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SHOOTERS



## HAS YOUR GUN CLUB SELECTED ITS BEST TEAM?

Now is the time to start practising and planning your Clubman campaign. Clubs should hold qualifiers amongst their members to choose their teams (five-man and two-man), chosen from their top Guns in Juniors, Ladies, Seniors and Veterans.



August 29-31 2009 Doveridge CSC, Derbys.

Dear Club Secretary

### THE SPORTING GUN CLUBMAN CHAMPIONSHIP 2009

The country's biggest best and longest-running club championship has developed again for 2009.

The clubman continues to recognise and reward unclassified grass routes shooters and shooters who have never gone higher than 'B' Class in any clay pigeon shooting discipline. However, due to the popularity of last years 'A' Class competition we will continue to recognise the rising standards of club shooting in Britain and support this area of the competition. Remember, however, that the prestigious Clubman title – as well as the champion senior, junior, lady and veteran accolade – can only go to 'B' Class shooters and below.

#### MAJOR DEVELOPMENTS FOR 2009

We have a number of new and exciting new developments to the championship this year which we hope will not only show our commitment to maintaining this championship as the premium grass routes competition in the UK but also improve the way in which we offer help to those clubs which hold qualifying events and encourage those who do not currently hold qualifiers to do so by providing them with greater support

- This year the winning club will receive a £300 cash prize and the winning Clubman Champion £250 to spend in anyway they choose plus the CPSA has also provided a safety officer training course for the winning club
- We are also producing a number of Clubman Championship 2009 cloth badges to any clubs wishing to hold qualifiers. To apply for these simply call or email Emma Parkin on [emma\\_parkin@ipcmedia.com](mailto:emma_parkin@ipcmedia.com) or 0203 148 4316 with the name address and number required for the qualifying event. However, stocks are limited and are sure to run out fast so call quick to ensure you get them and be aware of your numbers so everyone gets the chance to get theirs!

#### DATE AND LOCATION

The competition will be held at the Doveridge Clay Sports Centre in Derbyshire over August Bank Holiday weekend (August 29-31). All entries will be handled by Sporting Gun magazine, contact details below. The event is supported by the Clay Pigeon Shooting Association and will be run under their rules. For more information please visit [www.cpsa.co.uk](http://www.cpsa.co.uk)

#### THE COMPETITION

The Clubman championship will be decided over a 75-bird All-Round shoot comprising 25 Sporting, 25 Skeet and 25 Down-the-Line (single barrel).

Entrants nominated by their club will compete as individuals in their relevant category ie Senior, Junior, Ladies or Veteran – and they may also shoot as a two, or five, man club team.

#### HOW TO ENTER

To enter a team or individual(s) for the 2009 Clubman Championship simply complete the attached entry form and return to the address listed, to arrive with payment of £25 per person – entries close August 14<sup>th</sup>. **PTO.**



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**ENTRY ELIGIBILITY**

The Clubman is open to those shooters who have:

- Never been placed first in ANY class or won a gun prize in a previous Clubman.
\* Never attained a CPSA classification higher than B in ANY discipline before January 1, 2008 for the Clubman and two-man team events.
• Never attained a CPSA classification higher than A in ANY discipline for one member of the five man team or individual A class shoot.
• Never represented their country in clay pigeon shooting.
• Juniors must be below the age of 18 on August 29, 2009 and Veterans must be 60 years or over on August 29, 2009.

**ENTRY RULES**

The event will be run under CPSA rules. In addition:

- All shooters must use Lyalvale Express cartridges exclusively at the event (these will be on sale on the day at a special event rate).
• Shooting glasses and ear protection must be worn.
• The count-back system will be used in case of a team tie.
• Winners of cartridges must collect their prizes at the event on Monday August 31, 2009 or from Doveridge before September 30th.
• Shotgun Certificates MUST be presented on the day to receive prize guns and/or cartridges.

The Clubman is open to all clubs regardless of size and there is no requirement to be affiliated to the Clay Pigeon Shooting Association in order to compete. Clubs may enter more than one team, however Clubs are encouraged to hold qualifying rounds to find their best Senior, Lady, Junior and Veteran shooters. This way you will ensure your are entering your strongest team. Shooters are encouraged to practice with Lyalvale Express cartridges in any qualifying rounds.

With more prizes for your club to win this year, can you afford not to send a team to the Sporting Gun Clubman? Simply fill in the attached entry form now!

We look forward to you joining us for what promises to be yet another extremely exciting Clubman Championship. If you have any questions, please contact Emma Parkin on 0203 148 4316.

See you in August!

Yours sincerely

Robin Scott

Robin Scott, Editor

**THE PRIZES**

With thanks to our sponsors Browning International, CPSA and Lyalvale Express we have a sensational array of prizes available to the lucky winners, along with two clay traps generously donated by Pro-matic for the winning club and two man team.

**CHAMPION** (Open to 'B' Class and below)

£500 CASH
Winchester Select Platinum o/u
2000 D&J Express cartridges all worth over £2000

**SENIOR CHAMPION** (Open to 'B' Class and below)

Winchester Select Sporting o/u plus
1500 D&J Express cartridges
2nd Senior - 1000 cartridges
3rd Senior - 750 cartridges
4th Senior - 500 cartridges

**LADIES CHAMPION** (Open to 'B' Class and below)

Winchester Select Sporting o/u plus
1500 D&J Express cartridges
2nd Lady - 1000 cartridges
3rd Lady - 750 cartridges
4th Lady - 500 cartridges

**JUNIORS CHAMPION** (Open to 'B' Class and below)

Winchester Select Sporting o/u plus
1500 D&J Express cartridges
2nd Junior - 1000 cartridges
3rd Junior - 750 cartridges
4th Junior - 500 cartridges

**VETERANS CHAMPION** (Open to 'B' Class and below)

Winchester Select Sporting o/u plus
1500 D&J Express cartridges
2nd Veteran - 1000 cartridges
3rd Veteran - 750 cartridges
4th Veteran - 500 cartridges

**'A' CLASS CHAMPION**

Winchester Select Sporting o/u plus
500 D&J Express cartridges
2nd 'A' CLASS - 1000 cartridges
3rd 'A' CLASS - 750 cartridges
4th 'A' CLASS - 500 cartridges

Plus runners up prizes to the 10th place.

**WINNING CLUB**

£300 CASH
Pro-matic Eagle Automatic clay trap
One club members trained to CPSA safety officer level

**WINNING TWO MAN TEAM**

Promatic Hawk Automatic clay trap



**ENTRY FORM**

To be completed and returned with payment by 14th August 2009

SEND TO: Emma Parkin, Sporting Gun Clubman, 9th Floor, IPC Media, Blue Fin Building, 110 Southwark Street, London, SE1 0SU

Name of Club .....

Name of Secretary .....

Daytime tel. no .....

Address .....

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..... Postcode

I am entering a 5 man team (please tick) and/or individual shooters (list names below)

N.B. A 5 man team must be: 2 seniors, 1 junior, 1 veteran and 1 lady

Table with 5 columns: Category, CPSA Classification, Name, Fee, CPSA No. (if applicable). It contains 5 rows of dotted lines for entry.

Category = Senior, Junior, Veteran or Lady. CPSA Classification = A, B, C and unclassified.

A club may enter more than one team, however no individual shooter may be part of more than one team.

Clubs will be allocated a morning or afternoon slot on either Saturday 29th, Sunday 30th August or Monday 31st August please state your first and second choice of preferred time slot

First Choice Time Slot ..... Second Choice Time Slot .....

I enclose a cheque made payable to IPC media for the amount of £ .....

Or I wish to pay by credit card (please tick one) Mastercard [ ] Visa [ ] Switch [ ]

Credit card number .....

Expiry date ..... / ..... Start date ..... / ..... Security code .....

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