship: OA & A: J. Blazley 20-20, J. Lawrence 19-20; B: J. Gorman 18-20, L. Alexander 16-20; C: Libby Louie 16-20, R. Orr 15-20. Lachlan Valley D/D C'ship: J. Finn & J. Lawrence 20-20, J. Blazley & L. Alexander 24-26.

COWRA 17-11-87 — Mild (25 — night). 10T Night Sweep: 7 possibles: M. Crowe, D. Fairall, N. Dwight, B. Cole, G. Bunting, J. Finn, J. Pangas. Central Tablelands Night P/S C'ship: OA & A: N. Dwight 73-75, J. Blazley 71-75; B: P. Fairall 68-75, M. Crowe 64-75; C: N. Rodgers 71-75, J. Pangas 65-75. HG: J. Blazley.

DUBBO — Very hot (good). 15T E/O: Mack Jackson, E. Tucker, T. Ramien, J. Shalhoub, K. Walton, D. Turner, J. Blazley, B. Powell, D. Fitzpatrick all 15-15. 25T D/B C'ship: AA: D. Turner 51-52; A: B. Powell 29-30; B & OA: J. Ragius 52-52; C: D. Fitzpatrick 23-25. 20T Hep: 11-14m: D. Fitzpatrick 20-20; 15-18m: I. Evans 20-20; 19-21m: C. Alderson 20-20; 22-25m: D. Turner 19-20. 50T State Cont S/B C'ship: AA & OA: S. Williams 48-50; A: D.G. Patrick 46-50; B: Colonel Shalhoub 44-50; C: S. Monaghan 47-50. HG: Denis Turner 103-110.

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AUSTRALIA DAY SHOOT

HELD AT GOULBURN WORKERS' GUN CLUB

SUNDAY 24TH JANUARY 1988, 9.00 AM START

EVENT 1 **Nom. \$5.00**

10 tgt Double Barrel C/D

EVENT 2 **Nom. \$23.00, O/S \$1.00**

BICENTENARY CHAMPIONSHIP

25 tgts Double Barrel, Overall sweep, Trophy values:

OA — NEW ZEALAND TRIP \$420.00,

1st AA, A, B & C Grades \$120.00

2nd AA, A, B & C Grades \$60.00

Ladies & Junior

EVENT 3 **Nom. \$23.00, O/S \$1.00**

STAN WEBBER CHAMPIONSHIP

25 tgts Points Score, Overall sweep

Trophy values:

Overall — \$400.00

1st AA, A, B & C Grades \$120.00

2nd AA, A, B & C Grades \$60.00

Ladies & Junior

EVENT 4 **Nom. \$23.00, O/S \$1.00**

EDMENTS HANDICAP

25 tgts Double Barrel, Overall sweep

Trophy values:

1st \$400.00, 2nd \$300.00, 3rd \$150.00, F.M. \$50.00, B.M. \$50.00

High Gun Sweep **\$1.00**

Total Nominations \$78.00

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High Gun Value \$200.00. Inter High Gun Value \$100.00. Ladies & Junior High Guns Value \$75.00 each

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TROPHIES**

Location - "Glenwood", Loomberah

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SATURDAY - EVENT 1

50T LOOMBERAH VALLEY SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP

\$15.00

O/A Sash, Badge and Trophy valued at \$60

1st in each grade - trophy valued at \$45

2nd in each grade - trophy valued at \$25

Opt. sweeps - \$1 each 25 and \$1 O/A

\$3.00

SATURDAY - EVENT 2

50T "HUMES - A.R.C." RURAL TROPHY HANDICAP

\$15.00

1st - trophy valued at \$150.00

2nd - trophy valued at \$135.00

3rd - trophy valued at \$115.00

4th - trophy valued at \$100.00

Opt. sweeps - \$1 each 25 and \$1 O/A - Graded

\$3.00

BBQ TEA AT THE CLUB ON SATURDAY NIGHT

SUNDAY - EVENT 3

Sunday 21st - 8.30 a.m. start

50T BI-CENTENARY SKEET CHAMPIONSHIP

\$15.00

O/A Sash, Badge and Trophy valued at \$60

1st in each grade - trophy valued at \$45

2nd in each grade - trophy valued at \$25

Opt. sweeps - \$1 each 25 and \$1 O/A

\$3.00

SUNDAY - EVENT 4

**50T TAMWORTH & DISTRICT SKEET
CHAMPIONSHIP**

\$15.00

O/A Sash, Badge and Trophy valued at \$60

1st in each grade - trophy valued at \$45

2nd in each grade - trophy valued at \$25

Opt. sweeps - \$1 each 25 and \$1 O/A

\$3.00

TOTAL NOMS and SWEEPS \$72.00

OVERALL HIGH GUN - SASH AND TROPHY VALUED AT \$150.00

"AA" - "A" - "B" - "C" - GRADE HIGH GUN TROPHIES - VALUED AT \$50 EACH

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RAY MELVILLE SHIELD - 5 MAN TEAMS - 1ST 50T ON SATURDAY

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CHRIS HUGHES/LINATEX TROPHY - TAMWORTH & NEWCASTLE - 100T ON SUNDAY

COL BURT/VIC RASZEWSKI TROPHY - TAMWORTH & GUYRA - 100T ON SUNDAY

2 MEMBER TEAMS - OVER 200 TARGETS

**Practice available from 3.00 p.m. on Friday - Free Camping - Hot Showers -
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This was Dubbo Gun Club's 1-Day Open. Attendance was good with strong support from the Gligandra shooters. Good to see Les (Foxy) Morris out to shoot — one of the better shooters in the '40s-'50s.

GLEN INNES 1-11-87 — Fine (42). 25T D/B 15m Northern New England D/B C'ship: OA: A. Jennings 42-42; AA: Rex Varley 41-42, C. Burt 25-28, T. Schneider 39-42; A: M. Wade 41-42, R. Skinner 40-42, A. Futter 27-28; B: J. Newby 27-28, C. Bloxsome 26-28, P. Wright 23-25; C: K. Fuller 22-25, B. Green 21-25, L. Kent 23-28. 25T D/B P/S Grd S/S: AA: R. Varley, D. Ellis both 73-75, C. Burt 68-75; A: D. Edmonds 72-75, R. Shepherd, A. Futter both 71-75; B: C. Bloxsome 73-75, P. Wright 71-75, J. Newby 66-75; C: B. Green 67-75, F. Kneipp 65-75, I. Burey 58-75. 50T Northern Zone M/T C'ship: OA: M. Wade 70-74; AA: R. Vidal 69-74, D. Ellis 68-74, A. Jennings 68-74; A: G. Border 54-60, N. Cumpion 66-75, A. Futter 65-74; B: K. Fuller 55-60, M. Harrison 65-74, D. Cunningham 62-74; C: B. Green 43-60, R. Donald 40-60, L. Kent 48-74. 25T D/B Hop C/D: 11-15m: B. Green 25-27, F. Kneipp 22-27, R. Donald 21-26; 16-19m: M. McCosker 24-25, J. Newby 32-34, M. Harrison 31-34; 20-25m: T. Schneider, R. Varley both 23-25, L. Kennedy, C. Bloxsome, C. Burt all 22-25. HG: R. Varley 175-185, FM HG: B. Green 152-185, Newberry, T. Velde Tray: M. McCosker 24-25, D. & F. Hall Trophy Points: R. Varley 8 pts, D. Ellis 2 pts, P. Wright, A. Futter, M. Wade, C. Bloxsome 1 pt each.

GOULBURN WORKERS 8-11-87 — Warm (53). 30T D/B BBQ Galore C'ship: OA: F. Roberts 156-158; AA: D. Jordan 155-156, W. Gatt 132-133; A: D. McMillan 131-132, W. Baxter 42-43; B: C. Rowe 29-30, J. Balogh 35-37; C: J. Morris 46-47, B. Carr 28-30. 30T D/B Hop: OA: C. Tilley 30-30, P. Abela 35-36; 11-14: B. Carr 31-32, L. Birchall 29-31; 15-18: T. Marsh 31-33, P. Thompson 29-31; 19-21: M. Tilley 33-35, P. Pontello 32-34; 22-25: P. Croker 30-32, D. Jordan 28-30. 30T P/S ACT Ammunition C'ship: OA: V. Gatt 93-93; AA: D. Jordan 92-93, F. Roberts 98-99; A: W. Baxter 89-90, I. Shuttle 97-102; B: P. Thompson 84-90, J. Marsh 92-90; B: T. Birchall 83-90, L. Birchall 97-110. 30T S/B C'ship: OA: W. Baxter 30-30; AA: L. Hearn, F. Roberts; A: P. Kenyon, P. Pontello; B: A. Jones, P. Thompson; C: L. Birchall, G. Hatherley. HG: P. Abela 187-192, Inter HG: J. Morris 156, Jnr HG: T. Marsh 156.

GRAFTON 7-8-11-87 — Fine, overcast (48). 15T D/B 15m C/D: R. Cross, A. Harrison, G. Baxter, M. Campion, D. Hancock, T. Watts, B. Cameron, A. Jennings, B. Pendock all 15-15. 50T D/B P/S 15m Grafton Classic Joanne's Engraving: AA: T. Schneider 144-150, D. Ellis 142-150; A: G. Baxter 142, J. Tanish 144-159; B: C. Fuller 144, J. Cunningham 141; C: B. Miller 132-152, C. Lawrence 121-150, Tim 137, Helen 116-150. 25T D/B Cont P/S 15N Nth Zone Cont C'ship: J. Lee 86-90, D. Ellis 70-75; B. Finch 80-84, N. Campion 76-80; D. Hancock 86-90, M. Harrison 71-78; C. Lawrence 61-75, Helen 47-75. Sunday: 15T D/B P/S C/D: D. Ellis 15-15, T. Schneider, Jeff, C. Bloxsome, R. Ellem 15-44. 40T D/B Hop: C. Lawrence 38-40, R. Ellen 40-43, D. Hancock 39-43, N. Diddle 85-86. 50T D/B 15m Ergofit Jacaranda Cup: J. Lee 56-60, J. Farrell 57-70; M. Short 49-50, M. McCosker 60-62; P. Wright 72-73, D. Hancock 71-73; Glen 48-50, R. Ellem 40-50; A/H 47-50, Tim 36-50, OA Winchester HG: D. Hancock 359-375. Ladies HG: Alice Harrison 301-375. Junior HG: T. Ellis 309-375.

GRENFELL 8-11-87 — Warm, humid & breezes (15). 10T D/B E/O off 15m: N. Butt, J. Carter, T. Lynch, M. Campbell all 10-10. NSW M/T 40T off 15m: OA: I. Halls 59-60; A: B. Cole 59-60, N. Fairall 56-60; B: I. Halls 59-60, J. Carter 56-60. 20T Weddin Dist Hcp: J. Carter 20-20, C. Anderson 19-20 7-7, M. Campbell 19-20 6-7. The Henry Lawson Shield: Grenfell (2) 87-100, Boorowa 86-100, Grenfell (1) 84-100. 20T 5 off 11, 16, 20 and 25m: B. Cole, J. Carter, J. McCann all 19-20. HG: J. Carter.

HAWKESBURY 23-10-87 — Wet, cool, light showers (18). 20T D/B E/O: V. Gobbo 20-20, K. Bosanko 20-20, 20T P/S C/D: A: K. Bosanko 59-60, P. Muscat 51-60; B: E. Zadro 49-60, V. Gobbo 46-60; C: N. Mannix 56-70, M. Newman 56-60. 25T Southern Zone Cont P/S C'ship: OA: K. Bosanko 71-75; A: P. Muscat 65-75; B: E. Zadro 64-75; C: P. Vella 74-81 (30-10-87). Shoot-off in the Southern Zone to be held next week for C Grade between P. Vella and N. Mannix 68-75.

HAWKESBURY 24-10-87 — Cool, light showers, sunny breaks (20). 100T Club Champion of Champions: 25 D/B Cont, 25 D/B, 25 P/S, 25 Skeet: Zadro 113-150; C: P. Foster 110-150.

HAWKESBURY 30-10-87 — 20T D/B E/O: J. Vella 19-20. 20T P/S C/D: A: J. Vella 59-60; B: E. Zadro 57-60, W. Roots 53-60; C: N. Mannix 54-60, N. Xenos 53-60. 25T P/S Trophy Event: OA: J. Vella 72-75; B: W. Roots 70-75; C: P. Vella 70-75.

HAWKESBURY 13-11-87 — Cool, fine (30). 20T D/B E/O Sweep: E. Zadro 20-20, C. Soichuna 18-20, P. Farrugia 18-20. 20T P/S C/D: A: C. Soichuna 50-60, P. Farrugia 48-60; B: E. Zadro 59-60, W. Roots 57-60; C: M. Dunnachie 49-60, N. Tait 48-60. 25T P/S Cash Trophy: OA: W. Roots 72-75; A: P. Farrugia 63-75; B: E. Zadro 72-75; C: D. Dunnachie 68-75.

HAWKESBURY 14-11-87 — Warm, fine (24). 25T Hop Skeet: J. Dunne Cx 24-25, K. Waters B3 22-25. 50T Skeet C'ship: OA: R. Clarke 51-52; A: B. Barlow 52-54; B: L. Tosolini 47-50; C: P. Foster 42-50.

HAWKESBURY 20-11-87 — Fine, warm (18). 20T D/B E/O: E. Zadro, J. Vella both 20-20, 20T P/S C/D: A: J. Agius 59-60, J. Vella 58-60; B: J. Gobbo 60-60, E. Zadro 57-60; C: B. Robinson 53-60, N. Xenos 53-60. 25T Hawkesbury D/B C'ship Cash Trophy: OA: J. Agius; A: J. Vella; B: W. Roots; C: I. Novello.

MARCONI 1-11-87 — Fine (50). S/S: 17 possibles. Marconi 100T D/B Marathon C'ship: AA: P. Abela 110-112, A. Piazza 104-108, R. Smith 88-100; A & OA: S. Zuffo 131-132, T. Alvaro 130-132, P. Pontello 105-107; B: A. Draper 97-100, A. Lucchese 96-100, W. Sully 95-100; C: T. Diamond 94-100, H. Poulos 92-100, S. Zadro 89-101. Teams Event: Marconi No.4 M. Facer, S. Zuffo, J. MacTaggart, P. Pollard 416-440; Marconi No.1 A. Piazza, T. Alvaro, Andrew, C. Alvaro 414-440. HG: T. Alvaro 138-139.

MARCONI 15-11-87 — Fine (49). S/S: 4 possibles. City of Liverpool P/S C'ship: AA & OA: K. Northcott 78-78, P. Farrugia 80-81; A: S. Zuffo 77-78, C. Grima 74-75; B: A. Michael 73-75, M. Dallacosta 71-75; C: S. Caltabiano 78-81, H. Poulos 77-81. City of Liverpool D/B C'ship: AA & OA: K. Loy 51-51, G. Routes 50-1; A: S. Zuffo 48-49, L. Crema 43-44; B: M. Hawkshaw 24-25, J. Boulos 26-28; C: A. Salem 24-28, H. Poulos 23-28. Club Cont D/D C'ship: AA & OA: R. Bown 25-25, V. Gatt 35-36; A: B. Casey 27-28, L. Crema 26-28; B: A. Draper 23-25, M. Hawkshaw 31-34; C: I. Callender 21-25, M. Phillips 20-25. HG: S. Zuffo 166-170.

MOULAMEIN 8-11-87 — Horrible, good, terrible (24). 10T D/B S/S: P. Hutchinson, F. James, S. Storm, G. Manuel all 10-10. 20T D/B Garry Webb Memorial Hop: P. Cadasch 27-28, T. McDonnell 26-28, L. Swinnerton 24-26. 20T D/B C'ship: B. Dunn 20-20, S. Storm 38-39, F. James 37-39. 10T S/B Hop Club Mug: No possibles — R. Dunn 12-14, R. Swinnerton 11-14. Peculiar weather but a most enjoyable shoot. A magnificent trophy provided for first place in the Garry Webb Memorial Handicap by Mr & Mrs K. Webb of Barham. Visitors attended from Barham, Kerang, Mellool, Nyah and Swan Hill.

NEW SOUTH WALES 7-11-87 — Fine, sunny. 100T Trench: OA: J. Fryer 92; A: R. Carr 89; B: J. Guberina 80; C: J. Wood 69, 15T D/B: R. Ali, K. Bosanko both 14-15. 50T D/B C'ship: OA & B: R. Huddleston 47-50; A: K. Bosanko 46-50; C: A. Swift 41-50. 25T S/B C'ship: OA & A: D. Huddleston 30-34; B: M. Hawkshaw 18; C: C. Abela 16. HG: K. Bosanko 80-90.

NEW SOUTH WALES 21-10-87 — (17). 10T D/B 15m: C. Waterhouse 10-10. 20T D/B: A: C. Waterhouse 19-21; B: I. McLeay 22-24; C: W. Yarrod 17-22. Charles Haviaty Night Skeet: A: C. Naudin 24-25; C: C. McLeay 21-25; C: Nil.

NEW SOUTH WALES 17-10-87 — Overcast, windy, wet (31). Colonial Gun Shop Skeet C'ship: 50T Grd S/S: A: C. Naudin 48; B: E. Schutte 45; C: B. Pepper 37. 50T C'ship: OA: C. Naudin 48; A: R. Clarke 49-54; B: J. Pethybridge 45; C: B. Pepper 39. 100T Colonial Gun Shop Cup: OA: C. Naudin 94; AA: R. Clarke 87; A: A. Najjar 84; B: E. Schutte 89; C: B. Pepper 76. 15T D/B: T. Swift 15-15. 25T D/B C'ship: OA & A: D. Briggs 25; B: J. MacTaggart 23; C: M. Guberina 23. 50T S/B C'ship: OA & A: S. Toson 45; B: B. MacTaggart 38; C: M. Guberina 41. HG: S. Toson 80-90.

NAROOMA BOWLING & GUN CLUB 9-11-87 — Fine (23). 25T Skeet Hop: B. Field 35-38. 60T Bodalla Shield: A: B. Mackay 56-60, R. Blake 53-60; B: Ross Elliot 54-60, B. Deacon 51-60; C: A. Stone 51-60, R. Negus 51-60 (after shoot-off). 15T P/S Hop: A. Stone 41-50. HG: A. Stone 92-105. Inter HG: G. Negus 84-105. F/M: K. Pearce 82-105.

NARRANDERA 15-11-87 — Fine & warm (18). 10 Pair D/D C/D E/O: 2 possibles: D. Greig & H. Anderson, A. Paonne & N. McDermott. 20 Pr Ndra & Dist D/D: Albury shooters G. Boyd & R. Ehlers 20-20, father and son Ian & Glen Evans of Coleambally 19-20. Pairs A: A. D. Walker and A. Paonne & N. McDermott both shot 18-20. 20T Hop C/D: Two possibles: G. Boyd, G. Evans. 7 shooters shot 19-20. 20T C/D off 16m: Nine possibles: A. Walker, G. Boyd, R. Ehlers, G. Evans, D. Greig, A. Paonne, N. McDermott, G. Guymer, M. Stanmore. The club members wish all shooters a happy and prosperous 1988 — good shooting!!

PORT MACQUARIE 1-11-87 — Very strong N/E wind, sunny (20). 10T E/O D/B 15m Mini Clays: Possible 10-10: J. Britton, A. Pavlou, D. Edwards, N. Nugent, K. Neill, K. McWhirter. 20T P/S Mini Clays Col Saville Memorial Shoot: AA: R. Pritchard 55-60, A & OA: W. Neill 59-60; B: D. Edwards 56-60; C: Ced McGlashan 47-60. 25T S/B C'ship H. & S. Hardware Trophy Shoot: Grd event: AA: R. Pritchard 23-25; A: K. McWhirter 25-25; B & OA: D. Edwards 25-25; C: C. McGlashan 21-25. 15T D/B Hop American Style: Possibles by: A. Pavlou, C. Cross, W. Neill, K. Neill, B. Walton. HG for day: W. Neill. Wind caused small roll-up and made shooting conditions difficult.

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50T Union Firearms Ball Trap C'ship
Overall & two grade trophies
2nd each grade trophy
- Event 2** Noms \$7, OS \$1
20T Union Firearms Double Barrel C'ship
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50T Union Firearms Skeet C'ship
Overall & two grade winners
2nd each grade trophy

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- Event 2** Noms \$10.00
AA,A,B,C Grades OS \$1 ea ½ & \$1 OA
25T P.S. Championship
Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd, AA,A,B,C Grades
- Event 3** Noms \$15.00
OS \$1 ea 10T & \$1 OA
30T D.B. Trophy Sapphire Event
Trophies 1st, 2nd, 3rd. AA,A,B,C Grades
- Event 4** Noms \$10.00
25T D.B. Hcp
Cash Divide on Meterage Groups 11-15m, 16-19m, 20-25m
Divided 60/30/10 each group
- Total Nominations \$43.00**
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GRIFFITH GUN CLUB

NEW YEAR SHOOT
SUNDAY JANUARY 3
EVENT 5 — N.S.W. DOUBLE BARREL
CONTINENTAL CHAMPIONSHIP

SYDNEY 30-10-87 — Mild night (28). E/O: 1 possible. 50T Trophy 25T P/S, 25T D/B: A: C. Sherry 96-100, K. Edwards 95-100; B: D. Jones 90-100, W. Sully 89-100; C: H. Poullos 84-100, J. Kidd 81-106. HG: K. Edwards 114-120.

SYDNEY 8-11-87 — Fine (45). E/O: 9 possible. SCTC 100T D/B C'ship: AA: G. Rootes 98-100, F. Twarloh 105-108, K. Loy 104-108; A & OA: R. Bown 100-100, M. Bateman 95-100, B. Casey 93-100; B: A. Michael 96-100, D. Jones 93-100, M. Freestone 82-100; C: I. Callender 87-100, T. Diamond 86-101, M. Schmitt 85-101. HG: R. Bown 120-120.

TAMWORTH 1-11-87 — Fine (25). Club Champion of Champions Annual Shoot: 25T B/T: A. Barton, G. Walters both 25-25. 25T Skeet: R. Taylor 25, G. Walters, G. Wyatt both 24-25. 20T D/B: R. Prior, R. Kneese, S. Stanley, G. Walters all 20-20. 20T S/B: M. Carey, G. Wilson both 19-20. 5 Pr D/R: M. Carey, A. Barton all 9-10. OA Champion of Champions: G. Walters 93-100; AA: G. Wilson; A: M. Simpson; B: R. Prior; C: M. Carey.

TAMWORTH 15-11-87 — Fine (15). 25T C/D Hop: R. Corney, T. Ralte, D. Michie, R. Melville, R. Bright, R. Prior, S. Nash. 50T Oxley Skeet C'ship: OA: R. Melville 56-58; AA: D. Jackes 45-50; A: D. Michie 55-58; B: S. Nash; C: R. Corney. 25T C/D Hop: R. Taylor, R. Melville, R. Bright, K. Frazer, W. Brown. HG: R. Melville 97-100.

TAREE-WINGHAM 25-10-87 — Cold, wet & windy (15). 10T P/S 15m: P. Smith 30-30, N. Nugent 29-30, J. Quartermain 28-30. 30T P/S 18m: AA: K. Neil 86-90; A: R. Marsden 84-90; B: R. Humphreys 86-90; C: K. Ellis 74-90. HG over two events: N. Nugent. 20 Pr D/D Zone C'ships 22m: K. Neil & N. Nugent 20-20, B. Noll & R. Humphreys 17-20.

TUMUT 10-10-87 — Fine, cool (23). 10T D/B E/O 15m: I. Peacock, T. Dodd, N. Fairall, B. Bock, G. Lindley, K. Woodbridge, G. Thatcher, J. Magann all 10-10. 25T Tumut Dist P/S C'ship: OA: G. Thatcher 73-75; A: D. Fairall 72-78; B: N. Fairall 72-75; C: R. Percival 65-75. 5T D/B Hop Elimination: Roger Baker 15-15, N. Fairall 14-15, T. Dodd 13-15. 10T D/B Night E/O 15m: P. Fairall, I. Crisp, D. Fairall, B. Dowell, G. Lindley, K. Woodbridge, B. Cole all 10-10. 25T Kurrang Reserve Night D/B C'ship HG: OA: K. Woodbridge 26-28, A: G. Lindley 25-26; B: J. Magann 27-29; C: R. Percival 24-25; G. Thatcher 119-125.

TUMUT 11-10-87 — Fine, warm (24). 10T D/B E/O 15m: P. Fairall, I. Crisp, R. Percival, B. Bock, D. Fairall, R. Baker, B. Dowell, K. Woodbridge, G. Thatcher, B. Rooke all 10-10. 50T Kurrang Reserve D/B C'ship: OA: G. Thatcher 49-50; AA: G. Lindley 59-62; A: D. Fairall 48-51; B: R. Baker 15-20; C: M. Casnave 44-50, K. Woodbridge, B. Cole, B. Rooke, E. Vincent all 8-10. 10 Pr Tumut Valley D/R C'ship: OA: B. Rooke 25-30; AA: G. Thatcher 22-30; A: D. Fairall 24-20; C: R. Baker 15-20; C: M. Casnave 14-20. HG OA: B. Rooke 91-102. OA HG (2 days): G. Thatcher 199-215. Annual HG: G. Lindley 727, B. Bock 887, J. Magann 678, R. Baker 687, T. Elliott 642. This was the Club's annual two-day shoot. Grant Thatcher featured and amazingly won identical events to those he won at the same shoot in 1986. Strong support from Boorowa and Young Clubs appreciated, while Wagga was also represented.

WAKEHURST 22-11-87 — Fine & sunny (32). Tiffany Garcia Trophy: 30T DTL 15m: J. Guberina 30-30, J. Falconer 29-30, C. Abela 29-30.

YAMBA 15-11-87 — Good (13). 50T Skeet: B. Lonie 47-50, J. Foxwell 46-50, B. Field 45-50. 10T D/B S/S: M. Smith, N. Biddle, G. Harrison, J. Foxwell all 10-10. 20T D/B Trophy: A: P. McGuire 20-20; B: N. Biddle 46-48; C: G. Lawrence 19-20. 20T D/B S/S: P. Drew, N. Biddle, G. Lawrence all 20-20. 10T S/B S/S: G. Lawrence, C. Fuller both 10-10. 20T D/B Cont S/S: A: Jeff Tainish 19-20; B: Mick Smith 20-20; C: B. Field 12-20. HG: Mick Smith 78-80.

YOUNG SOLFERINO 15-11-87 — Warm, windy (19). 10T E/O 15m: N. Fairall, D. Toshack, P. Fairall, D. Rowland, B. Cole, P. Goodington. 20T P/S 15m: P. Fairall 62-63, P. Walmsey 61-63, D. Fairall 58-60. 15T Mixed 5 S/B, 5 P/S, 5 D/B: G. Toshack, P. Walmsey, D. Rowland. 20T 5 off 41, 5 off 46, 5 off 20, 5 off 25: M. Sinclair, D. Toshack, P. Fairall, B. Cole.



WEST AUSTRALIA

COLLIE 8-11-87 — Hot (15). 50 S/B Club Tower: A. Pateson 48-50, M. Cubic 45-50, L. Paterson 45-50. 50 Club Skeet: M. Cubic 49-50, B. McCrystal 45-50.

COLLIE 15-11-87 — Hot (28). 30 State Tower S/B: N. Dowey 29-30, M. Cubic 28-30, L. Paterson 28-30; 11-15m: D. Richter 23-30; 16-17m: D. Proctor 28-30; 18-25m: K. Schinzig 27-30. 25 Dist C'ship D/B: OA & A: T. Catling 74-74, M. Cubic 37-38; B: M. Dye 73-74, D. Proctor 39-40; C: L. Paterson 61-62, J. Lange 23-25. OA HG for the day: N. Dowey 62-65.

ESPERANCE 8-10-87 — Very windy 22° (20). 50 S/B Trap Club C'ship: D. Neale 45-50, L. Naylor 45-50, J. Dohnt 43-50. Des and Laurie shoot off for 1st and 2nd. Congratulations to Dave Perkin on his win in the Australian Skeet C'ships. He came 1st in B Grade. His score was 93-100.

KAMBALDA 1-11-87 — Wet & windy (13). 25T D/B: R. Hawke 24-25, T.

Vodden, J. Wood. 20 Pair D/R Club C'ship: R. Hawke 30-40, R. Davis 26-40, J. Wood 22-40. 25T D/B Pts: R. Hawke, T. Vodden, eq 3rd Julie Wood, J. Rayner, R. Davis, T. Witheridge.

KAMBALDA 18-10-87 — Fine (18). 5T D/B Pts E/O: R. Hawke, R. Davis both 14-15. 20T D/B: L. Nangle 22-24, J. Neve 21-24, T. Vodden 29-32. 50T D/B Club C'ship: R. Hawke 49-50, L. Nangle 59-63, T. Vodden 58-63. 25T D/B Pts: L. Nangle 72-75, M. Neve 64-75, T. Vodden, C. Rayner both 60-75. 20T Hop: J. Neve 17-20, C. Rayner 17-21, J. Rayner 16-21.

NEWMAN 8-11-87 — Hot (16). 5T E/O Walk Up: T. Stingel, P. Scanlon both 4-5. 25T Walk Up C'ship: P. McGowan 18-25, P. Robson 17-25, T. Gerge 20-30.



TASMANIA

BOTHWELL 14-11-87 — Fine (18). 25 P/S: A: R. Garwood 75-75; B: P. Hewitt 75-75; C: M. Bennett 65-75. 25 S/B: A: J. Kean 25-25; B: K. Aylett 25-27; C: L. McCallum 19-25. 25 D/B: A: J. Kean, I. Moody, R. Garwood all 25-25; B: K. Aylett, A. Kean both 23-25; C: M. Downey 25-25. 25 D/B Cont: A: R. Garwood 24-25; B: K. Aylett 25-25; C: P. Vince 20-26.

BURNIE 7-11-87 — Fine & warm (23). Commonwealth ISU B/T C'ship: A: B. Swan 99-100; B: K. Aylett 91-100; C: K. Walker 89-100.

CRESSY 7-11-87 — Ideal (35). 30T S/B: A: S. Yates 30-30; B: K. Aylett 27-30; C: D. Knies 26-30. 20T Cont D/B S/S: A: D. Whiteley, B. Swan, R. Swan, R. Browning all 20-20; B: J. Bryan 20-20, A. Chivers, K. Aylett both 19-20; C: A. Blaskett 17-20, R. Dykstra 16-20, D. Singline, R. Whiteley, R. Faice all 13-20. State Night Cont P/S C'ship: A & OA: S. Browning 146-150; B: D. Robinson 138-150; C: A. Blaskett 126-150; C: D. Knies 122-150. 10T Novice: B. M. Redmond 9-10.

SMITHTON 8-11-87 — Fine & hot (15). 10T P/S E/O S/S: N. Swan 29-30, R. Abblitt, J. Shields both 26-30. 25T D/B P/S: B: R. Abblitt 55-75; C: D. Marthick 69-75. 25T S/B: B: R. Abblitt 17-25; C: N. Swan 22-25. 30 M/T 10 S/B 10 D/B 10 P/S: B: R. Abblitt 32-50; C: N. Swan 43-50. 10T D/B P/S Junior Hop: J. Shields 18-30 16m, S. Swan 16-30 20m.

TASMANIA 8-11-87 — Hot, sunny (54). 25T Skeet: A: K. Blazely 39-39; B: H. Kerrison 25-25; C: K. Aylett 25-25; HG: K. Blazely. 10T E/O S/S: D. Robinson, L. Axton, G. Sturzaker, H. Kerrison, N. Cheshall, R. Meikle, S. Marshall, I. Hudson, D. Perry, J. Bryan, A. Curbishey, W. Richardson, A. Blaskett, D. Shaw, G. Blaskett, J. Murphy all 10-10. 25T D/B Michael Blake Memorial: A: S. Marshall 273-273; B: D. Robinson 27-27; C: A. Blaskett 36-37; HG: S. Marshall. Charity Challenge 10T Pts: Team — S. Yates, G. Blaskett, J. Murphy all 30-30. Charity Grand Prix 25T Pts: A: S. Browning 537-537; B: K. Aylett 75-75; C: N. Mayne 78-78; HG: S. Browning. Charity Skeet C'ship 25T Skeet: A: S. Browning 37-37; B: G. Blaskett 24-25; C: A. Blaskett 24-25; HG: S. Browning.

Tasmanian Clay Target Association I.S.U. Sub-Committee

2nd TRENCH ELIMINATION 200 Targets

January 30th-31st, 1988 — Hobart Gun Club. 10.30am

Shoulder to Shoulder team for 1988 will be selected over the 400 targets from round 1 and 2. Also incorporating:

STATE I.S.U. TRENCH CHAMPIONSHIP
State Team selected on 1st 100 Targets
State Championship on 2nd 100 Targets

Graded A.B.C.
Overall Sash and Trophy, Grade winner Ribbons and Trophy
Sash for Team High Gun

Further details: S. Browning (002) 43 8513 —
D. Aylett (003) 68 1159

TASMANIAN CLAY TARGET ASSOCIATION

JANUARY:

State I.S.U. Skeet & Team — Tasmanian Gun Club — 10th January.

State I.S.U. Trench & Team — Hobart Gun Club — 30/31 January.

A.C.T.A. Skeet & Team — Tasmanian Gun Club — 14th February.

State Trap Carnival — Hobart Gun Club — 20/21 February

BURNIE GUN CLUB

Saturday 2nd January, 1988

Day Shoot — 10.00am

MIKE SAGE (QUALITY USED CARS) — 205 BASS
HIGHWAY, COOEE

AND

NOEL MILBURN'S FURNITURE, 4 ALEXANDER
STREET, BURNIE.

In conjunction with the Burnie Gun Club present —
EVENT 1

50 Target Skeet. Graded A.B.C.

Trophies each grade, plus High Gun ribbon (sponsored by
Noel Milburn's Furniture)

EVENT 2

50 Target "Mike Sage" D/B Championship
Graded A.B.C.

Trophies each grade, plus High Gun ribbon.

Plus for EVENT 1 \$25.00 cash for 50/50 score

No 50/50 — \$12.50 for 49/50

Plus for EVENT 2 \$25.00 cash for 50/50 score

No 50/50 — \$12.50 for 49/50

Noel & Mike wish all competitors "Straight Shooting"!
In the event of equal breaks, the cash will be shared.

EVENT 3

Time Permitting — 10 Pair D/Rise (Sweep Stakes)

CLUB PERPETUAL TROPHY

Wendy Walker: Best four scores out of five nominated 25
Target I.S.U. Ball Trap Events.

Max Elliott: Points will be awarded on all Club Champion-
ships, both day and night. Three points will be awarded to
each grade winner, subject to a minimum of four competitors
each grade, with two points for second and one point for
third. If less than four competitors in a grade, then points will
be awarded proportionally, e.g. two competitors in grade,
winner awarded one point, second no points. Events to count
are marked.

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ROSEBERY GUN CLUB

January 23rd — 12.00 Noon

EVENT 1

5 Target Single Barrel Sweepstake

EVENT 2

25 Target Western Districts Single Barrel
Ribbon & Trophy A.B.C. Grades
High Gun Sash overall

EVENT 3

20 Target Double Barrel
Trophy A.B.C. Grades

EVENT 4

Shooter's Choice

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SMITHTON GUN CLUB

Sunday, January 10 — 11.00a.m.

EVENT 1

10 Target P/S E/O S/S

Nom. \$4.00

EVENT 2

25 Target P/S A.B.C.

Nom. \$6.00

EVENT 3

10 Target Junior Handicap

Nom. \$2.00

EVENT 4

25 Target S/B A.B.C.

Nom. \$6.00

EVENT 5

25 Target Continental A.B.C.

Nom. \$6.00

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DEVONPORT CLAY TARGET CLUB INC.

January 16th, 1988 — 10.30a.m.

EVENT 1

25 Target Skeet. Graded A.B.C.

Nom. \$7.50

EVENT 2

North West Districts Points Score Championship
Graded A.B.C. Overall Sash and Grade Ribbons plus
trophy.

Nom. \$10.00

(Norco Batteries Cup event)

EVENT 3

30 Target Single Barrel
Graded A.B.C. Trophy

Nom. \$8.00

EVENT 4

25 Target Handicap
1st, 2nd, 3rd

Nom. \$7.50

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HOBART GUN CLUB

Sunday 24th January, 1988 — 9.30am Start

EVENT 1

25 Target D.B. Continental Graded A.B.C. Trophy

Nom. \$8.00

EVENT 2

20 Pr. Club Double Rise Championship. Graded A.B.C.
Overall Badge, Trophy 1st, 2nd each grade

Nom. \$10.00

EVENT 3

50 Target A.C.T.A. Skeet Graded A.B.C. Trophy

Nom. \$13.00

EVENT 4

8 Pr Deauville Doubles. Shot off 18 metres. Partners
drawn. Trophy 1st and 2nd pair.

Nom. \$3.00

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BOTHWELL GUN CLUB INC.

Saturday, January 9, 1988 — 10.30am

EVENT 1

20 Target Points Score Sweepstakes

Nom. \$6.00

EVENT 2

25 Target Handicap
Sash and trophy 1st, value \$90
Ribbon & Trophy 2nd, Trophy 3rd

Nom. \$7.00

EVENT 3

15 Pair Double Rise
Trophies each grade

Nom. \$8.00

EVENT 4

25 Target Continental Double Barrel Sweeps

Nom. \$7.00

AUSTRALIAN CLAY TARGET ASSOCIATION

1988 Annual Registration

and

Club Membership Application

(To be handed to Club Secretary with your Registration Card)

*PLEASE USE REGISTRATION NUMBER

*Registered Number.....

Surname.....

Christian Names.....

Present Address.....

..... Postcode.....

Telephone Number..... Age (if under 17 years at date of registration).....

Date of Birth.....

My existing (or last recorded) shooting details are

Australian Common Mark
Australian Down-the-Line Trap Handicap
Australian Skeet Handicap
I.S.U. Trench Grading
I.S.U. Skeet Grading

PLEASE INDICATE

I hereby apply for Membership of the.....Gun Club

As a Continuing ☐ or New ☐ Member. Together with my application for A.C.T.A. Registration for the year ending 31st December, 1988, and attach hereto the following fees:

TYPE OF MEMBERSHIP

Club Life Member.....	\$	
Club Full Member.....		
A.C.T.A. Annual Registration.....		
\$35.00 Adult Fee.....		
\$10.00 Junior (nil "Shooting News" if Registering as a Junior).....		
\$20.00 for the second and successive adult family members of common address.....		
\$20.00 for Long Service Concession (65 years & over or 60 years with 30 years continuous registration).....		
\$40.00 New Adult Registered Shooters includes \$5.00 Levy Legislation Fighting Fund.....		
TOTAL HEREWITH BY CASH/CHEQUE	\$	

THIS ACCOUNT IS TO BE PROCESSED BY YOUR CLUB

Signature.....Date.....

THIS FORM WHEN COMPLETED IS TO BE RETAINED BY THE CLUB

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action smoothly everytime. Nothing to break, nothing to wear out. Nothing to lubricate. ● Hard chrome lined vent-rib barrel ● 4 Flush mounted screw in **mobil-choke** tubes that extend the A303's

versatility-from quail to rabbits, to ducks, to pigs, to simulated field clay targets

● Space age, lightweight alloy receiver - strong as steel, a fraction of

its weight ● Hand chequered European walnut stock and forearm ● Exclusive magazine cut off in forearm recess.

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