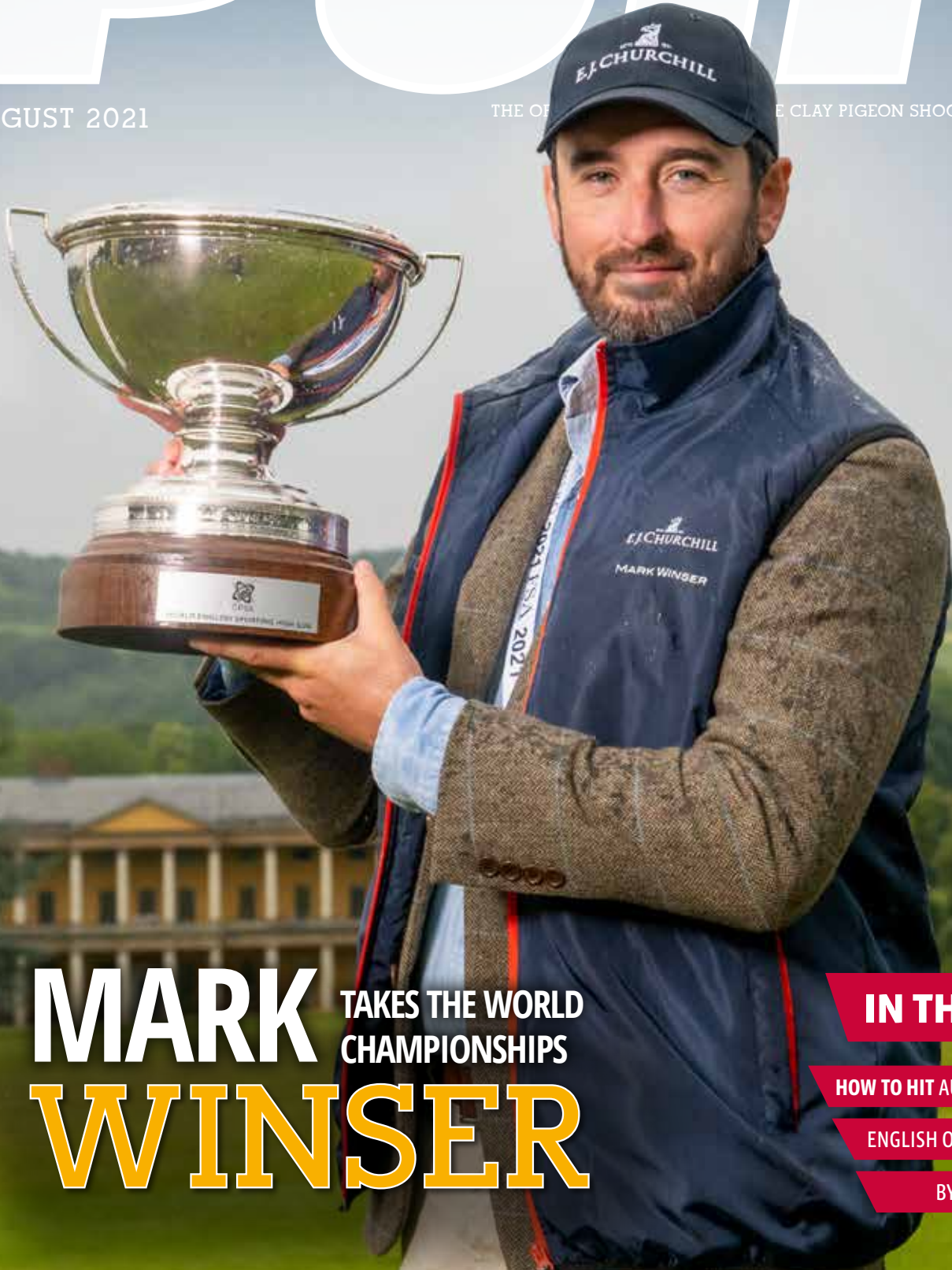


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WELCOME

We've just returned from the CPSA World English Sporting and Sportrap at E.J. Churchill Shooting Ground, where Mark Winner became the new CPSA World English Sporting Champion, and Kallum Burrell was crowned CPSA World Sportrap Champion. Congratulations to them, and to all of the many class and category winners at both championships. We were also thrilled to see England win all of the Team Events except for Veterans, which went to Wales. Congratulations to both teams for their victories! I'd also like to congratulate E.J. Churchill Shooting Ground and the CPSA staff for running a successful and well received event (see pages 16-21). We look forward to working with E.J. Churchill again in September as the British Open English Sporting heads north to the Swinton Estate. Find out more in our event preview on page 29.

I offered congratulations to the winners of the DTL weekend in my last CEO's Welcome and we are pleased to have the full report on pages 10-13. I hope those of you who are interested in Trap have been following our How to Hit series this year. This month's article looks at the 'fast trap' discipline of Automatic Ball Trap (ABT), examining how it is different and more challenging than DTL. I encourage anyone to try ABT out if you haven't already. Even if you don't pursue ABT as your main discipline, getting practice at shooting truly random going-away targets will help anyone improve as a shooter. I am looking forward to meeting more of you later in July at The Game Fair, and also look forward to reporting next month on the winners of our Champion of Champions and Colts Challenge competitions held there!

IAIN PARKER // Chief Executive



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2021 CPSA
 English Sporting
 World Champion
 Mark Winner.
 SIMON FINLAY



CLUBHOUSE NEWS



On Sunday 4 July, a memorial shoot was held at Cambridge Gun Club for the late Audrey Smith. Audrey was a stalwart for trap shooting, winning many county and national titles and also representing her country. She was always ready to give back her knowledge to the younger

shooters, and with her husband David was a very popular couple on the shooting scene.

Cambridge put on a very well organised 100 DTL and the whole day had a great, relaxed atmosphere, with



many stories being remembered.

High gun winners from the day were:

Seniors: Paul Neal & Steve Janes

Ladies: Megan Williams

Veterans: Steve Eley

Juniors: William Gilbert.

David worked hard on organising prizes which included decanters and Woods of Swaffham donating 1000 Gamebore Elite cartridges.

Raffle prizes were also donated, which ended up raising over £200, going towards the final £1000 that was raised at the end of the day.

The money raised went towards Magpie Centre who provide therapy, achievement and enjoyment to people with disabilities.

We would like to thank Cambridge Gun Club for hosting, the referees, Allan Wright for organising the event, Woods of Swaffham for cartridge donations, the raffle ticket ladies, and the many other people that helped and took part in the event.

UPCOMING AT KEGWORTH

August will prove to be a very busy month at Kegworth Shooting Ground.

8 August sees the East Midlands Inter-Counties FITASC. Open to shooters from all of the UK, it promises to be a fantastic day's shooting on a really interesting layout. Team Captains are requested to enter teams as soon as possible to secure preferred start times.

On 29-30 August The Promatic Sporting Challenge Bank Holiday Weekend will take place (Incorporating the Promatic Cheshire Shield)

This year's event will again be a 200 English Sporting Registered, shot in one day. 24 Stands with 48 different targets presented, shot as a squadded event. Plans are already underway for a brilliantly entertaining course. Bookings are now open for both events. Call or text John for more information on 07973 111650.

TIME TO GET OFF ROAD! 4X4 NEWS



INEOS GRENADIER 4X4 SHOWCASE AND LAUNCH

To be showcased at the The Game Fair, visitors will be among the first in the country to see the final vehicle will have the opportunity to take a ride on an off-road course. If not you will only have to wait till next year when the Grenadier 4x4 is set to officially launch. INEOS Automotive's Commercial Director, Mark Tennant, commented: "Those who live and work in the countryside have been a significant part of our plans since the earliest days of the Grenadier's development. It is designed and engineered to be a durable, capable workhorse 4X4."



THE NEW RIGBY LAND ROVER

A unique partnership between John Rigby and Co., Kingsmen Editions, and Traditional English Guncases (TEG) has resulted in a one-of-a-kind Land Rover Defender specially customised with Rigby features and bespoke details. It is kitted out with a twin drawer system; one for Rigby guns and the other for hospitality, a 270° pull-out awning, 25 litres of pressurized water which can be used for washing boots or a mucky pooch and many other bespoke features.

Kingsmen Editions offer full customization options according to budget and specifications.



WEST LONDON SHOOTING SCHOOL'S LADIES COURSE COMPETITION

On 9 June, the annual Ladies Course competition hosted by Mark Heath took place, with 20 contestants going head-to-head to win coveted prizes. It was the perfect way for ladies to get into shooting, open both to novices and experienced shots. The course consisted of three one-hour lessons including shotgun hire, 50 cartridges and clays. Once completed each lady was invited to take part in a friendly competition, followed by a Champagne reception. The winner received a luxury prize and three runners-up were invited onto one of our simulated days.

This year, the competing ladies were a mixture of novice and more experienced shots. Ruby Street took first place with an impressive 43 points, with runners-

up Elkie Holland in second and Zayna Aston and Julia Truscott in joint third. Ruby won two places on a West London Shooting School simulated day, a Stalking Experience with Glorious Game, a West London Shooting School ladies t-shirt, and a bottle of Louis Roederer. Head Shooting Instructor Mark Heath said; "The West London Ladies Day is always a big highlight in our calendar, this year was special as it was our first competition of the year. We had a strong competition, great shooting and a morning of fun and plenty of humour at a social distance. Congratulations to all involved!"



The West London Ladies Day is always a big highlight in our calendar

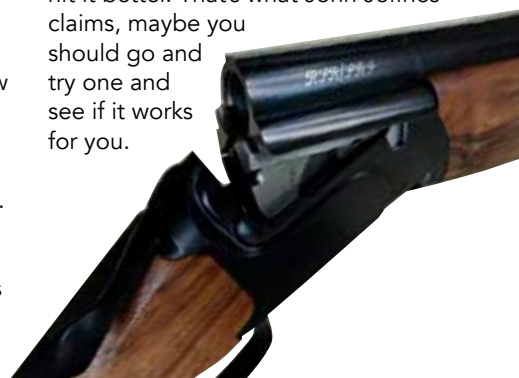
CHARLES LANCASTER GUNMAKERS RELAUNCHES WITH FAMILIAR FACES AT THE HELM

The new co-owners of the Charles Lancaster Group, George Juer (formerly of Purdey) and Tom Cosby (formerly of Atkin Grant & Lang and also of Purdey), have rolled their existing gun trade businesses into the new company. They will be joined on the Board by Francis Beardsworth and Margarita Booker, who have owned the Lancaster brand since the untimely passing of Margarita's late husband, the great riflemaker, Ronald Wharton.

NEW PERAZZI THE LEGEND 2

Many shooters and shotgun enthusiasts world wide will have encountered John Jeffries specially designed custom guns by Perazzi and several other top-end quality manufacturers. His designs are well known for their excellent handling properties and 'good target vision' which has been universally recognized as a great shooting advantage. The philosophy of his custom guns is to allow the shooter to see the target better without any visual constraint and on initial trial it is instantly apparent, the target appears clearer and more distinct. Over the years the various designs from his ideas have satisfied many shooters and now he has amalgamated two of his best into one very special 'all rounder' offering the shooter just about the very

best vision possible. The new Legend 2 comes with full customization as always, all barrel lengths, good quality woodwork and all Perazzi grades of engraving. Available in 12 or 20 ga. If you can see the target better, you will hit it better. That's what John Jeffries claims, maybe you should go and try one and see if it works for you.



WORLD GUNMAKERS' EVENING ANNOUNCES BRAND NEW DATE AND HISTORIC VENUE FOR THIS AUTUMN

Stable Events, the new owners of The World Gunmakers' Evening, has announced that the much-loved annual event will be taking place on a new date - Wednesday, 3 November - in an exciting new venue - the iconic Tower of London.

Originally founded in 2015 by online shooting platform GunsOnPegs, the repeatedly sold-out indoor tabletop event brings together the very best gunmakers and shooting brands together with 500 guests for an evening of canapés and Champagne.

Following on from a virtual event held in May this year due to the pandemic, organisers are now looking ahead to an in-person gathering once again whereby guests can interact with gunmakers face-to-face.

GunsOnPegs' managing director Chris Horne said that he was delighted to pass on The World Gunmakers' Evening to Stable Events: "It's been great fun growing the event from an idea to one of the most exclusive fixtures in the sporting calendar. The exceptional demand for tickets each year, together with the high calibre of gunmaking exhibitors from across the world, are a huge credit to the GunsOnPegs brand. We look forward to supporting the new team as they take the event to the next level."

Experts in creating large-scale events for those passionate about the British countryside, Stable Events also organises The Game Fair, taking place at Ragley Hall this July and the GWCT Scottish Game Fair, taking place at Scone Palace this September. Managing director James Gower added: "The crossover of exhibitors across our expanding portfolio of events, and the relationships our team have cultivated over the years make it a natural takeover. We have big plans for the event and our intention is to geo-clone it in the both in the U.S. and further afield, maintaining its exclusivity and status within the world of gunmaking."

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SHOTS IN THE MAIL

LETTER OF THE MONTH



As a long time shooter who's come back to the sport with much enthusiasm, I decided as I was having a very special birthday during lockdown, I would treat myself with the assistance of my wife to a new Beretta 694.

I put the order in and sooner than expected my new sporter had arrived. At point of purchase I noticed my license had less than 12 months to run. I investigated the times and process for renewal, not wanting to be separated from my new acquisition for any reason in the future. Unfortunately, my licensing authority had one of the worst processing times, 16 weeks were reported through an internet search and also some new requirements had been added to the process:

1. I would need to obtain a medical record via a printable GP report, which could involve a charge.
2. I would need to print off a record form of all occupants at my property, and finally,
3. I would have to renew my reference by printing off a form for my referee to complete.

My license was due to expire on 17 June 2021, a letter arrived in the post from Greater Manchester Police 27 January 2021. It stated all these new requirements and also emphasised the importance of submitting the application at least 8 weeks prior to the renewal date. Failure to do so may result in the need to lodge the guns until the certificate was renewed as no extensions or temporary permits were to be granted.

I recalled five years ago the authority issued temporary licenses due to a backlog in processing licenses.

Not wanting to be caught by this process I set about completing my renewal the following day. I asked myself was I being over cautious, perhaps? However filling forms in can be a pain and easily forgotten.

Luckily the process could be completed via the internet or by post. I chose internet, I forwarded the GP form to my doctors and the reference form directly to my referee. Occupants list I could complete online.

The doctor agreed to complete the form for a £20 donation and filled in the form that same day he received it. It was made apparent that some surgeries may charge and some wouldn't complete the form at all due to workloads.

I discovered that specialist surgeries would complete this form remotely for an extra charge and advertise their services in the magazines and online.

The hard work was done, I went online and completed the renewal application form, the final page being the £49 renewal payment which was done by credit card. All completed within a couple of days and registered 2 Feb 2021.

All I had to do now was make sure I'd completed it correctly and wait.

April arrived and we were eight weeks from renewal date, curiosity got the better of me and I rang the office to see if all was on track. Having submitted just my D.O.B. to the person who answered I was informed all was well and online for

17/6/21 renewal.

A week later I received a letter from the Firearms Licensing Unit, unfortunately it would not be possible to decide my application before my certificate expires. Fortunately as I had submitted my application eight weeks or more before expiry I could continue to use my existing license for another eight weeks, as provided by Section 28B of the Firearms Act 1968 until 12 August 2021. This in turn, if accepted for renewal would add to the next five years of my license. One action in the renewal process which has been removed temporarily is the home inspection due to staff and Covid 19.

Other authorities are probably suffering from staff shortages and similar admin problems.

Hopefully this helps emphasise the need to complete renewals ASAP, and some of the new hurdles to jump to complete the form.

– Howard T Kershaw

Is there an issue that you would like to raise or praise? Send your letter including your phone number and CPSA number to: **Pull! Magazine, Fellows Media, The Gallery, Manor Farm, Southam Lane, Cheltenham GL52 3PB** or email: pull@fellowsmedia.com



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Please keep an eye out online and in future issues of *Pull!* for more information and additional dates becoming available. If you have any questions don't hesitate to contact Cheryl or Richard at CPSA HQ on 01483 485400 who would be happy to help!



Head to cpsa.co.uk/courses to book a course

Referee Course

£75

Available in each of the four domestic disciplines of English Sporting, English Skeet, Down the Line and Automatic Ball Trap, these one-day courses will equip you with the general and discipline specific rules to enable you to referee regularly at registered competitions or national championships and, with it, the assurance that what you are calling is correct. This is also an excellent course for the competitor, who doesn't necessarily want to referee, but does want to ensure that they know the rules when they compete.

- 09 Aug DTL The Priory CTC
- 23 Aug ABT The Priory CTC
- 24 Aug ESP South Pennine SS
- 04 Sep ESP South West SS
- 09 Oct ESP Fennes Shooting School

We are continually monitoring the COVID-19 situation and will post any course changes on our website

Safety Officer Course

£105

This one-day course provides the basis for running a safe and successful shooting ground. It looks at safe gun handling, layout management, risk assessments and so on. It's an obvious choice for ground-owners and a prerequisite to Club Affiliation. It also appeals to the shooter and is the first

step to our higher L1 Instructor & L2 Coaching qualifications.

- 14 Aug South West Shooting School
- 23 Aug Lea Marston
- 25 Sep NCSC
- 04 Oct Eriswell Lodge
- 27 Nov NCSC

Safety Officer Requalification

£10

We have extended the current online Safety Officer requalification exam till the 30th November. If you qualified prior to 2016 and haven't yet

renewed your qualification, please contact Cheryl or Richard at CPSA HQ and we will add you to this course.

Instructor Development Workshop (IDW)

£175

The Instructor Development Workshop is a one-day course and a prerequisite to attending the four-day Level 1 Instructor Training Course. Candidates will be given an overview of the full four-day course and be assessed for

their suitability to progress onto the ITC. Candidates must have attended a Safety Officer Course.

- 16 Aug Northampton SG
- 27 Sep Nottingham & District GC
- 18 Oct NCSC

Level 1 Instructor Training Course (ITC)

£695

This four-day course teaches you how to check eye dominance and gun fit. It shows you how to teach the CPSA Method, how to recognise shooting errors and how to correct them. It consists of classroom time, off-and-on-range workshops and a final day of assessments. It covers crossing, rising, and dropping targets and equips instructors with the knowledge to

tackle a huge variety of targets. For this course, the criteria for qualification is that the candidate can get a novice to hit a moving target safely using the CPSA Method. Candidates must have attended an IDW within the previous two years.

- 10-13 Aug Nottingham & District GC
- 20-23 Sep NCSC
- 28 Sep-01 Oct East Yorkshire

L2 Common Element & L2 CTC

£495/£550

These are two three-day courses – the Common Element (£495) and the discipline specific Coach Training Course (£550). The Common Element now includes the three coach development workshops and allows seamless progression to the desired CTC in Trap, ESK or ESP. There are also three stand-alone CDW's * (£175 per CDW) available for those who have previously qualified as a L2 Coach, and wish to continue their coaching qualifications

in a second or third discipline. They are designed to give you the technical skills to improve an established shooter. Candidates must be L1 Instructor qualified to attend L2 Courses.

- 06-08 Sep ESP (3 days) CTC Northampton SG
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BYWELL DTL WEEKEND



Richard Faulks reports from the events at the DTL weekend at Bywell Shooting Ground 11-13 June 2021.



Bywell Shooting Ground once again hosted the DTL Sponsored Day, Dougall Memorial Championship, and CPSA English Open DTL Championship, between the 11-13 June, thanks to generous sponsorship from Eley Hawk and Swatcom. Bywell is renowned for its DTL layouts - the targets are consistently presented and the uncluttered distant horizon to the north provides the perfect background and lighting conditions for easy target acquisition. The

ground is just a couple of miles off the A1 between Morpeth and Alnwick in Northumberland's beautiful countryside - it's certainly not England's most central shooting ground, but it's a testament to the quality of the ground and events that three hundred plus entrants made the journey to shoot these prestigious events each day on the weekend, and two hundred and forty entered the Sponsored shoot on the Friday.

The weather for all three days was sunny and warm, but a strong and gusty wind did have a part to play in making the shooting challenging! Friday's Sponsored Day saw Tom Robinson take high gun with a 99/297, which was a

Left: English Open DTL High Gun, Daniel Hudson.



year old Cory Doble was next on the board with 100/298 at lunchtime. He'd shot in the first squad on each of the days and had won the Junior prize in the Dougall Memorial and also first place on Sponsored Day for A Class and the Juniors, so he's clearly a name to watch over the coming years. Cory thought that the wind on the Sunday morning was lighter than the previous days and blowing from left to right, so it was affecting the targets less than on the previous days. The previous days had the wind either straight into the shooters' faces or on their backs - causing the targets to lift or drop. After lunch the wind turned ninety degrees and started to blow directly down-range and affected the targets for the later squads. The targets were far less predictable and either flew straight or were buffeted by the unpredictable gusts and pushed down. Robert Clarke's 100/299 was looking even harder to beat! I followed a few of the squads along the four courses and even the big names were finding the going tough. I caught up with Paul Chaplow BEM after his round and he told me, "I dropped a target very early



I dropped a target very early on but I can't complain - everybody's had a few problems with the wind today

Paul Chaplow BEM



on but I can't complain - everybody's had a few problems with the wind today - some people have had a lot worse ride than I have to be honest with you. The target quality has been very, very good. I'll just have to lick my wounds and come back next year." As the day progressed, Philip Morgan managed to match Cory Doble's score to force a shoot-off. But the biggest shock of the tournament was about to be sprung by Daniel Hudson. Daniel was shooting in one of the last squads and only took up shooting seriously three months previously. He'd shot a few pigeons when he was a lot younger and then hadn't shot for quite a few years. Believe it or not, he managed to shoot a perfect 100/300 for his very first time. ▶

fine effort in the conditions. There was a shoot-off to decide second and third, between Nick McKeown and Emma Holden, which Nick managed to take to hold the runner-up spot. The Dougall Memorial Cup was contested on the Saturday, and is clay shooting's oldest trophy - first awarded in 1896. So it's a cup that any trap shooter would be honoured to have their name on! There was some fine shooting on the day, but Paul Turner was 'on fire' and his 100/300 would not be matched and took the prize, with Philip Morgan taking second and Dan Price taking third place. Many said of Paul Turner's round that it was the finest show of trap shooting they'd ever seen, with every target convincingly broken. Robert Clarke posted a 100/299 on Sunday morning to take the top spot on the leader board for the English Open, and with the gusty wind looked to be a score that would be hard to beat. Seventeen

Below: Team Gamebore – Dougall Memorial Winning Five Man Team





Left: English Open DTL 3rd place Ladies, Megan Williams. **Above inset:** English Open DTL Ladies podium. Ladies Champion: Emma Holden, 2nd: Charlotte Kitchen, 3rd: Megan Williams.

"Bywell do a great job, it's a long way for many of the shooters to come, but it's a bit of a pilgrimage and it's a great weekend. Bywell put on a caravanning and camping area and a lot of people make a little holiday of the trip. It's good to see there are lots of names that are getting up there in classes and categories that we haven't heard of - there are new Juniors and new Colts coming through, which is great to see. And after the year we've had, for people to be back out shooting and back out competing is just fantastic!"

So another very successful and seamlessly run three days at Bywell. Twelve-thousand cartridges were handed out as prizes from Eley and a plethora of trophies were awarded for the three days of competition, which included all of the obvious awards and some less well known - like the best shooter from the West Midlands, Cumbria's High Gun, and we mustn't forget the Womble cup! A great atmosphere and some great shooting considering the windy conditions, but Dan Hudson's first ever

“ Bywell do a great job... it's a bit of a pilgrimage and it's a great weekend ”

Iain Parker, CPSA Chief Executive

What a time to straight the course - but to do it to win the English Open was just exceptional and would certainly please his uncle Ian Moore, who had coached Dan. He told me, "I just took one target at a time and ignored my score. It's a mental game and a lot of it is in-between your ears. It hasn't really sunk in yet what I've achieved." To be crowned the English Open winner after three months of shooting must rate as one of the most exceptional victories ever and the smile on Dan's face said it all.

The shoot-off for third place between Philip Morgan and Cory Doble was a test of nerves for both. After the first round, the scores were still equal with both having had a second barrel on one target. The second round of the shoot-off is where Philip's experience started to show and he managed a perfect score which Cory just couldn't

match. Philip clinched the second step on the podium with a 25/74 + 25/75 to Cory's 25/74 + 22/66. Philip was very gracious in his victory and had nothing but praise for Cory and said, "you can see he's got something about him and he's going to go far." I couldn't agree more and I look forward to watching his progress over the coming years.

The CPSA's Chief Executive Iain Parker's final thoughts on the three days were,



100/300 to take the English Open with so little shooting experience was just astonishing and made the event for me!

Left: Sponsored DTL High Gun Tom Robinson.

Right: Sponsored DTL A Class and Junior Champion, English Open DTL Junior Champion and Dougall Memorial Junior Champion, Cory Doble.

ENGLISH OPEN DTL 2021 RESULTS

		Score	S/O
High Gun	Daniel Hudson	100/300	
Runner Up	Robert Clarke	100/299	
Third Overall	Phil Morgan	100/298	25/74 + 25/75
AA 1st	Geoff Howlett	99/297	25/75
A 1st	Cory Doble	100/298	25/74 + 22/66
B 1st	Gareth Lloyd	98/289	
C 1st	Paul Williams	96/285	
Ladies 1st	Emma Holden	99/294	
2nd	Charlotte Kitchen	99/290	
3rd	Megan Williams	98/284	
Junior 1st	Cory Doble	100/298	
2nd	Iwan Mills	97/286	
3rd	Megan Williams	98/284	
Veteran 1st	Robert Clarke	100/299	
2nd	Robert Haines	99/294	
3rd	Gerald Sweet	99/294	By Default
Colt 1st	Toby Hurstfield	96/280	
2nd	Edward Arnett	94/279	
3rd	William Taylor	96/277	
Disabled Standing 1st	Stephen Booth	94/278	
2nd	Stuart Dawson	93/274	
3rd	Alan Paige	92/271	
Disabled Sitting 1st	Lorriane Greening	92/271	
Parent & Child	Peter & Edward Arnett	568/600	
Grandparent	Phil Morgan	100/298	
Womble	Clive & David Weston	587/600	
Five Man Team	The Mix Up Phil Morgan, Nigel Chapman, Nick McKeown, Darren Bell, William Armstrong	1460/1500	
Inter-Regional Seniors	North Nigel Chapman, Martin Jeminson, Stephen Petch, Chris Jones, Geoff Nutter, Bob Singleton, Tom Robinson, Paul Robinson, Paul Chaplow, Paul Turner & Ian Douglas	1472/1500	
Inter-Regional Ladies	North Emma Holden, Caroline Whitehead & Charlotte Kitchen	584/600	

DOUGALL MEMORIAL 2021 RESULTS

		Score	S/O
High Gun	Paul Turner	100/300	
Runner Up	Phil Morgan	100/298	
3rd Overall	Dan Price	100/297	25/74
AA 1st	Niall Crumpler	100/297	24/72
A 1st	Andy Leak	99/294	
B 1st	Andy Page	98/290	
C 1st	Paul Williams	100/296	
Ladies 1st	Emma Holden	99/293	
2nd	Charlotte Kitchen	99/290	
3rd	Leanne Powell	97/286	
Junior 1st	Cory Doble	96/285	25/75 + 24/72
2nd	Iwan Mills	97/285	25/75 + 23/69
3rd	Alexander Hargreaves	94/279	
Veteran 1st	Richard Chapple	100/296	25/75
2nd	Paul Williams	100/296	25/74
3rd	David Taylor	100/295	
Colt 1st	Toby Hurstfield	96/281	
2nd	Mathew Paley	95/278	
3rd	Will Taylor	97/277	
Disabled Standing 1st	Geoffrey Nutter	96/285	
2nd	Stephen Booth	96/278	
3rd	Alan Paige	94/276	
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		Score	S/O
High Gun	Tom Robinson	99/297	
Runner Up	Nick McKeown	100/296	24/71
3rd Overall	Emma Holden	100/296	23/69
AA 1st	Ian Mullarkey	99/295	25/75
A 1st	Cory Doble	100/291	24/72
B 1st	Stuart Taylor	99/291	
C 1st	Shaun Goth	97/287	
Ladies 1st	Emma Holden	100/296	
2nd	Bernadette Quinn	97/286	
3rd	Caroline Stanbrook	95/278	
Junior 1st	Cory Doble	100/291	
2nd	Iwan Mills	94/275	
3rd	Charlotte Morris	94/272	
Veteran 1st	Mike Hartley	99/294	
2nd	Adrian Parish	99/291	24/71
3rd	Stuart Taylor	99/291	23/69
Colt 1st	William Taylor	95/274	
2nd	Toby Hurstfield	93/268	
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2021 CPSA WORLD ENGLISH SPORTING AND SPORTRAP CHAMPIONSHIPS



Hosted at E.J. Churchill Shooting Ground from 5-11 July. Never mind the football, there was real drama on the lawn at West Wycombe as the week-long festival of shooting reached its climax. **James Marchington** reports.



Mark Winser was crowned 2021 CPSA English Sporting World Champion after winning a nailbiting Super Final in front of a hushed crowd against the backdrop of the stunning stately home and grounds of West Wycombe Park, home of Sir Edward Dashwood.

It was the culmination of the CPSA World English Sporting Championships, a full week's festival of shooting at the E.J. Churchill Shooting Ground in Buckinghamshire. The victory was extra sweet for Mark, who lost out to Richard Bunning in a sudden-death shoot-off for the World Champion title on the same turf in 2018. Mark has a long history of championship wins, but has never before lifted the CPSA World English Sporting trophy.

His achievement was even more notable as he has not long recovered from a potentially career-ending shoulder injury sustained on 1st April 2019. "It was a rocky road going through that, so what a nice reward to be able to come back and win the World Championships a little more than a year later," he said. "That's in the past now. I'm rebuilt, screwed back

together, so it's all good!"

To qualify for his place in the six-man Super Final, Mark shot a score of 190ex200 over the two courses earlier in the week. That put him in fourth place, behind James Bradley-Day on 192, and Martin Myers and Mark Webster tied in second place on 191.

A shoot-off was needed to decide the last two places in the Super Final. Nathan Skinner, John Lee, and Steve Brightwell had tied on 188ex200. Nathan and Steve won through, and the stage was set for a gripping battle for the title.

After some glorious weather through the week, it was perhaps inevitable that the skies would open as the final six took the stand, but that didn't deter the crowd of spectators who had gathered despite the impending England v Italy Euro 2020 final.

The six carried their scores with them into the final, so Mark had some catching up to do, but he started strongly, dropping just one target on the first

Left: Mark Winser shoots in the Super Final.



stand, while James Bradley-Day saw his lead slip away as he missed three of his first eight targets.

It was far from over, though, as Mark Webster straightened his first stand and Martin Myers dropped just two. The next stand saw James drop out of the running, and despite a strong finish he couldn't recover, ending with 207, while Steve Brightwell and Nathan Skinner never really looked like catching the leaders.

At the finish it came down to the two Marks, Winser and Webster, with just one target separating the two. Webster was still in the game to the bitter end, but missed his final pair to hand Winser the title as the crowd erupted with applause and shouts of congratulation.

One of the first to congratulate Mark was James Bradley-Day, who had shot the top score on the two 100-target courses, Rizzini and Gamebore, with targets set by E.J. Churchill's Jamie Peckham and Sean Bramley. "I'm really pleased with how I performed over the two days: 97/100 on the red course followed by a 95/100 on the blue," he commented. "Unfortunately this time the



Above: James Bradley-Day take aim in the Super Final while Mark Winser observes.
Below: The England Team's Georgia Moule and Emma Stacey watch other shooters.

Super Final didn't go my way. Things finished very close but again it ended with 1st in AAA. Congratulations to Mark Winser on a exceptional performance and a well deserved 2021 World ESP championship title!" He added: "It's been a big learning curve but sometimes it just comes down to experience and that's something I've gained this week."

Mark agreed that he had felt the pressure in the Super Final. "You always do. If you didn't feel pressure you wouldn't perform," he said. "Some people fold under it, I don't. I feel like it just pushes me that little bit more.

As Mark was presented with the trophy that had eluded him last time, the light was failing and rain teeming down – but that didn't dampen anyone's spirits. It was a fitting end to a terrific week of shooting, and everyone was thrilled to be back at a proper international championship after a year of cancellations and postponements due to the Covid pandemic of 2020. The pandemic is still far from over, of course, and as a consequence the usual contingent of Americans and other

shooters from around the world were missing from this year's Championship. "It's sad that the Americans aren't here," agreed Mark. "I've been chatting with some of them on the phone over the past week. We always like seeing them and it's good to do battle with them. We were fortunate in 2018 for those guys to come over and shoot alongside us. We'll just have to look forward to next year when hopefully we can join them over there, and I'm sure we will."

Despite international travel restrictions, the home countries were able to field the usual teams, and it was good to see the Wales, Scotland, Northern Ireland and England teams take part in the traditional parade through the vibrant trade village on the lawn beside the imposing E.J. Churchill clubhouse at the heart of the shooting ground. ▶

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– James Bradley-Day





The trade village and patio area buzzed throughout the seven days of the event, with food stalls, a huge TV screen showing the tennis action at Wimbledon, the splendid E.J. Churchill pavilion, and trade stands including the sponsors who made the Championships possible: Musto, SWATCOM, Rizzini, Gamebore, Eley, Teague Precision Chokes, Fine Shooting Accessories, and supported by Promatic.

Shooters booked in at the CPSA desk in the clubhouse, and were called by squad to catch the minibus service that ferried them to the start of each course. On completing their course, the same minibuses whisked

them back to the clubhouse, where they could relax, chat with friends and try the variety of tempting food on offer. The CPSA's new Shoot system was in operation, with scores going live on the CPSA website as they were entered at the clubhouse.

The organisation ran smoothly throughout the week, with squads starting their shooting on time or even a little ahead, and moving through the course with no delays. It was a tribute to everyone working behind the scenes, not least the E.J. Churchill team, the CPSA back-office staff, and the team from Promatic traps who provided technical support throughout to keep the clays flying.

"It's been a lot of hard graft," said E.J. Churchill managing

“...it's been tough, but even by our standards it's been an outstanding event”

Rob Fenwick, E.J. Churchill Managing Director

director Rob Fenwick. "There's been a lot of planning, a lot of changes due to Covid, people having to drop out because of isolating. So it's been tough, but even by our standards it's been an outstanding event. Everything has run to time, no breakdowns, no problems, Promatic and the whole grounds team have just excelled. We've had around 250 traps in use all week and we've not had one breakdown."

He added: "The atmosphere has been electric too. Even with the international shooters not able to come, everyone is delighted to be here and to be able to get out. It's been so appreciated by everybody, which makes all the hard work worthwhile. I'm just proud to have everyone here."

A big competition like this creates much more than one champion of course, and for those in the various categories the places and trophies are just as valued. George Digweed, for instance, was delighted to claim his 27th World Championship title, as Veterans World Champion. Steve Brightwell took the title in Super Veterans, Amy Easeman in Lady Juniors, Cheryl Hall in Ladies, Will Fenner in Juniors, Alasdair Turnbull in Colts, Mark Delf in Disabled Standing and Adrian Last Disabled Sitting – World Champions all!

England dominated the team events, taking the Senior, Ladies, Juniors, and Super-Veterans categories, only being beaten into second place by Wales in the Veterans category.

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Above: World Sportrap Championship.

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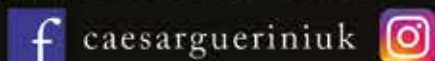
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came close, there will be treasured memories for every shooter from top to bottom of the scoresheet – more than 1,300 entries in the headline Sporting event alone, and more than 2,500 in all. After months of disruptions and disappointment as the world battled the pandemic, it was a joy simply to be back at the superb E.J. Churchill ground, breaking some clays and soaking up the atmosphere of a truly world-class event once again.

WORLD SPORTRAP CHAMPIONSHIPS

The World Sportrap Championships ran alongside the World English Sporting from Day 1 of the event,



Monday 5 July, finishing on the Saturday. Several shooters hit a phenomenal 97 ex-100, starting with Steve Clark on the first day. He was joined by James Bradley-Day and George Digweed on the second day, and the three leaders remained unchallenged until the penultimate day, the Friday, when Junior shooter Kallum Burrell swooped into the lead with 98. Kallum's score remained unbeaten to the end, winning him the title of World Sportrap Champion. However there were now no fewer than five shooters tied in second place: Steve Clark, James Bradley-Day, George Digweed, Chip Smith, and Sam Green – so a shoot-off was required to



sort out the remaining places. A crowd gathered to watch what proved to be a gripping shoot-off, culminating in Chip Smith taking second place and George Digweed third. Ladies was won by Cheryl Hall on 92 ex-100, with Georgia Moule taking second place over her England teammate Amy Easeman in a shoot-off. Chip Smith took Veterans, with George Digweed in second place. Winners collected cartridges along with their medals and

trophies, courtesy of the event's sponsor, Eley Hawk.

PRELIM SPORTING

David Marshall shot 98 ex-100 to win the Prelim English Sporting competition outright by a single target, ahead of James Attwood and Martin Elworthy. James took second place on countback, with Martin placed third.

The event was shot over the first five days of the week, and resulted in a remarkable nine shoot-offs called to separate the winners of classes and categories. Graham Stirzaker took both Veterans and AAA Class, Janine White Ladies, Josh Bennion Juniors, and Maximus Allen Colts.

FITASC SPORTING OPEN

Richard Faulds posted a late score of 93 ex-100 to win the 2021 Fitasc Sporting Open outright, overtaking the 90 ex-100 shot by Jack Lovick on the first day which had held the lead right up until the last. It was a turnaround of the 2018 result in the same event, when Jack won after Richard missed out on the shoot-off.

Becky McKenzie took the Ladies category with 80 ex-100, six targets ahead of her nearest competitor, Tracey Riddington. In other categories, Will Page won Juniors, Kevin Howland Veterans, and John Bidwell Super-Veterans.

Above left inset: Tony Axcell showing off one of his famous shirts. **Above:** Team Wales shooting. **Left:** Team Scotland taking a shot.



CPSA WORLD ENGLISH SPORTING 2021 INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

High Gun	Mark Winsor	190ex200 +20
2nd	Mark Webster	191ex200 +18
3rd	Martin Myers	191ex200 +17

AAA Class			AA Class		
1st	James Bradley-Day	188/200+15+13	1st	Nathan Skinner	188/200
2nd	Steve Brightwell	188/200+19+11	2nd	Andrew McKeown	184/200 By Default
3rd	John Lee	188/200	3rd	Billy Greenwood	184/200 By Countback

A Class			B Class		
1st	John Stanton	178/200 By Default	1st	Tom Hartland	171/200
2nd	Ben Cumming	178/200	2nd	Mark Lyes	167/200
3rd	Paul Brewster	177/200 By Default	3rd	Brian Hartland	166/200

C Class			Ladies		
1st	Alasdair Turnbull	158/200	1st	Cheryl Hall	174/200
2nd	Lucy Earl	157/200	2nd	Emma Stacey	172/200
3rd	William Evans	154/200	3rd	Janine White	171/200

Juniors			Lady Junior		
1st	Will Fenner	187/200	1st	Amy Easeman	160/200
2nd	Josh Bennion	184/200 By Default	2nd	Lucy Earl	157/200
3rd	Billy Greenwood	184/200	3rd	Chloe Applin	148/200

Veterans			Super Veterans		
1st	George Digweed	186/200	1st	Steve Brightwell	188/200
2nd	Stuart Clarke	184/200	2nd	John Stanton	178/200
3rd	Peter Cairney	183/200	3rd	Robert Palmer	176/200

Colts			Lady Colt		
1st	Alasdair Turnbull	158/200	1st	Lucy Christie	121/200
2nd	Oliver Keates	147/200+4	2nd	-	-
3rd	Charlie Faulds	147/200+2	3rd	-	-

Disabled Standing			Disabled Sitting		
1st	Mark Delf	166/200	1st	Adrian Last	140/200
2nd	Paul Sadler	161/200	2nd	-	-
3rd	Sam Nunn	140/200	3rd	-	-



Above: World Sportrap Champion Kallum Burrell being congratulated by Eley Hawk's Carl Weller. **Below:** World English Sporting Champion Mark Winsor, Runner-up Mark Webster, and Third Overall Martin Myers.



CPSA WORLD SPORTRAP 2021 INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

High Gun	Kallum Burrell	98/100
2nd	Chris Smith	97/100 +22
3rd	George Digweed	97/100 +21

AAA Class			AA Class		
1st	James Bradley-Day	97/100 By Default	1st	Steve Clark	97/100
2nd	Sam Green	97/100	2nd	Charles Milne	96/100
3rd	Nathan Skinner	96/100 By Default	3rd	Marc Watson	95/100

A Class			B Class		
1st	James Hardy	96/100	1st	Ben Cumming	94/100
2nd	Colin Waite	94/100 By Default	2nd	Alfie Tibbles	90/100 By Default
3rd	Keith Spear	94/100 By Countback	3rd	Lindsay Gordon	90/100

C Class			Ladies		
1st	Samual Scotchings	90/100	1st	Cheryl Hall	93/100
2nd	Robin Griffin	87/100	2nd	Georgia Moule	90/100
3rd	Ira Kirenska	86/100	3rd	Amy Easeman	90/100

Juniors			Lady Junior		
1st	Kallum Burrell	98/100	1st	Amy Easeman	90/100
2nd	Will Fenner	94/100+20	2nd	-	-
3rd	Ben Cumming	94/100+18	3rd	-	-

Veterans			Super Veterans		
1st	Chris Smith	97/100+22	1st	Charles Milne	96/100
2nd	George Digweed	97/100+21	2nd	Graham Stirzaker	94/100
3rd	David Kempley	96/100	3rd	John Bidwell	93/100

Colts			Lady Colt		
1st	Barney Eastman	85/100 By Default	1st	Lucy Christie	80/100
2nd	Oliver Keates	85/100	2nd	-	-
3rd	Alasdair Turbull	82/100	3rd	-	-

Disabled Standing			Disabled Sitting		
1st	Paul Sadler	83/100	1st	Adrian Last	65/100
2nd	Sam Nunn	80/100	2nd	Benjamin Woodham	45/100
3rd	Simon Tynan	68/100	3rd	-	-



Above: World English Sporting Ladies Champion Cheryl Hall, Runner-up Emma Stacey, and Third Overall Janine White.

WORLD ENGLISH SPORTING 2021 OVERALL TEAM WINNERS

Overall Team	Ladies Team	Veteran Team
1st England 3012ex3400	1st England 498ex600	1st Wales 524ex600
	2nd Wales 493ex600	2nd England 517ex600
	3rd Scotland 450ex600	3rd Scotland 515ex600
Open Team	Junior Team	Super Vets Team
1st England 916ex1000	1st England 552ex600	1st England 529ex600
2nd Wales 895ex1000	2nd Scotland 485ex600+8	2nd Wales 507ex600
3rd Scotland 880ex100	3rd Wales 485ex600+6	3rd Scotland 292ex600

ENGLISH OPEN UNIVERSAL TRENCH CHAMPIONSHIP

Ling shows his class again! **Terry Bobbett** reports back from the event at Brook Bank Shooting Ground on 4-5 July.

The English Open Universal Trench Championship, hosted by Brook Bank Shooting Ground in Somerset, took place on the weekend of 4-5 July. A total of 80 entrants competed, including a former European and World Champions and an Olympic medallist.

Practice took place on Friday and the weather was mixed, with the evening bringing tremendous

storms. Saturday morning opened with somewhat better conditions, initially rather cool and later rather muggy. The shooting started at 10am with the weather varied between sunshine, dull light, and towards the end of the afternoon's shooting, thunder and lightning, all making the targets extremely difficult to see out of the traps.

After the first day of 100 targets Ed Ling, Olympic

medallist from Rio 2016, was in the lead with a magnificent 100-straight. Andy Greenwood closely followed him on 98 with Kev Borley, Owen Clark, and Matt Panter in hot pursuit all on 96. In the categories Leah Southall led the Ladies with 89 followed by Emma Haines on 88. Juniors had Owen Clark on 96, three ahead of Jonti Spilman and Seniors was led by Ed and Andy on their 100 and 98 respectively.

In the Veterans category, David Lloyd and Matt Mills tied on 93 and in Super Vets Kev Borley, on 96, was one ahead of Dick Fletton.

Torrential rain descended again on Saturday night but largely dried up before shooting recommenced on Sunday morning. Ed continued his winning streak with four rounds of 24 to end as High Gun on 196. Andy also shot a 96 to finish Runner-up on 194, with Owen one adrift for 193 and third Overall. He was followed by Kevin and Dick

both shooting 191. Various shoot-offs were necessary to decide category and class positions.

The English Open is a CPSA event, although delegated to the BICTSF to run, so CPSA Director David Rollason attended, shot the event, and presented the trophies, medals,

and badges to the various winners.

Special mention goes to Ed Ling who, in

addition to taking the event High Gun, was

also presented by David with the Roger Peace

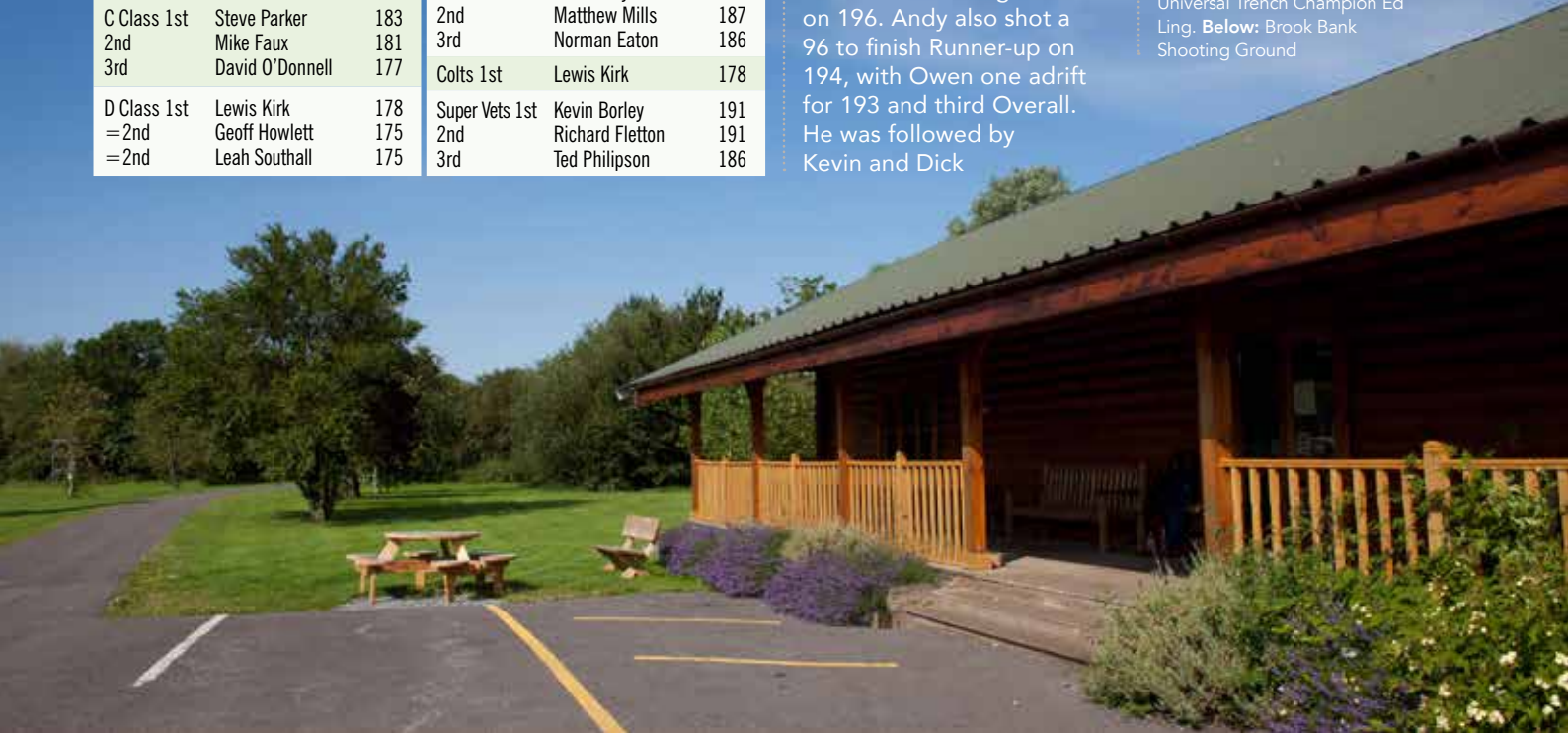
Memorial Trophy for the highest combined score of the British and English UT Championships 2021, having won the British at Fauxdegla last month. Thanks go to the Hann family – Wesley, Alison, Antonia, and Hector, for running a highly challenging but very enjoyable event.

Above inset: Overall English Open Universal Trench Champion Ed Ling. **Below:** Brook Bank Shooting Ground



ENGLISH OPEN UNIVERSAL TRENCH 2021 RESULTS

		Score			Score
High Gun	Ed Ling	196	Seniors 1st	Andy Greenwood	194
Runner-Up	Andy Greenwood	194	2nd	Matt Panter	190
Third Overall	Owen Clark	193	3rd	Duanne McCulloch	190
A Class 1st	Andy Greenwood	194	Ladies 1st	Leah Southall	175
2nd	Owen Clark	193	2nd	Emma Haines	173
3rd	Kevin Borley	191	3rd	Kath Bright	171
B Class 1st	Jonty Spilman	187	Juniors 1st	Owen Clark	193
2nd	Norman Eaton	186	2nd	Jonty Spilman	187
=3rd	Carl Burrow	186	3rd	Leah Southall	175
=3rd	Ted Philipson	186	Veterans 1st	David Lloyd	189
C Class 1st	Steve Parker	183	2nd	Matthew Mills	187
2nd	Mike Faux	181	3rd	Norman Eaton	186
3rd	David O'Donnell	177	Colts 1st	Lewis Kirk	178
D Class 1st	Lewis Kirk	178	Super Vets 1st	Kevin Borley	191
=2nd	Geoff Howlett	175	2nd	Richard Fletton	191
=2nd	Leah Southall	175	3rd	Ted Philipson	186





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ENGLISH OPEN SKEET DOUBLES CHAMPIONSHIP



Above: Ladies Champion Natalie Bales. Below: Overall High Gun Nigel Cullinane



Held at Eriswell Lodge on 4 July.

The English Open Skeet Doubles took place at Eriswell Lodge on Sunday 4 July – the second championship at the Suffolk ground this summer after the English Open Skeet in early June.

Yet again the competition delivered some fantastic shooting despite the changeable conditions. As a one-day CPSA Minor Championship the entry list was somewhat reduced when compared to the English Open English Skeet, however, with 20 squads it promised to go down to the wire.

The morning squads seemed to have the better weather conditions, and with 97s from Stuart Smith, Peter Stanton-Hope, and Peter Chester, it set the standard for the later squads to chase.

The Colts were again chasing Henry Lungley who shot an impressive 96, only dropping one on each range, whilst the Juniors were led by Sonny Bowman with an equally impressive 94. Peter Stanton-Hope also secured the Veterans title with his 97 by one target over Bernie Polley scoring a 96.

With just a few squads left to complete their rounds it was starting to look like the 97s would be enough to take the title after a shoot-off, but

Nigel Cullinane had other ideas and promptly posted a 98. Natalie and Henry Bales and Mark Davies were the last squad to complete their rounds, and were then the only ones that could threaten Nigel's efforts, but sadly all fell short of the fantastic 98, with Natalie posting another 97 to both win the Ladies category and add herself to the shoot-off for Overall Runner-up.

The shoot-off consisted of Stuart, Peter Stanton-Hope, Peter Chester, and Natalie, and was contested as sudden-death doubles from station four. Both Peters fell away after the first round, leaving Natalie and

Stuart fighting for overall Runner-up and Third Overall, plus AA High Gun. Both Stuart and Natalie dropped a target on the fourth round of pairs, Stuart dropped one target on round eight whilst Natalie dropped two, leaving Stuart as Overall Runner-up and AA Class first, and Natalie as Third Overall.

It has been a fantastic few weeks for Skeet shooting at Eriswell Lodge, with a lot of exceptionally high scores in all classes and categories. Many thanks to the Eriswell Lodge team and the referees for hosting and running the event and to everybody else for taking part in some great competitions. 🍌

It has been a fantastic few weeks for Skeet shooting at Eriswell Lodge

ENGLISH OPEN SKEET DOUBLES 2021 RESULTS

		Score			Score
High Gun	Nigel Cullinane	98	Juniors 1st	Sonny Bowman	94
Runner-Up	Stuart Smith	97	2nd	Alexander Banning	92
Third Overall	Natalie Bales	97	3rd	Mackenzie Kempton	91
AA Class 1st	Natalie Bales	97	Veterans 1st	Peter Stanton-Hope	97
A Class 1st	Lee Coe	95	2nd	Bernie Polley	96
1st	Paul Stokes	95	3rd	Martin Brister	95
B Class 1st	Mark Goddard	93	Colts 1st	Henry Lungley	96
C Class 1st	Henry Lungley	96	2nd	George Billington	72
Ladies 1st	Natalie Bales	97	Parent & Child 1st	D&G Billington	167
2nd	Becky Kibble	89			
3rd	Tracy Lowrie	88			

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Once again, Freddy Killander, 14th in the World Rankings, put in a good performance posting 122ex125 to finish seventh from 73 starters. Frustratingly, 123 made the final, so he was just one target off an opportunity to attend the finals.

The Trap Women team consisted of Kirsty Hegarty (World Ranked 16), Charlotte Hollands, and Sarah Wixey. Lucy Hall (WR 20), and Ellie Seward shooting Ranking Points Only (RPO).

For information, the RPO athletes are not eligible to participate in the finals but were involved in the post qualifying rounds shoot-off

to establish World Ranking Points.

The good news is, two of our athletes made the finals in the Trap Women's event, Sarah Wixey and Kirsty Hegarty. Sadly, Sarah, ranked four at the 'rule out' stage,

was on level terms with Jana Spotakova (SVK) who was ranked three, so she just missed out on bronze.

However, what a triumph for the Trap Women's team comprising of Sarah, Kirsty and Charlotte

Hollands – they finished top of the field after the qualifying rounds, putting them in the Gold Medal Match against Russia, and the GBR team won out two points ahead of their rival – nicely done!

Another impressive performance from 17-year-old Lucy Hall in the Trap Women. Lucy was shooting for RPO: at the end of the qualifying rounds, her score put her equal fourth with four other competitors so she was included in the shoot-off for the final's ranking positions, and shot the top shoot-off score. This young lady has certainly shown encouraging improvement this year. The Trap Men team consisted of Matt Coward-Holley (WR 18), Nathan Hales, and Aaron Heading. Steve Scott and Rod Gould shot RPO.

Nathan Hales and Steve Scott were also very much in touch on 74ex75 for equal second place, but the odd target dropped on day two put them just out of the running. However, the team made the bronze medal match, losing out to Croatia who put in a strong performance. 🍷

Below: Trap Women Team: Kirsty Hegarty, Sarah Wixey, Charlotte Hollands.

OLYMPIC TEAM SELECTION

For those debating who should or should not have been given a team place: the selection is a rigorous process, based on the results of a series of events, analysing those results, consistency of performance and availability. For the set criteria of selection, see the British Shooting website.

Finally, the Olympic Games are imminent and will be covered in the next article.

Wishing all our team members success in Tokyo:

- **Trap:** Kirsty Hegarty, Matt Coward-Holley and Aaron Heading.
- **Skeet:** Amber Hill
- **3x40 Rifle and 10m Rifle:** Seonaid McIntosh.

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BRITISH OPEN ENGLISH SPORTING PREVIEW

The CPSA British Open English Sporting and Sportrap is returning to the North of England from 1-5 September, at a new venue: E.J. Churchill at the Swinton Estate.

The newest E.J. Churchill ground is set in the picturesque Yorkshire Dales, an area worth visiting even if there wasn't a world-class shooting event taking place. Situated on the site of the previous Warren Gill Shooting Ground, it has recently undergone a huge investment program from E.J. Churchill, with developments to the clubhouse, shooting grounds, and facilities. Jamie Peckham from E.J. Churchill and Tom Jones from West Midlands Shooting Ground will be setting the targets at the ground, and with the Dales' terrain featuring on the course it is sure to be a unique experience in the recent history of the British Open English Sporting.

The English Sporting course will consist of 120 targets and will be shot from Wednesday to Saturday, with the top five shooters from each class (AAA, AA, A, B, and C) and the top three from each category (Ladies, Veterans, Juniors, and Colts) from each day

being invited to compete in the final on Sunday. The scores will be reset to zero for the Final, and a new 75-target course will be shot.

The top six shooters from the Final will then be invited to a six-person Super Final to compete for Overall Champion.

James Atwood is the defending Sportrap champion, taking the title at Garlands after a shoot-off with Richard Faulds MBE and John Lee

Last year's British Open at Garlands Shooting Ground (hosted by The Clay Shooting Company) saw David Ferriman from Sporting Targets take the title, following a rainy Super Final shoot-off (pictured) where he beat renowned shooter George Digweed MBE

by one clay. David nearly didn't shoot the championship last year, but was encouraged to come along by his boss, Andrew Clifton of Sporting Targets shooting ground. David's not planning to miss it this year, and is already

booked to shoot on the Friday.

Musto, Rizzini, SWATCOM, Gamebore, Teague Precision Chokes, and Fine Shooting Accessories will be sponsoring the event, which is also supported by Promatic

Rizzini will be awarding BR110 shotguns for the winners of the Colts, Juniors, Ladies, and Veterans categories (in gauge of choice), as well as contributing to the prize fund.

SWATCOM is providing Active8 headsets to the winners of Colts, Juniors, Ladies, Veterans, and Seniors. Gamebore is providing 10,000 cartridges to be divided amongst winners, along with contributing to the prize pool. Teague Precision Chokes will also be giving away choke sets daily in a prize draw.

Fine Shooting Accessories is providing range bags for the top two in each class, and vouchers for third in each class. Ash Shaw, Director of Fine Shooting Accessories, tells us: "Fine Shooting Accessories are delighted to be sponsoring this fantastic event. From the complete novice to elite shots, clay shooting is enjoyed by a sprawling demographic that for social or competitive reasons gather with friends and/or competitors to enjoy a sport together, as such we are delighted to be associated with it."

The CPSA British Open Sportrap Championship runs concurrently from Wednesday to Saturday, with 100 targets being shot over four 25-target layouts. James Atwood is the defending Sportrap champion, taking the title at Garlands after a shoot-off with Richard Faulds MBE and John Lee (second and third respectively).

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ON THE MARCH

In this series **Rhys Plum** speaks to some of Britain's finest Junior shooters to find out what it is like being a high performing young shot. In this second instalment, we hear from two top Sporting shots, **Darcy McBride** and **Dan King**.

After winning Colts at the CPSA English Open English Sporting in 2019, Dan has gone from strength to strength, and with his new Rizzini in hand, he believes he can go all the way. Having started shooting at 11 years old, he soon found his way in the sport under the careful guidance of Kevin Howland and the support of his family and sponsors.

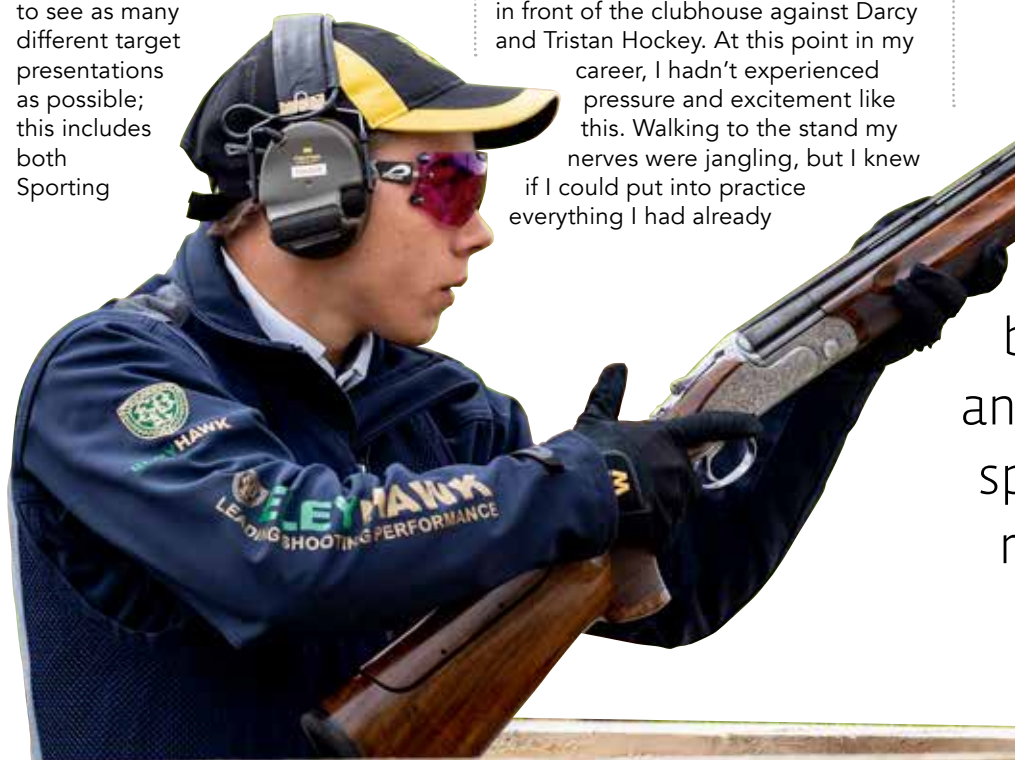
"I shot my first round of clays at Greenfields in Kent, where I also met my mentor, Kevin, who I have been shooting with ever since. In the beginning, I would try to get out as much as possible to learn my craft, shooting about 300 clays in a weekend – split between practice and competition. I now shoot about 100 Registered targets a week to build up my experience in competition and to see as many different target presentations as possible; this includes both Sporting

and Sportrap disciplines. You have to be mentally strong and dedicated to the sport in order to see real improvements in your scores."

Clearly that hard work and dedication does pay off, as that 2019 English Open English Sporting Colts victory demonstrated. "After a tricky shoot around West Midlands Shooting Ground, there were three Colts all tied on 96/120. This led to a gruelling three-way shoot-off in front of the clubhouse against Darcy and Tristan Hockey. At this point in my career, I hadn't experienced pressure and excitement like this. Walking to the stand my nerves were jangling, but I knew if I could put into practice everything I had already

done to get here, I would be happy.

As I was first to shoot I was shown the two targets – a rising teal at 40 yards and on-report a looping battue from the right. After breaking my gun after the last pair, I was happy to walk out of the stand with 5/10, which wasn't matched. Winning an event like the English was a brilliant experience and has spurred me on to aim higher, as I one day hope to shoot for my country." ▶



You have to be mentally strong and dedicated to the sport in order to see real improvements in your scores.

DARCY MCBRIDE

Hailing from Hertfordshire, Darcy explained how he came into the sport: "I first started shotgun shooting at the age of 12 with my coach, Phillip Thorrold. I come from a family of passionate shooters and before picking up a shotgun I would shoot air rifles around the garden and go 'plinking' in the nearby farmyards. There's no doubt I inherited my father's love of the outdoors and competitive nature, and we regularly compete with each other, whether that be in the pigeon hide or in a game of snooker.

"I've shot with Phillip ever since I began and have always appreciated his dedication to the sport and his students.

The first few competitions I shot were in The Schools Challenge (TSC) at the Oxford Gun Company in 2017. Having completed a year of these competitions, I realised shooting was something I wanted to get good at. Back then, my training routine was much more relaxed and would often be focused on game, but after a taste of success

at the TSC, my desire to train and improve grew. And so, with the goal to get to the top of the game, and eventually win a World Championship, my training routine has evolved. I now shoot about 500 cartridges with Phillip each month, as well as at least 100 Registered targets a week. My volume of shooting increases during the holidays, as throughout the rest of the year I have to balance schoolwork, Saturday school and shooting, which can sometimes be tricky.

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On that note, I am incredibly grateful to my mum for always supporting me, driving me around the country, and to my father for everything he has done for me. It can be a frustrating sport. With competition amongst young shots rising across the country, efforts can sometimes seem unrewarded, as it takes a lot to get a little back in this sport. I would argue that about 70 percent of shooting is all to do with the mental game, as once you've learnt how to hit every target, your success is then a result of your ability to be consistent and to focus your mind to hit every single target and not miss the silly ones. Becoming a good shooter not only takes a lot of training, but also a good mental attitude, as it's not an easy journey. Nonetheless, I was over the moon when all of my hard work and dedication paid off last year and I won Juniors at the British Open.

I am also proud to say I am a member of the first CPSA Colts Development Initiative and as part of that I am fortunate enough to get to shoot with a number of top-class coaches and enjoy support from the CPSA, Musto, Rizzini, Solware,



as well as several premier shooting grounds. Most recently I shot with a few of the other members of the programme at High Lodge Shooting Ground, with shooting legend John Bidwell providing a day's coaching. I learnt a lot from this day and look forward to future coaching days.

"I place total faith in all of my gear and having picked up a sponsorship from Lyalvale Express earlier this year, I am proud to represent them and shoot their Super Comp in a 28g 7 1/2. They immediately stood out to me, not only because they are a good-looking shell, but because they also pack a hell of a punch and produce the best breaks I could find. And who doesn't like turning clays into balls of soot? I recently changed the model of gun I shoot and am now competing with a Beretta 690 Sporting with 30" barrels and a perfectly fitting stock thanks to the hard work of Charlie, the gunsmith at my local ground, Atkin Grant and Lang. Along with my gun and cartridges, I carry around a few snacks – protein bars are a favourite of mine – and a drink to keep me hydrated throughout the round. Hydration is something that I think can be neglected at times but is essential, especially when shooting in the summer heat."



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YOUNG SHOTS

By Archy Stannard

HOW I GOT STARTED IN SHOOTING

I've always shot since I was a little kid. I started with a .410 shooting cardboard boxes in my grandad's garden. I really enjoyed it, so about five years ago he decided to take me clay shooting at my local ground, Eriswell Lodge. We would go up there more and more and I fell in love with the sport.

When I started, I used to shoot all disciplines – ranging from Skeet to FITASC, but about three years ago we decided I should focus on English skeet as my scores were strong and gradually climbing. This is when I stopped all other disciplines and really started to take shooting seriously.



FAVOURITE SHOOTING MOMENT

This is a tough one! My most memorable moment shooting would have to be in 2019 when I travelled to Ireland to shoot for England. It was the first time I tried to qualify and was not expecting to get in. I shot 198/200 and a 195/200 which left me second Overall in Juniors. Putting that red jacket on really gives you a sense of pride that I had never felt before.



MY SUPPORT TEAM

I am lucky to have the support of my family, and to have a great British FITASC Team Captain as my coach and my grandad all in one! If that isn't luck then I don't know what is! Without these people in my life I wouldn't be where I am today. They come and support me at every single shoot I do, weather it's in this country or not. These people know who they are so thank you from the bottom of my heart!

ARCHY'S TOP TIPS

TIP 1 The most important thing to me is **attitude**. If your attitude is bad it not only affects your shooting but also your presentation to others, like throwing cartridges, swearing, and I've even witnessed someone throw their gun!

TIP 2 It can take a long time to reach the top, so if you want to get far you must be **committed** and dedicate the spare time you have to practicing and competing.

TIP 3 **Go compete**. Competing is so different to practice as you learn to deal with the nerves and shooting with a range of different people.

TIP 4 **Get a coach** to help improve your technique and know where you are going wrong, therefore enhancing your performance and becoming a better shooter.

TIP 5 At first, trying to get **sponsors** can be hard, but as you start winning, people start to recognise you and want to support your progress. Sponsors not only help with the financial side of the sport but also give you a team of people that will support you all the way.

SHOOTING 100-STRAIGHT AT THE 2020 BRITISH OPEN SKEET AND COMING THIRD OVERALL



When I went to the British Open in 2020 I was hoping to win, but what happened was just amazing. I started on 25/25 so I knew it was going to be a good day. The feeling I had when I hit that option on my last round for 100-straight was indescribable. Although it was my 12th 100-straight I was just as nervous as if it was my first. I knew on the way there I had to perform at my best as the standard of Juniors now is just as high as the Seniors. Then I had to shoot-off with Natalie Bales, and World FITASC Champion Sam Green. Although I missed my first target I still put up a fight and finished on a 24/25, leaving me in third place. This was probably the most nervous I have ever been with my shooting.

SPONSORSHIPS & SUPPORT

At the moment I don't have any sponsors but I am always open to discussing sponsorship as every little helps! It goes without saying that I wouldn't be where I am today without the support from my grandad and nan, John and Rose Dyson, and of course my mum and dad.



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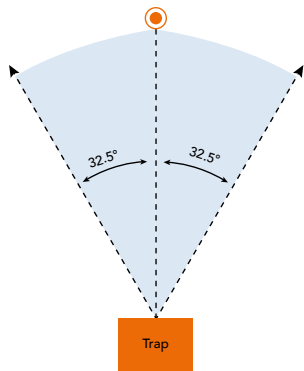
HOW TO HIT



CPSA Level 3 Senior Coach **Simon Arbuckle** talks us through the differences between Down The Line and Automatic Ball Trap.

AUTOMATIC BALL TRAP (ABT) LAYOUT

Targets are thrown within 30° (+/- 2.5°) of the centre line, and also vary in height, from 1.5 to 3.5 metres above the level of the trap house roof at ten metres forward of the trap.



Hello and welcome to the third article in our fifth CPSA How to Hit series, sponsored by Browning, and with video episodes filmed at the National Clay Shooting Centre at Bisley. In this article, we're going to be looking at Automatic Ball Trap, or ABT as it is commonly known. This is a progression from Down-the-Line that we covered in the last two articles and episodes. We'll look at the differences between DTL and ABT here, and in the next article we'll cover how to shoot ABT targets. In future articles we'll progress on to Olympic Trap (OT).

The first difference you might notice when comparing an ABT layout to a DTL Layout is that the ABT shooting positions, or pegs, are in a straight line, as compared to the curved peg layout in DTL. The shooting positions in ABT

are 3-3.3 metres apart, and each is one metre square.

Another difference between DTL and ABT is the squad size. ABT can have a maximum squad of six, whilst DTL has only five. The first five shooters will start out on the five pegs, whilst the sixth shooter starts

out stood behind the shooter on peg one.

The ABT sequence of shooting is also different. As opposed to the DTL format, where each person shoots five shots from their peg before all moving at once, in ABT the shooter moves

immediately to the right after each shot, or around to the start if they are at peg five.

This continues until each shooter has had 25 shots total, five from each peg. With the moving, you can't move until the shooter next to you has taken their shot. The idea is that you shoot, unload, then wait for the person next to you to



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DIFFERENCES BETWEEN DOWN THE LINE & AUTOMATIC BALL TRAP

“ Once the shooter to your left has taken the shot, you have ten seconds to load, mount, and take the shot. ”

take their shot. You then move off the shooting position to a point halfway between positions. This allows the person to your left to take the position you have just vacated. You then wait for the person to your right to do the same, and you then take that position, load, and wait for your turn to shoot.

Once the shooter to your left has taken the shot, you have ten seconds to load, mount, and take the shot. If the squad is incomplete, or if it is a shoot-off situation, then you have 15 seconds. It is very important that you don't disturb the shooter next to you, only move after they have shot. Be sure that they have taken their shot, or shots, before moving to that position halfway between pegs.

As with DTL, the maximum cartridge load is 28 grams, and you get two shots per target. However, a difference from DTL is that in ABT you get one point no matter whether it is a first or second barrel hit. Like DTL, competitions

normally consist of 100 or 200 targets, shot in rounds of 25.

Usually there will be two assistant referees in addition to the main referee. One of them is there to raise a hand or flag if they see a target lost, to back up the decision of the main ref. The other assistant ref will run the abacus

that gives a visual representation of the scores. Some grounds, such as the National Clay Shooting Centre, have an electronic scoreboard. Others use an abacus, where a metal plate is turned for each shot to indicate a hit or a loss. The referees are normally selected from the squad that has just shot. They will stay behind and referee the following squad.

Another major DTL/ABT difference is the target trajectory. The ABT trap is set in the ground, instead of in a trap house above ground like DTL. The clay is thrown to 70 metres, inside an angle of 30 degrees either side of the centre line, and at a height of 1.5 to 3.5 metres above the trap house roof. The trap is moving completely randomly up and down, as well as side to side within these parameters, meaning the target is unpredictable in both height and angle. This contrasts with DTL where the height doesn't vary.

Watch the accompanying video at cpsa.co.uk/hth5 see the trap in action.

ABT traps are often located in the very centre of the same trench used for Olympic Trap and Universal Trench. As you can see in the photo to the below I have placed a clay on the trench where the ABT trap is located. This is also my hold point when I shoot the targets from each position.

That's a brief introduction to the rules of ABT, in the next article and episode, I'll go over how to shoot the targets. 🍷

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29-30 May: Second North Region English Sporting Selection Shoot

Bywell Shooting Ground held the shoot. It was well supported and Bywell once again put on a nice selection of targets. The North Region High Gun, which the points will be calculated from, was P Rowbottom and P Foster, both scoring a solid 93, just one target behind Overall High Gun. Congratulations to all other winners and thank you to all involved with this shoot. **David Long**

5-6 Jun: English Sporting Selection Shoot Andy and his team at Oak Lodge Shooting Ground put on a steady mix of targets over the 12 stands. North Region High Gun was G Walker and M Webster, both scoring 93ex100. Thank you goes to Andy and Kelly and their team at Oak Lodge for holding this shoot. **David Long**



S Norris, Cumbria Sportrap Champ on right and Vets Champ K Mattinson.



Emma Holden & Paul Tuner DM Overall Winner & Ladies Winner.

6 Jun: Penrith

The last NOE selection shoot took place with a total of 58 shooters. Paul Chaplow shot his 167th 100/300. What an outstanding achievement by him. Junior Cory Doble shot 99/294 and Ellie Whitehead, who is currently a Colt, shot 98/291 and was the leading Lady at this shoot with this fantastic score. The highest Veteran was George Brown with a score of 100/298.

The team places were well fought for and the top ten Seniors, three Ladies, three Juniors, and three Veterans were finalised. The final team is as follows:

Senior Team N Chapman, M Jeminson, P Turner, JR Singleton, P Chaplow, I Douglas, S Petch, T Robinson, G Nutter, C Jones. Ladies Team E Holden, C Kitchen, C Whitehead. Veterans Team A Henry, P Frankland, D Garrett.

Junior Team C Doble, E Whitehead, W Taylor.

Annual John Twigg Memorial Shoot

It is with great pleasure that we would like to announce an annual memorial shoot to the 'mighty' John Twigg. John was a formidable shooter and acknowledged by all as a complete gentleman. This year's 100 DTL shoot will take place at the North of England Clay Target Centre on 11 September, followed by the War Of the Rose shoot the next day. There will be a guaranteed £100 High Gun prize on both days, and £100 High Gun for the two days combined. Both shoots are limited to 120 entries and entries are open now. Please ring Phil Thompson on 01904 738120 to book on. Many thanks to Steve Dowle, Ian Ainsley, Paul and Micheal Turner for their help. **John Titterington**

12-13 Jun: Dougall Memorial and English Open

The weather at Bywell was sunny and windy, which made the targets dip a little from time to time – you definitely needed lady luck on your side with a few of the targets. In the Dougall Memorial shoot we had some North region winners. Paul Tuner was the Overall winner with a fantastic score of 100/300. Emma Holden won the Ladies trophy, Charlotte Kitchen came second, and Leanne Powell came third. Geoff Nutter won Disabled Standing.

In the English Open, Cory Doble won A class with a score of 100/298. Emma Holden was the Ladies Winner, and Charlotte Kitchen came in second. Cory Doble came first in the Juniors and William Taylor came third in the Colts.

In the region Inter-County teams the North won Ladies, Juniors and Seniors categories. Well shot to all the team and especially to the shooter who won. Charlotte and I would like to thank all the North region shooters for their continuous support, we look forward to seeing all your faces next year.

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England call up for Cheshire Shooter

Congratulations to Fred Whitehurst on his England call up. Fred has been picked for the England Team to shoot the CPSA World English Sporting Championship at E.J. Churchill on 6-11 July.

30 May: West Midlands Area ESK Individual Championship, Doveridge

There was one 100-straight from Kian Maher (Staff) who was High Gun, gold medal, and West Midlands Champion. Many Cheshire shooters did very well. Jack Hope, Jim Wagstaff, and Kevin O'Reilly on 96 were in a six-way tie and all received a bronze medal. Kevin O'Reilly also won Veteran gold, and Jack Hope Veteran silver after a shoot-off. Cheshire Ladies swept the board with Isabel Cartlidge winning gold after a shoot-off, with Hazel Denney winning Silver both on 90, and Lucy Earl winning bronze. Isabel Cartlidge also won Junior's silver, and Lucy Earl Juniors bronze. Congratulations to you all. This was also our first Cheshire ESK Team selection shoot.

12 June: North Wales Shooting School 2nd ESK Team Selection Shoot

Kevin O'Reilly shot a magnificent 97 for High Gun and first in A class. A close second with 95 was Ian Cunliffe, and third Colin Babcock. Junior High Gun was James Barnett on 94, Ladies High Gun and first in B Class was Hazel Denney

also on 94. Our next selection shoots are at Fauxdegla SG on 26-27 June and 11 July.

11-13 Jun: DTL Weekend, Bywell

This weekend was made up of three separate events, with around 300 competitors each day. Eley sponsor the first day, and provide 4000 cartridges each day in prizes. Tom Robinson took Overall High Gun on 99/297. The highest scoring Cheshire shooters were Pete Relph and David Hurstfield, both on 97/285 and the highest placed Cheshire shooter was Toby Hurstfield, second in Colts with 93/268.

The Dougall Memorial saw a breezy start with glorious sunshine greeting the competitors. Paul Turner (Lancs) took High Gun with 100/300. The highest scoring Cheshire shooter was L Fuber on 99/291 and the highest placed Cheshire shooter was Toby Hurstfield who came first in Colts with 96/281.

On Sunday, the English Open DTL Championship housed over 35 prizes and 20 trophies. Overall High Gun was Daniel Hudson (Devon) with the only 100/300 of the day. The highest scoring Cheshire shooter was Paul Sant with 98/289, and the highest placed Cheshire shooter was Toby Hurstfield, first in Colts with 96/280.

5-6 Jun: Olympic Trap UK Championships, Fauxdegla

Congratulations to Cheshire shooter Paul Culverwell for winning Veterans Gold and first in C class. Also competing in this event were David O'Donnell and Mike Faux.

27 Jun: England call up for Cheshire DTL shooters

Ten of Cheshire's DTL shooters attended a selection shoot at Brook Bank in Somerset.



Toby Juniors Captain.



Peter Relph.



Paul Sant.



Chris Bushell.

Our successful shooters were Veteran Paul Sant, Seniors Peter Relph and Chris Bushell, Junior Toby Hurstfield. Congratulations to all the Cheshire shooters involved, and we look forward to seeing you all trying again next year!

31 Jul: Douglas Macmillan Charity Day, Mickley Hall Shooting School

This will run from 10am to 5pm. There is no competition, like our normal charity days we will just be open for practice, but for every person who shoots on the day, Mickley Hall will donate £1 per person to the Macmillan Cancer charity. We will also have a raffle at £1 a strip and onsite catering will be available all day. If anyone has any items that they would like to donate for the raffle, please bring them along.

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Down the Line

Congratulations to Pip Driver on making the Ladies England DTL team and to David Weston on making the Senior team for the Home International at Fauxdegla.

Well done to Clive and David Weston on winning the Parent and Child Trophy at the Garth Womble Memorial shoot held at Nottingham & District Gun Club, with a combined score of 197/581. Troy Hunt won the Juniors on 96/284 at the same event, and David and Clive also went on to win the Womble family Pairs Trophy at the English Open DTL Championship held at Bywell Shooting Ground.

County Championship

The County Championship was held at Nottingham & District Gun Club on 20 June. With some very high scores Dave Hinchliffe emerged victorious to win Overall on 100/298.

Top Senior scorer was David Weston on 100/297, followed by Will Gent on 100/296 and Tom Waring on 99/289. Veterans Champion was Geoff Smith on 98/289, followed by Clive Weston on 96/279. Junior Champion was Troy Hunt on 88/255 and Ladies Champion was Pip Driver on 94/277, followed by Juddie Hanson on 88/255 and Chris Thacker on 86/250.

Skeet

Well done to England Skeet Team Manager Julie Havill on finishing Runner-up in the Ladies Class on 98/100 at the English Open Skeet Championship, held at Eriswell Lodge on 4-6 June.

County Championship

The Skeet County Championship was held at Nottingham & District Gun Club on 13 June. In warm, sunny conditions Steve Pinch and Alan Barnes both shot 98/100, which required a shoot off which Steve won 24/25 to Alan's 23.

Kieron Lomax on 95/100 and Geoff Flint on 94/100 where the next highest in the Seniors. Veterans Champion was Chris Havill on 97/100, followed by Paul Hallam on 93/100 and Paul Bingley on 92/100. Retaining the Ladies County Champion Trophy was Julie Havill on 95/100.

Sporting

The second Sporting Team selection was held at Old Glossop Shooting Ground on 6 June. Shot over 13 testing stands in warm sunny conditions, Mark Fisher and Dave Dumelow were the top scoring Seniors on 86/100, followed by James Roe on 83/100, Christopher Hunt on 82/100, and Simon Roe 81/100.

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Notes from the Chair

Congratulations to Matthew Panter for his number one ranking for UTR 2021.

Well done to the Gloucestershire Inter County ABT team – Gareth Marfell, Matt Panter, Paul Lilly, Alex Porter, Haydn Coley, and Chris Holmes. The team brought home the bronze medal from the event held at Rugby on 20/06/21. Paul Lilly finished with a silver medal in the Area Championship – congratulations Paul!

Following the government’s push back of ending restrictions, we will look to plan a date for the AGM once we have the latest update in July.

In county Sporting events

Ian Coley’s 120 target anniversary shoot, held from 2-5 June saw a healthy 68 entries from the county over the three mid-week days. Our high scores in each class were AA Chris Biddlecome 107, A Class Steve Davies 101, B Class and first in class John Pitts 100 with Dave Smith 99 close behind in third, and in C Class Ben Wilsden 93 for third place. At Westfields on 6 June, tied in first for AA Class were Chris Biddlecombe and Rob Wise with 97, in A Class Harry Lovatt 97, and in B Class

Phillip Richings 85. At Longridge on 20 June, running away as High Gun Richard Webb 96, winning in A Class was Steve Davies 92, closely followed by the ever youthful Mark Thomas 91. In Class second place was Michael Hart 67. Back to Westfield on 27 June and three of our finest Adrian Johnson, Clynt Warren and Nicholas Portlock shared second in AA Class, having all shot 91. In A Class, third place was Sean Foley on 84, B Class was a win for Mark Buckley on 86, and in C Class Ernie Hemmings shot 80.

Out of county, and you fellows do travel lots, at Oxford on 11 June once again, Mark Buckley 88 and Nick Burns 87 ran away with it in B Class. At Gunsite on 13 June in B Class, Harry Pitts 86 claimed third. Meadowcroft on 20 June saw Sean Foley take a bow with a personal best to finish second in A Class having shot a 96.

Do keep your eyes open for Matt Turk, it’s the time of year again where Matt will be selecting our Sporting teams for the upcoming Inter-Counties events, that’s six Seniors, three Ladies, three Juniors, and three Veterans he will be looking out for so do all please give him plenty of you to seriously consider.

County Championships

7-8 Aug FITSAC, Westfield
30 Aug Sportrap, Barbury
19 Sep Skeet Doubles, Gloucester CSG



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6 Jun: Universal Trench, Rugby & DTC

There was some very good shooting with Stuart Palmer carding a very creditable 96 to take the title. He was closely followed by Richard Grainger on 91. The Ladies title was also a closely run contest throughout, with Emily Grainger taking the title with 81 and Fiona Caren Runner-up with 75.

The Veteran title was also a very close run contest with Paul Colley and Nick Stokes both finishing with 88 and taking the joint title.

The County Champion Stuart Palmer on 96, Runner-up was Richard Grainger on 91, Joint Veteran Champions were Nick Stokes and Paul Colley on 88, Ladies Champion was Emily Grainger with 81, and Ladies Runner-up Fiona Caren with 75.

6 Jun: English Sporting, Westfields

The County Champion was Julian Morris with 95, Runners-up Brandon Smith and Phil Smith on 92, Veteran Champion Andy Griffin on 84, Ladies Champion Jane Taylor on 78, and finally the Junior Champion was Tom Harris with a score of 91.

20 Jun: ABT, Rugby & DTC

In the Inter-Counties team event, we came second to Staffordshire by a small margin, so very well done to all the team members, especially Richard Grainger in his first ABT Team event.

Stuart Palmer had the highest score on 94, Richard Grainger 93, which was a new personal best, Richard Allen shot 92, Nick Stokes 87, Phil Sanders 86, and Jo Ann Allen 81.

It was great to see Emily Grainger win the Area Ladies gold medal with a brilliant score of 88 (personal best) and Jo Ann Allen winning the Bronze medal ▶



West Midlands Region ABT bronze winning team.

Top scorer in the Veterans was Chris Ford on 81/100, followed by Alan Bates on 80/100, Stephen Edwards 79/100, Adrian Hope 77/100, and Geoff Farmer on 76/100. Rhiannon Pope was top of the Ladies on 62/100.

Automatic Ball Trap

Well done to Paul Insley who shot 93/100 to win the Veterans gold medal at the West Midlands Area ABT Championship held at Rugby & District Gun Club on 20 June, also to Janice Barnett who won the Ladies Silver medal on 82/100.

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Chris Havill Veterans Skeet County Champion with CPSA Director Carl Smith.



Julie Havill Ladies Skeet County Champion with CPSA Director Carl Smith.



Steve Finch - Skeet County Champion.



Down the Line County Champions: L-r - Dave Hinchliffe, Pip Driver and Troy Hunt.

Forthcoming dates

1 Aug WM IC DTL, Nottingham & DTC
8 Aug Sporting Team Selection, Kingsley Moor
22 Aug WM Area IC OT, Fauxdegla SG
22 Aug DR County Champs, East Yorkshire

on 81. Stuart Palmer won a Silver medal in the Area event and some cash as well.

Pat Smith's Retirement

Pat will be retiring from the role of Secretary for Hereford & Worcester CPSA. We would have loved her to stay on for years to come but I am sure she will not disappear from our shooting lives.

Pat has been a vital part of our CPSA committee for over 20 years and has been devoted to her task of Secretary and Skeet Manager, supporting everything that H&W CPSA have done over the massive amount of time she has been on our committee. Pat has sorted out all the award badges, calendar events, committee minutes, and even sent Team Managers the rankings of their shooters to help them with Team memberships so I think it is fair to say that Pat will be missed from the local CPSA but I am also sure she will keep up her shooting well into her next decade. Pat received retirement gifts from CPSA HQ, a memorial rose bowl for her 20 years' service as Secretary, members contributions paid for a lovely standard rose plus 500 clays at Park Farm, and the Gamebore squad gave her 500 cartridges to smash those 500 clays with!

Forthcoming dates

- 11 Jul Sportrap, Barbury
- 25 Jul DTL, Holmes Chapel
- 7-8 Aug FITASC, Westfields
- 22 Aug Helice, Rugby & District TC
- 22 Aug Olympic Trap, Fauxdegla
- 5 Sep Single Barrel, Fauxdegla
- 19 Sep Skeet Doubles, Gloucester
- 19 Sep ABT, Rugby & District TC

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6 Jun: Double Rise County Championship, Ranton CTC

Congratulations to High Gun Tom Waring (Derbyshire) with 73ex100. Senior Champion was Dave Malpass with 72. Ladies and Junior County Champion was Leah Southall 58, and Vets Champion was Benjamin Goldstraw 59.

8 Jun: Josh makes England team

Josh Bennion will be part of the CPSA World English Sporting Championships squad. The Championships will take place at E.J. Churchill Shooting Ground from 6-11 July 2021.

13 Jun: ESK County Championship, Doveridge CSC

Martin Walmsley is the 2021 Staffordshire English Skeet Champion. Martin and Steve Ward both put in great scores of

97ex100 with Martin taking the trophy after a shoot-off. Congratulations also to Ladies Champion Sue Cooke, and Junior Champion Kian Maher.

Big thank you to Doveridge for hosting the event and to the referees who endured a blisteringly hot day.

13 Jun: UT British Grand Prix, Fauxdegla

Great weekend for Leah Southall whose total of 158/200 placed her joint third in Ladies. In a three-way shoot-off, Leah took bronze with an impressive 23 in what was her first UT shoot-off.

13 Jun: OSK, NCSC

The first England selection shoot of 2021 saw Lara Dale not only come away with Ladies High Gun, but also shot the qualification score for England Selection.

20 Jun: WM Area and Inter-County Championship, Rugby & District GC

Adam Gutteridge took Gold in the Area Championship with 96ex100. Congratulations also to joint silver winners Clive Rowe, Stuart Palmer, and Paul Lilly.



Paul Bailey (left) - Silver Medal, Para Olympic Trap.



Staffordshire ABT Inter Counties winners.



Steve Ward hands the shield to Martin Walmsley, Staffs ESK Champion.

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Two new caps for the England DTL team

Congratulations to Shaun Gardener and Andrew Greenstock who have been selected for the England DTL Team. They will compete at Home International and British Open on 17-18 September at Fauxdegla.

29-30 May: DTL Grand Prix, Fauxdegla

When you finish third to two living DTL legends, namely Paul Chaplow and Phil Morgan, you know it's been a good weekend. Well done to Shaun Gardener. A missed clay on the last round cost Shaun a shoot-off of with Mr Chaplow – such are the fine margins at this level of DTL. Well done to all the other Shropshire DTL shooters too!

4-6 Jun: ESK, English Open, Eriswell

Shropshire's current ESK Champion, Paul Stokes, shot 97ex100 for Overall joint 40th, joint 24th in Seniors, and joint 13th in A Class. Trevor Lewis shot 95 for joint eighth in B Class and joint 16th in Veterans. There were nine 100-straight in the competition and a long shoot-off to decide the winner, Bill Moussalli.

Arran Eccleston Olympic Skeet (OSK)

During May, at the European Championships, Arran achieved one of the best scores over seven rounds during the Junior Men's Team event securing a well-deserved Bronze Medal. Arran was third in Juniors at the Bisley Grand Prix on the 13th June and achieved a fifth place in Junior Men at the first round of British Shooting's Shotgun Series on the 20th June. Arran well done! Excellent results against top class competition.

20 Jun: West Midland and Shropshire ABT Championships, Rugby

Shropshire managed to field a team and thanks

to Graham Evans, Andy Lloyd, Pat Reeves, and two Cadet Juniors Zak Mansell and Joel Kelly. No team medals but another solid performance by Graham Evans got him an individual bronze in Veterans. Zak Mansell scored very well for a Junior regional silver and not too far behind was Colt Joel Kelly for a joint regional bronze.

Shropshire medals are: Champion and Veteran gold Graham Evans, County Runner-up and Senior gold Andy Lloyd, Senior silver Pat Reeves, Junior gold Zak Mansell, and Junior silver Joel Kelly. Well done from all the County on a good effort.

27 Jun: English Open Helice, Rugby

Andy Lloyd and Alan Rowley both shot well at Rugby with Alan just one ZZ behind those who shot off for the Championship. One of those in the shoot-off was Shropshire's former Vice-Chairman Marcus Iddon, who won Men's Senior (roughly the FITASC equivalent of CPSA Veterans). This event was shot in very windy conditions, but this only added to the fun had by all. Helice is one of those

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Adam was then part of a team including Ian Hull, Darren Wood, Ray Sutton, James Sutton, and Graham Wainwright that helped Staffordshire take the Inter-Counties gold.

20 Jun: British Shooting Shotgun Series Round one OSK and OTR

In OSK, Lara Dale qualified for the Senior Ladies final where she took silver. In the Paralympic Trap, Paul Bailey claimed silver. To complete a hat-trick of success, Leah Southall – in her first ever British Shooting competition – not only made it through to the final of the Junior Ladies Olympic Trap but then went and won it!

27 Jun: ABT England Selection Shoot

Ian Hull hit a superb PB of 190ex200 to win his class. On the same mark was Adam Gutteridge. Leah Southall-Clay Shooting continued her outstanding form with 178 to claim top spot in the Ladies.

27 Jun: English Sporting, Kingsley Moor

AAA Class Chris Daniels hit 94ex100 to take Runner-up spot. Great class win for James Ward whose 88 tied in AA Class with Ian Mullarkey and Mark Fisher. Kenneth Oates topped B class with 83, and John Smallman completed the class wins with a fine 80 in C Class.

Forthcoming dates

31 Jul	OTR County Champs, Doveridge
1 Aug	DTL IC, Nottingham DGC
22 Aug	ESP County Champs, Kingsley M
22 Aug	Helice County, Area and IC Champs, Rugby & DTC
22 Aug	OTR Area & IC Champs, Fauxdegla SG
5 Sep	ESK IC Champs, Doveridge
11 Sep	AR County Champs, Doveridge
12 Sep	AR Area & IC Champs, Nottingham DGC
18 Sep	ABT County Champs, Rugby

disciplines everyone should try at least once in their lives.

27 Jun: English Sporting, Catton Hall

Mike Jones shot an excellent 98ex100 for High Gun. In total 13 members shot the event, with many good scores, six with 80+ scores, well done to all who entered.

27 Jun: West Midlands Area & Shropshire SKD Championships, Gloucester

Paul Stokes came joint third Overall in the West Midland Championship and second in Seniors with a solid 94, just a couple behind winner Paul Tudge. Paul is now both Shropshire's English Skeet and Skeet Doubles Champion. Paul did well at the recent England selection shoot, we wish him every success for the next.



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22-23 May: County DTL Championship

This year's DTL championship was held at Northampton Shooting Ground with only three entries. Gavin Smith 94/270, Stephen Smith 94/257, and Stephen Marsh 88/251.

31 May: Sporting Championship

The County Championships and the Annual Martin Scoley Memorial Shoot was spread over the majority of Sporting Targets. We had 41 Bedfordshire competitors, of that there were 20 Seniors, 15 vets, two Colts, and four Ladies.

Dave Ferriman came out on top with 90, with Jim Munday the top Vet on 85, Ella Bartlett Junior High Gun on 58, and Becky Clifton top Lady with 82.

Beds County Champion Dave Ferriman, Runner-up Jason Brockett. Vets County Champion Jim Munday, Runner-up Freddie Kidd and Bert Mason, Ladies County Champion Becky Clifton Runner-up Jane Maloney, Junior County Champion Ella Bartlett, Runner-up Reece Stafferton.

5-6 Jun: FITASC Championship

The County FITASC Championships were held at Sporting Targets, shot over 100 targets across several layouts. Out of the 14 Beds shooters we had eight Seniors, one Lady and five Vets. Dave Hughes took High Gun with a massive 98, with Dave Ferriman coming Runner-up with 95. Andrew Clifton and Steve Whinnett were joint third on 88. Becky Elmore shot 82 for the Ladies and Bert Mason shot 86 to take the Veterans title with Jim Munday one behind on 85. Will Hiller was third with 74.

27 Jun: County Skeet Championship

Bedfordshire held their Skeet County Championship at Northampton Shooting

Ground. The targets were wind affected which caused the high tower target to be forced down quite often and also caused the low tower target to rise up. We had 11 shooters compete this year and the results were:

County Champion Burt Mason (Vet) 95, Geoff Bickers (Vet) 93, Gavin Smith 93, Steve Whinnett 93, Adam Hallybone 91, Stephen Smith 90, Phillip Meadley – Roberts 87, Stephen Page 87, Neal Hallybone 84, Ross Whitelock 82, and Keith Bailey (Vet) 73.

The Ian Clifton Trophy 2021 Q3 and Q4

Summer is back and the warmest day of the year for Q3 and Q4 of the 2021 Ian Clifton Trophy. Scores are returning to near normal, and competition is tight. The remaining shooters had their May scores counting for Q3 and Q4. The final will take place during the Jack Pyke. Congratulations to the Q3 winners A Clifton, I Porter, and R Clifton and Congratulations to the Q4 winners who are this year's finalists A Clifton and I Porter.

The first semi was decided on countback the second semi by one hit, just as it should be if the handicap is working about right to leave us with a final contested between A and C class. Our thanks to all those who make this competition happen particularly the Sporting Targets ground staff and the referees. For more information please see the Bedfordshire CPSA website and Facebook.



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Hello to you all, I hope that all is well and your aim is in the right direction. I have a few well done's to start with – well shot to Mike Brookes and Jason Linnell who were in the EM team at the DTL at Bywell. Steve Brightwell equalled second in the EO Sporting Veterans and Alan Bavington, Tim Spurling, and Peter Cheeseman. Good shooting in the EM Skeet

Open Skeet at Eriswell, well done to you all and thanks for flying the flag for L&R.

Now some club results after a very good entry at Kibworth on 4 June. Steve Brightwell was High Gun with 96ex100, Tim Howell and Marc Ivey were close, finishing with 94 apiece. Alan Pearson, Michael Parsons, and Craig Boddice scored 91's, one point of the pace was Veteran John Wells on 90. B Class winner was Peter Norton on 85, and C Class was won by Andrew Garner, another local shot. Jane Maloney (Beds) won Ladies High Gun with 85ex100. Lewis Sones (Staffs) was the Colts star with a good 75ex100. Well done to ▶



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team Kibby and well shot everyone.

Next, we went to the far east of the shire to Normanton SG on 5 June for some DTL. This time Jason Linnell was top of the shop with a fine 100/298, Mark Joyce scored a great 100/296. The L&R squad of Mike Brookes, Keith Mault, Lambros Paphitis, and Neil Farnsworth took the next four places.

Staying at Normanton, we had our DTL Champs on 19 June, Jason Linnell was on top form again and claimed the 2021 Champs trophy. Alex Harris was the Runner-up. Well done and thanks to team Normanton.

On 13 June Grange Farm became the next target. Paul Batchelor was the shooter of the day with a huge 99ex100 and a great 98 put Cheryl Hall in a very close second. It's him again, Steve Brightwell was close in attendance with

97ex100, other L&R shooters were Toby Reed 94, Jason Marlow 91, Laurence Fisher 90, Alan Pearson 90, Ashley Cumberland 90, Adam Curtis 90, John Wells 90, and Craig Tolley 88. A large entry was greeted with lovely weather and a great layout, thanks team Grange.

Whilst still at Grange on 27 June, Adam greeted another very good entry from far and wide. A good testing field was set and L&R shooter Toby Reed and Oxfordian Julian Freeman both shared High Gun on 92x100. Only one target behind was Veteran Steve Brightwell, and two adrift was John Wells. Top L&R Senior was Jason Marlow, 91, Daren Elliott and Laurence Fisher with 90x100. Colt Mollie Chesterton scored 73, Junior Mia Trees 64. Junior Henry Lewis and Colt Cade Mason, from Warwickshire, cleared 62 and 57 respectively.

Thank you and well done to all of you.

Over to Kegworth on 20 June for the L&R Sporting Champs. Top L&R shots were Craig Tolley and Russell Mason. Both Seniors tied for top place having shot 82x100. Paul Reeve became the Veterans Champion with 81, Richard Watkins was Runner-up, Henry Lewis became the Junior Champ and the Tees/Chesterton race ended 50 to 49 in favour of Maia Tees. Joy Wheatcroft was crowned the Ladies Champion for 2021, congratulations to you all.

Forthcoming dates

29 Aug	AR Team Selection, Sywell
30 Aug	Double Rise, Normanton
30 Aug	Double Trap, Normanton



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We have made the decision to postpone the AGM again. This is frustrating as it's going to be difficult to get the trophies out to shooters and it looks as if it could be late August before we are able to meet up. The way its going – by the time we have the AGM we may have finished all this year's shoots too!

We have had the Sporting and the Universal Trap since the last issue of *Pull!* but have a few still to come in July. A special mention should go to Ethan Lord for shooting 99 two weeks running in different English Skeet competitions, which is no mean feat for anyone – let alone a Colt – and seems to be getting stronger in a bid for the England team may be in the offing soon.

English Sporting results

Cambridgeshire Champion D Stamford 91 on count back, Senior's Champion S Harrup 91, Veteran Champion P C Simpson 89, Ladies Champion A Smith 72, Colts Champion E Lord 61 and left with three stands still left to shoot! AA Class D Stamford, A Class S Harrup, B Class A J Stronge, C Class C V Vail. A well supported event thanks to all who attended.

Universal Trench results

Cambridgeshire Champion G Russo 90, Veterans Champion C Cheng 83, Ladies Champion S Christensen 87.



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6 Jun: East Yorkshire Clay Shooting Ground

It is always a pleasure to shoot at East Yorkshire Clay Shooting Ground, with the ground immaculate, grass neatly cut, targets well-presented and the usual warm welcome from all. The weather in stark contrast to the brilliant sunshine of the day before, was overcast with intermittent drizzle for most of the day.

With the luxury of covered layouts, the vagaries of the weather made no difference at all to the shooting, but it did put a dampner (excuse the pun) on the al fresco dining experience. As the day unfolded some very tidy scores started to come in with the scores at the halfway stage giving some clue as to the outcome – although with ABT it is often the last line which disappoints.

This was not the case with the eventual winners. Jack Wilkinson posted a 95 which meant his nearest rival, Marvin Houghton, had to straight the last line and sure enough, Marvin came up with the goods to also post a 95. The shoot-off saw Jack drop a target halfway through the round. Marvin was shooting steadily and confidently and never looked like missing but, as they say, it is not over until it's over, and two targets slipped away leaving Jack, who is always cool under pressure, to clear up the rest and take the title. Marvin had the consolation of taking the Veterans title for the third consecutive year and A Class.

There was also a tie for B Class with both John Winn and Nick Pearce posting 92, but John had left the ground, so Nick took the B Class award. Nigel Watson, who also posted a last round 25, took C Class on 90, and Gary Boardman won D Class also on 90. Saira Boardman followed up her successful DTL win with yet another win at ABT with a superb score of 89 to put her well ahead of her nearest rivals. The enthusiasm which both Gary and Saira show for our sport is good to see and is really paying off, as they have both raised their game this year. And not just in this discipline – at this rate they will run out of mantelpiece space!

Joe Tune may have been the only Junior but his score of 91 was well up there with the best of them as he took the Junior title for the third consecutive year.

A big thank you to Sam and Lena for organising the raffle which added some £80 to our county coffers, and thank you to all those who so generously donated raffle prizes – it is a big help to the county in such difficult times. Thanks also to all the staff at East Yorkshire Clay Shooting Ground, who make our shooting experience so enjoyable and thanks to Janet Stennett for the Report.

By now the various England Selection shoots will have finished, and for everyone involved we hope you achieved the goal you were aiming for, if not, then there is always next year.

We wish our very own Aaron Heading all the best as he departs to Tokyo for the 2020/21 long awaited delayed Olympics. We wish him and Team GB every success.



ABT winners.



Aaron Heading for Tokyo.

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Archy Stannard, EO ESK Junior High Gun with John Martin.



William Gilbert, East Mids OTR Junior High Gun.



Elise Dixon, East Mids OTR Ladies High Gun.

NORFOLK
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There were no County Championships this month but plenty of regional and national championships as well as selection shoots, with some great results across the disciplines.

31 May: Cheddite Championship 2021, Barrow Sporting Clays

Sam Green was High Gun on 113ex120 after a shoot-off which was a great way for him to celebrate his birthday. Well done also to Carson Revell who came third AA Class, Ian Hallwood third A Class, and Karl Hoolhouse third B Class. Special congratulations to Junior Angus Hepworth-Smith who was first in C Class.

6 Jun: English Open Compak Sporting, Orston Shooting Ground

Congratulations again to Sam Green who was Runner-up with a fantastic score of 97ex100.

6 Jun: English Open English Skeet, Eriswell

An excellent result for Archy Stannard who scored 99ex100 at the English Open English

Skeet Championship. He then went into a three-way shoot-off where he walked away with the Junior High Gun title.

12 Jun: Dougall Memorial DTL, Bywell

Niall Crumpler made the very long trip to Northumbria to compete in this championship. His score of 100/297 placed him in a two-way shoot-off for third place. He was unlucky to drop a target, losing out to Dan Price, but came away with a very well deserved first in AA Class.

13 Jun: East Midlands Region English Skeet Championship, Eriswell Lodge

Congratulations again to Archy Stannard. His score of 99 put him in another shoot-off. This time he took on Stuart Smith and came away with not only the Junior but also the Regional Champion title as well. Well done also to Alison Coupe who scored 93 to take the Ladies title.

13 Jun: East Midlands Region Olympic Trap Championship, East Yorkshire CSG

William Gilbert and Elise Dixon travelled to Yorkshire to compete in the Regional OTR Championship. It was worth the long trip as

they came back with the Junior High Gun and Ladies High Gun titles respectively.

17-19 Jun: Beretta World Sporting Championship, E.J. Churchill

Great results from three of Norfolk's top Sporting shooters. Competing with Berettas in this 120-target competition were Mark Goddard on 114, Richard Bunning on 113, and Sam Green on 112. Everyone put in excellent scores to place fourth, fifth, and tenth on countback respectively.

20 Jun: England Team English Skeet Selection Shoot, Eriswell Lodge

Archy Stannard competed for a place in the England English Skeet Junior Team. This was the first of two invitation-only selection shoots, with the second taking place in July at East Yorkshire CSG. He scored 197 which placed him fourth in Juniors.

20 Jun: British Shooting Shotgun Series, East Yorkshire CSG

Elise Dixon competed in the first of three Olympic Trap events in the British Shooting Shotgun Series. Having shot a new personal best of 102ex125, she placed second in the Junior Ladies final.

26-27 Jun: England ABT Team Selection Shoot, East Yorkshire CSG

William Gilbert was on top form and scored 192, a new personal best out of 200, which included a 75-straight. This not only placed him first in Juniors, but joint second Overall and in A Class, just two points off the lead. Elise Dixon placed joint ninth in Ladies and fifth in Juniors.

CPSA World English Sporting Championship

Huge congratulations to Richard Bunning, Karl Hagan (new cap), and Ian Hallwood who have all been selected to represent England at E.J. Churchill Shooting Ground on 6-11 July. We wish them all good luck.

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Are we having summer this year or just a really long spring? The weather seems to be very poor for the time of year. There will be a fabulous blackberry harvest this year though if the brambles around the Northampton Shooting Ground are to go by, not to mention the sloes from the blackthorn trees. The gin makers amongst the shooting clientele will do well this year. The poor weather does mean that there was little sunshine for the two competitions this month and that is always to the benefit of Skeet and DTL shooters at the Northampton SG. There will be no glare from the barrels at mid-day nor sun in the eyes for the low house birds for late afternoon shooters.

31 May: Single Barrel

There was a flush of competitors for this event with shooters for every category.

The option to shoot on either the Saturday or Sunday clearly attracted more shooters and it resulted in 18 entrants and the sun stayed behind the clouds for most of the weekend. There was a tie for the Senior title with Joe Tomlin and Dave Grant both scoring 42ex50, but the winner was decided with a shoot-off the following week with Joe managing to beat Dave by two clays with a round of 21ex25. This is the first county trophy for Joe so very welcome for him.

Veteran John Woolcott also put in a score of 42 to take the discipline's title for the first time. Kirstin Vogel, back from her studies, won the Ladies title with 35 and Alex Banning took the Junior title with 38. There were quite a few people who were new to competition at this event, and they are all welcome. Thanks to all who took part.

27 Jun: English Skeet

There were just 15 entrants for this, surprisingly the same number that shot the competition in 2019 – if not the same people. Mick Rolstone, the 2019 winner, was not there

to defend his title so that was up for grabs. Mick Russell and Alex Banning were the top scorers this year, both managing to achieve 97ex100 and taking the title for their respective category of Veteran and Junior. For Mick this is the third year running he has won the Veteran trophy.

Way back when the county committee decided that there would be no High Gun category in county competitions and instead have the Senior category. This meant that Simon Vogel was surprised to win the Senior title with a score of 93. Well done him. Well done also to Kirsten who won the Ladies title with 91. Thanks go to everyone who took part.

Supreme Championship

This is well underway with many shooters already well up on the leaderboard. Each shooter has their top six scores taken from eight disciplines. All county competitors from the eight competitions are included so take a look and maybe try a few more competitions to see how high you can get. ▶



Simon and Kirstin Vogel
– Skeet Senior and Lady
2021 Champions.



Single Barrel Champion Joe
Tomalin with Runner Up
Dave Grant.

Northamptonshire Inter-Counties Competitions

These have started for this year, see the fixtures tab on the county website. The next one is in August for FITASC, or September for DTL at Nottingham, All Round at Northampton, and Skeet at Nottingham. Do you think you could help by offering to support the teams and enter these competitions? If so, please get in contact with Roy and he will pass your details onto the team managers.

Forthcoming dates

7-8 Aug Automatic Ball Trap
29 Aug All Round

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The Avon Sportrap Championship was held at Meadowcroft SG on Sunday 6 June. It was a 100-target competition held over four layouts with very hittable targets in fine weather and with another record turnout. Joe Hemmings secured the Avon Champions title with a superb 93/100. He was chased all the way by Robin Heal on 90/100 and Samuel Broom on 89/100. This was Joe's second title of the year after taking the Sporting Championship previously.

The Sporting disciplines are now showing excellent support from Avon shooters, and next year an overall champion for the three disciplines of Sporting, Sportrap, and FITASC will be considered if we hold all these events at Meadowcroft. Many thanks to all the support staff who make these events run as smoothly as possible under the COVID-19 restrictions.

It is hoped that strong teams can be entered from these events this year for the Inter-County Championships to represent Avon. If you are at events and have a chance, talk with Joe Hemmings to discuss your availability or to Malc Brown for the Trap disciplines.

Trophies have now been presented for the Sporting championship as to Martin Smith winners of A Class and Dave Probert winner of C Class pictured.



The Avon UT championship was held in conjunction with Devon and Cornwall.

Many thanks go to North Cornwall SG for hosting this increasingly under-supported discipline. Malc Brown stepped up from his normal disciplines to take the champions title on a 80/100 score.

The Avon FITASC, Single Barrel, DTL, and ABT Championships are all to be held in July and will be reported on in the next edition of the magazine.

We have the Double Rise Trap Championships at Axminster SG to look forward to, with a date yet to be announced so please check any booking and squadding arrangements closer to the time. Events and any updates will be published on the website and in Pull! when available.

Any further breaking news please contacts us at rogercox47@gmail.com or via the Avon website hosted on the main CPSA website.

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Down the Line County Championship

On 20 June Nottingham Gun Club hosted the DTL County Championship. With a great turnout for the event competition was fierce. Paul Meakin was not going to let Russ Hufton walk away with the Overall title without a fight and after a full shoot-off round Paul Meakin came out on top. Congratulations to all winners. County Champion was Paul Meakin, Veteran Champion Russ Hufton, Ladies Champion Hayley Denoon, Junior Champion Oliver Sampson, and Colts Champion Edward Armett.

Sporting County Championship

It was great to see 46 Nott's shooters in attendance. The team at Orston put on a great course and it was Pat Dickman that took High Gun with 90 to become the 2021 Sporting and Veteran Champion. Not far



behind was Ricky Croshaw taking the Senior title with 88. Ladies Champion was Catherine Smalley with a fantastic score of 80. Matthew Armett won Juniors with 68, and Joe Turner won his second Colt title this season with 68.

English Open DTL Championship

The final day of the DTL weekend at Bywell welcomed shooters to take part in the English Open. Congratulations to Peter and Edward Armett for winning the Parent and child trophy. Not only that, but Edward also took second place in the Colts category.

DTL England Team

A huge congratulations to all who have achieved a place on the 2021 England team for the DTL Home International in September. Hats off to our Nottinghamshire shooters Curtis Woolley and Lee Wilcoxson and special congratulations go to new caps Paul Meakin and Oliver Sampson. As a county we wish you all the very best!

AGM

On 14 June we held our AGM, having been postponed since November 2020 it was great to get back to business. We have elected a great committee who will do their utmost to assist our great county. Thank you to all who give up their time to keep our county functioning, with a special thanks to long-time treasurer Dave Sayer who after many years on the committee has taken his leave.

Finally

It was great to see Orston hosting some large events including the Clay Shooting Classic and the Orston Masters recently, attracting shooters from far and wide. These types of events always create a great atmosphere and we look forward to championship events being hosted by Nottinghamshire's Premier Plus ground in the future.

Forthcoming dates

29-30 Aug AR County Champs, Nottingham GC
3 Oct ABT County Champs, Nottingham GC
8 Aug IC FITASC, Kegworth
5 Sep IC DTL, Nottingham GC

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Our selection and Championship programme continues with several teams already announced. Announcements are made on our Facebook page, but these can also be found on our county webpage.

Those selected must inform the committee promptly if they are not able to attend the National Inter Counties events as teams are in the process of being booked. This year we have teams for National Inter Counties All Round, Sporting, and Skeet.

The criteria for teams entered to the Nationals are different as members cannot have scores to count for both Senior and category teams as in the SW events. There is also a smaller number permitted in the Senior team.

As there are more Vet members in the county than Seniors, we have enquired whether multiple Vets teams can be entered but unfortunately there is limited capacity at the grounds to accommodate this.

5 June 2021

Held at Bradford GC, the ABT High Gun was Colin Chidley with 97. On the same day the Sportrap Championship took place at Landare. David and his team set up some testing targets over four different layouts.

Champions were Lee Johns with 92, Denzil Grose Junior with 91, Stephen Williams Veteran and Emily Morden-Hawke Ladies, both with 84.

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Devon Sporting Selection

Thanks to Andrew at Ashley Clay Shoot for holding this on 5 June. In first place was Jason Turner on 90/100, second was Geoff Gwyther on 87, equal third was David Bedlington and Neil Rogers on 86.

Devon Sportrap Championship

Thanks to Jason for holding this event at Little Silver on 6 June with 37 entrants. Lawrence Barnes and James Cook both scored 93/100. Lawrence is the Devon Champion as James was not available for a shoot-off.

Devon UT Championship

Thanks to North Cornwall SG for holding this Championship on 19 June. The 2021 Devon

19 June 2021

The Universal Trench championship took place at North Cornwall. Dom Davey became Champion following a shoot-off with Colin Chidley, having both scored 88. Colin settled for the Vets title and Ladies Champion was Clare Carpenter with 43.

Skeet Selections

Two selection shoots took place at County Ground in June. On 12 June John Dunne was High Gun with 99, and Bill Moussalli took High Gun on 26 June with 98. The selection process will be completed at the championship at Landare on 3 July to be shot over two layouts.

National Cornish success continues

Denzil Grose won the gold medal in the Junior Men's Final Olympic skeet competition at East Yorkshire Shooting Ground in the first round of the British Shooting Shotgun Series.

At the English Open Skeet, Bill Moussalli won the High Gun and Vets title, following a perfect score of 100 after a shoot-off with nine others. Graham Cork won Standing Disabled High Gun with 94. Other notable success at the event was Kelvin Walsh joint 23rd with 98 and Dan Emmett joint 40th with 97. Well done all.

Forthcoming dates

7 Aug	SW DTL Champs, Bradford SG
14 Aug	SW SB Champs, North Cornwall
21 Aug	County Skeet Doubles Champs, County Ground
28 Aug	County Olympic Skeet Champs, Landare
28 Aug	SW ABT Champs, North Cornwall

Champion is Graham Andrew with a score of 91/100. Runner-up and Cornwall Champion was Dominic Davey with 96. In second place for Devon is Andrew Vanstone with a score of 85, and third for Devon is Oliver Durovic with 83.

Congratulations

Congratulations to Devon Shooters Rob Dietz and Ian Moore for both achieving a place in the England DTL Senior team 2021, and Richard Chapple for his place in the England DTL Super Vets team 2021.

Please send any news and photos to Marilyn Chapple, Devon CPSA Secretary at marilynchapple@btopenworld.com.

Forthcoming dates

14-15 Aug	FITASC Champs, Somerset SG
19 Aug	OT Champs, Lings Shooting
21 Aug	DR Champs, Axminster
26 Aug	SKD, Lings Shooting

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Shooting is back in full swing and we have had several County Championships as well as the CPSA Major shoots over the past few weeks. This Month we saw The Hampshire, DTL, and ABT take place at Fareham CTC.

The ABT Took place on Saturday 5 June where Roger Deacon shot 99 to win Seniors and the Overall title. Husband and wife Ron and Jayne King took home the Vets and Ladies titles, and Barney Eastman won Colts.

Saturday 20 June was the DTL County Championship – Dave Toomer took home the Vets and Overall County title. Tegan Hart again dominated the Ladies and Colts categories. Congratulations to Corey Vasey for winning the Junior Title.

Single Barrel took place on Saturday 29 May where Tegan Hart showed great talent by winning Ladies and Colts with a score of 75/100. Michael Thorn took the Junior Title after shooting 71/100 and we saw some fantastic shooting from Reg Vickers who won both the Overall and Vets title with his score of 90/100.

Owls Lodge held the Hampshire Sportrap on Thursday 10 June. It was a testing four layouts which saw Wiltshire's Tony Manvell win High Gun on a brilliant score of 98/100. Steve Scott took home the Hampshire Overall title on a score of 96, only two behind Tony. Ron King took home another Vets title with 92/100 while Tanya Faulds, Barney Eastman, and Oliver Harper-Adams won the Ladies, Colts, and Juniors.

Outside the county, E.J. Churchill held The Beretta Worlds. The event was fantastic, despite the awful rain on the Friday. The team, along with GMK, did a brilliant job. Richard Faulds decided it was time to take his SO6 EELL, a loyalty prize from Beretta Italy after his Olympic win in 2000, out of the cupboard to see if he could still shoot it and if it would work... It most certainly did, and he proved that he really could shoot anything, when on day one he shot 115/120 which was equalled by Adam Cork on the same day. After a ten-target shoot-off, Richard shot eight and Adam shot seven, placing Richard the Beretta World Champion 2021 and the new owner of a limited edition Beretta 694.

We will know by the time you read this the results of the World English Sporting, being held on 5-11 July at E.J. Churchill.



Tegan Hart.



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Since last writing I'm sure everyone has been out and about enjoying themselves as there has been plenty going on over the last few months. A special mention has to be made to the Harry Hair Memorial Shoot that took place on 2 May at Urchfont – with over 80 shooters attending the event raised £615 and at Harry's family's request this has been donated to Cancer Research UK. Wadswick Country Stores, Westbury Fieldsports, Mark Whittington, Ben Ludwell, and Richard and Jayne Freeman all provided various prizes which were handed out on the day. Darren Joyce was High Gun with 45ex50 and Jason Holloway won the pool shoot. Harry's family very kindly provided a trophy for the day. Thank you to the sponsors and all who attended and made it such a great day.

Simon West won the Wiltshire County UT Championships held at Brook Bank on 16 May.

In other news we have had to amend the Wiltshire Sporting Challenge dates and venues, and some of the County Championships. All new dates and venues are listed below and can also be found on the new Wiltshire CPSA Facebook page and the Wiltshire CPSA site. Please note all shoots are pre-booked events and bookings should be made directly with the relevant ground.

This year the Wiltshire Sporting Team Selection Shoot process, to decide the county team for both the South West and National Intercounty Sporting Team events, will be based on your two highest scores from the five selection shoots. Points are calculated from the High Gun of the event, with one point being incurred for every target less than the winning score overall. Selection will be decided based upon the number of points scored. Best of luck to everyone attending.

We are constantly updating the Wiltshire CPSA website, and the Facebook group, so if you have any news, comments, or photos you'd like us to feature please do get in touch. I can be contacted on 07711 242749 or you can email franmattinson@hotmail.com

**Wiltshire Sporting Challenge/
 Selection Shoot Dates**

- 2 Jul Barbury Shooting School
- 18 Jul Meadowcroft Shoot
- 25 Jul Hangman's Stone
- 20-21 Aug Sporting Challenge and Sel Shoot (shoot EITHER day)
- 12 Sep Gunsite Sporting Clays



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A quieter month on the county front, with many of our county shoots already completed. Coming up in July we have the Single Barrel and Sportrap Championships, with FITASC in August. If anyone has any results or scores that they're proud of and would like to be featured in the Pull! magazine then please either email the address above or contact me on Facebook.

The Somerset Committee has got off to a fantastic start this year, and it has truly been one of the most engaged and largest committees Somerset have had for a while. To that end, I thought it would be useful to publish the full list here, in case any shooters have any questions, suggestions or feedback. There is also a list on our Facebook page.

Chairman Don Brunt, Vice Chairman Shaun Stacey, joint Secretaries Emma Stacey and Karen Brown, Treasurer Mike Hand, Julia Fairman, Andy Bryne, Lorna Glover, Jo Fairclough, Jonathan Belcher, Geoff Eltham, Barry Hill, and John Johnson.

Champion of Champions

After winning his 26th Somerset Sporting title last month, Shaun Stacey will represent Somerset at the Champion of Champions shoot at the CLA Game Fair in July. We wish him the best of luck as he aims for a repeat of his win in 2014.

British Shooting Finals

Once again, the Somerset Olympic trap contingent shone at the first British Shooting Series at East Yorkshire Shooting Ground. Ellie Seward won the Ladies title after equalling the British record with 46/50 in the final, whilst Abbey Ling took the bronze medal. Not to be outdone, Ed Ling also came home with a medal, winning silver in the Senior's competition!

England Team

Two Somerset Shooters have once again been selected for the England Team this year. Gerald Sweet qualified for the Veterans team for the DTL Home International Tournament in Wales, and Emma Stacey qualified in the Ladies team for the Sporting Home International Tournament in Scotland.

SOUTH EAST



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DTL England Team Selection

Congratulations to those who were selected to participate in the DTL England Selection shoot from South East. Toby Bean from Essex and Nicky Waghorne from Kent both represent the Seniors, whilst Karen Allen from Surrey represents the Ladies and is also team captain.

English Open English Skeet

Eriswell Lodge hosted the event – nobody would have thought it was summer based on the rain and wind encountered on the first day of the three-day event. There were some great scores over the weekend from shooters from the South East Region. Peter Stanton-Hope was one of the top scorers with 100/100 and came third Overall and second in Veterans. Craig Manning came third in Disabled sitting.

English Open Helice

It was a very blustery day but that didn't stop the competition at Rugby & District Trap Club on 27 June. After a great four-way shoot off Phil Negus became the English Open Helice High Gun. Chris Potter took the Master title and Peter Negus took the bronze. A further shoot-off saw Jo Watson-Hopkinson take the Ladies title ahead of Dionne Rogers, Jensen King won silver in the Juniors, and Archie Tyler won bronze.

South East of England DTL Championship

Held at Mayland Gun Club on 13 June, unfortunately it did clash with the Bywell DTL

event and England selection shoot. We still had a good turnout and congratulations to Troy Petherbridge for taking the SER title. Dave Lewzey won the Veterans, Jordan Steward the Juniors, Evelyn Groom won the ladies and Finlay Bowles the Colts.

Events Fixtures

Apologies for the error in last month's Pull! as some events have been changed due to the dates clashing so please keep an eye out on Facebook and our website for the latest updates. For those counties intending to submit teams for the Inter-Counties events please ensure you send the details of the team to committee@southeast.cpsa.uk by the Thursday before the event.

And finally...

If you have any stories or pictures from around the region please send them into committee@southeast.cpsa.uk as we would love to post more news and updates on the website, Facebook and in Pull! Check our website at sites.cpsa.co.uk/south-east for updates and don't forget to follow us on Facebook too!

Forthcoming dates

- 8 Aug SB DTL South East, Mayland
- 15 Aug ABT IC, NSCS
- 15 Aug ESK South East, Dartford
- 22 Aug UT IC, Nuthampstead
- 22 Aug OSK South East, NSCS
- 29 Aug DTL IC, Mayland
- 29 Aug Helice IC, Invicta

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20 Jun: DTL Championship, Bisley

Well done to Karl Williams who took the title with a 295/300, Nicola Heron taking another Ladies title with 279/300, and Glen Adaway racking up his titles and taking the Veterans title with 287/300. Congratulations to Karl Miles for taking the Junior title with a 225/300 and it was great to see Iain Parker smashing out his first 25/75. Great shooting everyone.

Sporting Championship, Hangman's Stone

Congratulations to Argun Ismet who took the Champions title from the sold-out

event with a score of 95, Jan Galland won the Ladies title with a 76, and Robin Blamire taking another Vets win with an 88. Well done to Karl Miles who won yet another Juniors title with a 78. Thank you to Sean for putting on a great course.

Other news

Harry Poolman is the 2021 English open ABT Colt champion. Fantastic shooting Harry, you're storming it! Huge congratulations also to Ceyla Ismet for her Ladies win at the Beretta worlds, Olympic Skeet shooter Phoebe Bodley-Scott for winning her first Junior Women's bronze with a score of 97/125 at round one of the British Shooting Shotgun series at the East Yorkshire shooting ground.

Congratulations to Berkshire OSK shooter Phoebe Bodley-Scott for winning the silver medal in Colts at the OSK Grand Prix at NCS in June with a score of 96/125 her medal goes

alongside her junior women's bronze won in East Yorkshire at the British shooting series event with a score of 97/125. Great shooting Phoebe!

Overseas news

Berkshire shooter Michael Bovingdon finished in fifth place in Croatia at the European OT Championships.



Karl Williams receives his Champions trophy for DTL.



Phoebe Bodley-Scott.



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30 May: England Selection shoot, Bywell

Billy Baughan and Amy Easeman attended the England selection shoot. Billy was joint first on 94/100 and Amy Easeman was second in Junior Ladies with 74/100.

1 Jun: Owls Lodge Ladies Charity Day

Owls Lodge Shooting School in Hampshire held their first Ladies Charity shoot on 1 June, which was won by Amy Easeman who picked up some prizes from Howes & Wayko.

6 Jun: 11th annual Bruce Faulds Memorial Shoot in aid of Brainstrust, Owls Lodge

This annual event and fundraiser was well attended and was an enjoyable day in Bruce's memory. George Digweed came first on 96/100 and Jamie Gutteridge came second on 95/100. Amy Easeman won Ladies with 91/100.

A feature of the shoot this year was the 'make a break' pool shoot, where competitors have to shoot a red target before moving on to a colour, with differing scores according to difficulty in order to build a score. This was excellent fun and the seventh target was a true monster! In total from raffles, donations, and auctions, £9,000 was raised.

6 Jun: BICTSF English Open Compak

The event was attended by a number of Bucks shooters, with Billy Baughan taking the High Gun with an awesome 99/100 two targets clear of Sam Green. Amy Easeman came second in the Ladies on 90/100. Gwyn Presley came second in the Veterans with 86/100.

12-14 Jun: Anglo Italian Arms Grand Prix

The 200-target competition at Garlands hosted more than 500 shooters. The competition was won by Phil Gray with 195/200. Bucks shooter Ricky Draper won AA class on 188/200, who was awarded a new Caesar Guerini Summit shotgun.

11-13 Jun: DTL Weekend, Bywell

Following on from her recent win at Fauxdegla, DTL shooter Caroline Stanbrook came away with a bronze medal in the Ladies on the sponsored day, shooting 95/278.

27 Jun: BICTSF UK Compak Championships

A number of Bucks shooters travelled to Eriswell Lodge for the BICTSF UK Compak Championships, a competition which also serves as a selection shoot for the GB Team. Billy Baughan took High Gun with 99/100. Amy Easeman came away with Ladies High Gun, joint third in A class, and Juniors High Gun shooting 95/100. Gwyn Presley was third in the Vets.

28 Jun: Royal Berkshire Shooting School Registered Competition

Jamie Gutteridge shot 97/100 to take High Gun at the competition.

Juniors

Lain Blamey placed third in Colts at the Clay shooting Classic and has been selected to compete in the Colts Challenge at the Game Fair. In the first ever Junior Women's Trap final at the British Shooting Shotgun Series, Hollie Lumsden took bronze with 30.

English Sporting World Champions

It's a pleasure to report that Bucks shooters Amy Easeman and Billy Baughan have secured places in the England Team for the event, held at E.J. Churchill shooting Ground, following the series of selection shoots. By the time you read this the event will have been completed and so we will know how everyone got on.

If you have any results, achievements, or good news stories please get in touch so we can include them and finally, as a reminder, there is a Buckinghamshire CPSA Facebook page.

Forthcoming dates

22 Sep Compak, E.J. Churchill
 21-25 Sep FITASC, College Farm



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9 May: Olympic Skeet Results, NCS

There were 31 entries in total for the event held in conjunction with the Surrey and Berkshire Championships. Our Greater London Winner and Ladies Champion this year is Jess Burgess, scoring 83, and Veteran Champion Reg Redjeb with a score of 71. The Super Veteran was John Perry with 52, making up the three entries for the county.

30 May: DTL Grand Prix, Bisley Gun Club

It was a relatively quiet day at Bisley Gun Club, with a total entry of 29 shooters with seven from Greater London. The day started off with a chilly wind, but slowly the sun came out and apart from the welcome warmth the visibility improved greatly. It was good to see some familiar faces and the Club put on a very good selection of targets. Hopefully as we come out of full lockdown and the effects of the COVID-19 virus we can look forward to returning to what was 'normal'.

19 Jun: Single Barrel, Bisley Gun Club

There were a total entry of 13, of which three were from Greater London. Eamon Skehan was the Champion with 88/100 and Michael Evlambiou the Runner-up with 83. Sarah Rees won the Ladies with 72.

20 Jun: Universal Trench Results

A total of 36 entries on the day with nine from Greater London and a welcome return to Nuthampstead. Steve Hammersley was the Champion and Super Veteran with a score of 95. Joint Runner-ups were Metin Cenkci and Emre Baran both with 93, and Dorothy Fleri for the Ladies scored 75. ▶



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Surrey Helice Championship

The Surrey Helice Championship was hosted by Invicta Gun Club on a mostly dry and sunny 20 June. The event proved to be popular and was limited to 20 targets. Top scorer with 16 and winning the Surrey Championship was Junior Jensen King. Steve Cole was second with 14, Paul King shot well in the second half to tie with Fergus Watson-Hopkinson on 13. Jensen was also top Junior, and Steve was top Veteran. Thanks to Chris Potter and Dionne Rogers for a well-run and enjoyable event, and to Tracy for providing the scores.



Adrian Balham.



Jess Burgess.

27 Jun: Sportrap, Southdown Gun Club

There were a total of 31 entries on the day, of which there were four from Greater London. Adrian Balham was the Champion and Veteran class winner with a score of 89/100, and Runner-up was Richard Weller with 76. Anthony Hoskins just bested his wife with 72 and Sian scored 71.

4 Jul: ABT, NCSC

A total of 30 entries made it to shoot the shared Greater London/Berks ABT. On a day with very variable weather at least it was not windy. If you were lucky then your round came as the sun appeared, if not you got wet! High Gun and Greater London Champion was Charlie Madden again for the second year with 94/100, very good shooting. Runner-up was Cemel Seziner with a score of 88. The Colt class winner was George Madden, Charlie's younger brother, scoring 81 and the Ladies winner was Dorothy Fleri with 67. Although not a large entry, the NCSC team ran a faultless day and thanks to them and the people in the kitchen.

English Open Helice Championship

This was held one week later at Rugby and several of the Surrey team made the journey and performed well. Jensen King following up his Surrey Championship win with second place in the Juniors, whilst Jo Watson-Hopkinson went one better to win the English Open Ladies title after a shoot-off with Dionne Rogers. Jo shot 20/24 in the competition then hit three out of three in the shoot-off, whilst ex multiple winner Dionne missed one to leave Jo with her first English Open title.

Surrey Ladies successes

Jo Watson-Hopkinson has had a busy month! Her qualifying scores from ESK and DTL earned her an invitation to shoot the English Team Selection shoots for both disciplines. Jo did not make the team, but I am sure the experience of taking part in these major competitions will benefit her in the future.

Also invited to the DTL selection shoot were Bisley Gun Club regulars Nick Haley and Karen Allen. Not only did Karen make the team, but she was also appointed team captain – huge congratulations to Karen and good luck for the Home International.

Supreme Championship update

With only one ranking event last month, the position at the top is largely unchanged with Andy Smith still holding a small lead over Peter Saich. Fergus Watson-Hopkinson has leap-frogged above Rachel Parish to hold third spot, but Rachel retains her lead in the Ladies event. By the time you read this, we will have held the ABT Championship so all of these placings may have changed - please see the website for full points details and to check the remaining Supreme Points events.

Website

Check our website at surreycpsa.com for updates and additions, and don't forget to follow us on Facebook too!

Forthcoming dates

30 Aug Compak Sporting, Southdown Gun Club



Jo W-H Helice Champion.



Karen Allen.



Jensen King and Steve Cole.

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We are still not fully free yet but thankfully clay shooting is picking up in popularity. It's so nice to see the numbers of entries exceeding most shooting grounds expectations. Firstly, I must wish Steve Lovatt a very speedy recovery from his operation. As many of you know Steve has been pushing men's health and the importance of getting the embarrassing extremities checked out, he did and thankfully, fingers crossed he is on the road to recovery. Take his very sensible advice and get yourself checked out. Don't ignore it, get yourself checked,

NOW! Thanks for your words of advice Steve and get well soon.

Westfields

Sunday 6 June saw 128 shooters turn up to take part in Westfields 100 ESP. Well done to Luke Taylor, who shot an impressive 94ex100 to win first place in AA Class. Closely following was Steve Cox with 93ex100, placing him second in AA.

Highwaymans Shooting Ground

Highwaymans hosted a 100 ESP Registered in mid-June. Oxfordshire's Cheryl Hall shot an impressive 94ex100 winning AAA Class and not far behind her was Mike Bartlett with a 92ex100 placing him second in AA Class. Well done to you both.

Staying with Highwaymans, they also hosted a FITASC England Team Selection

Shoot on 20 June. An impressive 127 shooters turned out to take part in a challenging competition. Oxfordshire's Roy Cherry shot a brilliant 86ex100 to place him third Overall.

Garlands Shooting Ground

Oxfordshire's Mickey Rouse had an epiphany to visit Garlands Shooting Ground On Sunday 31 May. He competed with another 148 shooters to take High Gun with an impressive score of 116ex100. Just two weeks later Mickey thought he would try it again. A total of 107 shooters turned up this time and guess what, he took High Gun with a score of 96ex100.

Jet Hall

A big thank you to Oxfordshire's Johanne Penzer for bringing to my attention her success whilst competing in Jet Hall's FITASC

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Helice

The Sussex 2021 Helice Championship was held at the Invicta Gun Club on 20 June. The Surrey and Kent County Championships were also held at the event creating a competitive shoot for everyone attending.

There was a large Sussex attendance of 11 guns for this popular event. John Foy won both High Gun for the event and is the new Sussex Champion. Derek Welfare won the Senior trophy and John Taylor the Vets. Sadly no Ladies, Junior or Colts shot the event. **John Foy**

Single barrel

Held at Bisley Gun Club on 19 June, only six Sussex shooters competing. Overall High Gun and 2021 County Champion is Alasdair Williams. Derek Welfare won Seniors and Keith Brighton the Veterans.

English Open Compak Championship

Held at Orston Shooting Ground, Will Fenner took the Junior title – congratulations to him for being selected to represent England at the World Championships at E.J. Churchill in July. A mention also for Hanna Gibson for taking second in Ladies at the same event. Well done to both of you.

Report requests

Very often we request people to give us shoot reports and results. Getting a response doesn't happen often but Liz Salmon is a regular shooter, always has a smile on her face and is steadily improving year after year so it's a pleasure to report she was the second highest scoring Sussex Lady shooter at the English Open at Barbury.

Seeing as Liz has proven it works I'm going to publish the names of any Sussex shooter who gets in touch with a result or shoot report in the next edition. Photos are more than welcome so come on get writing, let's see

at the end of May. Johanne shot a really strong 99ex150, placing her second in D Class. Well done Johanne, keep it up!

Northampton Shooting Ground

Henry Mitchell took the title of County Skeet Champion once again after competing at Northampton Shooting Ground mid-June. He shot an impressive 96ex100 closely followed by Daryl Burton, 95ex100, closely followed by Ken Smith, 94ex100.

Please remember to send in your results, scores, and achievements so we can do our best to get them printed.

Forthcoming dates

22 Aug Esp, Hangmans Stone
30 Aug STR, Barby Shooting Ground

how many I can name. Use the email address at the head of this article.

AGM – Monday 30 August

This will be held at Southdown Gun Club following the County Sporting and Compak Championships. All Sussex CPSA members are welcome especially those who have to collect a trophy. Please attend to support the County and of course have your say. The

exact time will be published in due course so keep an eye on our website and Facebook page for further updates.

Forthcoming dates

30 Aug Sporting, Southdown
30 Aug Compak, Southdown
17-19 Sep FITASC, Southdown
19 Sep DTL, Bisley Gun Club



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Since the last edition of *Pull!* magazine, the Disabled Shooters Group has been busy again.

On 4 June some of us attended the English Open English Skeet at Eriswell Lodge with some cracking shooting from all. Disabled Standing went to Graham Cork on 94/100, followed by James Centre on 92/100 and Sam Nunn on 87/100. Disabled Sitting went to Ben Woodham on 93/100, followed by Adrian Last on 82/100, and Craig Manning on 78/100. Ben also took the shooters trophy for the event.

We also had our 2021 Trapfest at Rugby & District Trap Club on 16 June, we shot 25 ABT, 25 UT, and ten ZZ Helice, which was great fun having never shot ZZ before – and with some lovely sunshine for a change too.

Overall High Gun was Tony Cox on 50/60, ZZ High Gun was Sam Nunn on 10/10, ABT High Gun was Craig Williams on 22/25, and UT High Gun was Alec Sperling on 22/25. A Big thank you to John and the crew at Rugby and District Trap Club for a well-run day!

On the way home from Rugby a few members dropped in and shot the Suffolk Single Barrel at Eriswell Lodge, Sam Nunn

shooting a 43/50, Ben Woodham 42/50, and Craig Manning 24/50.

DSG 25th Anniversary Shoot

Our main Event of the year is fast approaching – our 25th Anniversary Shoot will be held at Kibworth on Friday 17 September. This event is open to all, not just DSG members, so please come along and join us. Members please book via the DSG website and non-members please phone Kibworth directly on 0116 279 6001. The main event will be a Registered 100 Sporting over 12 stands, along with a pool shoot. We would also like to take this opportunity to offer you several other ways to help support the day, for example by sponsoring one of the stands at this event, donating a raffle prize, or donating a prize for the main event.

AGM

The DSG AGM will be held as usual at Sporting Targets in Bedford on Saturday 9 October. To sign up for events and see other dates in our calendar please do so on the website.



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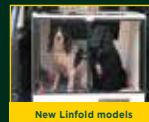
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Registered shoots every Sunday. By appointment on Fridays. Late night Wednesdays. • nottsclayshooting.co.uk • 01623 883798 • DTL, ESK, ESP, STR
• Gun Fit / Onsite Accommodation /Golf Course / Conference Facilities.

P NOTTINGHAM SPORTING CLAYS **MO, TU, FR CLOSED. WE-TH 10:00-DUSK. SA 10:00-17:00. SU 09:00-16:00**
To arrange events/appts on Mon, Tue or Fri just contact the Ground. • nottsclayshooting.co.uk • 01623 883798
• CSP, DTL, ESP, FSP, HBD, STR • Sporting targets changed every fortnight.

P ORSTON SG **MO-TU CLOSED. WE-SU 09:00-17:00**
Registered Comps most Sundays, if hoping to practice please call ahead. Last entry day to day is 15:00.
• orston.com • 01949 851181 • DTL, ESK, ESP, ABT, OSK, STR, CSP • Golf buggies available for hire. Game Arena also available.

SUFFOLK
R BARROW SPORTING CLAYS **MO-SA CLOSED. SU 09:00-14:00**
100 ESP Registered Competition - usually the 1st and 3rd Sun of each month. Runs all year round.
• 07912 497000 • ESP, FSP, STR.

R ERISWELL LODGE **MO-TU, TH-SA 09:00-19:00. WE 09:00-20:30. SU 09:00-15:30**
On Wednesdays in Winter practice closes at 3.30pm with evening floodlit competitions from 5pm.
• On Wednesdays in Summer shooting is until dusk or 20:30. • eriswell-lodge.com • 01638534045
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P HIGHWAYMANS SG    
 highwaymansshootingground.co.uk • 07836 643436
 • ESP, FSP, STR • See fixtures for Sunday hours.

P HIGH LODGE LEISURE LTD    
SU 9:30-12:30. MO-SA 10:00-17:00
 Registered Shoots on some weekends. Sunday Morning shooting finishes end of March and then our Late night Wednesday shooting begins. • highlodge.co.uk
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SOUTH WEST

CORNWALL

R COUNTY GUN CLUB   
 shootingincornwall.co.uk • 07979 696179 • See fixtures on website for opening hours • AR, ESK, ESP.

R NORTH CORNWALL SG    
MO-WE, FR CLOSED. TH 11:00-16:30. SA 09:30-17:30
 Opening & closing times may vary according to weather, time of year & competitions • 077901 58109 • ABT, DR, DTL, STR, UT.

DEVON

R ASHLEY CLAY SHOOT   
MO-SA CLOSED, SU 10:00-11:30
 01884 243476/07837 197595 • 70 or 100 target practice shoots held on alternate Sunday mornings. Open alternate Wednesday evenings 18:00 in the summer months. • ESP • Set in a deep valley. No need to book. Dates available on Ashley Clay Shoot Facebook page.


R LITTLE SILVER CLAY SHOOT    
SU 10:00-14:00. MO-SA CLOSED
 devonclayshooting.co.uk • 07971963421 • ESP, STR
 • Can contact by phone or Facebook (Westdown Farm and Littlesilver clay shoots.)

P SOUTH WEST SHOOTING SCHOOL    
MO-SA 10:30-17:00. SU 10:30-13:00
 Registered shoots every second Sun per month
 • southwestshooting.co.uk • 01271 864784
 • CSP, ESP, STR • Clubhouse and under cover shelters, 40 shooting positions, eighty plus traps in operation
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DORSET

A AA SHOOTING SCHOOL    
MO CLOSED. TU-SU 10:00-18:00
 aashootingsschool.com • 07914918395 • ESP
 • Free coffee and tea.

HAMPSHIRE

R FAREHAM CLAY TARGET CLUB    
 See website for shoot dates and times • farehamctc.org.uk • 01329 315185 • ABT, DTL, ESK, ESP.

P OWLS LODGE SHOOTING SCHOOL    
MO, WE, FR-SU CLOSED. TU, TH 10:00-18:00
 Open till dusk if before 18:00 • olss.co.uk • 07734 200280 • DTL, ESK, ESP, OTR, OSK, STR, FSP, CSP, DR, UTR.

A SPITFIRE SHOOT    
WE-SA 09:00-16:30
 spitfireshoot.co.uk • 01264 810312 • ESP • 11 stands of English Sporting, including high tower. Practice and Lessons for all levels by qualified instructors.

SOMERSET

P BROOK BANK    
MO-TU, TH CLOSED. WE 13:00-16:00. FRI, SA 11:00-16:00. SU 10:30-15:30
 Pre-book only. Check website for last minute updates.
 • brookbankshooting.co.uk • 07773 488018 • ABT, DTL, ESP, OTR, UT • Gunsmith on site • Clubhouse with snack bar. • Cartridge restriction applies Thur, Fri & Sat - only Hull & Fiocchi permitted. No steel allowed.

R SOMERSET SG 
MO-SA CLOSED. SU 09:00-16:00
 Only open when a shoot is being held. Registered shoot held on the last Sunday of each month. • 07860 561677 • CSP, ESK, ESP, FSP, STR • Toilets, clubhouse, outside seating area, televised results, different stand layout each month • See Facebook and Instagram for fixtures, results and news.

WILTSHIRE

P HAM CROSS SG 
SA 10:00-15:00
 Open an alternate Saturdays, please call for details.
 • cpsa.co.uk/clubs/ham-cross-shooting-ground/206
 • 07711 242749 • ESP, FSP, STR.

P WIDDINGTON SHOOT    
MO-WE CLOSED. TH-SA 10:00-18:00. SU 10:00-14:00
 widdingtonshoot.co.uk • 01980 630990 • ESP
 • Open Bank Holiday Mondays 10:00-14:00.

SOUTH EAST

BERKSHIRE

R HANGMAN'S STONE SPORTING CLAYS    
MO-SA CLOSED. SU 09:00-15:00
 facebook.com/4counties • 07909 864027 • ESP.

R ROYAL BERKSHIRE SS    
SU-MO CLOSED. WE-SA 08:00-DUSK
 Open until 17.30 in the summer months • rbss.co.uk
 • 01491 672900 • ESP • Food available 9:00-14:00.

BUCKINGHAMSHIRE

P E.J.CHURCHILL GROUP LTD    
MO-SA 8:30-17:30. SU CLOSED
 Late night shooting in summer • ejchurchill.com
 • 01494 883227 • DTL, ESK, ESP, OSK, FSP, CSP, STR, DR • Fibre wad only.

P THE OXFORD GUN COMPANY   
MO-FR 09:00-17:30. SA 10:00 16:00. SU CLOSED
 Saturday last cards 15:15, shooting stops at 16:00
 • oxfordguncompany.co.uk • 01844 238308 • DTL, ESP • Limited disabled access, hot and cold drinks and snacks available. Promatic Claymate Pay & Play on ESP & DTL for Licence holders. Caddied Rounds, Tuition & Gun Fit by appt.

ESSEX

A EASTWICK SG  
MO-SA CLOSED. SU 10:00-13:00
 07889719943 • Open every Sunday morning fortnightly. Last card 11.30. Please check our Facebook page for details. • ESP

GREATER LONDON

R A1 SHOOTING GROUND    
MO TU CLOSED. WE-SA 10:00-16:00. SU 10:00-13:00
 Times may change in the summer, please look on our website • a1sg.co.uk • 02084 419986 • ESP, OT • Group and Individual lessons given, Game shooting tuition also given. Helice practice dates will be shown on our website.

P WEST LONDON SHOOTING SCHOOL    
MO-FR 08:00-18:00. SA 08:00-16:30. SU CLOSED
 shootingschool.co.uk • 02088451377 • Summer: 08:00-18:00. Winter: MO-FR 8:00-17:00 • ESP
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HERTFORDSHIRE





P ATKIN GRANT & LANG    
MO CLOSED. TU-SA 09:00-17:00. SU 10:00-13:30
 agl-uk.com • 01582 849382 • ESP Registered Shoot on the last Friday of every month. Shop open until 5:30pm • Open until 20:00 on Wednesdays throughout the summer • ESP • Catering available Wed-Sun.

A CODICOTE BOTTOM CLAY TARGET CLUB   
MO-SA CLOSED. SU 10:00-13:00
 07941110381 • Open alternate Sundays. • ESP

R LEA VALLEY SHOOTING ASSOCIATION    
SU-TU, FR CLOSED. WE, SA 10:00-16:00. TH 10:00-20:00
 Thur evening shoots May-Sept • Ivsa.org.uk
 • 01992 552011 • ABT, CSP, ESP, STR • Covered shooting points, qualified Instructors, Have a Go and group sessions by appointment, catering not available every day, Pay & Play Wednesday, Saturday 10:00-16:00, Thursday 10:00-20:00.

A LITTLE AMWELL GUN CLUB 
SU 09:00-13:00, MO-SA CLOSED
 Club shoots second Sunday of month except November when it is the third Sunday. • 01707 326691 • DTL, ESP, STR.

A MORETON MASSEY GUN CLUB   
MO-SA CLOSED. SU 09:30-13:00
 07855 403902 • ABT, ESK, ESP • Men's and women's toilets, canteen for full English breakfast, sandwiches, tea / coffee etc.

P NUTHAMPSTEAD SG    
MO-TU, TH-FR CLOSED. SU 09:00-15:00. WE, SA 10:00-16:00.
 Sunday opening for competitions and practice, as advertised on Facebook and website.
 • nuthampsteadshootingground.co.uk • 07887 945350
 • ABT, ESK, ESP, OSK, OTR, UT • Simulated game shooting for groups by prior booking. Layouts covered and on hard standing. Trap layouts are automated and operated by card machines for practice.

R REDRICKS SPORTING CLAYS  
MO-SA CLOSED. SU 09:00-14:00
 07836 676654 • Last entry 14:00 during Winter.
 • CSP, ESP, FITASC, STR.






KENT

P DARTFORD CLAY SG 
WE 10:00-16:00. TH 10:00-20:00. FR-SU 10:00-17:00
 Winter hours in effect from late October: TH-SU 10:00-16:00 • dartfordclayshootingclub.com • 01322 311001
 • DTL, ESK, ESP, ABT, OTR, STR, OSK, FSP, CSP, DR, UTR.

A DOVER CLAY PIGEON CLUB 
MO-SA CLOSED. SU 08:30-12:00
 07932 011287 • ESP.

A MARTIN GORSE WOOD CLAY PIGEON CLUB 
MO-SA CLOSED. SU 09:00 - 13:00
 100 target ESP shoot every Sunday plus have a go stand. Private tuition and corporate events available Mon-Sat • martingorse.co.uk • 07932 638859
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P WEST KENT SHOOTING SCHOOL 
MO-FR 10:00-17:00. SA-SU CLOSED
 westkentshooting.co.uk • 01892834306 • As the light fades we will close 15:00/16:00 – please call to check • ESK, ESP.

A WILLOW FARM SG 
TU-FR 09:00-17:00. SA 09:00-16:00. SU 10:00-14:00. MO CLOSED
 100 Sporting Competition every Sunday (Last Entry 12:45) Winter closing Tuesday to Saturday 16:00
 • willowfarmshootingground.co.uk • 01233 758703
 • CSP, DTL, ESK, ESP, OSK.

OXFORDSHIRE

A GREENFIELD ENTERTAINMENT 
SU 10:00-16:00
 Open January to end of October. Regular 100 bird sporting. Most Sundays and Bank Holiday Mondays. Fixtures on website. Open any day for lessons and private groups. • greenfieldentertainments.co.uk • 01869 354949 • ESP.

R OXFORDSHIRE SHOOTING SCHOOL 
MO, SU CLOSED. TU-SA 09:00-17:00
 Registered shoot on the second Friday of every month
 • theoxfordshireshootingschool.co.uk • 01608 690866
 • ESP • Catering available Friday and Saturdays
 • Fibre wad only.

SURREY

R BISLEY GUN CLUB 
MO-FR CLOSED. SAT 08:30-15:00. SU 08:30-16:00
 thebisleygunclub.com • 07713 762928 • Open 1st, 3rd, 5th weekends of every month. Sat a.m. Reg. practice from 12:00. Sun a.m. Reg Competition (Must pre-book) • DTL.

A GATWICK CLAY SHOOTING SCHOOL 
MO-SA CLOSED. SU 10:00-13:00
 gatwickclayshootingschool.com • 07769701842 • DTL, ESK, ESP • Shoots on Sundays, coaching on Saturdays by appointment • Disabled access to Sporting and DTL, but not to clubhouse or toilets.

R HORNE CLAY PIGEON CLUB (CLAY & COUNTRY SPORTS UK) 
 clayandcountry.com • 07711 332097 • ESP
 • Mon-Sat, open for lessons, company days, stag/hen, private events, simulated game. Sundays, open sporting events as follows:

GATTON BOTTOM SG
SU 10:00-15:00
COURT FARM SG
SU 10:00-14:00
 See fixtures page on website for details of all our open shoots and directions to the shooting grounds.

P NATIONAL CLAY SHOOTING CENTRE 
MO CLOSED. TU-SU 09:00-16:00
 nsc-clays.co.uk • 01483 797666 • DTL, ESK, ABT, OTR, OSK, UTR, SKD.

SUSSEX

A KINGSCOTE SG 
SU-FR CLOSED, SA 09:30-13:00
 clayshootingsussex.co.uk • 01903 340657
 • Shoots on one Saturday per month, see website fixtures. Open February to December. • ESP.

A MILL FARM CLAY PIGEON CLUB 
MO-SA CLOSED. SU 09:00-14:00
 We are open once a fortnight on a Sunday
 • 07790498435 • ESK, ESP, STR • Can put together layouts for novice and experienced shooters and cater for groups of up to 200.

A POLOWOOD SG 
MO, WE, FR CLOSED. TU, TH, SA-SU OPEN
 50 ESP : Thursdays from April – October and every Saturday 10am-3pm, 25 STR : Tuesdays from October – March 10am-3pm; April – September 12pm-7:30pm and alternate Sundays 9:30am – 2pm
 • claypigeonshootingbrighton.co.uk • 07818203871
 • CSP, STR • Fibre wad only. 25 and 50 bird flush available.

P SOUTHDOWN GUN CLUB LTD 
MO-WE CLOSED. TH 15:00-20:00. FR-SU 10:00-17:00
 southdowngunclub.co.uk • 01903 877555
 • DTL, ESK, ESP, ABT, FSP, CSP, HEL, DR, STR.

NON-ENGLAND

CHANNEL ISLANDS

R CRABBE CLAY PIGEON SHOOTING CLUB 
MO-SA 11:00. SU 10:00-13:00
 07797 718459 • ESK practice Friday 2pm, ESK and DTL alternate Saturday 2pm, Sporting shoot every Sunday morning 10am • AR, DTL, ESK, ESP, OSK, OTR.

R LECQ CLAY TARGET CLUB 
SA 13:00-17:00. SU 09:30-13:00
 50 Bird Sporting every Sunday except month end which is Sporting 100 • lecqclaytargetclub.com
 • 07797 717940 • ABT, CSP, ESK, ESP, STR, UT.

ISLE OF MAN

R AYRE CLAY TARGET CLUB 
MO-FR CLOSED. SA 13:00-16:00. SU 10:00-14:00
 ayreclaytargetclub.com • Practice Wednesday evenings April-September - Please check our website and Facebook pages for updates • ABT, DTL, ESK, ESP, OSK, OTR, STR.

R ISLE OF MAN CLAY PIGEON SHOOTING CLUB 
MO-FR CLOSED, SA 10:00-14:00, SU 10:00-16:00
 Practice on Sat mornings, Open for practice on Tuesday evenings. May until September • iomclays.com
 • 07624 460785 • ABT, DTL, ESP, OSK, STR, ESK.

SCOTLAND

P BISLEY AT BRAIDWOOD 
MO CLOSED. TU, WE, FR-SU: 09:00-17:30. TH 09:00-20:00.
 Open to 20:00 on Thursdays in summer only, ceases in September. Monthly club shoot – please see events on website. • bisleyshooting.co.uk/bisley-at-braidwood • 01835 870280 • CPS, ESP, FSP, STR.

WALES

A FERNDALE SHOOTING CLUB 
MO-WE, FR, SU CLOSED. TH 12:00-19:00. SA 09:00-16:00
 Open Practise • ferndaleshooting.club • 07771 603989 • ESP.

P FAUXDEGLA SG 
TH-SU 10:00-17:00. MO, TU CLOSED. WE 10:00-DUSK
 Last entry to shoot will be 16:00. When clocks change in summer we are open late on Wednesdays to 22:00.
 • fauxdegla.co.uk • 01978 790198 • Corporate hospitality, functions, group parties, tuition, everyone welcome. • ABT, CSP, DT, DTL, ESK, ESP, OSK, OT, STR, UT.

A LEADBROOK HALL SG 
MO-SA CLOSED. SU 10:30-15:30
 First gun 10:30, last entry 13:30 • leadbrookclays.com
 • 07977 624358 • ESP • Open every second Sunday and fifth Sunday.

R NORTH WALES SHOOTING SCHOOL 
TU-FR 09:00-17:00, SA 09:00-16:00
 nwshootingschool.co.uk • 01244 812219 • CSP, DTL, ESK, ESP, OT, STR.

P SOUTH WALES 2000 SG 
TU-SU 10:00-17:00. MO CLOSED
 southwales2000.com • 01495 201182 • DTL, ESK, ESP, ABT, OTR, OSK, FSP, CSP, UTR.



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New	Silver Pigeon 1 Sport 'Vittoria'	30"	m/c	£1,650	New	B525 SL Laminate Adj Comb L/H	30"	m/c	£2,050
New	687 Silver Pigeon 3 Sport	30"	m/c	£1,995	New	B525 Liberty Steel	30"	m/c	£2,095
New	691 Scroll 'Vittoria'	30"	m/c	£2,095	New	B725 Sporter Adj Comb Trap Forend	30/32"	m/c	£2,375
New	694 Sport	30/32"	m/c	£3,200	New	B725 Pro Sport R/H & L/H	32"	m/c	£3,275
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OSK – Olympic Skeet

OTR – Olympic Trap

DT – Double Trap

UTR – Universal Trench

ABT – Automatic Ball Trap

FSP – FITASC

HEL – Helice

SB – Single-Barrel

DR – Double Rise

HD – Handicap by Distance

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AR – All-Round

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Please note: These fixtures are those received by the CPSA by the deadline date specified. We strongly advise that you check with the organisers before travel to ensure that shoot dates are correct and have not changed.

PLEASE NOTE

Please note that mandatory pre-booking of all CPSA Registered Shoots as a CV-19 precaution is no longer required. However, some grounds plan to continue using pre-booking, so be sure to check in advance.

SUNDAY 1 AUGUST

Ayre Clay Target Club, Isle Of Man, 01624 621451, 100 ESP REG Selection Shoot (Manx Petroleum Trophy), 10:00-13:00

Barbury Shooting School, Wiltshire, 01793 940420, 75 FSP REG English Open Day 2 of 2-day, 150-target event; 75 targets each day, shoot both days, 09:00-17:00

Barrow Sporting Clays, Suffolk, 07912 497000, 100 ESP REG, 09:00-14:00

Bisley Gun Club, Surrey, 07713 762928, 100 DTL REG SOUTH OF ENGLAND DTL CHAMPS, 08:30-15:00

Brook Bank, Somerset, 01749 871056, 100 ESK REG, 100 UTR REG + ESP Practice 10:30am-3pm (Check Calendar on brookbankshooting.co.uk). Pre-book only, 10:30-15:00

Dartford Clay Shooting Club, Kent, 01322 311001, 100 SKD reg & re-entry, 100 ESK REG & RE-ENTRY, PRACTICE ESK, ESP, ABT, OSK, UTR, DTL, DR & CSP, 10:00-17:00

Double Barrelled Willoughby Hedge, Wiltshire, 07888 697401, 100 ESP REG FIBRE Only. Catering on site. Telephone entries to 07888697401, 10:00-14:00

Eriswell Lodge, Suffolk, 01638 534045, 100 AR REG Suffolk County Championship Squadded, Tel. Entries 01638 534045. Practice & Tuition available, 09:00-15:30

Fauxdegla Shooting Ground, Wales, 01978 790198, 100 DTL reg phone and pay bookings only - open for practice, 10:00-17:00

Garlands Shooting Ground, Staffordshire, 01827 383300, 100 ESP REG pre-book via website or text 07394227186, £150 high gun, cash in classes & pool shoot, 09:00-14:00

Gloucester Clay Shooting Club, Gloucestershire, 07827 812796, 100 OSK REG West Midlands Area & Inter County, 09:00-16:30

Horne CPC (Court Farm), Surrey, 07711 332097, 100 BIRD OPEN ESP, £100 1st in AA,A,B,C, £50 2nd in Each Class plus Ladies, Juniors & Veterans, 10:00-14:30

Kegworth Shooting Ground, Leicestershire, 07973 111650, 100 ESP REG £150 high gun-Adult Refs - £720 + Prizefund Sportrap Pool. text 07973111650 to book, 10:00-14:00

Longridge Shooting Ground, Gloucestershire, 07971 447138, 100 ESP REG 24hrs on call telephone bookings only 07971 447138, 10:00-15:00

Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire, 01604 642252, 100 ESP REG £100 HG Tel. entries preferred, Practice, 09:00-15:30

Nottingham & District Gun Club, Nottinghamshire, 01623 883798, 100 DTL REG West Midlands Inter Counties, 09:00-16:30

Nuthampstead Shooting Ground, Hertfordshire, 01763 848172, 100 OTR REG + practice, 09:30-10:30

Old Glossop Clay S.G., Derbyshire, 07508 363918, 100 ESP REG £150 HG + Cash Payout Per Class (AA-C), 09:45-13:45

Penrith & District GC Ltd, Cumbria, 07539 269392, 100 DTL REG Cumbria county champs 9am start 3pm finish, 09:00-15:00

Ranton Clay Target Club, Staffordshire, 01785 223621, 100 DTL REG Staffordshire Championship, 10:00-12:00

Redricks Sporting Clays, Hertfordshire, 07836 676654, 100 ESP REG inc The Hertfordshire county sporting championship, 09:00-13:30

Rugby & District Trap Club, Warwickshire, 07770 551491, 100 UTR REG, 09:06-16:30

Spennymoor & District C.P.C, Durham, 0191 377 2412, 100 AR REG Edma Club Champs, Practice DTL & ESP, 09:30-11:00

The Priory Clay Target Centre, Lincolnshire, 01406 351451, 100 SKD REG Lincs & Norfolk County Skeet Doubles Championship, Practise Available On DTL,ABT,ESK,OSK,DR & Tower, 09:30-16:00





WEDNESDAY 4 AUGUST

Barbury Shooting School, Wiltshire, 01793 940420, 100 STR REG 100 ESP Practice Food available barburysshoot.com Last entries 19:00, 09:00-19:00

P Ian Coley Shooting School, Gloucestershire, 01242 870391, 100 ESP REG £150 H/G pre-booking required via web/phone takeaway catering on the day, 09:00-05:00

THURSDAY 5 AUGUST

P E.J.Churchill Group Ltd, Buckinghamshire, 01494 883227, 100 ESP REG SQUADED. Claymate. Please call to book, 09:00-20:00

FRIDAY 6 AUGUST


P Doveridge Clay Sports Centre, Derbyshire, 01889 565986, 100 ESK REG British Open, 09:00-17:00

P High Lodge Leisure Ltd, Suffolk, 01986 784347, 150 STR REG English Open. Day 1 of 3, shoot any day, 09:00-17:00

Kibworth Gun Club, Leicestershire, 0116 279 6001, 100 ESP REG. tel entries only. entries 10-2PM, 10:00-17:00

SATURDAY 7 AUGUST

Bradford Shooting Ground, Devon, 01409 281341, 100 DTL REG Southwest Championship, 09:30-10:30

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Brook Bank, Somerset, 01749 871056, 100 DTL REG + ESP/ ABT/ESK/UTR/OTR Practice 10:30am-4pm (Check Calendar on brookbankshooting.co.uk), 10:30-15:00

P Bywell Shooting Ground, Northumberland, 01670 787827, 100 ABT REG, 100 ESK REG 100 ABT REG, 100 ESK REG, 10:00-12:00

P Dartford Clay Shooting Club, Kent, 01322 311001, 100 SKD reg & re-entry, 100 esk reg & re-entry, practice ESK, ESP, ABT, OSK, UTR, DTL, DR & CSP, 10:00-17:00

P Doveridge Clay Sports Centre, Derbyshire, 01889 565986, 100 ESK REG British Open, 09:00-17:00

E.J.Churchill at The Swinton Estate, Yorkshire, 01765 357997, 100 STR REG, 09:00-15:30

Fareham Clay Target Club, Hampshire, 01329 315185, 100 ABT REG telephone / pre-booked entry plus 100 Open non reg sporting Club Championship, 09:15-14:00

P Fauxdeglia Shooting Ground, Wales, 01978 790198, 50 OTR REG AM, 50 ABT reg pm phone and pay bookings only - open for practice, 10:00-17:00

P High Lodge Leisure Ltd, Suffolk, 01986 784347, 150 STR REG English Open. Day 2 of 3, shoot any day, 09:00-17:00

Invicta ZZ, Kent, 01892 522208, 30 HEL REG British Helice Grand Prix Limited practice 09:30, competitions start 10am. Tel entries to Tracy 01892 522208, 09:30-17:00

P North Of England C.T.C, Yorkshire, 01904 738120, 100 DTL REG practice from 12:30, 09:30-17:00

P Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire, 01604 642252, Practice ESP,ESK,DTL & ABT, 10:00-16:00

P Nuthampstead Shooting Ground, Hertfordshire, 01763 848172, 100 OTR REG British Shooting Shotgun Series, 09:30-10:30

P Owls Lodge Shooting School, Hampshire, 07734 200280, 100 CSP REG British Masters Championship - pre booking required through BICTSF, 10:00-18:00

P South West Shooting School, Devon, 01884 243476, 100 ESP REG, 10:30-14:00

Westfield Shooting Ground, Gloucestershire, 07342 338390, 100 FSP REG Gloucestershire, Hereford & Worcester County Championship day 1 of 2 - shoot either day Pre-book 07394227186, 09:00-16:30

SUNDAY 8 AUGUST

Brook Bank, Somerset, 01749 871056, 100 OTR REG S/W CHAMPS, 10:30-15:00

P Dartford Clay Shooting Club, Kent, 01322 311001, 100 SKD reg & re-entry, 100 esk reg & re-entry, PRACTICE ESK, ESP, ABT, OSK, UTR, DTL, DR & CSP, 10:00-17:00

P Doveridge Clay Sports Centre, Derbyshire, 01889 565986, 100 ESK REG British Open, 09:00-17:00

P Fauxdeglia Shooting Ground, Wales, 01978 790198, 100 OTR reg phone and pay bookings only - open for practice, 10:00-17:00

Grange Farm Sporting Clays, Leicestershire, 01455 822208, 100 REG SPORTING, 09:30-13:00

Gunsite Sporting Clays, Wiltshire, 07979 874887, 100 ESP REG, Entry times 10 -1.30pm., 10:00-13:30

P High Lodge Leisure Ltd, Suffolk, 01986 784347, 150 STR REG English Open. Day 3 of 3, shoot any day, 09:00-17:00

P Highwaymans Shooting Ground, Suffolk, 07836 643436, 100 ESP REG Tel entries 07836643436, 09:00-14:00

Holmes Chapel Shooting Ground, Cheshire, 01477 518444, 100 DTL REG Comp, 09:30-13:00

P Honesberie Shooting, Warwickshire, 01327 262922, 100 ESP REG £200 HG Squadded, pool shoot £75 HG Telephone entries only 01327 262 922. No wad restriction, food available, 09:00-15:00

Horne CPC (Gatton Bottom), Surrey, 07711 332097, 100 BIRD OPEN ESP, £100 1st in AA,A,B,C, £50 2nd in Each Class plus Ladies, Veterans & Juniors, 10:00-15:00

Invicta ZZ, Kent, 01892 522208, 30 HEL REG British Helice Grand Prix Limited practice 09:30, competitions start 10am. Tel entries to Tracy 01892 522208, 09:00-17:00

Kegworth Shooting Ground, Leicestershire, 07973 111650, 100 FSP REG East Mids Intercounties, all shooters welcome. text 07973111650 to book, 10:00-14:00

Kingsferry Gun Club, Kent, 01795 877037, 100 ESK REG, 100 SKD REG and Practice, 10:00-17:00

Kingsley Moor Shooting Ground, Staffordshire, 01782 550371, 100 ESP REG, 10:00-12:30

Mayland & District Gun Club, Essex, 07572 878348, 100 DTL reg & re entry, 100 dr reg & re entry DTL, 100 SB REG SE England Championship, 09:00-14:30

North Of England C.T.C., Yorkshire, 01904 738120, 100 DTL REG North Region Championship £100 H/G, 09:30-12:30

Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire, 01604 642252, 100 ABT REG Northants County Champ's & Open, 100 ESK REG, 80 Sporting Comp, Practice, 10:00-16:00

Nottingham & District Gun Club, Nottinghamshire, 01623 883798, 100 ESK REG, 100 DTL REG Tel Entries only. Food all day practice ESP,DTL,FSP & SPT pre-booking, 10:00-14:00

Nuthampstead Shooting Ground, Hertfordshire, 01763 848172, 100 OTR REG British Shooting Shotgun Series, 09:30-10:30

South West Shooting School, Devon, 01884 243476, 100 ESP REG, 10:30-11:30

Spennymoor & District C.P.C., Durham, 0191 377 2412, 100 DTL REG Club Championship, Practice ESP, 09:30-12:00

The Priory Clay Target Centre, Lincolnshire, 01406 351451, 100 ESK REG, 100 DTL REG Practise available on DTL,ABT,ESK,OSK,DR & Tower, 09:30-16:00

Urchfont Clay Pigeon Club, Wiltshire, 01380 721218, 50 SB REG Wilts Championship urchfontclaypigeonclub.co.uk, 10:00-11:30

Westfield Shooting Ground, Gloucestershire, 07342 338390, 100 FSP REG Gloucestershire, Hereford & Worcester County Championship day 2 of 2 - shoot either day Pre-book 07394227186, 09:00-16:30

TUESDAY 10 AUGUST

Hornet Shooting Ground (CF), Buckinghamshire, 01494 883715, 100 ESP REG Limited Squads Tel Entries 07702243308, 10:00-13:00

WEDNESDAY 11 AUGUST

Barby Sporting Club Ltd, Warwickshire, 01788 891873, 100 ESP REG, 10:00-17:40

Hornet Shooting Ground (CF), Buckinghamshire, 01494 883715, 100 ESP REG Limited Squads Tel Entries 07702243308, 10:00-16:30

Nuthampstead Shooting Ground, Hertfordshire, 01763 848172, Practice, 09:30-16:00

Royal Berkshire S.S., Berkshire, 01491 672900, 100 ESP REG Over 12 stands. Must pre-book, squads of up to 5, £45 to compete, £40 birds only, 08:30-17:30

THURSDAY 12 AUGUST

Belsay Shooting Ground, Northumberland, 01661 881040, 50 ESP REG, 50 STR REG Squaddened event, fibre wads only. View website for details/entry fees, last card 7:30pm, 15:00-20:00

E.J.Churchill at The Swinton Estate, Yorkshire, 01765 357997, 100 ESP REG, 09:00-16:00

Hornet Shooting Ground (CF), Buckinghamshire, 01494 883715, 100 ESP REG Limited Squads Tel Entries 07702243308, 10:00-16:30

Owls Lodge Shooting School, Hampshire, 07734 200280, 100 FSP REG - PRE BOOKING REQUIRED, 10:00-14:20

FRIDAY 13 AUGUST

Bisley Gun Club, Surrey, 07713 762928, 100 DTL Reg Bisley 300 Event - 1ST DAY, 08:30-15:00

High Lodge Leisure Ltd, Suffolk, 01986 784347, 100 CSP REG Entries squaddened, phone to book. Day 1 of 2, shoot either day, 09:00-17:00

Hornet Shooting Ground (CF), Buckinghamshire, 01494 883715, 100 ESP REG Limited Squads Tel Entries 07702243308, 10:00-16:30

Oxfordshire Shooting School, Oxfordshire, 07876 033665, 100 ESP REG Pre booking required. Please call 01608 690866 to book, 09:00-17:00

Westfield Shooting Ground, Gloucestershire, 07342 338390, 100 ESP REG (friday - limited squads) book via text 07394 227186 or theclayshootingcompany.com, 09:00-14:00

SATURDAY 14 AUGUST

Atkin Grant & Lang SG, Hertfordshire, 01582 849382, 75 STR REG Squaddened, pre booking required. First squad 9am, last squad 2:40pm, 09:00-17:00

Ayre Clay Target Club, Isle Of Man, 01624 621451, 100 OTR REG Selection Shoot (Adam Slater Memorial Trophy), 13:30-15:30

Bisley Gun Club, Surrey, 07713 762928, 200 DTL REG BISLEY 300 EVENT - MAIN EVENT (2 DAYS), 08:30-15:00

Brook Bank, Somerset, 01749 871056, 100 DTL REG + ESP/ABT/ESK/UTR/OTR Practice 10:30am-4pm (Check Calendar on brookbankshooting.co.uk), 10:30-15:00

Cosford Shooting Ground, Warwickshire, 07563 518090, 100 ESK REG, 10:00-15:00

Dartford Clay Shooting Club, Kent, 01322 311001, 100 SKD reg & re-entry, 100 esk reg & re-entry, practice ESK, ESP, ABT, OSK, UTR, DTL, DR & CSP, 10:00-17:00

Double Barrelled Enford Valley, Dorset, 07888 697401, 100 ESP REG FIBRE Only. Catering on site. Telephone entries to 07888697401, 10:00-14:00

Doveridge Clay Sports Centre, Derbyshire, 01889 565986, 100 OSK REG Home International. Invitation only, 09:00-17:00

Fauxdegla Shooting Ground, Wales, 01978 790198, 100 DTL REG Welsh Open DTL - open for practice, 10:00-17:00

High Lodge Leisure Ltd, Suffolk, 01986 784347, 100 CSP REG Entries squaddened, phone to book. Day 2 of 2, shoot either day, 09:00-17:00





Hornet Shooting Ground (CF), Buckinghamshire, 01494 883715, 100 ESP REG Limited Squads Tel Entries 07702243308, 10:00-16:30

Kingsferry Gun Club, Kent, 01795 877037, 100 ESK REG, 100 SKD REG and Practice, 10:00-15:30

Normanton Shooting Ground, Leicestershire, 01455 888353, 100 DTL REG & ESP Practice, 10:00-17:00

North Cornwall Shooting Ground, Cornwall, 07790 158109, 100 SB REG South West Region and Cornwall Championships Call/text bookings only to 07790158109 + Practice, 09:30-16:00

North Of England C.T.C, Yorkshire, 01904 738120, 100 DTL REG practice from 12:30, 09:30-17:00

Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire, 01604 642252, 100 ESK REG, 100 DTL REG, Practice ESP,ESK,DTL & ABT, 10:00-16:00

Somerset Shooting Ground, Somerset, 07860 561677, 100 FSP REG Somerset & Devon county champs & South West regional championships; £150 high gun; call 07866 610086 to book, 09:30-16:00

SUNDAY 15 AUGUST

Ayre Clay Target Club, Isle Of Man, 01624 621451, 100 ESK REG, 50 English Skeet League (5), 10:00-13:00

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Barrow Sporting Clays, Suffolk, 07912 497000, 100 ESP REG includes East Midlands English Sporting Championships, 09:00-14:00

Bisley At Braidwood, Scotland, 01835 870280, 100 ESP REG Club Shoot, 10:00-14:30

Bisley Gun Club, Surrey, 07713 762928, 200 DTL REG Bisley 300 event - main event (2 days), 08:30-15:00

Brook Bank, Somerset, 01749 871056, 100 UTR REG + ESP Practice 10:30am-3pm (Check Calendar on brookbankshooting.co.uk), 10:30-15:00

Dartford Clay Shooting Club, Kent, 01322 311001, 100 SKD reg & re-entry, 100 esk reg & re-entry, practice ESK, ESP, ABT, OSK, UTR, DTL, DR & CSP, 10:00-17:00

Doveridge Clay Sports Centre, Derbyshire, 01889 565986, Practice All Disciplines, 09:30-14:00

East Yorkshire Clay Shooting Ground, Yorkshire, 01964 204190, 100 OTR REG Warwickshire Championship, 10:00-14:00

Eriswell Lodge, Suffolk, 01638 534045, 100 ABT REG Cambridgeshire County Championship squaddled bookings call 01638 534045, Open for Practice, 09:00-15:30

Fauxdeglia Shooting Ground, Wales, 01978 790198, 100 DTL REG Welsh Open DTL - open for practice, 10:00-17:00

Garlands Shooting Ground, Staffordshire, 01827 383300, 100 ESP REG pre-book via website or text 07394227186, £150 high gun, cash in classes & pool shoot, 09:00-14:00

Horne CPC (Gatton Bottom), Surrey, 07711 332097, 100 BIRD OPEN ESP, £100 1st in AA,A,B,C, £50 2nd in Each Class plus Ladies, Veterans & Juniors, 10:00-15:00

Kegworth Shooting Ground, Leicestershire, 07973 111650, 100 ESP REG £150 high gun-Adult Refs - £720 + Prizfund Sportrap Pool. text 07973111650 to book, 10:00-14:00

Meadowcroft Shoot, Avon, 07802 467384, 100 ESP REG Plus Pool, 10:00-14:30

North Of England C.T.C, Yorkshire, 01904 738120, 100 ESP REG Lanc's Champ £75 H/G, 10:00-12:30

Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire, 01604 642252, 100 ESP REG Warwicks County Champ's & Open £100 HG Tel.entries preferred, Practice, 09:00-15:30

Nottingham & District Gun Club, Nottinghamshire, 01623 883798, 100 ESK REG, 100 DTL REG Tel Entries only. Food all day practice ESP,DTL,FSP & SPT pre-booking, 10:00-14:00

Oak Lodge Shooting Ground, Durham, 07786 868691, 125 STR REG, 10:00-14:00

Old Glossop Clay S.G., Derbyshire, 07508 363918, 100 ESP REG £150 HG + Cash Payout Per Class (AA-C), 09:45-13:45

Penrith & District GC Ltd, Cumbria, 07539 269392, 100 DTL REG 9am start 3pm finish, 09:00-15:00

Redricks Sporting Clays, Hertfordshire, 07836 676654, 100 ESP REG Squaddled entry in advance to Phil Moss on 07836 676654, 09:00-13:30

Rugby & District Trap Club, Warwickshire, 07770 551491, 100 ABT REG, 09:00-16:30

Somerset Shooting Ground, Somerset, 07860 561677, 100 FSP REG Somerset & Devon county champs & South West regional championships; £150 high gun; call 07866 610086 to book, 09:30-16:00

Spennymoor & District C.P.C, Durham, 0191 377 2412, 50 ABT REG, 50 ESK REG, Practice DTL & ESP, 09:30-11:00

The Priory Clay Target Centre, Lincolnshire, 01406 351451, 100 ESK REG, Practise available on DTL,ABT,ESK,OSK,DR & Tower, 09:30-16:00

THURSDAY 19 AUGUST

E.J.Churchill Group Ltd, Buckinghamshire, 01494 883227, 100 ESP REG SQUADDED. Claymate. Please call to book, 09:00-20:00

Nuthampstead Shooting Ground, Hertfordshire, 01763 848172, 100 UTR REG, 10:00-11:00

Owls Lodge Shooting School, Hampshire, 07734 200280, 100 CSP REG Hampshire Championship, 10:00-16:20



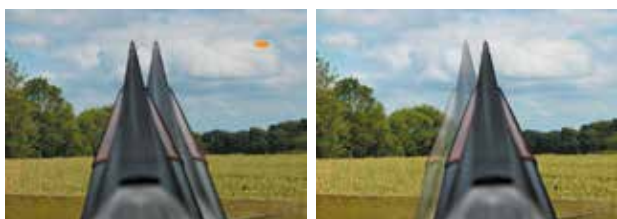
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FRIDAY 20 AUGUST

Redricks Sporting Clays, Hertfordshire, 07836 676654, 100 FSP REG inc Essex & Herts county FITASC championships 2 start times 9am & 1pm. Tel entries to Phil on 07836 676654, 09:00-16:00

SATURDAY 21 AUGUST

Axminster Gun Club, Devon, 01404 881588, 100 DR REG, 09:30-10:30

Bradford Shooting Ground, Devon, 01409 281341, 100 ABT REG Tony Webber Memorial, 09:30-10:30

Brook Bank, Somerset, 01749 871056, 100 DTL REG + ESP/ ABT/ESK/UTR/OTR Practice 10:30am-4pm (Check Calendar on brookbankshooting.co.uk), 10:30-15:00

Bywell Shooting Ground, Northumberland, 01670 787827, 100 STR REG, 10:00-12:00

Clacton Gun Club, Essex, 07394 670871, 100 SKD REG Essex Championship, 09:00-15:00

County Gun Club, Cornwall, 01579 363301, 100 SKD reg county championship email bookings, 10:00-17:00

Dartford Clay Shooting Club, Kent, 01322 311001, 100 SKD reg & re-entry, 100 esk reg & re-entry, practice ESK, ESP, ABT, OSK, UTR, DTL, DR & CSP, 10:00-17:00

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East Yorkshire Clay Shooting Ground, Yorkshire, 01964 204190, 100 DTL REG, 10:00-14:00

Fareham Clay Target Club, Hampshire, 01329 315185, 100 DTL REG telephone / pre booked entry plus 100 Open non reg Sporting "" Jerry Wilson, 09:15-14:00

Fauxdeglia Shooting Ground, Wales, 01978 790198, 50 OTR REG AM, 50 ABT reg pm phone and pay bookings only - open for practice, 10:00-17:00

North Of England C.T.C, Yorkshire, 01904 738120, 100 DTL REG practice from 12:30, 09:30-17:00

Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire, 01604 642252, 100 ESK REG, 100 AR REG, Practice ESP,ESK,DTL & ABT, Black Powder, 10:00-16:00

Redricks Sporting Clays, Hertfordshire, 07836 676654, 100 FSP REG inc Essex & Herts county FITASC championships 2 start times 9am & 1pm. Tel entries to Phil on 07836 676654, 09:00-16:00

SUNDAY 22 AUGUST

Ayre Clay Target Club, Isle Of Man, 01624 621451, 75 FSP REG, 10:00-13:00

Brook Bank, Somerset, 01749 871056, 100 UTR REG, 100 ESK REG + ESP Practice 10:30am-3pm (Check Calendar brookbankshooting.co.uk), 10:30-15:00

Catton Hall SG Ltd, Cheshire, 01928 788295, 100 ESP REG, 10:00-14:40

Dartford Clay Shooting Club, Kent, 01322 311001, 100 SKD reg & re-entry, 100 esk reg & re-entry, practice ESK, ESP, ABT, OSK, UTR, DTL, DR & CSP, 10:00-17:00

East Yorkshire Clay Shooting Ground, Yorkshire, 01964 204190, 100 SB REG North Region Championship, 100 DR REG North Region Championship, 10:00-14:00

Fauxdeglia Shooting Ground, Wales, 01978 790198, 100 OTR REG West Midlands Area and Hereford & Worcester County Championship phone & pay booking only. open for practice, 09:00-16:30

Grange Farm Sporting Clays, Leicestershire, 01455 822208, 100 REG SPORTING, 09:30-13:00

Hangman's Stone Sporting Clays, Berkshire, 07979 874887, 100 ESP REG, Entry times 10 -1.30pm, 10:00-13:30

Highwaymans Shooting Ground, Suffolk, 07836 643436, 100 ESP REG Tel entries 07836643436, 09:00-14:00

Holmes Chapel Shooting Ground, Cheshire, 01477 518444, 100 DTL REG Comp, 09:30-13:00

Honesberie Shooting, Warwickshire, 01327 262922, 100 ESP REG £200 HG Squadded, pool shoot £75 HG Telephone entries only 01327 262 922. No wad restriction, food available, 09:00-15:00

Horne CPC (Court Farm), Surrey, 07711 332097, 100 BIRD OPEN ESP, £100 1st in AA,A,B,C, £50 2nd in Each Class plus Ladies, Juniors & Veterans, 10:00-14:30

Kingsferry Gun Club, Kent, 01795 877037, 100 ESK REG, 100 SKD REG Kent championship and Practice, 10:00-15:30

Kingsley Moor Shooting Ground, Staffordshire, 01782 550371, 100 ESP REG, 10:00-12:30

Mayland & District Gun Club, Essex, 07572 878348, 100 DTL reg & re entry and Essex DTL Championship, 100 DR reg & re entry DTL, 09:00-14:30

National Clay Shooting Centre, Surrey, 01483 797666, 100 OSK REG South East England,

North Of England C.T.C, Yorkshire, 01904 738120, 100 STR REG N.Region Champ £100 H/G tel entries, 10:00-12:30

Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire, 01604 642252, 100 AR REG East Mids Champ's & Open, 25 Sportrap Pool Shoot, 10:00-16:00

Nottingham & District Gun Club, Nottinghamshire, 01623 883798, 100 ESK REG inc Mick Tomlinson Mem-Tel Entries Only,food av all day,practice only via web site, 10:00-14:00

Nuthampstead Shooting Ground, Hertfordshire, 01763 848172, 100 UTR REG South East Region UTR Inter-Counties, 09:30-10:30

Orston Shooting Ground, Nottinghamshire, 01949 851181, 100 ESP REG £100 HG + Cash in Classes, 25 STR Pool + 25 DTL & ESK Pool. ESP & Driven Practice, Shop & Cafe, 09:00-14:00

P **Rugby & District Trap Club, Warwickshire**, 07770 551491, 24 HEL REG WM Area, Warks, Her & Worc County Championship. Text or email entries only to John 07770 551491, 09:00-16:00

Spennymoor & District C.P.C, Durham, 0191 377 2412, 100 DTL REG (Kenny Richardson Trophy) Club Championship, Practice ESP, 09:30-12:00

P **Sporting Targets Ltd, Bedfordshire**, 01234 708893, 100 ESP REG TEL entries only 01234 708893. LTD practice, 09:00-14:00

The Priory Clay Target Centre, Lincolnshire, 01406 351451, 100 ESK REG Lincs County Skeet, 100 Dr Reg Cambs Dr Championship, Practise available on DTL,ABT,ESK,OSK,DR & Tower, 09:30-16:00

Two Counties Gun Club, Cornwall, 01566 783323, 100 DTL REG, 10:00-15:00

Westfield Shooting Ground, Gloucestershire, 07342 338390, 100 ESP REG long range sporting book via website or text 07394227186 £150 high gun and cash in classes, pool shoot, 09:00-14:00

TUESDAY 24 AUGUST

Hornet Shooting Ground (CF), Buckinghamshire, 01494 883715, 100 ESP REG Limited Squads Tel Entries 07702243308, 10:00-13:00

WEDNESDAY 25 AUGUST

Barbury Shooting School, Wiltshire, 01793 940420, 100 ESP REG 100 ESP Practice Food available barburysshoot.com Last entries 19:00, 09:00-19:00

Hornet Shooting Ground (CF), Buckinghamshire, 01494 883715, 100 ESP REG Limited Squads Tel Entries 07702243308, 10:00-16:30

Mickley Hall Shooting School, Cheshire, 07766 252438, open practice for ESP & DTL practice & tuition is also available & 100 reg ESP booking only squads at 10am, 1pm & 4pm, 10:00-19:00

Normanton Shooting Ground, Leicestershire, 01455 888353, 70 ESP REG £100 H/G, 10:00-17:00

P **Oxford Gun Co., Buckinghamshire**, 01844 238308, 100 ESP REG Pre Booking required, time slots available between 9am and 3pm, 09:00-15:00

THURSDAY 26 AUGUST

E.J.Churchill at The Swinton Estate, Yorkshire, 01765 357997, 100 ESP REG, 09:00-16:00

Hornet Shooting Ground (CF), Buckinghamshire, 01494 883715, 100 ESP REG Limited Squads Tel Entries 07702243308, 10:00-16:30

P **Owls Lodge Shooting School, Hampshire**, 07734 200280, 100 ESP REG - pre booking required, 10:00-16:00

FRIDAY 27 AUGUST

P **Atkin Grant & Lang SG, Hertfordshire**, 01582 849382, 100 ESP REG Squadded, pre booking required. First squad 9am, last squad 2:40pm, 09:00-17:00

Double Barrelled High Croft, Somerset, 07888 697401, 100 ESP REG no wad restriction. Limited Squads. Telephone entries to 07888697401, 10:00-14:00

P **E.J.Churchill Group Ltd, Buckinghamshire**, 01494 883227, 100 CSP REG British Grand Prix, 09:00-17:00

P **Fauxdeglia Shooting Ground, Wales**, 01978 790198, 100 ESK REG Home International Day 1 of 2-day, 150-target event; Day 1 - 100 targets, shoot both days, 09:00-17:00

Hornet Shooting Ground (CF), Buckinghamshire, 01494 883715, 100 ESP REG Limited Squads Tel Entries 07702243308, 10:00-16:30

Somerset Shooting Ground, Somerset, 07860 561677, 100 ESP REG £200 high gun. Pre-booked entries only, call 07866610086 (Liana), 10:00-14:00

SATURDAY 28 AUGUST

Bisley Gun Club, Surrey, 07713 762928, 100 DTL REG + Practice, 08:30-12:00

Clacton Gun Club, Essex, 07394 670871, 100 STR REG sporting practice. Telephone booking only. 07394 670871, 09:00-15:00

P **Dartford Clay Shooting Club, Kent**, 01322 311001, 100 SKD reg & re-entry, 100 esk reg & re-entry, practice ESK, ESP, ABT, OSK, UTR, DTL, DR & CSP, 10:00-17:00

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P **E.J.Churchill Group Ltd, Buckinghamshire**, 01494 883227, 100 CSP REG British Grand Prix, 09:00-17:00

P **East Yorkshire Clay Shooting Ground, Yorkshire**, 01964 204190, 100 SB REG English Open & British Open, 100 DR REG English Open & British Open Day 1 of 2, 09:00-17:00

P **Fauxdeglia Shooting Ground, Wales**, 01978 790198, 50 ESK REG Home International Day 2 of 2-day, 150-target event; Day 2 - 50 targets, shoot both days, 09:00-17:00

Hornet Shooting Ground (CF), Buckinghamshire, 01494 883715, 100 ESP REG Limited Squads Tel Entries 07702243308, 10:00-16:30

Kingscote Shooting Ground, Sussex, 01903 340657, 80 Bird Sporting, 12 stands. Entries 9.30. to 12.00pm. Finish shooting 1300, 09:30-13:00

Kingsferry Gun Club, Kent, 01795 877037, 100 ESK REG, 100 SKD REG and Practice, 10:00-17:00

Normanton Shooting Ground, Leicestershire, 01455 888353, 70 DTL REG & ESP Practice, 10:00-17:00

North Cornwall Shooting Ground, Cornwall, 07790 158109, 100 ABT REG South West Championship Call/text bookings only to 07790158109, 09:30-16:00

P **North Of England C.T.C, Yorkshire**, 01904 738120, 100 DTL REG practice from 12:30, 09:30-17:00

P **Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire**, 01604 642252, 100 ESK REG, 100 DTL REG, Practice ESP,ESK,DTL & ABT, 10:00-16:00

P **South Wales 2000 S.G, Wales**, 01495 201182, 100 UTR REG, 09:00-17:00





SUNDAY 29 AUGUST

Ayre Clay Target Club, Isle Of Man, 01624 621451, 100 DTL REG Manx Championship, 10:00-13:00

Barrow Sporting Clays, Suffolk, 07912 497000, 100 ESP REG, 09:00-14:00

Belsay Shooting Ground, Northumberland, 01661 881040, 50 ESP REG, 50 STR REG Squadded event, fibre wads only. View website for details/entry fees, last card 7:30pm, 15:00-20:00

Bisley Gun Club, Surrey, 07713 762928, 100 DTL REG, 08:30-15:00

Dartford Clay Shooting Club, Kent, 01322 311001, 100 SKD reg & re-entry, 100 esk reg & re-entry, PRACTICE ESK, ESP, ABT, OSK, UTR, DTL, DR & CSP, 10:00-17:00

East Yorkshire Clay Shooting Ground, Yorkshire, 01964 204190, 100 SB REG English Open & British Open, 100 DR REG English Open & British Open Day 2 of 2, 09:00-17:00

Eriswell Lodge, Suffolk, 01638 534045, 100 CSP REG Suffolk County Championship Tel. Entries 01638 534045. Practice & Tuition available, 09:00-20:00

Fauxdegla Shooting Ground, Wales, 01978 790198, 100 ESK Reg Fauxdegla ESK Challenge Cup £200 H/G, 100 DTL reg phone and pay bookings only -open for practice, 10:00-17:00

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Holmes Chapel Shooting Ground, Cheshire, 01477 518444, 100 SB REG Cheshire, Hereford and Worcestershire and Merseyside county championship 9:30-13:00 please phone to book, 09:30-13:00

Horne CPC (Gatton Bottom), Surrey, 07711 332097, 100 BIRD OPEN ESP, £100 1st in AA,A,B,C, £50 2nd in Each Class plus Ladies, Veterans & Juniors, 10:00-15:00

Invicta ZZ, Kent, 01892 522208, 24 HEL REG SER Intercounties Limited practice 09:30, competitions start 10am. Tel entries to Tracy 01892 522208, 09:30-17:00

Kegworth Shooting Ground, Leicestershire, 07973 111650, 200 ESP REG PROMATIC, 24 Stands Shot in a day. Massive Prize fund & Sportrap POOL See kegworth.co.uk, 10:00-14:00

Mayland & District Gun Club, Essex, 07572 878348, 100 DTL reg & re-entry, South East Inter Countie DTL, 100 DR reg & re-entry and Essex DR Championships, 09:00-14:30

Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire, 01604 642252, 100 AR REG Northants, Leics & Beds County Champ's & Open, 100 ESK REG, Practice ESP,ESK,DTL & ABT, 10:00-16:00

Nottingham & District Gun Club, Nottinghamshire, 01623 883798, 100 AR REG Nott's & Linc's County Champs,Tel Entries Only Food av all day,practice via website, 10:00-14:00

Nuthampstead Shooting Ground, Hertfordshire, 01763 848172, 100 OTR REG, 100 ESP Walkern GC + practice, 09:30-10:30

Orston Shooting Ground, Nottinghamshire, 01949 851181, 100 ESP REG, 100 STR REG £100 HG + Cash in Classes, 25 STR Pool + 25 DTL & ESK Pool. ESP & Driven Practice, Shop & Cafe, 09:00-14:00

South Wales 2000 S.G, Wales, 01495 201182, 100 UTR REG, 09:00-17:00

Spennymoor & District C.P.C, Durham, 0191 377 2412, 50 ABT REG, 50 ESK REG Club Championship, Practice DTL & ESP, 09:30-11:00

Westfield Shooting Ground, Gloucestershire, 07342 338390, 100 ESP reg book via website or text 07394227186 £150 high gun and cash in classes, pool shoot, 09:00-14:00

MONDAY 30 AUGUST

Barbury Shooting School, Wiltshire, 01793 940420, 100 STR REG WILTSHIRE COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP 100 ESP Practice Food available barburysshoot.com Last entries 16:30, 09:00-17:00

Catton Hall SG Ltd, Cheshire, 01928 788295, 100 ESP REG, 10:00-14:40

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Penrith & District GC Ltd, Cumbria, 07539 269392, 100 DTL REG 9am start 3pm finish, 09:00-15:00

Southdown Gun Club Ltd, Sussex, 01903 877555, 100 ESP REG John Fenner Mem Shoot/Sussex Champ; 100 CSP REG Sussex, Surrey, GLN & Kent CC, pre book only + Pool Shoot, 09:10-15:30

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Normanton Shooting Ground, Leicestershire, 01455 888353, 50 DR REG, 50 DT REG Leicestershire Championship, 10:00-14:00





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SEVEN SHILLINGS AND A SIXPENCE

Senior CPSA L3 Coach, Tutor and Assessor, **Mike Williams**, discusses his introduction to shooting and his many roles within the CPSA.



Q How did you first get into shooting?

My introduction to shooting was as an Air Cadet on a military range, the gun was a Lee Enfield .303 and I was given some cotton wool as my only defence against the noise generated. There was a ringing in my ears for days afterwards!

I then progressed to 'rough' shooting, purchasing an unnamed Spanish side-by-side hammer gun, which I paid £15 for after acquiring my first shotgun certificate for seven shillings and six pence, which would be roughly 38p nowadays. There was no visit from a Firearms Enquiry Officer – you just walked up to the Post Office counter,

paid the fee and collected your certificate!

Promotion, pressure of work, getting married, and moving location all helped to put the shooting on a back burner until about 1985 when I was introduced to clay shooting on a corporate event. I won and got bitten by the bug. Most of the grounds in those days existed on the 28-day rule so you only got to shoot every other weekend, so I joined three clubs and my wife became the shooting equivalent of a golf widow.

Q You have done a lot of work with the CPSA, could you explain some of the positions you hold/have held?

Probably the first time I was able to observe the workings of the CPSA was in the late 80's when I was elected to the CPSA Cambridge County Committee, and then as that county's delegate to the East Midlands Regional Committee. Already a qualified referee in all of the disciplines, the regional committee appointed me as their representative to the

National Rules and Referees Committee, which had just been formed and I became a founding

member and a Referee Tutor. I served on the county committee as a member, secretary, and chairman, and the regional committee as county delegate and secretary.

At the same time I was going through the CPSA instructor and coaching training courses, which I completed as a L3 Senior Coach in 1994 and to my delight, the Coaching Committee asked me to join them as a Course Tutor. As part of my continual professional development (CPD) and the wish to have an external award from the CPSA Instructor and Coaching courses, we went through a course accreditation with City and Guilds and NVQ L3 Coach, Tutor and Internal Verifier (Courses) qualification which I achieved.

Back in 2011, the management committee wanted to ensure that the CPSA instructional courses were the best they possibly could be and the Education and Training Steering Group (ETSG) was born. It was supported by the Technical Advisory Group (TAG), the latter consisting of the senior regional tutors of our five regions who could input to the ETSG what

changes or amendments were required to keep our courses relevant utilising up-to-date techniques. I served on both groups and am currently chair of the ETSG.

I was also CPSA Clayline manager at Game Fairs for several years until a second total knee replacement precluded my attendance.

Q What would be your greatest achievement?

Probably my greatest achievement whilst working with the CPSA, was my appointment as Life Vice President in 2015, which came totally out of the blue.

Q What are the best parts of your coaching role?

There are so many that cover all aspects of the coaching spectrum – from the novice who has never shot before to an England team member who is suffering from a loss in form and all levels in-between.

The buzz that I get out of it is the same that I used to get when I was competing, but it's not from my shooting now, it's the pleasure that I get from getting my clients to achieve the best results that they possibly can, whatever their chosen discipline.

I also derive a great deal of pleasure taking a shooter and showing them how they can become an Instructor or Coach by imparting what I have learned over the years – and I am still learning. 🍀



MIKE'S QUALIFICATIONS

CPSA Club Coach, L2 Advanced Coach-Sporting, Trap, Skeet and Olympic Trap, L3 CPSA Senior Coach, Senior Tutor and Assessor for Coaches, Instructors, Referees and Safety, CPSA Internal Verifier (Courses), Fellow of the Institute of Clay Shooting Instructors F.I.C.S.I., and ISSF "D" Coach OS and OT.



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