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I can't believe we are coming in to Spring already, but hopefully we can look forward to some better and drier weather ahead, and more opportunities to get out shooting clays!

We've got another very busy year ahead with a full calendar of events which you can see on pages 12-13. In fact, when you receive this issue, we will have already attended the British Shooting Show at the NEC. This is a firm favourite with shooting enthusiasts and the chance to grab that essential bit of kit before the competition season gets underway.

Our annual Awards takes place in March, where we celebrate the achievements of those who excelled in our sport in 2025. Do keep an eye on our social media on 21 March to find out whose this years winners are and a full report will be in a forthcoming issue.

As I'm sure you will all be aware, the Government is proposing to merge Section 1 & 2 licencing and at the time of writing, we were still awaiting the public consultation being launched. However, I want to just reassure you that we are working closely with our fellow associations through the BSSC to oppose this proposed merger, as we believe it would not be an effective way to ensure better safety and a more efficient licencing service.

On a final note, we are pleased to bring you our Chairman's Report looking back over the previous year. We were delighted to have been given a clean bill of health by our auditors and you can read our Directors Report and Financial Statements on our website cpsa.co.uk

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CLUBHOUSE NEWS

CPSA CLUBS AND GROUNDS INITIATIVE WINNER

We are delighted to confirm that Lakeside Sporting in Leicestershire are the 2025 winners of the brand new Promatic Falcon 8 Trap & 8,250 clays from EuroTarget for providing the most CPSA membership referrals during the year. Congratulations!

We are running the scheme again during 2026, so please ensure your club/ground/shooting school name is provided with the referral.

For more info please visit our website cpsa.co.uk



NEW CPSA FIRST AID COURSE

Be prepared for anything on the shooting ground! Our CPSA Emergency First Aid qualification equips you with the essential skills to respond safely and effectively in emergency situations.

Who can join? Anyone aged 16+, CPSA member or not. Perfect for individuals, grounds, and clubs. Plus, it's a requirement for CPSA Club Affiliation.

- National Clay Shooting Centre – Friday 6 March 2026
 - Eaton Hall Shooting Ground – Friday 13 March 2026
- £170.00 per course. Don't wait – ensure you and your team are prepared to act when it matters most.

Find out more at cpsa.co.uk/courses or call 01483 485 405.



CPSA RENEWS HEADLINE GUN SPONSORSHIP WITH BROWNING INTERNATIONAL FOR FOUR YEARS

The Clay Pigeon Shooting Association is pleased to announce the renewal of our Headline Gun Sponsorship agreement with Browning International for a further four years, extending our partnership through to 2029.

Browning is renowned worldwide for its innovation, reliability, and technical excellence in shotguns and rifles. Trusted by shooters at every level, their commitment to quality aligns closely with the CPSA's mission to support the sport from grassroots participation to elite competition.

Under this renewed agreement, Browning will continue to support major CPSA championships & events, most notably as Headline Gun Sponsor of the World English Sporting Championships. Their involvement ensures a world-class experience for competitors and spectators, and we are thrilled to have Browning play such a key role at this flagship event.

Browning will also continue their support of all major disciplines across the domestic championship calendar, including the CPSA English Sporting, Super Sporting, Skeet & ABT Championships, as well as the CPSA DTL Weekend. Their contribution will support these prize funds, event delivery, and wider championship initiatives, reinforcing their commitment to the sport and our members.

Commenting on the renewal, Iain Parker, Chief Executive of the CPSA, said:

'We are extremely pleased to continue our partnership with Browning for another four years. Their support plays a vital role in the development of our championships and the sport as a whole. We look forward to building on our shared successes and working closely together in the years ahead.'

The CPSA looks forward to another four years of collaboration with Browning and to celebrating their ongoing involvement in our events.

REFER A FRIEND WINNER

Congratulations to our 2025 winners Allan Shields and Colin Green who each won a brand new Browning B525 in our Refer a Friend scheme.

Allan and Colin are friends and neighbours and Allan introduced Colin to clay pigeon shooting and the CPSA. Allan was shooting a second hand Miroku and Colin a second hand Browning 325, so both were shocked and delighted to win a brand new B525s with adjustable stock and excited to get shooting with their new guns!

We're running the scheme again during 2026 so don't forget to Refer a Friend(s) and this could be you next year.



TOP SHOTS RANKINGS CORRECTION

In the January/February issue of *Pull!* magazine, we incorrectly published the Overall and Ladies Helice top-20 rankings. Here is the correct table of results.

HELICE					
No.	Mem No.	Name	Targets	Hits	Ave
1	EE124328	Alasdair Williams	158	144	91.14
=2	EE100511	Peter Farrell	20	18	90
=2	EE135238	Katie Durrant	40	36	90
=4	EE128899	Martin Jeminson	48	42	87.5
=4	EE94738	Matthew Pugh	24	21	87.5
6	EE129642	Charles Pomfret	162	141	87.04
7	EE103208	Carl Miles	94	81	86.17
8	EE61691	John Foy	128	110	85.94
9	EE27600	Archie Tyler	70	60	85.71
10	EE142345	Jack Malthouse	134	114	85.07
=11	EE149386	Bradley Jarvis	20	17	85
=11	EE152159	William Munday	20	17	85
13	EE14019	P Crumpton	162	137	84.57
14	EE131559	Andrew Stratford	142	120	84.51
15	EE68158	Donovan Jenkin	64	54	84.38
16	EE131511	Phil Negus	138	116	84.06
17	EE71792	Glyn Barker	224	188	83.93
=18	EE99095	Kevin Flitton	74	62	83.78
=18	EE27601	Kevin Tyler	74	62	83.78
20	EE143977	Tristan Lambert	128	107	83.59

Ladies					
No.	Mem No.	Name	Targets	Hits	Ave
1	EE135238	Katie Durrant	40	36	90
2	EE149049	Tracey Jeffrey	118	95	80.51
3	EE26152	Dionne Rogers	166	133	80.12
4	EE131679	Jo Watson-Hopkinson	114	88	77.19
=5	EE146452	Meghan Ryan	70	53	75.71
=5	EE125217	Faye Wills	210	159	75.71
=7	EE144618	Olivia Stevens	24	18	75
=7	EE149538	Heather Lynn	20	15	75
9	EE149254	Jessica Swift	170	123	72.35
10	EE4321	Elizabeth Mulliner	114	80	70.18

SAFETY OFFICER REQUALIFICATION

Please note, if you qualified as a Safety Officer in 2021, you will need to renew your qualification during 2026.

For further info and to book onto the online refresher course, please visit our courses page: cpsa.co.uk/courses or call Richard Worthington or Clare Heney at CPSA HQ on 01483 485400 for assistance.

ENGLAND TEAM MANAGER ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are pleased to announce and welcome our new ABT England Team Manager, Ian Hull. Ian's experience and commitment will play an important role in supporting our athletes and guiding them to success.

A message from our new manager: "In 2021 & 2022 I had the honour to represent England on the ABT team, I am tremendously proud to have been selected as the England ABT Manger for 2026-2029.

I would like to take this opportunity to wish all my shooting friends and family a very Happy New Year I look forward to seeing you all next season."

We would also like to express our sincere thanks to our outgoing ABT Team Manager, Dr Rebecca Lloyd, for her dedication and service to the team over the years.

A big welcome back our ESK Team Manager Julia Havill and OSK Team Manager Paul Tudge who will take another tenure supporting our England shooters.



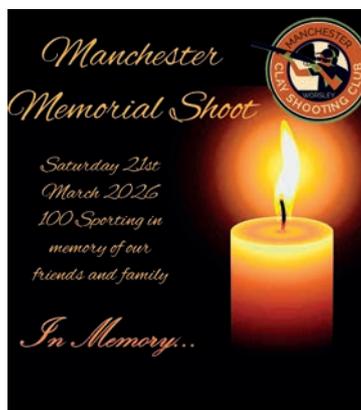
CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR SKEET SPONSORSHIP WINNERS!

We're delighted to announce Alice Marks, Jake Burton and Theo Green as the successful recipients of the Colt and Junior Skeet Sponsorship, delivered in partnership with Eriswell Lodge in Suffolk.

As part of the scheme, we recently visited Eriswell Lodge, where the winners were welcomed and officially started their sponsorship journey – a fantastic opportunity to support and develop the next generation of English Skeet talent.

Alice and Jake both received 5,000 EL2 Skeet cartridges from Eriswell Lodge and free CPSA membership for 2026 along with free entry into the English and British Open Skeet Championships and the England Team Selection Shoots. Young Theo Green received 250 cartridges and clays and a free CPSA membership.

This sponsorship will help Alice, Jake and Theo compete, train and progress throughout the season, and we're excited to follow their journey as they continue to grow in the sport.



NEW EVENT SATURDAY 21ST MARCH

Brand New for 2026 The Memorial Trophy, is a 100 clay sporting event which will be held every year in memory of Friends and Family that are no longer here to shoot with us.

The day will be Sqauded so please contact the club house on 07761 409427 to book your place.

Manchester Clay Shooting Club.

CORRECTION

Please note, John Porter's name was incorrectly spelt in the Beretta World article in the September issue – apologies!

GOT A STORY YOU'D LIKE TO SHARE? EMAIL: PULL@FELLOWSMEDIA.COM

2026 PROMATIC/ EUROTARGET CLUBS AND GROUNDS INITIATIVE

Our 2026 Clubs and Grounds Initiative: **Your Chance to**



Win a Promatic Falcon 8 Trap and 8,250 Clays!

We are thrilled to continue our Clubs and Grounds initiative, sponsored by Promatic and Eurotarget. This initiative is designed to encourage CPSA-affiliated clubs to bolster our community by bringing in new memberships.

Participating clubs and grounds have the opportunity to win a Promatic Falcon 8 Trap plus a pallet of 8,250 Eurotarget Clays, an exceptional prize worth approximately £7,000*. To qualify clubs must successfully recruit a minimum of 10 new CPSA members during 2026. The CPSA-affiliated club that achieves the highest number of new memberships above this quota will be the winner.

The Breakdown of the Prize – Trap £2,500 inc VAT, Clays £1,000 inc VAT, Clay Sales 8,250 x 40/45p – £3,300/£3,700.

HOW TO PARTICIPATE:

CPSA-affiliated Clubs and Grounds must ensure they are named by the person joining as the referrer.

Encourage your club members to join us, emphasizing the great benefits of becoming part of the CPSA community.

IMPORTANT DATES

Initiative Launch: 1 January 2026
Campaign End Date: 31 December 2026

We're excited to witness the impact on our community and look forward to seeing which club will claim the Promatic Falcon 8 Trap and pallet of Eurotarget Clays. Let the competition begin!

To view the competition terms and conditions please visit cpsa.co.uk

RED-DOT CLAY SHOOTING COMES TO CPSA COMPETITIONS!

The CPSA is excited to announce a new trial programme in partnership with Aimpoint, allowing members to use Acro S-2 & Micro S-1 sights at registered Sporting shoots, including major championships (targets-only).

The trial is designed to support shooters affected by eye dominance, which impacts around 30-40% of participants. The Acro S-2, specifically made for shotguns, helps these shooters compete confidently while

keeping competitions fair for everyone.

Participants will benefit from:

- Aimpoint-supported prize funds at Sporting championships.
- Educational content and Have-a-Go sessions at key CPSA events.
- Opportunities to compete in dedicated Aimpoint squads.

The trial will run for

18-24 months, with data and member feedback guiding

future decisions on long-term use of Acro S-2 sights in CPSA competitions.

Learn more at cpsa.co.uk/aimpoint



2026 CHESHIRE SHIELD BOOKINGS OPEN

Bookings are now open for the 2026 Cheshire Shield, to be held at West Midlands Shooting Ground, Hodnet, on Thursday 26 March.

The event will be squaded and entry is £47 per person. To book your place please call 01939 200644. The event is sponsored by KitSgt.

SWATCOM UNVEILS ACTIVE360 ELECTRONIC EAR DEFENDERS

SWATCOM has launched the Active360, electronic ear defenders designed for shooters needing protection without losing situational awareness.

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Try the Active360 on the SWATCOM stand (C14) at the Great British Shooting Show in Birmingham.

RRP: £375.00 inc VAT.

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RAY DIXSON – OBITUARY

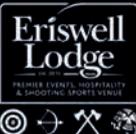
Ray Dixson, long time CPSA Member, Manager and Shooter with England OSK Team, President of Southend Gun Club, Referee at Olympic and Commonwealth Games has passed away following a long illness and being cared for at a Brentwood Nursing home. He will be missed by all his friends and shooters all over the Country. Rest in peace Ray.

Ray is pictured in the photo (right) with Barry Dobbs (left) at the 2012 London Olympics.





2026 CHAMPIONSHIPS

 **THE Sportrap 125**

2nd & 3rd May 2026

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5th - 9th August 2026

High Gun £2000 | RU £1250
Cash & Carts to Class & Category

Entry £75 | Juniors & Colts £55
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reception@barburysshoot.com

120 Bird Sporting

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ENTRIES OPEN

 **THE HODNET SOVEREIGN CHALLENGE**

18TH - 21ST JUNE 2026

High Gun £1000 | RU £750
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Entry £72 | Juniors & Colts £55
TO BOOK: 01939 200 644
jess@wmsg.co.uk

120 Bird Sporting



 **THE DTL300 OPEN**

1st & 2nd August 2026

High Gun £1000 | RU £500
Cash & Carts to Class & Category

Entry £120
TO BOOK: 01482 450 285
info@beverlyshootingground.co.uk

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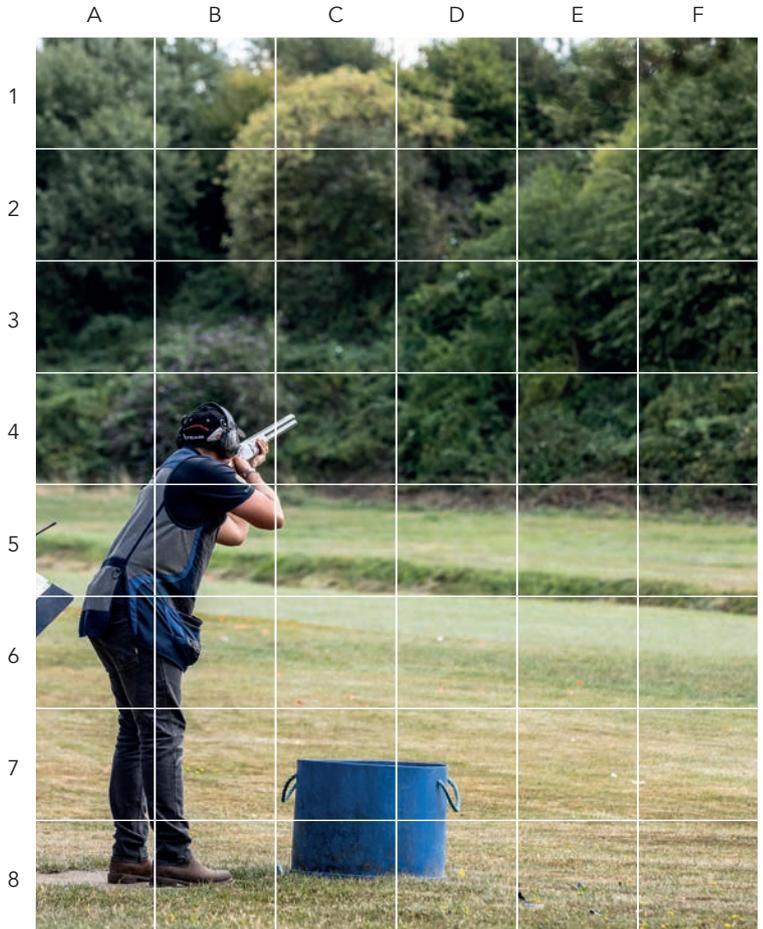
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WHERE DO YOU READ YOURS?

At Palermo Cathedral, Sicily, where I managed a quiet read and coffee while holidaying. – **Barry Page**



FIND THE CLAY

Can you guess where the missing clay in the above right picture was? If so then email pull@fellowsmedia.com with your guess and win a pair of Swatcom SC1 Pro Impulse Ear Plugs!

To enter, email pull@fellowsmedia.com with the number and letter area of the grid the clay resides in, for example F4, along with your full name and CPSA number. Entries close at midnight on 6 March and

a winner will be chosen using a random generator (in the case of multiple correct entries) and will be contacted by Fellows Media or the Witham Group with information on how to claim your

prize. Congratulations to last month's *Find the clay* winner, Jason Williams, who correctly located the missing clay in section B1 of the grid and won one pair of SWATCOM SC1 Pro Impulse Ear Plugs.



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THE FIND THE CLAY WINNER will receive one pair of SWATCOM SC1 Pro Impulse Ear Plugs worth £28.

1. Only one entry per person. If more than one entry is made by an individual then the first entry will be counted and all others dismissed. 2. Entry is not open to CPSA Staff or Directors or anyone professionally connected with this competition, or the immediate families of said parties. 3. No purchase necessary. Entry is free.



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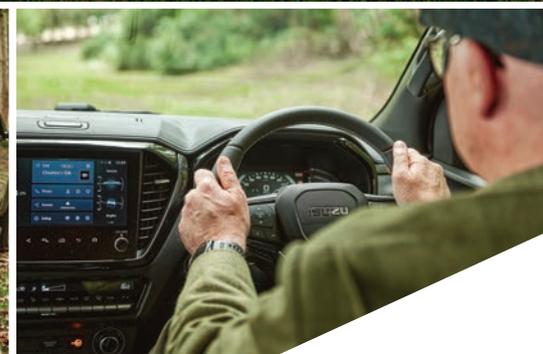
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CPSA COURSES 2026

Open to book online via cpsa.co.uk/courses

Whether you are just starting out or are an experienced shooter, the CPSA has created a range of courses to offer the best training available in the sport today.

Shotgun Skills (SGS) / Advanced Shotgun Skills (ASGS)

Our SGS course is an excellent introduction into the world of clay target shooting and our advanced courses are discipline specific for shotgun certificate holders looking to improve their skills and ability in their chosen discipline.

Shotgun Skills

- 20 Mar Barbury Shooting School

Trap Advanced Shotgun Skills

- 24 Apr Barbury Shooting School
- 5 Aug Beverley & East Yorkshire SG
- 13 Apr National Clay SC

ESK Advanced Shotgun Skills

- 18 May National Clay SC

ESP Advanced Shotgun Skills

- 08 Jun National Clay SC
- 13 Jul National Clay SC

Referee Course

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.

ESK

- 9 Mar Nottingham & District GC
- 31 Mar Eriswell Lodge
- 7 Apr Kibworth GC
- 22 Apr Beverley & East Yorkshire GC

DTL

- 30 May Dartford CSC
- 13 Mar Barbury Shooting School
- 28 Mar Ashcombe SG
- 30 Mar Nottingham & District GC
- 11 Apr Southdown Gun Club
- 20 May Beverley & East Yorkshire SG
- 16 Jun Sporting Targets Ltd
- 23 Jun Atkin Grant & Lang SG
- 14 Jul Eriswell Lodge
- 11 Aug Kibworth Gun Club
- 7 Sep West Kent SS

ABT/DTL

- 17 Apr Holmes Chapel SG
- 13 May Beverley & East Yorkshire SG
- 23 Jun Kibworth GC
- 27 Jun Dartford CSC
- 20 Apr Nottingham & District GC

CPSA First Aid Course

This Emergency First Aid at Work course is designed for individuals to act as a First Aider and includes CPR & defibrillation, Recovery Position,

Catastrophic Bleeds, Crush injuries and so much more.

- 6 Mar National Clay SC
- 13 Mar Eaton Hall SG

Safety Officer Course

£130

This one-day course provides the basis for running a safe and successful SG. 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 and L2 Coaching qualifications.

- 7 Mar National Clay SC
- 14 Mar Barbury SS
- 16 Mar Northampton SG
- 28 Mar Beverley & East Yorkshire SG
- 13 Apr Nottingham & District GC
- 27 Apr Northampton SG
- 2 May National Clay SC
- 11 May Mickley Hall SS
- 1 Jun Nottingham & District GC
- 9 Jun Eriswell Lodge
- 12 Jun Beverley & East Yorkshire SG
- 6 Jul Nottingham & District GC
- 11 Jul E.J.Churchill Group Ltd
- 20 Jul Mickley Hall SS
- 17 Aug Kibworth GC
- 12 Sep Barbury Shooting School
- 21 Sep West Kent SS

Safety Officer Requalification

£15

We will be launching a new online Safety Officer requalification exam in January for those who qualified in 2021, so if

that was you, please keep an eye out for your email or letter inviting you to renew your qualification.

Instructor Development Workshop (IDW)

£205

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 Mar Barbury SS
- 17 Mar Northampton SG
- 30 Mar National Clay SC
- 14 Apr Nottingham & District GC
- 25 Apr Beverley & East Yorkshire SG
- 28 Apr Northampton SG
- 2 Jun Nottingham & District GC
- 7 Jul Nottingham & District GC
- 22 Jul Beverley & East Yorkshire SG
- 18 Aug Kibworth GC
- 24 Aug National Clay SC
- 5 Oct Barbury SS

Level 1 Instructor Training Course (ITC)

£785

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. 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.

- 18 May Northampton SG
- 22 Jun National Clay SC
- 27 Jul Nottingham & District GC
- 7 Sep National Clay SC
- 22 Sep Beverley & East Yorkshire SG

L2 Common Element & L2 CTC

£590 each

These are two three-day courses – the Common Element and the discipline specific Coach Training Course. The Common Element now includes the three coach development workshops and allows seamless progression to the desired CTC in Trap, ESK or ESP. They

are designed to give you the technical skills to improve an established shooter. Candidates must be L1 Instructor qualified to attend L2 Courses.

- 26 May Northampton SG
- 14 Sep Northampton SG

Military Training Courses

We are pleased to offer Safety Officer & Instructor courses at discounted prices for members of the Armed Forces. For prices, please visit our courses page

online cpsa.co.uk/courses

Level 1 - Instructor Training Course

- 6 Apr National Clay SC
- 5 Oct National Clay SC

COMPETITION CALENDAR



Clay Shooting Championships
for the 2026 season - all
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cpsa.co.uk/news

Please note that
dates and venues are
subject to change Please
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COMPAK

FEB
28 EO Compak – Orston SG

APRIL
11 British Grand Prix – Eaton Hall

MAY
27-31 European Champs
– Sologne, France

JUNE
20 British Masters – Barbury SS

AUGUST
19-23 European Champs
– San Martino, Italy

ALL ROUND

AUGUST
15-16 EO & BO AR
– Beverley & East Yorkshire SG

SEPTEMBER
19-20 National Inter-Counties
– Beverley & East Yorkshire SG

OLYMPIC TRAP

MARCH
25-2^{Apr} World Cup – Tangier, Morocco

APRIL
19-27 Junior World Cup – Cairo, Egypt

MAY
2-3 UK Champs – Nuthampstead SG
2-11 World Cup
– Shymkent, Kazakhstan
30-31 EO OT – NCSC

JUNE
16-26 Junior World Champs – Suhl
27-28 British Grand Prix – Fauxdegla SG

JULY
3-13 World Cup – Lonato
20-29 World Cup – Hangzhou

AUGUST
14-15 Home International – N Ireland

SEPTEMBER
5-6 BS Champs – Eaton Hall SG
12-20 Junior World Champs – Porpetto

OCTOBER
27-13 European Champs – Athens

HELICE

APRIL
12 Euro Selection Shoot – Invicta
25 Euro Selection Shoot – Rugby

MAY
10 Euro Selection Shoot – Invicta

JUNE
6-7 European Champs
– Bologna, Italy
20 Worlds Selection Shoot – Rugby

JULY
4 UK Champs – Rugby
12 Worlds Selection Shoot – Invicta
25 EO Helice & Worlds Selection
Shoot – Rugby

AUGUST
8-9 British Grand Prix & Worlds
Selection Shoot – Invicta

SEPTEMBER
4-6 World Champs
– Braga, Portugal

OCTOBER
3 Euro Selection Shoot (2027)
– Rugby

DTL: Down the Line, **EO:** English Open, **BO:** British Open, **SB:** Single Barrel, **DR:** Double Rise, **ABT:** Automatic Ball Trap, **ESP:** English Sporting, **STR:** Sportrap, **SSP:** Super Sporting, **AR:** All Round, **OTR:** Olympic Trap, **BGP:** British Gran Prix, **ESK:** English Skeet, **SKD:** English Skeet Doubles, **SG:** Shooting Ground, **SS:** Shooting School, **NCSC:** National Clay Shooting Centre

UNIVERSAL TRENCH

APRIL

18-19 GB Team Selection
– Beverley & East Yorkshire SG

MAY

16-17 UK Champs – Fauxdegla SG

JUNE

6-7 British Grand Prix – Brook Bank

JULY

9-12 European Champs
– Valencia, Spain

AUGUST

29-30 EO UTR – Nuthampstead

DOWN THE LINE

MARCH

15-17 ICTSF World DTL
– Canterbury CTC, N Zealand

APRIL

4-5 England Team Selection
– NCSC

MAY

2-3 England Team Selection
– North of England CTC

JUNE

11-13 DTL Weekend – Bywell SG

JULY

4-5 EO & BO SB & EO & BO DR
– Bywell SG
15-18 Euros 15-16, Home International
17 & BO 18 – Wales

OCTOBER

3-4 National Inter-Counties
– Beverley & East Yorkshire SG

ENGLISH SKEET

APRIL

18-19 England Team Selection –
Nottingham & District Gun Club

MAY

9-10 EO ESK – Northampton SG
23-24 England Team Selection
– Dartford Clay Shooting Club

JUNE

28 EO SKD – NCSC

AUGUST

1-2 BO ESK – Dartford
21-22 Home International – Ireland

OCTOBER

10-11 National Inter-Counties
– Northampton SG

ENGLISH SPORTING

MARCH

14-15 South West England Team
Selection – Somerset SG

APRIL

3-4 East Midlands England Team Se-
lection – Barrow Sporting Clays
15-18 EO SSP & EO STR – Ian Coley's
22-26 WESP – San Antonio, Texas

MAY

12-16 EO ESP – Barbury
31 West Midlands England Team
Selection – Westfield

JUNE

28 North England Team Selection
– Jett Hall

JULY

9-12 BO SSP – The Clay Shooting
Company at Garlands

AUGUST

16 South East England Team
Selection – Southdown
25-30 BO ESP & STR – High Lodge

SEPTEMBER

12 Home International – N Ireland

OCTOBER

17-18 National Inter-Counties
– Park Lodge

OLYMPIC SKEET

MARCH

25-2_{Apr} World Cup – Tangier, Morocco

APRIL

11-12 EO OSK – Beverley & East
Yorkshire SG
19-27 Junior World Cup – Cairo, Egypt

MAY

2-11 World Cup
– Shymkent, Kazakhstan
16-17 UK Champs – NCSC

JUNE

16-26 Junior World Champs – Suhl
27-28 British Grand Prix – Eaton Hall

JULY

3-13 World Cup – Lonato
20-29 World Cup – Hangzhou

AUGUST

8 Home International – Eaton Hall

SEPTEMBER

5-6 BS Champs – Eaton Hall SG
12-20 Junior World Champs – Porpetto

OCTOBER

27-13 European Champs – Athens

FITASC

MARCH

20-21 British Masters – Ian Coley's

APRIL

4 GB Selection – E.J Churchill
10-3_{May} European Champs
– Vetrulia, Italy

MAY

9-10 England Team Selection
– Southdown
23-24 GB Selection - West Midlands

JUNE

13-14 England Team Selection
– Jett Hall Sporting Clays

JULY

4-5 EO FSP - Blyton SG
25-26 England Team Selection
– TBC
16-19 World Champs
– Lisbon, Portugal

AUGUST

1-2 British Grand Prix
– West Midlands
8-9 England Team Selection
– TBC

OCTOBER

3 Home International – Scotland

AUTOMATIC BALL TRAP

MARCH

21-22 England Team Selection
– NCSC

APRIL

11-12 EO ABT – Bywell SG

MAY

9-10 England Team Selection
– Beverley & East Yorkshire SG
30-31 England Team Selection
– Brook Bank

SEPTEMBER

4-5 Home International & BO ABT
– Ireland

OCTOBER

17-18 National Inter-Counties
– Nuthampstead SG

OTHER

MARCH

21 CPSA Awards – St Georges
28 CPSA AGM – Bisley

JULY

24-26 The Game Fair

INTERNATIONAL



ELENA ALLEN NAMED SPORT DIRECTOR OF THE ESC

Huge congratulations to Elena who: As per the European Shooting Confederation (ESC) News Page 19th December 2025: "Elena Allen was named Sport Director of the ESC, an Olympian, former athlete and current member of the ISSF Executive Committee, she is a well-respected figure in shooting sports with understanding of athletes' needs and international sports governance."

Elena commented: "ESC Sports Director partly includes involvement in organising competitions and co-ordinating between organising committees."

"I am immensely proud to have been given this chance, I don't think these opportunities come along very often and aim to make a positive contribution to the role."

"We have a great team actively working towards further development of the ESC, including significantly increased competitions for all disciplines."

"The role has its challenges, I fit my work around the children, but, having been a full -athlete, I don't see the working hours need to be nine to five, they can be anytime!"

Hamish McInnes, British Shooting CEO commented: "I was delighted to hear of Elena's recent appointment as Sports Director at the ESC. This is a really well-deserved opportunity for Elena and a great boost for the ESC."

"At British Shooting, we wish to support both the ISSF and ESC in moving our sport forward in whatever ways we can. I am also personally committed to supporting women in sports leadership roles and Elena has benefited greatly from the UK Sport International leadership Programme. As a three-time Olympian and world championship medallist she brings so much credibility to the role and her appointment is a great next step in her career. I wish her every success."

Sarah Daly reports.

WORLD CLASS OLYMPIC POTENTIAL 2026

Olympic Skeet: Amber Rutter, Ben Llewellyn, Mitchell Brooker-Smith.

LA Fast Track: Maddie Russell, Phoebe Bodley-Scott, Arran Eccleston.

Olympic Trap: Nathan Hales, Lucy Hall, Ellie Seward, Aaron Heading, Matt Coward-Holley.

LA Fast Track: Tom Betts.

them, limiting the number of people involved, including a physio as needed.

The Coach's work is on range and as much time off range, including frequent team calls as a support; plus, update calls to include lifestyle support, strength and conditioning trainer, so they are given the heads up on any athlete that may need additional support.

OLYMPIC POTENTIAL 2026

Olympic Skeet: Bethany Norton and Hugh Westminster.

Olympic Trap: Leah Southall and Madie Purser.

RICHARD BRICKELL – OLYMPIC SKEET COACH

"Due to the success of the Pod System at the Paris Olympic Games, we decided to roll it out to the other athletes on the World Class Performance Plan for the Los Angeles Olympic cycle, which will become more focussed on

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CHRISTIAN SCHOFIELD, BRITISH SHOOTING

Above: Andrea Miotto.

Below: Ben Llewellyn, Richard Brickell, Amber Rutter.



CHRISTIAN SCHOFIELD, BRITISH SHOOTING

the Olympic athletes as the event gets nearer.

"This system allows for more frequent interactions with the athletes, all the resources going into the athletes competing at Olympics.

"We will support all athletes throughout the cycle, but additional support will of course be focussed on the athletes selected for the LA Games."

ANDREA MIOTTO – OLYMPIC TRAP COACH

"The Pod System is new to me, but the kind of support that the athlete and coaches receive is great. The weekly work done with the shooters from all the pod members allows us to understand if a problem is developing and so can work rectify the situation.

"What is great is the athlete develops their own pod, which can be adjusted as required."

NATHAN HALES

Coach: Andrea Miotto, **Sports Psychologist:** Oli Dixon, **Mentor:** Peter Wilson; **Physio:** Simon Edwards; **Personal Trainer:** Kevin Motley; **Charlotte Kerwood:** Support, feedback and giving balance throughout my schedule as well as being Junior GBR Trap Coach, and of course, looking after the family when I am away.

"We are in control of choosing our pod, and how we see our programme working following discussion amongst the other pod members.

"I think it is a good system, it allows for a more tailored programme, rather than

a general programme, it's a very athlete led programme, so it makes a big difference, certainly going by the result of Paris!"



See websites for international results and videos:

ISSF: www.issf-sports.org

YouTube: www.youtube.com/@issfchannel/playlists

Sius: <https://results.sius.com/Championships.aspx>

British Shooting: www.britishshooting.org.uk

FITASC: www.fitasc.com

BICTSF: www.bictsf.org

PSYCHOLOGIST

Part of the work of a psychologist in sport is to help the athlete develop the tools to navigate the challenges of competing both on

range/off range, e.g.: stress, anxiety, tension, excitement, which can manifest mentally and/or physically. 🧠

Below: Nathan Hales Paris 2024 Gold.



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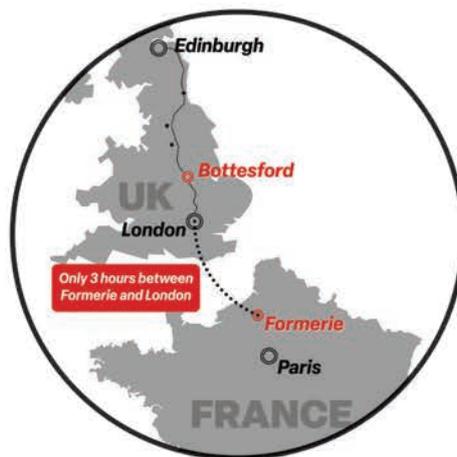
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CHAIRMAN'S REPORT 2025



by **Dr John Martin**, CPSA Chairman.

At the time of writing, it's 8 February, most of our championships have gone live for booking and, as in previous years, the majority sold out within minutes of opening and within three days, everything was sold out. The same was true last year and the trend is a palpable example of how our championships are becoming more and more popular and significantly well attended. I said last year that 2025 was going to be our best year ever, which proved to be the case, and I'm fully expecting 2026 to be even better.

The success of our championships results directly from a combination of our sponsors' involvement and there continued faith and participation. The professionalism and dedication of our headquarters staff and, most importantly, your commitment to the CPSA and our championships.

In many ways the highlight of 2025 was the CPSA's hosting of the World English Sporting at E.J. Churchill in July. As always, it was a spectacular event spanning over a week and incorporating the first ever British Open Super Sporting along with the World Sportrap. 922 members took part in the Super Sporting, illustrating the growing popularity of our newest discipline.

The USA took the Overall team trophy on 2,414 and also the winning team position on a score of 893, with England coming second on 845. England's Ladies took the trophy in their event with the commanding lead of 493 to second place runners up USA on 474. England's Super Vets mirrored this success by holding the USA to 454 with a score of 481. The Junior and Veterans teams had to settle for second place in there categories. High Gun of the match

was US shooter Brandon Powell with England's John Lee taking third place. Mark Winsor took the AAA trophy after a shoot off with Brett Winstanley. Ladies High Gun went to Amy Easeman after a shoot-off with US Shooters Desirae Edmunds and Madison Sharpe.

Junior High Gun was secured by US shooter Connor Denis after a shoot-off with England's Sam Linington, with Veterans High Gun going to Will Fennel of the USA, and second place going to Englands Richard King. Super Veterans final was a fully-English event with Dave Ceri coming first by an impressive 22 points, Stuart Clark coming second, and Glen Hunt third.

ENGLISH OPEN SUPER SPORTING

The championship calendar kicked off with the English Open Super Sporting in April. Super Sporting is our newest and fastest growing discipline and is proving popular across all the counties and regions.

The 100-target competition was won by Richard Bunning on a score of 93, with Toby Reid coming second after a shoot-off with Welsh shooter Marcus Rigby. The Ladies trophy was won by Emma Stacey on a score of 85 after a shoot-off with Natasha Vadasz, with Lucy Earl coming third on 81. Junior High Gun went to Archie Tromans whilst Paul Thomas was awarded the Veterans High Gun on a score of 89, with Steve Brightwell taking the Super Veterans title on a score of 90.

ENGLISH OPEN SKEET

Moving onto May, the English Open Skeet championship was held at Eaton Hall with Junior shooter Tristan hockey taking the High Gun Overall on 100 Straight, after a four-way shoot-off with

James Atwood coming second, and Bill Moussalli third. Ladies High Gun went to Natalie Bales on a score of 98, with Isabel Russell a close second on 96 after a shoot-off with Becky King. Junior High Gun went to Overall winner Tristan Hockey, Kian Maher taking second place on a scored of 97, Taylor Alderton on 94. Veterans High Gun went to Scottish shooter Ronald Chrichton whilst Bill Moussalli took the Super Veterans trophy.

ENGLISH OPEN SPORTING

A few days after the Skeet saw the opening day of the English Open Sporting at High Lodge. Phil Gray was awarded High Gun on an astonishing score of 118x120 with Martin Myers coming second overall on 115 and Brett Winstanley third on 113. Amy Easeman took the Ladies High Gun on a score of 103 with Laura Dale coming second and Becky Clifton third. Archie Alexander was awarded the Junior High Gun on 110 with Will Page coming second on 109 and Harry Jude third on 103. Andy Moon clinched the Veterans High Gun with Super Veterans going to Stuart Clark and the Colts trophy to John Porter.

BRITISH OPEN SKEET

Northampton hosted the British Open Skeet in early August. Alejandro Garcia-Mayol was awarded High Gun on a score of 99 after a three-way shoot off with Stuart Smith, who ultimately secured second place, and Mick Russell who came third. English Open winner Tristan Hockey took the AA Class trophy and the Junior High Gun on a score of 98 with Isabel Russell, coming back into form, by winning the Ladies High Gun on a score of 98. Megan Jones was second on 97 and Becky Kibble third on 96. ▶

Veterans High Gun was awarded to Mark Davis on a score of 98 and, to add to his third place overall, Mick Russell took the Super Veterans title on that score of 99. Colts High Gun was awarded to Scottish shooter Cameron Barr with the Disabled Standing trophy going to Scottish shooter Janes Center and Disabled Sitting being taken by Ben Woodham on a score of 97.

BRITISH OPEN SPORT TRAP AND SPORTING

Eaton Hall was host to the British Open Sporting and Sport Trap in late August. As expected, given the amount of development at that ground since January, the whole event ran smoothly and spectacularly.

The British Open Sportrap High Gun was taken by Billy Baughan on a score of 98 closely followed by runner-up Brett Winstanley on 96 with James Attwood third on 95. Emma Stacey, mirroring her success at the English Open Super Sporting, took the Ladies trophy on a score of 88 with Charlotte Kerwood coming second on 84 and Catherine Smalley third on 82. Junior High Gun was awarded to Will Page on 93 with Charlie Faulds coming second on 91 and Henry Langley third on 83. The Super Veterans trophy was taken by Martin Doughty with Veterans High Gun going to George Digweed and the Colts High Gun going to Connor Davies.

BRITISH OPEN SPORTING

Phil Gray took the Overall High Gun with James Atwood coming second after a shoot off with Guy Franklin. Emma Stacey took yet another title by clenching Ladies High Gun with Joanne Field coming second and Cheryl Hall a close third. Junior High Gun went to Teddy Taylor after a shoot-off with Will Page, and Harry Dickens took the third place Overall in the Junior category. Veterans High Gun went to Mark Bowes with Matt Hance coming second and Garry Meikle third. The Super Veterans title was secured by Steve Brightwell one point ahead of Stephen Williams who took second place one point ahead of Stuart Clark who took third. John Porter was awarded the Colts High Gun with Thomas Croucher coming second and Connor Davis third.

Three England Team Managers posts came up for election in 2026.

Ian Hull became the new ABT Manager which came into effect on the first of January this year and will hold the post until 2029.

Paul Tudge was re-elected by the members of the Olympic Skeet team for a further three years.

Finally, Julie Havill was reappointed for a third year as Manager of the English Skeet Team until 2029. This will mean Julie will have held the post for nine years and, her cake-loving team would not have it any other way.

Space restricts how much detail and how many of our Events I can cover but special mention must go to Peter Chester who clinched his fourth successive English Open Skeet Doubles title at Eaton Hall in September.

Finally, in my look back to 2025, in December I was pleased to award our Membership Officer Mark Smith, a 25 year service award. Mark is unquestionably our longest serving member of staff with his involvement dating all the way back to when the CPSA HQ was in Corby, Northamptonshire.

THE YEAR AHEAD

As I've already pointed out, our major championships are going from strength to strength and 2026 looks to be even more positive and successful than last year. We're greatly aided at increasing the quality of our championships by the continued support from our headline sponsors. Once again, SWATCOM will be a major sponsor and many thanks to Keith for his continued support. Eley Hawk will be continuing their valuable support throughout 2026 and, following their recent increase in sponsorship and commitment, Browning (Europe) will be assisting us to enhance and further develop our major championships for the next four years. Joining us in 2026 will be Bachieri & Pellagri, Starkey Outdoor (Pilla) and Aimpoint.

In April, Bywell will be hosting the English Open ABT followed, the next week, by the English Open Super Sporting and Sportrap at Ian Coley's. Northampton will take on the English Open Skeet in May with Barbury hosting the English Open Sporting the week after that. As always, Bywell will be staging the DTL weekend in June with the English Open Skeet Doubles being organised by Olli down at NCSC. Steve Lovatt will be hosting the British Open Super Sporting at Garlands in July. Kelly will be organising the British Open Skeet at Dartford in the first week of August and the British Open Sporting and Sportrap will be in the secure hands of Andy and John at High Lodge at the end of that month.

Our accounts have just been signed off by our auditors and show that we are secure and sound and that we are ready to move forward into 2026 with a firm financial base from which to further expand the services we provide to you the members.

As always, I must highlight the professionalism and commitment of the HQ staff who have in my opinion and, I hope in yours, worked tirelessly over 2025 to bring us the best competitive year we've had to date. I thank them all personally and on behalf of all of you and the CPSA Board of Directors.

Following on from that, I'll take this opportunity to thank the CPSA Board of Directors for all the work they do directly and behind-the-scenes during the course of the year. These posts are completely voluntary and the work they put in is to support the CPSA and to put something back into the sport they love and cherish.

There are still some places remaining for the CPSA Annual Awards which will be taking place on 21 March at the Hilton St George's Park. It's a chance to go glam and have a super night out whilst giving a real boost to all the nominees who have put everything into achieving their goals and dreams. If you want to join us and have a blast, email Morgan at morgan@cpsa.co.uk for tickets.

The CPSA AGM will take place on 28 March at Bisley Shooting Ground. It's your chance to hear, in more detail, what we are doing to advance everything we can do for the members and also ask questions of the Board on anything you have a concern about. If you are nearby, please come and join us or, if you are a little bit more removed, please join us by Teams. The CPSA will send out an invite for you to join online nearer to the date. Simply open the email and register your interest and HQ will send you a log-in code and AGM link for you to join on the day. It's a brilliant opportunity to be involved in how the CPSA is run and have your say whilst sitting on the settee at home with a G&T. Sadly, I have to be there in person so will have to pass on the G&T.

That's about all from me for now. The Lab and I are looking forward to seeing you all on the ranges and at our championships in 2026. Last year I completed my Chairman's Report by saying that I had seen the future and that the future was bright and that the future was Orange. As we start 2026 I've looked again and, you know what? It still is.

Dr John Martin, CPSA Chairman 🍊



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TIME FOR SOME TLC

Ongoing gun cleaning is vital but deep midwinter could also be a good time for some more professional gun maintenance, as **Anita North** finds out from a gunsmith.

How much care and attention does your shotgun get? How often do you clean it and what maintenance does it need? Can you minimise potential problems? Is there anyone you can turn to for help and advice?

For more than a decade my go to person for gun advice/fit/service/repair has been Justin Risley. Justin's journey in shooting started with pest control on the family smallholding. A chance trip to his local gunsmith, Peter Godfrey, when his gun went wrong at the age of 16 led to Justin becoming Peter's apprentice. For the last 18 years Justin has been a self-employed gunsmith. He also instructs at my local shooting ground where I shoot, work and coach, so I see him most weeks. In one of our many conversations, Justin told me that the most common cause of problems he sees is poor gun maintenance.

I recently caught up with Justin and you can read his advice below, but the message is clear - look after your gun and don't be afraid to ask for help. Seek out your local gunsmith - they are there to help you. You will often find a gunsmith by word of mouth - if they are good, they do little advertising.

Advice from Justin Risley.

CLEANING

Clean your gun after each time you use it. If it gets wet during use, break it down and let the barrels, fore-end and stock dry out naturally before you clean it. Don't use heat to dry it out quicker - wood will crack.

As you clean your gun, take the opportunity to inspect for wear and tear. Wood does crack, screws can become undone, beads fall off.

Clean the action, making sure you get into the nooks and crannies such as under the extractors or where your top lever comes across.

Clean the barrels. Remove the ejectors if you can (this is easier for some makes than others). If you can't then use a small art paintbrush to brush out debris from behind.

Clean the inside of the barrels using a rod and phosphor bronze brush. I prefer an aluminium rod – wooden ones can snap. If you have harder to shift fouling in your barrels, up the size of the brush (use a 12 bore brush in a 20 bore, a 10 bore brush in a 12 bore) and that should shift 99 per cent of the fouling down your barrels.

After brushing, run all the way through with cleaning pads or pieces of clean kitchen roll. Push all the way through - chamber to muzzle – to avoid localised build-up of fouling in your barrels.

After cleaning, oil wood and lubricate metal. You can get a proprietary gun stock oil, gun oil and metal greases from most good gun shops. You don't need to oil a lacquered stock, unless it has visible scratches. I rate Teague choke grease or alternatively copper slip grease which you can get in most car spare stores. You can use a mixture of Vaseline and 3-IN-ONE oil – it's water resistant and cheap.

STORAGE

When cleaned and lubricated:

- Wipe off any fingerprints from your gun (to remove any salt from your skin).
- Loosen your chokes to ensure they don't seize (especially if you have aftermarket fitted chokes).
- Use snap caps to release pressure off your mainsprings.
- Store your gun in your cabinet barrels down – this allows any grease or oil to flow away from the stock.

SERVICING

If you are a keen, reasonable volume shooter, get your gun checked over or serviced once a year and the winter might well be the best time to get this done. It may not need a full service, but



“ Don't worry about the transition away from lead. As long as your gun is half choke or more open, it will fire a steel cartridge up to shot size 4, so don't rush out to get rid of your guns. ”

get it looked over annually and serviced every two years minimum. If you are an occasional shooter, get it checked over or serviced every three to four years.

BUYING YOUR (FIRST) GUN

You may be better off getting a good second-hand gun – Beretta, Browning, Miroku, Perazzi, depending on your budget. These are easier to get parts for than most of the cheaper new guns.

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KNOW YOUR GUN

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This initiative is about supporting our members, while safeguarding the integrity of CPSA competitions.

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*The Micro S-1 will also be permitted in this trial program.

HOW THE TRIAL WORKS

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- Receive a registration card and gunstock sticker
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North Region Calendar

The 2026 North Region calendar is live and constantly updating. Keep an eye on the website (sites.cpsa.co.uk/north) or our Facebook page (CPSA North Region) for updates and announcements. If anyone has any questions, please fill out the online form to speak to NR Secretary, Tom Brown.

CPSA North Region AGM

The 2025 Regional AGM was held at the Bridge Inn Walshford on Thursday 27 November. 50 members attended. Guests were CEO Iain Parker and Board Director John Martin.

Achievement awards for success in

major competitions were presented. Sam Winterburn was awarded the Chairman's/ Shooter of the Year Trophy. Juniors who had benefited from the Young Shooter Initiative were present and gave feedback on their experience. Emma Holden-Hardy and Charlotte Kitchen received flowers and wine on standing down from the committee. Full details can be found on the North Region website. **Terry Deakin**

Mount Farm Sporting Clays

Mount Farm, usually known for hosting FITASC shoots held their first Compak shoot on 18 January which was well anticipated.

Results are as follows: High Gun Nick Hendrick, A Class first Adrian Parkin-Coates, A Class second Mark Webster, B Class first Max Drelincourt, B Class second Mike Pennington and Mark Delf, C Class first Callum Sherrington and Rob Kitchingham, C Class second Gary Taylor and Ed Robinson, D Class first Mick Snape, D Class second Dave Woolley, D Class third Bill Pennington.



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January has always been a challenging month for clay shooting, coming right at the end of the game season and often accompanied by weather conditions that hardly inspire us to leave the comfort of our homes. Despite these hurdles, it has been heartening to witness such a strong turnout from Cheshire shooters, who have been actively participating in a variety of disciplines throughout the county and further afield.

Special recognition goes to John Barnett this month, who will be captaining the England DTL team at the forthcoming World Championships in New Zealand. He will be joined by fellow Cheshire shooters Peter Relph and Toby Hurstfield, and we extend our best wishes to them for the competition ahead.

Highlights Across Disciplines

English Sporting – Notable contributions have come from Scott Barnett, Steven Randles, Guy Robinson, Neil Foxley, Nigel Lane, Sam Ward and Lucy Earl. Their ongoing commitment has set a positive example for others in the community.

Super Sporting – great performances from Sam Voisey, David Grayson, and Albert Moss.

Down The Line – representation is led by Peter Relph, John Barnett, Mark Harris, Paul Sant, Steve Dutton, and Sarah Milroy.

English Skeet – Competitors include Colin Babcock, Jack Hope, Dave Pattison, Christian Bethell, and Bob Gallagher.

Compak – Sam Ward, Nigel Lane and Guy Robinson have all made their mark in Compak, showcasing their skills.

Olympic Trap – has featured Paul Collins, Paul Culverwell, Jim Rogers, Mike Faux, and Chris Bushell.

Universal Trap – Mike Faux, Mark Wright, and Paul Collins have

demonstrated consistency and quality in their performances.

ABT – has seen strong showings from Mark Wright, Paul Collins and Mike Faux, rounding out the month's impressive participation across all disciplines.

Diary Dates

The following 2026 Cheshire Championships are now confirmed, but please keep an eye on the Cheshire CPSA website (<https://sites.cpsa.co.uk/cheshire>) for other disciplines which have yet to be confirmed:

Forthcoming Events

County Championships	
29 Aug	DTL, Holmes Chapel
31 Aug	ESP, Catton Hall
11 Sep	SSP, Mickley Hall
19 Sep	Clubman, Mickley Hall

ESP County Selection Shoots

22 Feb	Catton Hall
13-14 Feb	Mickley Hall
19 Apr	Eaton Hall
10 May	Garlands
7 Jun	Old Glossop
3-4 Jun	Mickley Hall
22 Aug	Hodnet
31 Aug	Catton Hall



Toby Hurstfield, John Barnett and Peter Relph with David Hurstfield.

Please book your place on any of these shoots direct with the ground. Best three scores to count towards team places.

If you have news that you want us to publish, please contact the club committee and we will do our best to include it.

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Congratulations to the following Derbyshire Shooters who have all made it into the CPSA's Top 20 Averages – Simon Taylor, Nick Hendrick, Clive Weston, Georgina Chamberlain, Samantha Rhodes, and Leo Taylor-Davis.

AGM

The Derbyshire CPSA AGM has been arranged for Sunday 1 March to be held at Nottingham & District

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Hello Gloucestershire – I hope everyone is well and has survived what feels like a long, wet and quite depressing winter. I'm writing this half an hour before the first of the CPSA Championships open for registration and we're a couple of weeks from Gloucestershire's AGM. The Essex Masters is also on the horizon, all of which mark the start of the clay shooting season.

I haven't competed over winter apart from some small attempts at Coleys, so I'm afraid I'm very out of the loop and haven't been keeping much of an eye on scores recently. The fixtures I have seen have attracted good numbers, so fair play to everyone out there in all weathers – I must be getting old.

I've done some searching at random and outline below some notable scores across the classes at local shoots: Mark Powell came Second in C Class on 1 February at Westfield with 80/100. A trifecta of 89/100's from Steve Davis, Steve Lovatt, and Sean Ponting placed them

joint Third at Coleys on 7 January; Nick Portlock went one better. Sean Maloney managed joint Second in A Class on 85, and David Webb Second in B Class at the same shoot. Rob Wise was joint High Gun at Coleys on 3 December – well shot. Lorna Hall came joint Second in B Class at Westfield on 18 January. An ever on-form Ade Johnson was joint High Gun at Westfield on 4 January. James Bellamy was joint Second in B Class at the same shoot.

I hope you have a good start to the season, and I look forward to seeing you all soon. Happy shooting!

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By the time of publication, the new season will be underway, the County AGM will have been held, medals and trophies handed out. On behalf of Shropshire CPSA members, we would like to thank the 2025 committee, particularly Chairman Jim Turner, for their hard work and commitment. It is often forgotten that these people give up considerable free time, on a voluntary basis, to organise the calendar not just on a county but also regional basis and contribute to the smooth running of association business throughout the year. Fixtures and qualifiers will be published on social media and in



Stew Owen FITASC.



Arran Eccleston GB.

future articles in this magazine.

In keeping with a new year/season theme, if you are a CPSA member but have not yet ventured into the world of competition or Registered shoots in your chosen discipline, why not make this the year you start. At a recent meeting there was a lot of reminiscing over past years and it wasn't the score that day that stuck in the memory but the laughs, social interaction, meeting up with old friends making new that counted. If you fancy getting involved just contact us via the address at the top of this article, social media, or CPSA HQ. Please don't labour under the impression that 'you're not good enough' our attitude is just come along and get involved. We have a wealth of stories of members who decided to just throw themselves in at the deep end and came away with lasting memories.

We're hoping to arrange some 'get together' days this year to try to encourage team membership in disciplines such as Skeet and FITASC, with a view to putting teams forward for Inter-County and national fixtures. Watch

this space, come along and get involved.

Championship bookings are now open and we hope you all enjoyed sitting in front of the screens, pressing refresh, waiting for the clock to tick round. Hopefully you got the slot you wanted and we look forward to reporting on your successes this year.

Congratulations go to Aaron Eccleston for his continuing progress and selection for the British Shooting World Class programme for 2026. LA 2028 beckons.

We would also like to extend our best wishes to all Shropshire shooters who fly the flag nationally and on the international stage.

On the domestic front it's good to see our Shropshire DTL contingent of Shaun Gardener, Huw and Gwyn Bevan, have been out competing, including some impressive scores and Shaun's High Gun at Holmes Chapel.

Paul Stokes continues to post high scores in ESK, following last years impressive season, including High Gun at Nottingham and some high ESP scores including a very creditable Fifth at Normanton. ▶

Gun Club at 2.30pm. All Derbyshire members are welcome.

County Championships and Selections

Hopefully by the time you are reading this most of the selections and County Championships will have been arranged. Unfortunately some of these might clash with other competitions and major championships, with the shooting calendar being so busy this can't be helped. We look forward to seeing you all in 2026.

Anyone with any news, results etc please contact Geoff Flint on 07778 639 691, geoffflint@rocketmail.com or derbycpsa1@rocketmail.com, or any of the shoot reps.

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Stewart Owen has been out and about enjoying the weather (see photo) putting in some high scores with Mike Cashmore at venues including Westfield. Congratulations also go to Nick Williamson, Fifth in Masters at Westfield ESP, along with high scoring from Richard 'Brewster' Hughes, John Grehan, and Christopher Foxley at Eaton Hall.

And finally for this article and in the spirit of getting involved, well done to Paul Hodson and Rebecca Smith who gained classification on 18 Jan ESP Eaton Hall.

STAFFORDSHIRE

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17 Jan: Staffordshire CPSA Annual General Meeting

Your committee for 2026 is as follows: Steve Kilner Chairman, Martin Butcher Vice-Chairman, Valerie-Anne Barrow Treasurer, Matt Pickford Secretary, Valerie-Anne Barrow and Cheryl Maher Ladies Representatives, Matt Pickford Trophy Manager, Paul Bailey, Simon Cox, Jon Dennis, Adam Gutteridge, Ian Hull, Cheryl Maher and Steve Ward Committee Members.

"2025 was another outstanding season for Staffordshire and our shooters. My thanks to everyone on the Committee who has contributed to that success. It's a proper team effort and the fact that we work so well as a team is borne out by our results. In the Inter-Counties, we competed in all but one of the championships, winning four Golds, two Silvers, and two Bronze. We've had 62 different people shoot for Staffordshire this year, an exceptional level of engagement across all disciplines and



Staffordshire CPSA AGM 2026.

HEREFORDSHIRE & WORCESTERSHIRE

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Dates for all our county events are very nearly finalised, and a calendar should be soon making its way into your email (please make sure the CPSA have it up-to-date!). We will also publish this on our Facebook page and you can download a copy from our website too (sites.cpsa.co.uk/herford-and-worcester). We will also make copies available at Park Farm Shooting Ground for members.

Many thanks to Chairman Rod Davies for all his hard work in preparing this, there are so many events it is no easy feat. I say Chairman but by the time this is published we will have had our county AGM, whilst I don't currently see any changes to our committee, all positions are open to anyone who

categories. This shows how inclusive we are as a county, something I'm very proud of. I'm looking forward to 2026 being another successful and enjoyable year for shooting in Staffordshire."

– Steve Kilner, Chairman

Team Managers

Discipline Team Managers for 2026: AR Steve Kilner, ABT Ian Hull, Compak Paul Bailey, Clubman Valerie-Anne Barrow, Martin Butcher and Steve Kilner, DR, DTL and SB Matt Pickford, ESK and ESKD Cheryl Maher, ESP Martin Butcher, FITASC Steve Ward, Helice Paul Bailey, OSK Simon Cox, OT Adam Gutteridge, STR and SSP Jon Dennis, UT Adam

wishes to help! Full AGM report to follow in next month's issue.

The committee would also like to send their congratulations to all those whose names featured in the *Pull!* Magazines 2025 Top Shots, we have a wealth of local talent. H&W members include Thomas Betts, Lee Betts, Thomas Burns, Charlie Morris, Phil Sanders, Connor Davies, Nicholas Rees, Phil Smith, Fiona Reed, Paul Colley, Tim Smith, Dan Price, Chris Moule, Mitchell Brooker-Smith, Charles Worrall, and Sophie Langton. Well done to everyone, we wish you continued success for 2026.

I hope the winter months have been enjoyable for whatever road you walk, be it game shooting, quiet practice and consolidation of technique, or simply a much-needed pause to come back to the competition season well rested and revitalised. We hope you enjoy a wonderful year of shooting and look forward to seeing you out and about.

Gutteridge. See our website: sites.cpsa.co.uk/staffordshire/staffordshire-committee

Staffordshire Annual Achievement Award – Colin Heathcote

This is a prestigious trophy that the Committee awards to someone who has had a truly outstanding season in their chosen discipline(s). Previous winners over the last quarter of a century include Paul Berry, Adam Gutteridge, Chris Daniels, Joe Kitson, Dave Beardsmore, Adam Cork, Jack Rowley, and most recently, Martin Walmsley.

This year's winner is Colin Heathcote. Just a few highlights include West



Colin Heathcote receives the Annual Achievement trophy from Steve Kilner.

Midlands and Staffordshire Single Barrel Champion, West Midlands DTL Veterans Champion, English Open DTL Super Veteran Champion, DTL Inter-Counties Gold medallist, Captain of England's DTL winning Super Veterans squad at the Home International in Scotland in July and at the same event, he topped off a fantastic season by being crowned the DTL British Open Champion! ▶

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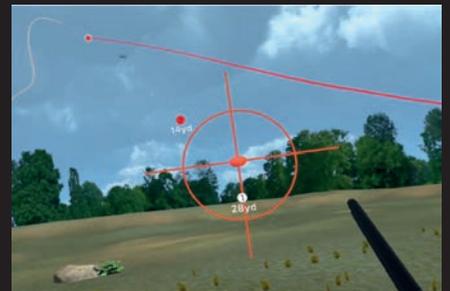
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New for 2026 – Compak Sporting and Skeet Doubles

This year, Staffordshire will be running County Championships in both Compak Sporting and Skeet Doubles. Full fixture details will be announced on our social media and website.

English Sporting Selection Shoots

Martin Butcher has put together a fine set of selection shoots. To qualify to represent Staffordshire at the Inter-County championship, you must take part in at least three of the shoots, shoot at least two different grounds, be CPSA

Registered, pay the appropriate county levy, and available to shoot at the Inter-County Championship at Westfields on 4 October. Points will be calculated from Staffordshire's High Gun at every shoot. Tables will be released throughout the season, so everyone can keep track of the process.

Date and venues of the six shoots: Thursday 26-Sunday 29 March at Lakeside, Sunday 19 April at Eaton Hall, Sunday 24 May at Grange Farm, Thursday 25-Sunday 28 June at Lakeside, Sunday 2 August at Eaton Hall (Staffs County Champs),

and Sunday 23 August at Grange Farm.

Staffordshire Championship Trophy Winners 2025

Ahead of the new season, the 'Trophies' section of the Staffordshire CPSA website has full details of all of our 2025 County trophy winners: <https://sites.cpsa.co.uk/staffordshire/trophies>

Fixtures

All our County fixtures and selection shoots can be found on both our Facebook and website sites.cpsa.co.uk/staffordshire



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We start with the sad news that our friend and long-standing supporter of Warwickshire passed away in December. I was saddened to hear that Sandra Langrish has been taken with cancer. Always ready and willing to shoot for the county, Sandra was well-known over many years as a regular team member for the county, supporting us in both Sporting and Skeet. Not only handy with the shotgun, but another of Sandra's sporting passions was also archery. All that knew her will miss her tales of travel to a variety of exotic locations as travel was another of her passions. RIP Sandra, we thank you for your contribution and enjoyment of the sport we shared.

On a brighter note, we move to some good news for two of our younger shooters. Eriswell Lodge and the CPSA announced in the autumn an initiative to support young Skeet shooters. The successful applicants would receive 5,000 cartridges, entry to the English and British Open ESK events, and entries to the England Team selection shoots. Quite an attractive package and worth a significant amount of support for the young shooters that were successful through a rigorous selection process. We're delighted to confirm that two Warwickshire youngsters, both Alice Marks and Jake Burton, were successful. We look forward to following their season ahead and their continued development in the sport.

Looking back slightly to last season,

several of our Warwickshire shooters were successful enough to get a mention in the CPSA Top Shots listing for 2025. We thought it appropriate to name check them all and wish them – and all – of our county shooters further successes in 2026.

Olympic Skeet – Toby Etheridge Top 20 and men's Top 10. English Skeet – Matt Morgan Top 20 and men's Top 10, Alice Marks Lady and Junior Top 10s, Matt Morgan also won the West Midlands Area Skeet Doubles. Helice – Meghan Ryan Lady Top 10, Brian Ward Super Vets Top 10. Olympic Trap – John Lewis and Jim Kyriakau Super Vets Top

10, Will Fowdrey and Clive Rowe Veteran Top 10. English Sporting – Tim Webster Top 20. Tim also took High Gun at the West Midlands Area ESP Masters collecting not just the trophy but also £400 in prize money. Tim also won the West Midlands Area FITASC. Compak – Neil Cousins Top 10 Veterans.

I hope I've covered everyone with a name check here but please let me know if I have missed anyone and I'll do all I can to make good. Next month we should have some dates and venues for 2026 events to get your new season started.



Tim Webster.

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The Cambridgeshire 2026 AGM took place on 20 January 2026. There were only eight Cambridgeshire members in attendance, including Committee members. John Martin (East Midlands representative) attended along with Kenji. Thank you to those who attended. A new Committee was elected for 2026 comprising T Jones (Chair), P Barnard (Vice-Chair), G Thatcher (Treasurer), J Jones (Secretary), L Carter-Gifford, A Taylor. Thanks were given to those who stood down for their work on the Committee in 2025.

Mementos were handed out to those present at the AGM to the 2025 Supreme Champions and Championship winners. Supreme Champion P Barnard, Supreme and Senior Champion R Croft, Supreme Veteran Champion, Supreme Ladies Champion J Bell. In recognition of his significant achievement of being Supreme Champion for seven years running, P Barnard was presented with a special award of an engraved decanter and whisky glasses.

Championship winners: P Barnard DR, ESK, OS. G Thatcher HBD. T Jones Helice. Absent winners were G Russo ABT, UT. R Allen SP; M Bedford ESP. R Croft AR. A Hallibone SKD. R Morris DTL. C Hall SB. D Christenson OT. P Gray FITASC.

County Championships

To date, the following 2026 Cambridgeshire Championships have been arranged:

County Championships

8 Feb	ABT, Nuthampstead
15 Feb	UT, Nuthampstead
22 Feb	OT, Nuthampstead
15 Mar	ESP, Sporting Targets
11 Apr	SP, Sporting Targets
4 May	FITASC, Sporting Targets

The Cambs Sporting Championship competition is used to select the nominated County representative for the Champion of Champions competition at the Annual Game Fair which this year is at Ragley Hall 24-26 July.

The dates and venues for the remaining County Championship shoots will be put on the Cambridgeshire CPSA Facebook and Website once they have been arranged.

Holders of trophies from 2025 Championships are reminded to ensure that they take them back on the day of the shoot or arrange to hand them to a committee member before the Championship date if they will not be attending.

The Committee hope that members will support as many of the county championship shoots as possible and look forward to catching up with everyone throughout the year.



Memento Winners.



P Barnard.

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The 2026 season started in fine style with 31 attendees at our AGM held at the excellent venue, Abbey Lodge Inn, Woodhall Spa. For those who had not been fed earlier members were treated to a very 70's style basket meal of either chicken goujons and chips or scampi and chips. The proceedings rattled along quite quickly. The Chairman, who stood down at this meeting, acknowledged all the work done by both past and present committees whose dedication has helped to make Lincolnshire so successful. A new committee was duly elected and CPSA Chairman, John Martin, gave a welcome update of what is happening nationally. It appears our sport is so popular the largest complaint was that of someone not being able to book on to a championship. The competitions nationally are going from strength to strength, and this is filtering down to the Counties.

The new committee have hit the ground running and have clear priorities. One of which is supporting and recruiting young shots. We are ready to give a helping hand to youngsters and are working with several grounds to offer them a full package. Please get in touch via our Facebook page

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With the wet and cold start to the year, some of you may have been taking a break from shooting, but well done to the hardy Sporting shooters, many of whom have been out and about around the region. We look forward to warmer and drier conditions, and hope to see you all as the season progresses. Whether you are competing or just enjoying some practice, we wish you all the best for the coming year.

30 Jan: Norfolk CPSA AGM

This meeting was held on 30 January at Chalk Farm Clay Ground. Thank you to all the members that attended, and to our hosts Steve and Jo for the warm welcome that we received. Also in attendance was John Martin, East

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if you know of a keen youngster. More details will be released soon.

Meanwhile we are very busy with our handbook which is delivered to members in the post. This is an excellent opportunity to advertise your business in 3D to every member in Lincolnshire. Although space is limited, we are expanding this successful handbook. For a chance to increase awareness of your business amongst shooters please call Alex on 07792 637 639.

Fixtures are being organised as we speak and 2026 is already shaping up to be a promising season. Enthusiasm to shoot for the County is at an all-time high and if you would like to be part of the buzz please get in touch via our Facebook page – message us and you are welcome to anonymously nominate someone who you think would make a good representative and the committee will then approach them.

The Lincolnshire shooting team will be scoring high around the County at a ground near you.

Speaking of County competitions, the 2025 Lincolnshire Supreme Champions were announced at the AGM.

Congratulations to Trevor Hawkins. Taking the crown for the first time ever in the history of these awards the Senior, Veterans, and Ladies category was won by three members of the same family – Jackie Houghton Ladies Supreme Champion, Marvyn Houghton Veteran Supreme Champion, and



Dale Houghton Senior Champion.

The committee then made a presentation to Paul and Janet Stennett who were standing down from the committee, having served the County for 23 years. The new committee is listed below and contains no less than three couples!



Donovan Jenkin Chairman and East Midlands representative, Trevor Hawkins Vice Chairman, Treasurer and Secretary Caroline Hawkins, Mike Allen East Midlands representative, Alex Sayer, Aaron Heading, Natasha Heading, and Paul Briggs.

We'll see you on the shooting stands!

Midlands Region Director and Chairman of the Board of the CPSA.

John discussed several topics, including the Government's plan to introduce legislation to restrict the use of lead ammunition, with a full ban (except for limited exemptions) coming into force in 2029. He also reported on CPSA membership figures, with the East Midlands being the only region whose membership had increased over the past year. Factors which may have affected membership include the increasing costs, and difficulty in renewing and obtaining new shotgun certificates. With police firearms licensing units under increased pressure, which has already led to significant backlogs, the CPSA along with other interested parties is lobbying against the proposed merging of Section 2 into Section 1 licenses which will be debated in Parliament on 23 February.

On a brighter note, our County

finances are in a strong position, and the committee's proposal to purchase a defibrillator to be installed at Chalk Farm Clay Ground was accepted by members attending the AGM. The estimated cost is £1,000.

The election of Committee Officers and members took place. Mike Jennings stepped down from his role as Vice Chairman, and was replaced by Cyril Fisher. The remaining 2025 Officers and committee members retired, and were then all voted back in. This left a vacancy, which was filled by William Reeve. To thank Mike for all his hard work and support while serving on the committee, the title of Honorary President was offered to him, which he graciously accepted.

Your 2026 Norfolk CPSA Committee members are: Chairman Jason Gunns, Vice-Chairman Cyril Fisher, Treasurer Stephen Cross, and Secretary Peter Dix.

Committee Members: Jonathan Balls, Richard Bunning, Robert Flowers, Richard Gilbert, Jo Howling, Jason Matthewson, Stephen Nichols and William Reeve.

County Championships

At the time of writing this report, we are still waiting to confirm the dates and venues of the county championships. We hope to confirm these at the next committee meeting, and will publish them as soon as possible thereafter. Please make a note in your diaries, as attendance at these competitions assists in the selection process for the teams that will compete in the Regional Inter-Counties Championships. After our fantastic win in the Directors Trophy Competition last year, we are very keen to field our strongest teams, so your support is greatly appreciated.

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Plenty of memorial shoots take place throughout October and November, and they remain some of the most important dates in the calendar. They give us the chance to remember those who once stood on these layouts with us – and to honour their memory in the best way we know: good company, good sportsmanship, and great shooting.

12 Oct: 100 ESK Annual Skeet Challenge and 100 DTL, Nottingham & DGC

NDGC hosted the Annual 100 English Skeet Challenge running alongside 100 DTL. The morning began with a cold, foggy start that demanded total focus from the early squads, with visibility and concentration both being tested from the off. Thankfully, conditions improved as the fog lifted and the day warmed up, giving us much better light and a far more comfortable afternoon on the ground.

With the fog gone and targets flying true, the standard of shooting rose quickly. The English Skeet saw plenty of rivalry and tight scoring, while the DTL offered a different kind of challenge – rewarding rhythm, discipline, and consistency. A strong day all round, with plenty of well-earned results across the categories.

26 Oct: 100 DTL and Dorothy Stevenson Memorial, Nottingham & DGC

The Dorothy Stevenson Memorial arrived with the first frost of the year, and it didn't mess about. A cold, wet day followed, with wind sweeping across the ground and making every target feel that little bit harder won. Most of us were caught slightly off guard by the sudden drop in temperature, but the spirit of the day never dipped – shooters turned out, got stuck in, and showed exactly what this sport is about.

Despite the conditions, the scoreboards still told the story of skill and grit. Days like this separate the good from the determined, and it was great to see so many refusing to be beaten by the weather.

2 Nov: John Bates Memorial Shoot 100 DTL, Nottingham & DGC

Another important memorial date at NDGC, as we gathered for the annual



Notts Champions - Hayley Denoon, Rob Denoon and Tom Clifford.

John Bates Memorial Shoot over 100 DTL. We saw a great turnout and a strong spread of scores across all categories, with plenty of solid shooting on show. A fitting tribute and another reminder of why these memorial events mean so much to the county.

16 Nov: Belvoir Cup Championship Day, Nottingham & DGC

The Belvoir Cup Day brought a packed programme to NDGC, with 100 DTL including the Belvoir Cup, alongside 100 English Skeet and additional NSC ESK and DTL events. It was cold, but that didn't stop it being a brilliant day from start to finish.

The atmosphere was friendly, great sportsmanship, and plenty of determination across the layouts. A huge thank you to everyone who braved the chill, supported each other throughout the day, and helped make it such a success.

Supreme Championship Results

A fantastic way to close the 2025 clay season, with some superb results in the Supreme Championships. Congratulations to: Nottinghamshire Overall Supreme Champion Rob

Denoon, Nottinghamshire Senior Supreme Champion Tom Clifford, Nottinghamshire Lady Supreme Champion Hayley Denoon.

It was close competition this year, with Rob scoring 37 out of 40 points, and Tom right on his heels with 36 out of 40.

A huge thank you to the team at Nottingham Clay Shooting and the Notts CPSA committee for the time and effort that goes into getting these competitions run smoothly and across the line. Your hard work is what makes a season like this possible.

Nottinghamshire County Championships 2026

Locations of our County Shoots. Dates to be confirmed soon:

Forthcoming Events

- STR Cockett Farm Shooting Ground
- ESP Orston Shooting Ground
- SKD Nottingham & District Gun Club
- SB Nottingham & District Gun Club
- ABT Nottingham & District Gun Club
- AR Nottingham & District Gun Club
- ESK Nottingham & District Gun Club
- DTL Nottingham & District Gun Club
- SSP Cockett Farm Shooting Ground



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At this early time of the year there is little to report except to say that the County AGM was held with nine people out of the county CPSA membership of 283 in attendance. Roy Tyler was voted in as Chair for the year, and Chris Lack was welcomed onto the committee. Colin Butler and Keith Alibone were again voted onto the Regional Committee to represent the county.

Here is a roundup of some of the key events for the county for 2025. Competitions in all 14 disciplines and published them in *Pull!* magazine and on the county website. Most were held at the Northampton Shooting Ground but others were hosted elsewhere thanks to East Yorkshire SG, Rugby and District Trap Club, and Sporting Targets for hosting some.

Entries for championship competitions in 2025 were 21% down on the previous year which is a similar pattern within the region. Most notable reductions were; All Round down 42%, Sportrap 27%, and Olympic Skeet down 64%, meaning it was back to two entries. Olympic

Trap and ZZ Helice attracted no county entrants whilst Universal Trench had one county gun in a field of ten, and so the organisation of them for the 2026 season is in doubt.

Bob Meadows who won the 'If You're In: You May Win' prize cartridges twice whilst the others were won by Jason Shortland and Ali Briglin. The committee paid entrance for Juniors and Colts to enter 12 competitions.

The 2025 season saw 68 shooters enter competitions eligible for the Supreme Championship title. All will stay listed on the leaderboard on the county website until the first eligible competition is held. 2025's Supreme Champions are Ali Briglin Junior, Bob Meadows Veteran, Jason Potts Senior, and Fox Wimpress Colt. Sadly there was no Lady Supreme Champion this year as no lady shooter entered the requisite three competitions.

In the Regional Inter-County competition the county came sixth! Team Managers, Neil Faulkner, Mick Russell, Keith Smith, and Marco Loxley did sterling work gathering together county shooters for these events. In total 40 people shot, some for multiple disciplines, for the county. The thank you prize of £50 has been awarded

to Leon Gill. All entrants are also rewarded with a box of 25 cartridges. Thank you to everyone.

By March when you read this, the fixtures sub-committee will have met. This means Marty will have found dates for the fixtures that the Northampton Shooting Ground can host and the committee will have discussed the possibilities for the others, so look out for dates and hosting grounds on the county Facebook page and website.

Lastly just to say that the twice monthly £100 High Gun registered Sporting competitions have continued this year without the Christmas break and the new year's heavy rain and intense cold snaps have given Roy some scope for different layouts. He is setting some tasty courses for everyone to find enjoyment. Chris Sumner was the last county shooter who won in December. Since then winners have been from out of the county and region. Entry numbers are always high so please don't forget to phone in to book onto a squad.

If you want to support the county by becoming a team member for one of the Regional Inter-County competitions please contact Roy either via Facebook or at the NSG ground and he will pass on your details.

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Welcome to the March edition of the Cornwall Regions report, I hope you are all well, had a great start to the new year, and the preparations for the new season ahead are going well. I hope those of you who have been away shooting in the winter sun in Spain etc have had some great times. Cornwall along with the rest of the South West over the past few weeks has been hit hard with red, amber, and yellow weather warnings for wind and rain, but that hasn't stopped our amazing ground owners keeping the sport we all love going through the winter months. We would like to say a massive well done and thank you on behalf of the Cornwall CPSA Committee and members. Remember in a few months the grounds will be basked in sun and lots of our members will be back out there taking part in competitions, both locally and nationally. ▶



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The Cornwall CPSA Committee held their AGM on Wednesday 21 January 2026 at St Stephen Social Club near St Austell. The AGM was not very well attended from members which was a disappointment, as this was a chance to share the success and ideas for the past and forthcoming events in the year ahead.

The Committee was selected for the 2026 year as follows: Chairman David Johns, Vice Chairman John Trevethan, Secretary Alison Morden Hawke, Treasurer Ian Lobb, Committee Nick Carey, Steve Tomlinson, Southwest Committee Reps Steve Tomlinson and Ian Lobb, Pull! magazine Ian Lobb. The team

managers will be sorted out at the next meeting.

The Chairman would like to pass on his thanks to Steve Moses who stood down from the Cornwall CPSA committee just before the 2026 AGM due to personal commitments and the committee – as a whole – would like to thank Steve Moses over the past few years for the support on the committee and sponsorship over the years.

If anyone is interested in joining the committee please feel free to get in touch with our secretary who will be happy to help. The committee would also like to ask members to bring forward ideas how we can get more engagement with the AGM etc in the future as all ideas are

worth putting to the committee for future consideration. The full AGM and reports can be found on the CPSA Cornwall Website & social media.

The committee will be running a development day in 2026. It was planned for early part of the season but due to grounds availability and busy calendars this will be held later in the year around October time. The committee will be reaching out to Ladies and Juniors soon to get interest, plus if anyone would like to sponsor the event then please feel free to get in touch with the committee.

If you know of anyone who is not a member of the CPSA please encourage them to join up, as its an official body

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Happy New Year to you all – if it's not too late to say that! The Winter months are always a bit quieter with many of our regular competition shooters taking a bit of a break, either to escape the bad weather or to indulge their passion for game shooting – be it beating, picking up, loading or shooting. Whatever you have been doing by the time you read this it will be clay shooting season once more. Entries will already be open for many of the big competitions this year and there are plenty of closer to home Registered competitions to get your eye

back in ready for the year ahead.

We have been busy behind the scenes getting the dates sorted for the 2026 County Championships and here are the dates we have so far (just FITASC to finalise).

County Championships

4 Apr	ESP, Owls Lodge
9 May	AR, Fareham
24 May	OT, NCSC
13 Jun	SKD, Fareham
18 Jun	Compak, Owls Lodge
27 Jun	SSP, Owls Lodge
27 Jun	ABT, Fareham
5 Jul	UTR, NCSC
30 Jul	STR, Owls Lodge
8 Aug	ESP, Fareham

16 Aug	OSK, NCSC
5 Sep	DTL, Fareham
17 Oct	SB, Fareham

Big thanks to Fareham, Owls Lodge, and the NCSC for hosting these for us. Now if only I could get FITASC sorted... As always please check with grounds for details of how to get booked in and take part.

I've taken a bit of a break from putting the results and profiles on our Facebook page but this will be starting again soon so if you have any news or successes you'd like to share then please do get in touch. I know lots of you like reading them so it would make my life a little

easier if you could keep me posted.

Talking of successes, it is great to have four Hampshire & Isle of Wight shooters in the England teams for their chosen disciplines for 2026. Congratulations to the following:

Dan Bishop English Sporting Senior Team, Jennie Cartwright English Sporting Ladies Team, Stuart Cureton Down the Line Senior Team, Charlie Faulds English Sporting Junior Team.

Stuart is off to New Zealand in March, Charlie and Jennie to San Antonio, Texas in April, and Dan (and Charlie) to Northern Ireland later in the year. We wish them all the best of luck and look forward to following their progress.

All that remains is for me to wish everyone a great 2026 season, may you all shoot straight and go up in class!



Stuart Cureton.



Dan Bishop.



Jennie Cartwright.

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which has great benefits. Plus with the new legislation that the UK Government is proposing in terms of gun licensing, its even more important to join together and have a voice to protect the sport we all enjoy! Please write to your MP to voice your views on the proposed law changes – we need to make our voice heard and many local MPs are not aware of the importance of the difference it will make to everyone.

Thank you, again and good luck, with the season ahead plus find the selection calendar on the Cornwall CPSA Facebook page and website.

Keep your head on the stock and see you in the April *Pull!* Magazine!

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Last month a reader – yes there is one! – wrote bemoaning the lack of Skeet and Trap shooting in the county. This was in response to the last *Pull!* Magazine column in which I asked for the said shooters to come forward and let me know their results as they were seldom covered in the monthly reports.

There is little doubt in most people's minds that there is an acute shortage of Trap and Skeet facilities within Wiltshire. Barbury has a Skeet layout which is more often used as part of its ESP/SSP/STR competitions. While Urchfont offers SB and DTL in limited form but not, I believe, for full competitions. Other than those two grounds I am not aware of anywhere else in the county offering trap and skeet facilities – but I am happy to be corrected.

Discussing the subject with people in the shooting world there seems to be a consensus that there is limited demand, especially for some of the Trap facilities, and that nowhere in the county has the land to be able to offer competition level layouts. In stark contrast to our colleagues in North America where land is relatively cheap and in abundance.

The issue for ground owners is simple: space – or lack of it – and returns. As one ground owner put it: "if we had 100 acres then I would be only too happy to provide Trap and Skeet facilities. But, sadly we don't, and, in all

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The Devon CPSA AGM 2026 was held on 15 January at The Waie Inn, Zeal Monachorum.

The Devon Committee Elected Officers are: Chairman Richard Chapple, Vice Chairman Robert

honesty, I am running a business and must consider what will generate the greater returns."

The harsh reality of commercial clay shooting in the UK is that neither Skeet nor Trap attract new shooters to our sport. An introduction to clay shooting usually comes through a corporate or charity day based on either sporting clays or simulated game. These are fairly straightforward to stage and enables beginners, or those with limited experience, the chance of bashing a few clays.

This is in stark contrast to Trap and Skeet where a fair degree of experience is required. Not the ideal starting point for an introduction to clay shooting. I think we can all agree that we want to attract as many new people into the sport as possible, especially in the current political and economic climate, and sporting is the easiest way of achieving that.

We would love to have Trap and Skeet facilities within the county but it is unlikely the situation will change over the foreseeable future as there is neither the space nor the finance to create competition level ranges.

There isn't, according to another ground manager, an enthusiastic shooter prepared to drive demand forward. Although this article may prompt someone to pick up the baton and clock me over the head to ensure Wiltshire trap and skeet shooters get more coverage!

On a less controversial note, we are beginning to pull together dates for all our County Champs for the coming season. Presently we are still waiting for confirmation on a few dates and once we have everything lined up a full timetable will appear in *Pull!* magazine, Wilts CPSA socials and website.

But please mark your diary for the County AR at Brook Bank on Good Friday (3 April), County ESP which

Dietz, Secretary Mike Hodgins. and Treasurer Marilyn Chapple. The Committee Members elected are Paul Garnsworthy, Jason Wright, Paul Rendell, Nigel Castle, Becky Wright, Don Brunt, and Katie Jemmison.

Please send any news and photos to Marilyn Chapple, Devon CPSA Secretary.

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will be held at Gunsite on Sunday 10 May (please note Sean has limited capacity, so do get your booking in early). Barbury will stage the County FITASC on Thursday 2 July. Ham Cross will host SSP and STR with dates to be confirmed in next month's issue as will the trap and skeet disciplines to be held at Brook Bank.

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Firstly Happy New Year to all Dorset CPSA members! Although the weather has certainly tested us lately, it's been fantastic to see so many of you still out on the grounds, starting the year exactly as you mean to go on. That determination and passion truly reflect the spirit of Dorset shooting.

Before we look ahead, a quick celebration of our final County Championship of 2025 – DTL. Congratulations to Ian Mulliner, who claimed the title with an outstanding 100-straight, 297ex300. Runner-up Richard King followed closely with 99 and 295ex300, and Tony Read secured the Top Veteran spot. A superb performance all round – very well shot, gentlemen.

Thank You to Our Volunteers

I would like to take this opportunity to thank all the volunteers who serve on the Dorset CPSA Committee. Your time, commitment, and behind-the-scenes work truly make a difference to our members and ▶

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Special thanks to our Chairman, Richard Pike, whose dedication and leadership continue to drive enthusiasm, support, and inspiration for Dorset shooting.

2025 Top Shots

Huge congratulations to Dorset's Richard King. He was the 'Top Shot' in 2025 in both All Round and Super Sporting and if that isn't enough, he was Fifth in ABT and 11th in English Sporting. He was also Runner-up in the Veterans category at both the World English Sporting and the British Open Super Sporting. What an amazing achievement! Richard is a great ambassador All Round shooters and a huge inspiration for us all. We wish you an awesome 2026.

Also, well done to Ian Mulliner who achieved top-20 averages for both ABT and Olympic Trap, topping the Veteran category. His best results of the year were Third Vet at the OT British Grand Prix and at the British Open ABT. He was also selected for both of these disciplines to represent England. A great year Ian, congratulations.

Richard Pike also deserves a

mention, who made it into the top-10 averages for Super Sporting. He also made a great effort to shoot across many disciplines during the year which he is hoping will help him achieve various goals in 2026. Good luck Richard.

CPSA Awards

We are delighted to announce that Stephanie "Steph" Davey has been named a finalist for the 2026 CPSA Coach of the Year Award, sponsored by Aimpoint. This nomination recognises coaches who go above and beyond to grow participation, develop talent, and promote inclusivity within our sport. Steph's passion for coaching – particularly her work encouraging more women to take up clay shooting – has made a lasting impact across our community. Congratulations on this fantastic achievement, Steph. Winners will be announced at the CPSA Awards on 21 March – we wish you the best of luck.

2026 Dorset CPSA AGM

Our AGM will be held at Purbeck Shooting School, Puddletown Road, Wareham, BH20 7NG on Wednesday 11 February at 7:30pm. Whether you'd like to share ideas, get more involved, or consider joining the committee, we

encourage you to attend. Your voice matters.

Looking Ahead

Last year brought some fantastic successes across Dorset, and we're excited to build on that momentum in 2026. Championship bookings are now live, so if you're thinking of giving it a go – step up, take the chance, and enjoy it. We look forward to celebrating the achievements and stories of both established and up-and-coming shooters as our county continues to grow and thrive.

Stay Connected

Follow us on Facebook: Dorset CPSA. If you have results, achievements, or stories to share, please get in touch. We love highlighting the successes and experiences of our members across all disciplines.

Upcoming Dorset County and Inter-County Championships

Keep an eye on Facebook and our channels for dates and announcements. Here's to another year of camaraderie, progress, and great shooting. Wishing everyone a successful and enjoyable season ahead.

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And so we kicked off the start of 2026 with the Somerset AGM on 29 January at Brook Bank Shooting Ground. The AGM was very well attended and from

memory was probably the largest gathering of Somerset shooters at an AGM for a fair number of years.

Firstly a big thank you to the outgoing Committee for all their hard work over the last 12 months. It's not always an easy task to get everything organised and sorted out in the county,

but they did an excellent job of it. I'd personally like to thank Alison Hann for all her efforts as Secretary and especially in getting the *Pull!* reports together. From my own past experience as Secretary this is not always easy, but she did a great job over the last three years. ▶



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County Champion trophies were awarded to the winning shooters and there were a large number attending to collect their awards. For those of you who were unable to attend, the 2026 Committee will ensure that your awards are distributed, and you should receive yours in due course.

The 2026 Committee consists of Lynn Austin Chairperson, Lorna Evennett Treasurer, Oliver Marshall Secretary, Ian Stones, Julian Fairburn, Robin Tea, John Bradnam, Wesley Hann, Geoff Eltham, Andrew King, James Box, and Luke de Alberdi.

So we start the new year financially sound as a county and we look forward to seeing what the new committee can do to continue to promote and progress shooting in Somerset. If you have any suggestions, please speak with one of the committee members and they can then present these at the next meeting.

The new Committee had a very quick meeting after the AGM and dates for forthcoming County Championships were discussed and we can give out the following dates: All Round will be held on Good Friday (3 April) at Brook Bank Shooting Ground. ABT will be held on Easter Monday (6 April) @ Brook Bank Shooting Ground. ESK will be held on 12 April at Brook Bank Shooting Ground.

2025 was a successful year for Somerset. As a county we won the most South West and Inter-County Champion titles, so congratulations to the individuals and the teams who took part. We'll look forward to seeing if we can repeat this in 2026.

BERKSHIRE
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Happy New Year Berkshire Shooters. The process of setting dates for the 2026 County shoots has begun. The proposed dates are as follows:

Forthcoming Events

15 Mar	ABT
19 Apr	DTL
24 May	OT
17 Jun	SSP
18 Jun	Compak
28 Jun	ESP

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12 Mar: South East Region AGM, Bisley Shooting Ground

The CPSA South East region AGM was held at the end of February and if you missed it, details will be on our website and in the next issue of *Pull!* Each of the nine counties in our region can nominate two SE representatives, so please make sure you have selected your representatives and encourage them to come to the committee meetings in person or follow the Zoom link from the South-East website southeast.cpsa.uk

2026 SE Inter-Counties fixtures

We are still sharing secretarial duties and Richard and Dom have so far arranged 11 South East and South of England Sporting, Trap, and Helice events. We are awaiting confirmation of the Skeet dates and will add them to the fixtures page of the website as soon as we have them. Please click the fixtures link on our website for full listings.

Changes to Clubman award

The committee have decided to continue with the clubman category which was introduced last season to be run concurrently with our South East of England and South of England events to encourage more shooters to enter. Please see the below clarification reproduced from our website.

Clubman Category

'Clubman' Champion Badges will be awarded for South of England and South East of England Championships. From 2026 this category will apply as follows:

In 'home' disciplines (English Sporting, Skeet, DTL etc) Highest placed C Class shooter, including unclassified shooters classed as C on the day. In 'international' disciplines

2 Jul	FSP
5 Jul	UT
26 Jul	ESK
16 Aug	OSK
22 Aug	STR

SOUTH EAST

(FITASC Sporting, ABT, Olympic Skeet, and Trap etc) Highest Placed D Class shooter including unclassified shooters classed as D on the day.

Your first opportunity will be the South East of England Super Sporting event at Southdown on Sunday 28 June and will be open for all C Class shooters who will not have to be part of the County Team. Keep looking at our fixtures page on the website for more opportunities.

South East of England and South of England Championships

Entries open to Individuals from all counties within the South East region. Remember that these are not just team events and anyone can enter individually and they can be entered Competition or Birds only.

South East CPSA Website

The website now has sections for fixtures, results, information and rules and there is also a link to our Facebook site which has reports and loads of photos – please go and have a look around them and let us know if you would like anything added, or if any elements are not working. southeast.cpsa.uk

Forthcoming events

Please see our website for details and book in directly with the grounds for shooting.

Forthcoming Events

28 Jun	STR IC, Southdown
28 Jun	SoE SSP, Southdown

Thank you to the Grounds who are supporting us again this season.

Please send us any news and photos for inclusion on the website and a mention in our monthly *Pull!* report and follow SE CPSA on Facebook too.

30 Aug	AR
27 Sep	SKD

Hope everyone is in good health and the committee wish you a safe and wonderful year ahead.



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Happy New Year to you all, I hope those that have been out shooting game have had a fabulous season and are relaxed and ready for the 2026 clay season.

In December Amy Easeman and Michael Hibbert flew out to Abu-Dhabi to compete in the Compak Grand Prix of Abu-Dhabi. In the main event Amy placed Third in ladies and Michael was 24th in the open category. Amy also placed First in Ladies in the Silver Pool Shoot with a 96/100. Well done both.

News from around the Grounds

December: Andrew Short was first in C Class in Sportrap at Owls Lodge on 11 December. Michael Smith was High Gun at Oxfordshire Shooting Ground on 12 December. 18 December, E.J. Churchill's, Michael Smith was joint Second in AA Class, Kevin Douglas was joint Third in A Class, and Ricky Hartland joint Third in B Class. 19 December at Atkin Grant and Lang, Michael Smith was second in AA Class

and Raj Bajaj was first in A Class. 20 December at Hornet Shooting Ground, Ricky Draper was Second in AA Class, Colin Meeks was joint First in A Class, Louie Godfrey-Nelms Second in B Class, and David Buffham Third in C Class. Callum Noble was Second in C Class. Andrew Short was Second in D Class in FITASC at Westfields on 21 December.

January: Michael Hibbert started the New Year off with a 97 to take Third place in the Compak at E.J. Churchill, John Smith shot 89 to place him Second in C Class. The Westfield FITASC saw Nick Moss take First place in B Class. Northampton Shooting Ground on 4 January saw Terry Herbert take joint Second place in B Class. Holland and Holland on 6 January, Billy Baughan was joint Second. 10

January Ricky Draper was High Gun at Hornet Shooting Ground with a 95. E.J. Churchill on 15 January, Michael Smith was joint Second and Stuart Cole took Second in B Class. The FITASC at Roundwood on 22 January saw Steve Whitelock take second in A Class. Colin Meeks took joint Second place in A Class at AGL on 30 January. Compak at Churchill on 30 January Amy Easeman was joint Second and Nigel Tubb was joint Second in B Class. Ricky Draper shot another splendid 95 to take High Gun at Hornet on 31 January and David Buffham took Second place in C Class.

Please feel free to E-mail me with any results, news or achievements both home or away that you would like including in the next issue of the *Pull!* magazine.

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And so the season starts again – please see below for the current list of Essex Championship dates.

County Championships

- 8 Mar ABT, Nuthampstead
- 15 Mar UT, Nuthampstead
- 22 Mar OT, Nuthampstead
- 2 May AR, Clacton
- 10 May DTL, Mayland
- 28 Jun SB, Mayland
- 18 Jul Compak, E.J. Churchill's High Wycombe
- 25 Jul Skeet, Clacton
- 22 Aug SKD, Clacton
- 6 Sep Sporting, Barrow
- 27 Sep DR, Mayland

The majority of these shoots require booking in advance with the ground directly so please keep this in mind if you know you want to do a certain championship.

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25-26 Jan: Olympic Skeet Abu Dhabi Grand Prix, Al Ain Shooting

A great start to the year for Bethany Norton. Scoring 115ex125 Bethany made the final, shooting alongside World Champions and Olympians under the new final format. Unfortunately, she was knocked out of the medals on bib number so finished in Fourth place with a score of 24ex28; still a fantastic achievement.

Around the Grounds

Andrew Gardner had a brilliant start to the month placing First in B Class at

Barrow Sporting Clays ESP fixture on 2 November with a score of 90ex100.

On 6 November at E.J. Churchill's ESP fixture Gary Parson took First in B Class with a great score of 83ex100.

Atkin Grant and Lang held their ESP fixture on 28 November. Matt Martin was High Gun scoring an impressive 95ex100. Guy Regev was First in C Class with an awesome score of 86ex100, 12 clear of Second.

Jack Lovick was joint High Gun at Westfield's FITASC fixture held on 29-30 November scoring an excellent 92ex100. Jack returned to Westfield for their FITASC fixture on 20-21 December and with a score of 88ex100 placed Second Overall. At the 3 January FITASC Jack once again shot well and with a score of



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Welcome to 2026 Oxfordshire! We have our AGM booked for Friday 27 Feb at Sturdy's Castle, 7:30pm. Everyone is welcome and we look forward to seeing you there. This is a great way to meet fellow members and get involved within the community. All county trophies and awards will be presented that evening. If you currently have a county trophy please contact a committee member for its return, polished, engraved and ready for its new home. I have heard that we have one of the biggest attendances, I'm sure this isn't just for the buffet!

Oxfordshire Sporting Challenge 2025

This has been jointly awarded to Colin Waite and Karl Field, amazingly both finishing on 0 points each! Second Julian Freeman, third Mike Bartlett, fourth Bob Blundell. Class winners, first A David McPhillips, first B Jo Field. There were no

92ex100 placed Third Overall. In a change of discipline Jack attended High Lodge's Compak fixture on 24 January and took High Gun with an awesome score of 98ex100.

At Rugby & District Gun Club's UTR fixture on 7 December Brett Winfield placed First in B Class and joint Third Overall with a very good score of 87ex100.

Alan Haynes was on top form at Nuthampstead's ABT fixture on 13 December. Scoring 89ex100 Alan was First in C Class and Third Overall.

Matt Martin continued his winning streak at Atkin Grant & Lang's ESP fixture on 19 December. Scoring 92ex100 Matt was once again High Gun. Gary Parsons placed First in B Class with a great score of 83ex100.

College Farm held their ESP fixture from 16 to 20 December. Robert Gray shot a fantastic 92ex100 which placed him joint First in A Class.

Nuthampstead hosted on Olympic Trap fixture on 21 December. John Bowman scored an excellent 87ex100 to take High Gun. Kelvin Page was close behind on 85ex100 which placed him First in D Class and Third Overall.

Holland & Holland held an ESP fixture on 6 January. Bruce Grundon shot an impressive 92ex100 to place First in A Class, four clear of Second.

Matt Martin was back in action at

qualifying entries for C class which was a shame. Hopefully this year will be different, remember all our county shoots are awarded by class and have targets for all abilities, not just the elite.

Oxfordshire Trap Challenge

This has been awarded to Pete Farrell. Family affair second and third, with Joe and Tony Robbins respectively. Congratulations to all, well shot. For both challenges, please see details on social media for the upcoming year, or speak to a committee member.

Top Shots 2025

Congratulations to our listed Oxfordshire shooters for exceptional performances in their chosen disciplines, we are proud of you all.

Special mentions

Westfield ESP – Julian Freeman High Gun (96), first AA (95), second AA (96), Cheryl Hall first AA (93), Richard Hart second B (86), Sam Ricketts third C (66). E.J. Churchill's – Robert Honour third AA (90),

Melvin Taylor third A (80). Sporting Targets ESP – Roger Carter third AA (88). Grange Farm ESP – Mike Bartlett joint High Gun (97), Cheryl Hall second AA (95). College Farm ESP – Robert Honour High Gun (96), Karl Field second AA (93), Jo Field first B (90), Jamie Whitton first B (88). Barby ESP – Ian Beck third A (81). Owls Lodge ESP – Mike Bartlett first AA (94), Roger Carter second AA (92). Oxfordshire SS ESP – Julian Freeman first AA (96), Robert Honour and Roger Carter second AA (92), Colin Waite third AA (90), Ian Beck first A (90). Cockett Farm ESP – Mike Bartlett joint High Gun (89), Cheryl Hall first AA (86).

Great to see unfamiliar names over the scores, especially in the lower classes. Looking forward to mentioning you all!

The winter is a time for the clay shooter to reflect, adjust training program and improve skillset for the season ahead. The game shooter has stood on peg with excitement, euphoria and total immersion for the day. I wish everyone this coming clay season to feel the same. Enjoy breaking those clays!

SURREY

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Surrey Shooters were well represented in the Top Shots charts published in the last issue.

Billy Greenwood and Paul Poulter had multiple entries in the Sporting disciplines, while Natasha Vadasz had four mentions including first place in the Ladies Super Sporting with an average of 81. Martin Nobbs had two Top Ten finishes in the Veterans category.

Nick Haley shot consistently as usual to claim a Top Ten place in DTL with 97 averages. In FITASC, Natasha Vadasz and Sarah White were in the Ladies Top Ten and Chip Smith was third in the Super Veterans.

The Surrey committee continue to do well in the Helice discipline with Jo Watson-Hopkinson in third place in the Helice Ladies. Steve Cole was in the Top Ten Super Veterans and Riccardo Verilli made the Top Twenty and gained his first GB Cap.

Surrey shooters continue to perform well in Olympic Skeet with Owen Lewis finishing in the Top five seniors and Jessica Burgess in the Top five Ladies.

Well done to everyone who made the lists. ▶

College Farm's ESP fixture which ran from 6-10 January. Scoring an excellent 93ex100 Matt placed Second Overall.

Andy Savva took High Gun at Nuthampstead's ABT fixture on 11 January with a great score of 83ex100. At their UTR fixture on 18 January Lucas Hyde was High Gun with a brilliant score of 93ex100. Ray Janes placed First in D Class scoring a very good 70ex100. Maddie Purser attended their Olympic Trap fixture on 25 January and scoring an impressive 89ex100 placed third Overall. Maddie was also the highest scoring Lady.

Atkin Grant and Lang held an ESP fixture on 30 January. Matt Martin was once again on top form and placed joint Second Overall scoring 94ex100. Nick Warmington took Forst in B Class with a great score of 88ex100.

Stay in Touch!

Please follow our social media pages. Facebook – CPSA Hertfordshire or Instagram @cpsa_herts to keep up to date with all that's happening within the County.

County Championships

29 Mar OT, Nuthampstead
 12 Apr UTR, Nuthampstead

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DT11 SERIES

14 of the 15 medals were won using a DT11 in Paris 2024



Surrey Fixtures 2026

Thanks to our Secretary Jo Watson-Hopkinson we already have a good number of events in our calendar, beginning with the ABT and English Sporting in March. See below for details of this month's fixtures and check the website for the rest of the events. Don't forget, you could win points for the Supreme Championship by entering a few more disciplines.

We have a full calendar of 15 Surrey County Championship events again this season and again we are starting early in the season to try and avoid clashes later on. The first dates are detailed below but for the full list please see the Fixtures page on our Surrey CPSA website surreycpsa.com

Surrey Supreme Championship

There is a slight change to the Surrey Supreme Championship for 2026 with the inclusion of Super Sporting. We are still

looking for the best seven scores to count from the twelve qualifying championships. 15 points are awarded for first place down to one point for 15th place. Why not come along support us and try a new discipline – you might like it and gain some points.

Forthcoming events

Please see below for details and book in directly with the grounds.

Forthcoming Events

- 15 Mar ABT, NCSC*
- 22 Mar ESP, Southdown*
- 18 Apr SB DTL, NCSC
- 19 Apr DTL, NCSC*
- *Supreme Points event

As ever, thank you to the National Clay Shooting Centre at Bisley and Southdown Gun Club for their continued support.

Please send us any news and photos for inclusion on the Surrey CPSA website and a mention in our monthly *Pull!* report surreycpsa.com and follow Surrey CPSA on Facebook too.



FITASC Ladies Sarah and Natasha..



Riccardo – GB Helice Team.

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A belated Happy New Year to one and all, 2026 is here and it's February already as I write this. No doubt some of you will be planning your shooting for the year ahead and by the time you read this entries will have already opened for some of the major championships of the year. Not a lot to report so far, the next article will have the Supreme Champion winners listed and any changes that come out of the county AGM.

Below you will see the dates of the county championships that have already been decided so you can get them into your competition calendar early.

Forthcoming Events

- 15 Mar ABT, NCSC
- 06 Apr SPT, Southdown
- 19 Apr DTL, NCSC
- 04 May SSP, Southdown
- 24 May OT, NCSC
- 25 May SxS, Southdown
- 05 Jul UT, NCSC
- 26 Jul ESK, NCSC
- 16 Aug OSK, NCSC
- 23 Aug HEL, Invicta
- 30 Aug AR, NCSC
- 31 Aug ESP, Southdown
- 31 Aug CPK, Southdown
- 13 Sep FIT, Southdown
- 27 Sep SKD, NCSC
- TBC SB, TBC
- TBC ESK (non toxic), TBC



DSG

As we are starting the new shooting year with a lot of Major and Minor Championship bookings now open. I just wanted to remind you all that the CPSA Major and Minor Championships have a Disabled Sitting and Disabled Standing Category.

2026 DSG Calendar

DSG events for 2026, are already being looked at, for more details please

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- 9 May DSG Shoot - 24 DTL, 25 ESK, 50 ESP, Kibworth
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GLOUCESTERSHIRE

P IAN COLEY SS 
Mo-Sa 09:00-17:00. Su closed
 iancoley.co.uk • 01242 870391 • ESP, DTL • Tuition & Gun Fitting by appt. Pay & Play practice for licence holders. REG ESP 1st Weds every month Mar-Oct. Corporate Events, Stag & Hen Parties

P WESTFIELD SG 
 theclayshootingcompany.com • 07342 338390 • ESP, FSP, CSP, STR • See fixtures for registered shoots.

HEREFORD & WORCESTER

A KIDDERMINSTER GUN CLUB 
Mo, Tu, Th-Su closed. We 18:00-21:00
 kgc.me.uk • 01562 632405 • ABT, DTL, ESK, ESP, SKD

R LONGRIDGE SG 
We, Fr & Sa 10:00-16:00
 07971447138 • Registered shoots once or twice a month. Please text or call to check that we are open • Open every Weds, Fri & Sat 10.00 – 16.00 for ESP Practice • CSP, ESP, FITASC, STR • Food available on Reg shoots only. Tea & coffee always

R PARK FARM SG 
Mo-Su closed
 parkfarmshoot.co.uk • 01905620237 • Please call or check website for current dates and times
 • AR, CSP, DTL, ESK, ESP, OSK, STR, UT

SHROPSHIRE

A BRIDGNORTH & DISTRICT GUN CLUB 
Mo-Fr closed. Sa-Su 11:00-14:30
 07966 260088 • Open third Sunday of the month, and first Saturdays in May, June, July, and November. • DTL, ABT

P WEST MIDLANDS SG 
Mo-Sa 09:00-17:00. Su closed
 All shooting is via appointment apart from Tuesdays. • wmsg.co.uk • 01939 200644 • ESK, ESP, ABT, SP, STR

STAFFORDSHIRE

A BALDWINSGATE GUN CLUB 
Mo-Sa closed. Su 09:45-13:45
 eile571@aol.com • 07831 472077 • 80 ESP Every First and Third Sunday of each month. Guests welcome by prior arrangement. Book in from 9.45 to 10.15 • ESP

WARWICKSHIRE

R BARBY SG 
Wed 10:00 -21:00. Sat 10:00-18:00/Dark.
 017880891873 • Weekly Sportrap Comps. Tuition, Caddied Rounds, Gun fit by Appt. Hot and cold food and drinks / onsite Gun Shop. Under floodlights in winter • Promatic Claymate Pay & Play on ESP, ESK, OSK

R COSFORD SG 
Mo-We, Fr closed. Th 10:00-15:00. Sa 10:00-16:00. Su 10:00-13:30
 Open every Sunday for open shoots. Winter hours close at 15:00 on Sat. Open practise. Lessons by appt. • cosfordsg.co.uk • 07563 518090 • DTL, ESK, ESP, OSK, STR

R EDGEHILL SG 
Th-Sa 10:00-18:00
 Late night shooting Thursday's from Apr – Aug to 21.30 • edgehillshooting.co.uk • 07831 574464 • ESP, ESK, OSK, DTL, ABT, UT, STR. High Pheasant Practice facilities

P HONESBERIE SHOOTING 
Mo-Sa 08.30-18.00. Su closed
 All shooting by appointment. • honesberieshooting.co.uk • 01327 262922 • ESP, FSP

R LEA MARSTON SC 
 Sun (alternate) – 10:00-14:30. Mon(alternate) and Thu, Fri – 10:30 – 12:30 13:30 – 16:30 (Shooting available until 17:30 subject to availability). Tue – Closed for Clay Shooting. Wed-(BST time – 15:30 – 19:30). Saturday – 10:30 – 15:30 • leamarstonshootingclub.com • Office Mo-Su: 01676 540070 • ABT, CSP, DTL, ESK, ESP, OSK, STR

P RUGBY & DISTRICT TRAP CLUB 
We 11:00-dusk. Su from 09:00
 rdtc.info • 07770 551491 • ABT, HEL, UTR • ABT & UT PRACTICE Wednesdays 10.30 till dusk. 100 targets registered ABT & UT most 1st & 3rd Sundays every month. May vary to avoid clashes with Selection Shoots

A WEDGNOCK SG 
Mo, Sa closed. Tu-Fr, Su 10:00-13:00
 Open Sha shoots every Sunday • adventuresport.co.uk • 01926 491948 • DTL, ESK, ESP, STR • Outdoor activity centre for corporate events. Course changed every couple of days and operate two 100 separate target rounds at the same time

EAST MIDLANDS

BEDFORDSHIRE

P SPORTING TARGETS 
Mo-Sa 09:00-18:00. Su 09:00-14:00
 Shooting will cease at dusk. When the hour goes forward in spring open till 20:00 • sportingtargets.co.uk • 01234 708893 • CSP, DTL, ESK, ESP, FSP, STR

CAMBRIDGESHIRE

P CAMBRIDGE GUN CLUB LTD 
Mo-Tu closed. We-Sa 10:00-16:00. Su 10:00-15:00
 cambridgegunclub.co.uk • 01353 648004 • Practice for ESP, DTL & ESK

A LONG ACRE SS LTD 
Su-Mo closed. Tu-Fri 10:30-17:00. Sa 10:30-16:00
 longacreshootingschool.co.uk • 07555 495151 • Tu, tuition day. We, tuition day. Th, tuition day. Fr, & Sa, English sporting practice • AR, CSP, DR, ESK, ESP, SB, STR

LEICESTERSHIRE

R KEGWORTH SG 
Mo-Sa 09:00-Dusk. Su 09:30-14:00
 ESP REG, All new layouts, 1st, 3rd, and 5th Sundays and all bank holidays. See Fixtures for FITASC and Sportrap. Open weekdays by prior appointment. Call or see website. • kegoworth.co.uk • 07973 111650 • CSP, ESP, FSP, STR • Adult Referees at all stands. Pool shoots at Sporting events. New stands & targets at all events. Fair but testing targets. See website for County, Regional & National Championships. Small selection of gun oil, hats, cleaning & shells for if you have forgotten

R KIBWORTH SG 
Mo closed. Tu-We, Fr-Sa 09:00-17:00. Th 09:00-20:00. Su 09:00-15:00
 Registered ESP first Friday of every month from Feb – Dec Late night Thursday starts the last week of May until the last week of Sep. From 1 Oct closes at 17:00 each Thurs • kibworthshootingground.co.uk • 0116 2796001 • AR, CSP, DTL, ESK, ESP, FSP, STR • Toilet facilities including disabled toilet

R LAKESIDE SPORTING 
Mo-Sa 09:00-19:00. Su 10:00-17:00
 hadfieldguns.com • hello@hadfieldguns.com • 01509881714 • ABT, ESP, STR • Registered shoots end of each month (squads Thurs-Sun)

A QUORN GUN CLUB 
Mo-Sa closed. Su 09:00-12:00
 Closed January and most of February, see fixtures list on website for shooting dates. Open fortnightly
 • quorngunclub.co.uk • 07867 071 652 • ESP
 • 50 target ESP only

LINCOLNSHIRE

R BLYTON SG 
Mo-Tu, Su closed. We-Sa 10:00-16:00, Su 10:00-15:30
 07741469669 • Blytonshootingground@gmail.com • ESP, STR, ESK

A CROWLAND GUN CLUB
every second Su 09:00-14:00
 crowland.gunclub@gmail.com • 07767396930 • SKD, DTL, STR, ESP, ESK

P EAST OF ENGLAND SG 
Mo-We closed. Th-Su 10:00-16:30
 eesg.co.uk • 01406 540362 • DTL, ESK, ESP, ABT, OSK, CSP, STR.

R GRIMSTHORPE ESTATE SG 
We-Su 09:00-17:00. Mo, Tu closed
 01778 591128 • grimsthorpeshootingground.co.uk
 • info@grimsthorpeshootingground.co.uk • ESP, STR.

A NORTH COTES BUTTS SC 
Mo-Su 09:00-17:00
 northcotesbutts.co.uk • 07917 755454 • large clubroom and gun storage • ESP.

R THE PRIORY CLAY TARGET CENTRE 
Mo, Tu, Th closed. We, Fr, Sa 09:30-14:30, Su 09:30-16:00
 theprioryctc.co.uk • 01406351451 • Registered shoots every weekend • AR, ABT, CSP, DR, DTL, ESK, HBD, OSK, STR.

NORFOLK

R CHALK FARM CLAY GROUND 
Su 10:00-16:00, Tu 13:00-21:00. Mo, We-Sun closed
 www.chalkfarmclayground.com • 07918627981
 chalkfarmclayground@outlook.com • DTL, ESK, ESP, STR. • 2 Have-a-go Training stands available Sundays and Tuesdays

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE

P NORTHAMPTON SG 
Mo-We, Fr closed. Sa-Su From 10:00. Th from 13:00
 northamptonshootingground.co.uk • 01604 642252
 • DTL, ESK, ESP, ABT, OSK, DR, STR

R BARBY SPORTING GROUND 
Su-Tu, Th closed. We 10:00-21:00. Sa 10:00-18:00
 Shooting under floodlights on Wednesday evenings until 21:00, after the clocks go back in October. ESK, ESP, OSK, STR, Although there are ramps into the lodge, at present there is no disabled toilet. The ground is wheelchair accessible

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE

R COCKETT FARM SG 
Mo-We, Fr-Sa 10:00-17:00. Su 10:00-15:00. Th closed
 Every day but Sunday, close at dusk or 17:00 whichever is earlier. Late night shooting on Wednesday from April to September. • cockettfarm.com • 01623 882244
 • AR, ABT, CSP, DTL, ESK, ESP, FSP

P NOTTINGHAM & DISTRICT GUN CLUB 
Su 09:00-16:00. Mo-Tu, Fr Closed. We-Th, Sa 10:00-17:00
 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



Tu-Sa 09:00-17:00

orston.com • info@orston.com • 07921 951477 • ESP, STR, ESK • High Towers • Registered Comps – see website • Tuition, Cafe

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.

P 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 • AR, ABT, CSP, DTL, ESK, ESP, FITASC, HBD, STR • New clubhouse with conference facilities and gun room. • FITASC & Compak, Simulated driven game area and rabbit skeet available

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 • 01986 784347 • ABT, CSP, DTL, ESK, ESP, FSP, STR • Onsite accommodation, large function room for events and large groups, air rifle ranges, archery and fishing. We now require all activities to be booked prior to your visit, we do accept same day bookings

SOUTH WEST

AVON

A BRISTOL ACTIVITY CENTRE



Mo-Sa 09:00-17:00

Closes at dusk • bristolactivitycentre.com • 01179353300 • group@bristolactivitycentre.com • ESP • Free car parking, cafe, toilets, undercover seating area, undercover shooting huts, electric traps • We are an all-year-round activity centre offering Air rifle shooting, Paintball, Airosft, Archery, Quad Biking etc

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 & competions • 077901 58109 • ABT, DR, DTL, STR, UT

DEVON

R ASHCOMBE SG



We-Sa 09:30-17:00. Su 10:00-16:00

ashcombeshootingground.co.uk • 01626 866766 • Registered Shoot first sunday of every month, Thurs Late night Shooting til 8pm (Summer only) • Covered All Weather Layouts available. Restaurant. "Rabbit Skeet" Layout. FITASC Practice Course. • ESK, ESP, FITASC, STR

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 • contact by phone or Facebook (Westdown Farm and Littlesilver clay shoots.)

P SOUTH WEST SS



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 • Cartridges available with shotgun licence or bring your own, fibre or plastic

HAMPSHIRE

R FAREHAM CLAY TARGET CLUB



See website for shoot dates and times • farehamctc.org.uk • 07539 945490 • ABT, DTL, ESK, ESP

R LAINS SS LTD



Mo-Fr 09:00-15:00. Sa 09:00-14:00. Su closed

Opening Hours from 1 Oct- 30 Apr • lainsshootingschool.co.uk • 01264889467 • ESP, csp • Different for wheelchair users but some stands suitable for mobility scooter access

P OWLS LODGE SS



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

R ROUNDWOOD SG



Mo-Fr 09:00-17:00

roundwoodshooting.com • 01962 774576 • booking@roundwoodshooting.com • CSP, ESP, FSP, STR • During winter months we close at 4pm

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-Th closed. Fri & Sa 11:00-16:00. Su 10:30-15:30.

Pre-book trap & skeet practice. Check calendar on web for latest updates. • brookbankshooting.co.uk • 07773 488018 • ABT, DTL, ESP, OTR, UTR • Gunsmith on site • Clubhouse with snack bar. • Cartridge restriction applies – see website

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 BARBURY SS



Mo-Fr 09:00-17:30. Sa 09:00-15:30. Su 09:00-13:00

Late night shooting every Wednesday from 9:00 with last entries at 19:00 (April - September) • barburyshootingschool.com • 01793 940420 • Registered shoots throughout the year - booking required. Please check the website for more information. • ESK, ESP, FSP, OSK, STR.

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-Th closed. Fr-Sa 10:00-18:00. Su 10:00-14:00

widdingtonshoot.co.uk • ESP • Open Bank Holiday Mon 10:00-14:00. • March last entry 16:00. April - August last entry 16:30. Please see website for further information

SOUTH EAST

BERKSHIRE

R HANGMAN'S STONE SPORTING CLAYS



Mo-Sa closed. Su 09:00-15:00

facebook.com/4counties • 07909 864027 • ESP.

P PURDEY AT THE ROYAL BERKSHIRE SS



Mo-Fr 8:00-17:30. Sa 8:00-17:00. Su closed

Shooting finishes at dusk during the winter months, but Gun Room and Country Store remain open. Closed Sundays and Bank Holidays • purdey.com • 01491 672900 • ESP.

BUCKINGHAMSHIRE

P E.J.CHURCHILL



winter: Mo-Sat 09:00-17:30. Su closed. summer: Mo,

Tu, Fr, Sa 09:00-17:30. We-Th 09:00-20:00 • ejchurchill.com • 01494 883227 • DTL, ESK, ESP, OSK, OTR, FSP, CSP, STR, DR • Offers lessons, caddied rounds and Claymate. • TU-SA food served 9am-4pm.

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, ESK • 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.

GREATER LONDON

P WEST LONDON SS



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 • John Rigby & Co Rifle Ranges 100 & 200 metre.

P HOLLAND & HOLLAND SG



Su-Mo Closed. Tu-Sa 08:00-17:30

hollandandholland.com/shooting-grounds • shooting.grounds@hollandandholland.com • 01923825349 • Holland 100 competition usually on the first Tuesday of each month. Our Breaking 80 competition available tues - fri. • ESP • 100 yd outdoor rifle range. Shooting Cinema for rifle use only. Restaurant, Bar, Lounge & Terrace.Private Events.

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 TC 
Mo-Sa closed, Su 10:00-13:00
 07941110381 • Open alternate Sundays. • ESP.

R LEA VALLEY SHOOTING ASSOCIATION 
Su-Tu, Fri closed, We, Sa 10:00-16:00. Th 16:00-19:00
May-August only
 lvsa.org.uk • 01992 552011 • ESP • Covered Shooting Points, qualified instructors, Have a Go and group sessions by appointment, catering Saturdays. Pay & Play Wednesday, Saturday 10:00-16:00, Thursday 16:00-19:00 May-August.

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.

KENT

P DARTFORD CLAY SC 
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 • Open to members and non-members. Supervised Have-a-go available. • Felt/Fibre wads only. • ESP.

P WEST KENT SS 
Mo-Fr 10:00-17:00. Sa-Su closed
 westkentshooting.co.uk • 01892834306 • As the light fades we will close 15:00/16:00 • ESK, ESP.

A WILLOW FARM SG 
We-Fr 09:00-17:00. Sa 09:00-16:00. Su 10:00-14:00.
Mo-Tu 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.

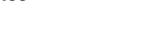
R OXFORDSHIRE SS 
Mo, Su closed. Tu-Sa 09:00-17:00
 Registered shoot on the second Friday of every month • theoxfordshireshootingschool.co.uk • 01608 690866 • ESP • Catering available Friday and Saturdays • Fibre wad only.

SURREY

A BT SHAWLANDS CPSC 
Su-Fri closed. Sa 10:30-13:30
 We are open for English sporting on the 2nd and last Saturday of every month • btshawlandscpsc.co.uk • 07729 733396 • ESP • Cartridge sales only to licence holders.

A GATWICK CLAY SS 
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 CROWS HALL CLAYS 
 crowshallclays.com • info@crowshallclays.com • 07851489936 • 50 target sporting and 2 sportrap layouts every other Wednesday 3.30pm - 8pm - April to September. 50 and 70 target sporting plus 1 sportrap layout every other Saturday 9.30am - 1.30pm - February to October.

A MILL FARM CLAY PIGEON CLUB 
Mo-Sa closed. Su 09:00-14:00
 We are open once a fortnight on a Sunday • 07790 498435 • ESK, ESP, STR • Can put together layouts for novice and experienced shooters and cater for groups of up to 100.

A MILL FARM LURGASHALL 
First weekend of every month. 10.00-12.30
 ESP • 01798 861218 • info@millfarm-lurgashall.com • www.millfarm-lurgashall.com/sporting

A POLOWOOD SG 
Mo closed. Tu 10:00-15:00. We closed. Th 10:00-15:00. Fr closed. Sa 10:00-15:00. Alternate Su 10:00-15:00.
 Late night Tuesdays to 19.30pm May - Sept. • 100 ESP, 5 STR & 3 SSP layouts • info@polowood.co.uk • 07818 203871 • Fibre Wad Only.

P SOUTHDOWN GUN CLUB LTD 
Mo-We closed. 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 SC 
Mo-Sa 11:00. Su 10:00-13:00
 07829 955699 • ESK practice Friday 2pm, ESK and DTL alternate Saturday 2pm, Sporting shoot every Sunday morning 10am • AR, DTL, ESK, ESP, OSK, OTR.

R GUERNSEY CLAY TARGET SC 
Su 09:00-12:30
 01481 252212 • guernseyclaytargetshootingclub.gg • ABT, OT, OSK, ESK, SKD, STR, CSP

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 SC 
Wed 12:00-16:00. Sat 10:00-13:00. Sun 10:00-16:00
 www.iomclays.com • 01624 827756 • Open Practice Wednesdays and Saturdays. Competitions every Sunday as per fixtures. Non-Members welcome. Beginners area. • ESK, OSK, DTL, ABT, ESP, STR, ProSporting.

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.

R E.J. CHURCHILL, SEALS COVE 
Mo-Tu: Closed. We, Fr, Sa: 9:00-17:00. Th 11:00-20:00. Su: 10:00-17:00
 ejchurchill.com/aberdeenshire • 01224783920 • Competitions twice a month, every other Sunday, from Sporting, Super Sporting, Sportrap & Fitasc. • Late night summer opening hours from 11am - 8pm on a Thursday, ceases in September. • Air rifle range, open for practice for Sporting, Sportrap & Skeet • CSP, ESP, FSP, STR

WALES

A RED FIELD SPORTS 
Mo-Sun 10:00-16:00
 Open Practise - redfieldssports.co.uk • andy@redfieldssports.co.uk • 07812035531 • bookings by reservation only.

P FAUXDEGLA SG 
Th- Su 10:00-17:00. Mo, Tu closed. We 10:00-dusk
 We are open in the winter 10am to 5pm. Summer times are the same but we stay open late on Wednesdays until dusk. • fauxdegl.co.uk • 07951 951526 • Corporate hospitality, functions, group parties, tuition, we have all disciplines for practice and everyone is welcome. • ABT, CSP, DT, DTL, ESK, ESP, OSK, OT, STR, UT.

A FERNDALE SC 
Mo-We, Fr, Su closed. Th 12:00-19:00. Sa 09:00-16:00
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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

Practise days and open events for grounds are not listed in the magazine but can be found on our website at cpsa.co.uk/events where you can filter your search for specific grounds.

SUNDAY 1 MARCH

Barrow Sporting Clays, Suffolk, 07912 497000, 100 ESP REG 100 ESP REG ESP 100 REG,

Beverley & East Yorkshire Shooting Ground, Yorkshire, 01482 450285, 100 ABT REG, 100 DTL REG 5th WS 5/6 to count And NOE NR ABT Selection,

Blyton Shooting Ground, Lincolnshire, 07741 469669, 100 ESP REG 100 bird sporting £150 high gun pool shoot on all day cafe open 9.30 - 14.30,

Brook Bank, Somerset, 01749 871056, 100 UTR REG, 100 ESK REG Pre-booking is essential. Please message 07773488018 with CPSA number,

Eaton Hall Shooting Ground, Derbyshire, 01889 565986, 100 Reg ABT - Book online. Practice available,

Eriswell Lodge, Suffolk, 01638 534045, 100 ESK REG 100 Reg ESK 01/03/2025 100 Reg English Skeet,

Fauxdegla Shooting Ground, Wales, 07951 951526, 100 REG DTL 6TH W/S - 100 REG ESK,

Kegworth Shooting Ground, Leicestershire, 07973 111650, 100 ESP REG Day 2 of 2. No Pre Booking. Entries 09:30 - 14:30 ,

National Clay Shooting Centre, Surrey, 01483 797666, 100 DTL REG Down The Line,

Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire, 01604 642252, 100 Sporting REG. £100 HG (tel.entries preferred) 25 Sportrap Pool Shoot Comp. Open Practice,

Nottingham & District Gun Club, Nottinghamshire, 01623 883798, 100 DTL REG Notts V Derbys H4H, 100 ESK REG ESK,DTL,ESP & FIT practice also available- Cafe open all day,

Old Glossop Clay Shooting Ground, Derbyshire, 07508 363918, 100 ESP REG 100 Bird CPSA Registered Sporting Competition. £150 High + Cash Payout in Classes. 1,

Park Lodge Shooting School, Yorkshire, 01405 861927, 125 STR REG Winter series, 6 of 6, £200 HG at each shoot. Telephone entry only 07956536089/079315549896,

Penrith & District GC Ltd, Cumbria, 07860 409365, 100 DTL REG, 50 ABT REG,

Ranton Clay Target Club, Staffordshire, 01785 223621, 100 DTL REG Clanford Trophy (Stage 1),

Rugby & District Trap Club, Warwickshire, 07770 551491, 100 UTR REG,

Spennymoor & District C.P.C, Durham, 07564 075210, 50 ABT REG, 50 ESK REG Practice DTL and ESP,

Westfield Shooting Ground, Gloucestershire, 07342 338390, 100 ESP REG 100 ESP REG plus Sportrap pool shoot,

TUESDAY 3 MARCH

Holland & Holland Shooting Ground, Greater London, 01923 825349, The Holland 100 Series 100 ESP REG. TEL Entries 01923 825349 or Online via www.hollandandholland.com,

Hornet Shooting Ground (CF), Buckinghamshire, 01494 883715, 100 REG ESP REG Limited Squads Tel Entries 07702243308,

National Clay Shooting Centre, Surrey, 01483 797666, 100 ESK REG,

WEDNESDAY 4 MARCH

Hornet Shooting Ground (CF), Buckinghamshire, 01494 883715, 100 REG ESP REG Limited Squads Tel Entries 07702243308,

Kingsferry Gun Club, Kent, 01795 877037, 100 ESK REG - 100 SKD REG and Practice,

THURSDAY 5 MARCH

E.J.Churchill Group Ltd, Buckinghamshire, 01494 883227, 100 ESP REG Squadded, please call 01494 883227 to book,

Hornet Shooting Ground (CF), Buckinghamshire, 01494 883715, 100 REG ESP REG Limited Squads Tel Entries 07702243308,

FRIDAY 6 MARCH

Brook Bank (X Robin Heal), Somerset, 07866 610086, 100 ESP REG 100 ESP REG £200 high gun. Pre-booked entries only, text 07866610086 (Liana) Start times 10:00 - 15:30,

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Buckinghamshire, 01494 883715, 100
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 07702243308

Kibworth Gun Club, Leicestershire,
 0116 279 6001, 100 ESP REG 100 ESP
 REG TEL ENTRIES ONLY ENTRIES
 10-2PM

SATURDAY 7 MARCH

Axminster Gun Club, Devon,
 01404 881588, 100 DTL REG

P Beverley & East Yorkshire Shooting
Shooting Ground, Yorkshire,
 01482 450285, 100 AR REG telephone
 entries-01482450285 Practise available

Bradford Shooting Ground, Devon,
 01409 281341, 100 DTL REG
 100 DTL REG

Brook Bank (X Robin Heal), Somerset,
 07866 610086, 100 ESP REG 100 ESP
 REG £200 high gun. Pre-booked entries
 only, text 07866610086 (Liana) Start times
 10:00 - 15:30

Clacton Gun Club, Essex, 07394
 670871, 100 STR REG Club
 Championship Tel Bookings 07394
 670871

Cockett Farm Shooting Ground,
Nottinghamshire, 01623 882244, 100
 STR REG - Squadded Call 01623 882244
 to book. £150 High Gun. ESP, FSP, STR,
 DTL practice

Fauxdegla Shooting Ground, Wales,
 07951 951526, 100 REG UTR

Hornet Shooting Ground (CF),
Buckinghamshire, 01494 883715, 100
 REG ESP REG Limited Squads Tel Entries
 07702243308

Normanton Shooting Ground,
Leicestershire, 01455 888353, 100 DTL
 REG DTL REG & ESP PRACTICE

P North Of England C.T.C, Yorkshire,
 01904 738120, 100 DTL REG
 PRACTICE FROM 12:30

P Northampton Shooting Ground,
Northamptonshire, 01604 642252,
 100 Skeet REG. 100 All Round REG.
 Practice 60 ESP,ESK,DTL & ABT

SUNDAY 8 MARCH

P Beverley & East Yorkshire Shooting
Ground, Yorkshire, 01482 450285,
 100 STR REG 6th winter series 5/6 to
 count call 01482 450285 to book

P East of England Shooting Ground,
Lincolnshire, 01406 540362, 100 ESP
 REG Sunday 8th March 100 Reg Sporting

Fauxdegla Shooting Ground, Wales,
 07951 951526, 100 REG CHAMP
 OF TRAP

Grange Farm Sporting Clays,
Leicestershire, 01455 822208,
 100 ESP REG

Gunsite Sporting Clays, Wiltshire,
 07979 874887, 100 ESP REG 100 ESP
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 book your space

Holmes Chapel Shooting Ground,
Cheshire, 01477 518444, 100 DTL
 REG 100 Reg DTL Please phone 01477
 518444 to book on

Kingsferry Gun Club, Kent, 01795
 877037, 100 ESK REG - 100 SKD REG
 and Practice

P National Clay Shooting Centre,
Surrey, 01483 797666, 100 ESK REG
 English Skeet

P North Of England C.T.C, Yorkshire,
 01904 738120, 100 DTL REG

P Northampton Shooting Ground,
Northamptonshire, 01604 642252,
 100 Skeet REG. 100 All Round REG. 100
 DTL REG. Practice 60 ESP,ESK,DTL &
 ABT Sportrap

P Nottingham & District Gun Club,
Nottinghamshire, 01623 883798,
 SKD REG Inc Notts Champs, DTL REG,
 ESK REG ESK,DTL,ESP & FIT practice
 also available- Cafe open all day

P Nuthampstead Shooting Ground
LLP, Hertfordshire, 01763
 848172, 100 ABT REG Essex County
 Championships

Oak Lodge Shooting Ground, Durham,
 07786 868691, 125 STR REG 5th Winter
 Series Sportrap

Shooting Wales, Wales, 07437 157631,
 100 DTL REG Winter series DTL
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Spennymoor & District C.P.C, Durham,
 07564 075210, 100 DTL REG,
 Practice ESP

Two Counties Gun Club, Devon,
 01769 540501, 100 DTL REG JETHRO
 MEMORIAL SHOOT 2026 ENTRIES
 9.30AM - 10.30AM

TUESDAY 10 MARCH

P National Clay Shooting Centre,
Surrey, 01483 797666,
 100 ESK REG

WEDNESDAY 11 MARCH

Barby Sporting Club Ltd ,
Warwickshire, 01788 891873, 100 ESP
 REG

Kingsferry Gun Club, Kent, 01795
 877037, 100 ESK REG - 100 SKD REG
 and Practice

THURSDAY 12 MARCH

P E.J.Churchill at The Swinton Estate,
Yorkshire, 01765 357997, 100 ESP
 REG Squadded: Please call to book

P Eaton Hall Shooting Ground,
Derbyshire, 01889 565986, Practice
 All Discipline 100 Reg English Sporting -
 Squadded Book Online

FRIDAY 13 MARCH

P E.J.Churchill Group Ltd,
Buckinghamshire, 01494 883227,
 100 CSP REG CSP Registered Winter
 Series 4

Mickley Hall Shooting School, Cheshire,
 07766 252438, 100 SSP REG PREBOOK
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 ESP REG OPEN PRACTICE FOR ESP, SSP,
 FSP & STR. TUITION AVAILABLE

P South West Shooting School,
Devon, 01884 243476, 100 ESP REG
 100 Registered English Sporting

SATURDAY 14 MARCH

P Beverley & East Yorkshire Shooting
Ground, Yorkshire, 01482 450285,
 100 UTR REG, 100 DTL REG telephone
 entries-01482450285 Practise available

Fareham Clay Target Club, Hampshire
& IOW, 07539 945490, 100 ABT REG
 and Open Sporting

Fauxdegla Shooting Ground, Wales,
 07951 951526, 50 REG OTR AM - 50
 REG ABT PM

P High Lodge Leisure Ltd, Suffolk,
 01986 784347, 100 CSP REG
 Compak Sporting

Kegworth Shooting Ground, Leicestershire, 07973 111650, 100 ESP REG Day 1 of 2. Booked & Squaddled starts 09:30, 11:30 & 13:30. Call or Text 07973 111650

Kingsferry Gun Club, Kent, 01795 877037, 100 ESK REG - 100 SKD REG and Practice

Mickley Hall Shooting School, Cheshire, 07766 252438, 100 ESP REG PRE-BOOK ONLY SQUADS AT 10AM AND 13PM // Cheshire Sel. Shoot Day 2. OPEN PRACTICE FOR ESP, SSP, FSP & STR

North Cornwall Shooting Ground, Cornwall, 07790 158109, 100 DTL REG Call/Text entries to 07790158109

North Of England C.T.C, Yorkshire, 01904 738120, 100 DTL REG NO PRACTICE

Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire, 01604 642252, 100 Skeet REG. 100 DTL REG. Practice 60 ESP,ESK,DTL & ABT

Somerset Shooting Ground, Somerset, 07860 561677, 100 ESP REG England Selection Shoot & SW Regional Championship. Pre-booked entries only, text 07866610086 (Liana)

South West Shooting School, Devon, 01884 243476, 100 ESP REG 100 Registered English Sporting

SUNDAY 15 MARCH

Barrow Sporting Clays, Suffolk, 07912 497000, 100 ESP REG ESP 100 REG

Beverley & East Yorkshire Shooting Ground, Yorkshire, 01482 450285, 100 ABT REG, 100 DTL REG 6th winter series 5/6 to count call 01482 450285 to book

Eaton Hall Shooting Ground, Derbyshire, 01889 565986, 100 Reg ESK - 6 of 6 Winter Series - Tel Entries 01889 565986. Practice ESP & ESK. BUCS Championships - CLOSED EVENT

Eriswell Lodge, Suffolk, 01638 534045, 100 ESK REG 100 Reg ESK 15/03/2025 100 Reg English Skeet

Fauxdegla Shooting Ground, Wales, 07951 951526, 100 REG DTL - 100 REG OTR

Kegworth Shooting Ground, Leicestershire, 07973 111650, 100 ESP REG Day 2 of 2. No Pre Booking. Entries 09:30 - 14:30

Meadowcroft Shoot, Somerset, 07802 467384, 100 ESP REG and Pool

National Clay Shooting Centre, Surrey, 01483 797666, 100 ABT REG County ABT

North Of England C.T.C, Yorkshire, 01904 738120, 100 STR REG Winter League 6/6

Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire, 01604 642252, 100 Sporting REG. 100 HG (tel.entries preferred) 25 Sportrap Pool Shoot Comp. Open Practice

Nottingham & District Gun Club, Nottinghamshire, 01623 883798, 100 SB REG Inc Notts Champs, 100 DTL REG, 100 ESK REG ESK,DTL,ESP & FIT practice also available- Cafe open all day

Nuthampstead Shooting Ground LLP, Hertfordshire, 01763 848172, 100 UTR REG Essex County Championships

Old Glossop Clay Shooting Ground, Derbyshire, 07508 363918, 100 ESP REG 100 ESP REG 100 Bird CPSA Registered Sporting Competition £150 High + Cash Payout in Classes,

Penrith & District GC Ltd, Cumbria, 07860 409365, 100 DTL REG, 50 ABT REG

Rugby & District Trap Club, Warwickshire, 07770 551491, 100 ABT REG

Somerset Shooting Ground, Somerset, 07860 561677, 100 ESP REG England Selection Shoot & SW Regional Championship. Pre-booked entries only, text 07866610086 (Liana),

South West Shooting School, Devon, 01884 243476, 100 ESP REG 100 Registered English Sporting

Spennymoor & District C.P.C, Durham, 07564 075210, 80 DR REG (40 pairs), 50 ESK REG Practice DTL and ESP

Sporting Targets Ltd, Bedfordshire, 01234 708893, 100 ESP REG English Sporting Cambridgeshire County Championships,

Westfield Shooting Ground, Gloucestershire, 07342 338390, 100 ESP REG 100 ESP REG plus Sportrap pool shoot

TUESDAY 17 MARCH

National Clay Shooting Centre, Surrey, 01483 797666, 100 ESK REG

WEDNESDAY 18 MARCH

Kingsferry Gun Club, Kent, 01795 877037, 100 ESK REG - 100 SKD REG and Practice

THURSDAY 19 MARCH

E.J.Churchill Group Ltd, Buckinghamshire, 01494 883227, 100 ESP REG Squaddled, please call 01494 883227 to book

Garlands Shooting Ground, Staffordshire, 01827 383300, 100 SSP REG morning and afternoon rotations, pre book in advance text 07342338390

FRIDAY 20 MARCH

Brook Bank (X Robin Heal), Somerset, 07866 610086, 100 ESP REG 100 ESP REG £200 high gun. Pre-booked entries only, text 07866610086 (Liana) Start times 10:00 - 15:30

Cockett Farm Shooting Ground, Nottinghamshire, 01623 882244, 100 ESP REG - Squaddled Call 01623 882244 to book. £200 High Gun. ESP, FSP, STR, DTL practice

Manchester Clay Shooting Club, Lancashire, 07761 409427, 100 ESPREG CALL 07761409427 TO BOOK. COST IS £45 COMP, £40 B/O. THIS IS SQUADED AND FIBRE ONLY (WE SELL CARTRIDGES)

SATURDAY 21 MARCH

Axminster Gun Club, Devon, 01404 881588, 100 DTL REG

Beverley & East Yorkshire Shooting Ground, Yorkshire, 01482 450285, 100 DTL REG, 100 ABT REG telephone entries-01482450285 Practise available

Bradford Shooting Ground, Devon, 01409 281341, 100 DTL REG 100 DTL REG

Brook Bank (X Robin Heal), Somerset, 07866 610086, 100 ESP REG 100 ESP REG £200 high gun. Pre-booked entries only, text 07866610086 (Liana) Start times 10:00 - 15:30

Clacton Gun Club, Essex, 07394 670871, 100 AR REG Club ChampionshipTel Bookings 07394 670871

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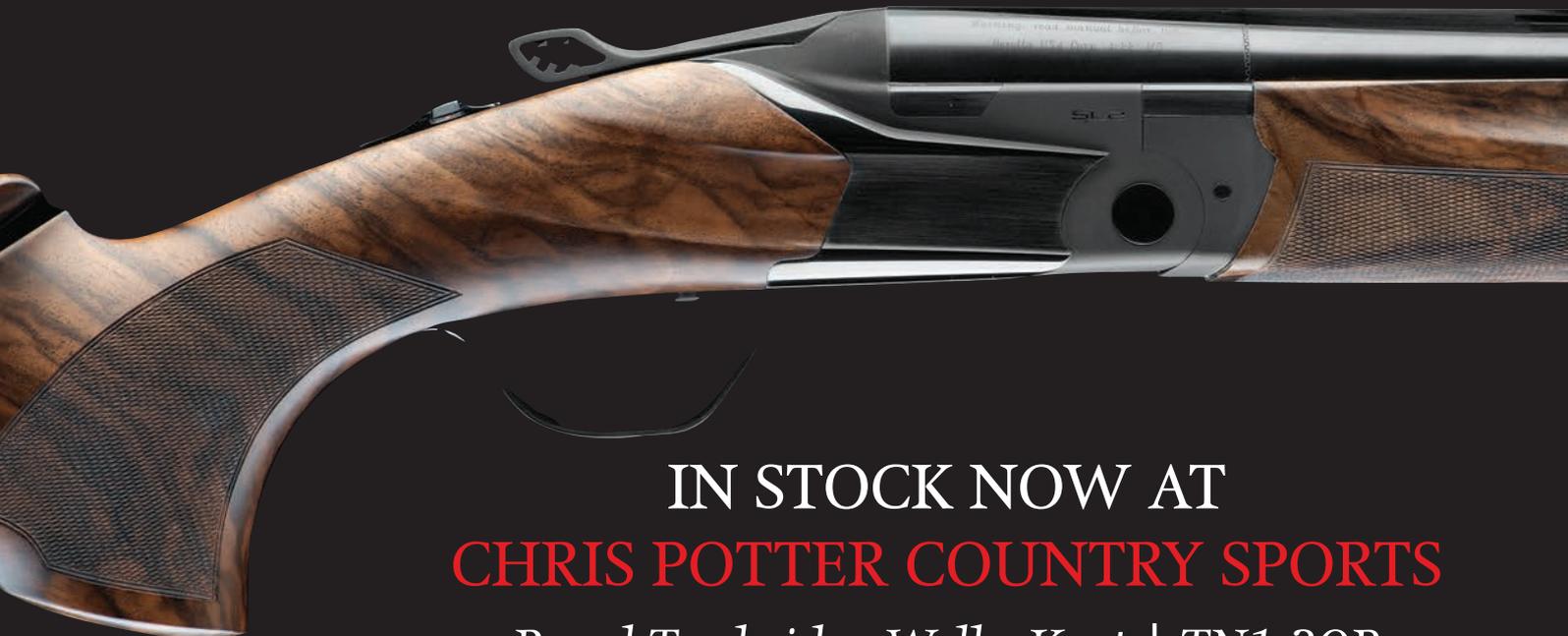
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Normanton Shooting Ground, Leicestershire, 01455 888353, 100 DTL REG DTL REG & ESP PRACTICE

North Cornwall Shooting Ground, Cornwall, 07790 158109, 100 ABT REG, 100 DTL REG Call/Text entries to 07790158109

P **North Of England C.T.C, Yorkshire**, 01904 738120, 100 DTL REG PRACTICE FROM 12:30,

P **Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire**, 01604 642252, 100 Skeet REG. 100 All Round REG. Practice 60 ESP,ESK,DTL & ABT

SUNDAY 22 MARCH

P **Beverley & East Yorkshire Shooting Ground, Yorkshire**, 01482 450285, 100 UTR REG, 100 DTL REG 6th winter series 5/6 to count call 01482 450285 to book

P **Bywell Shooting Ground, Northumberland**, 01670 787827, 100 ABT REG North Region Selection Shoot, 100 DTL REG, 100 AR REG Northumberland Championship

Catton Hall SG Ltd, Cheshire, 01928 788295, 100 ESP REG

P **East of England Shooting Ground, Lincolnshire**, 01406 540362, 100 ESP REG Sunday 22nd March 100 Reg Sporting

P **Eaton Hall Shooting Ground, Derbyshire**, 01889 565986, 100 Reg English Sporting - Winter Series 6 of 6 Entries 09:00 - 1:30. Practice All Disciplines

Fauxdegla Shooting Ground, Wales, 07951 951526, 100 REG DTL WCTSA SEL

Garlands Shooting Ground, Staffordshire, 01827 383300, 100 ESP REG 9.00 till 2.00, £150.00 HG, cash in classes

Gloucester Clay Shooting Club, Gloucestershire, 01452 739472, 100 OSK REG 100 Osk Reg

Grange Farm Sporting Clays, Leicestershire, 01455 822208, 100 ESP REG

Kingsferry Gun Club, Kent, 01795 877037, 100 ESK REG - 100 SKD REG and Practice

P **Nottingham & District Gun Club, Nottinghamshire**, 01623 883798, 100 ESK REG Notts V Derbys H4H, 100 DTL REG ESK,DTL,ESP & FIT practice also available- Cafe open all day

P **Nuthampstead Shooting Ground LLP, Hertfordshire**, 01763 848172, 100 OTR REG Essex County Championships

P **Orston Shooting Ground, Nottinghamshire**, 01949 851181, 100 ESP REG 100 REG ESP NO PREBOOK TURN UP AND SHOOT 9AM - 2PM, £200 SPONSORED HG CASH IN CLASS NO PRACTICE SHOP OPEN

P **Southdown Gun Club Ltd, Sussex**, 01903 877555, 100 STR REG, 100 ESP REG 100 Reg. Sporting & Surrey County Championship; 100 Reg Sportrap

Spennymoor & District C.P.C, Durham, 07564 075210, 100 DTL REG, Practice ESP

TUESDAY 24 MARCH

Hornet Shooting Ground (CF), Buckinghamshire, 01494 883715, 100 REG ESP REG Limited Squads Tel Entries 07702243308

P **National Clay Shooting Centre, Surrey**, 01483 797666, 100 ESK REG

WEDNESDAY 25 MARCH

P **Barbury Shooting School, Wiltshire**, 01793 940420, 100 ESP REG pre booking required 100 ESP practice, cafe & gunroom. 01793 940 420. Last entries 16:30

Hornet Shooting Ground (CF), Buckinghamshire, 01494 883715, 100 REG ESP REG Limited Squads Tel Entries 07702243308

Kingsferry Gun Club, Kent, 01795 877037, 100 ESK REG - 100 SKD REG and Practice

Mickley Hall Shooting School, Cheshire, 07766 252438, 100 ESP REG PRE-BOOK ONLY SQUADS AT 10:00AM AND 13:00PM. OPEN PRACTICE FOR ESP, SSP, FSP & STR

THURSDAY 26 MARCH

Hornet Shooting Ground (CF), Buckinghamshire, 01494 883715, 100 REG ESP REG Limited Squads Tel Entries 07702243308

Lakeside Sporting, Leicestershire, 01509 881714, 100 ESP REG STAFFORDSHIRE 100 BIRD REG CPSA SELECTION SHOOT NO 1 IN SELECTION SERIES

Roundwood Shooting School, Hampshire & IOW, 01962 774576, 100 FSP REG Winter Series Roundwood Shooting Winter Series

FRIDAY 27 MARCH

P **Atkin Grant & Lang SG, Hertfordshire**, 01582 849382, 100 ESP REG 100 Bird Sporting ESP. Pre-booking required. 100 Bird Sporting ESP. Pre-booking required 01582 849 382

P **E.J.Churchill Group Ltd, Buckinghamshire**, 01494 883227, 120 ESP REG Churchill Cup In partnership with the CPSA, raising vital funds for the England Team

P **Eaton Hall Shooting Ground, Derbyshire**, 01889 565986, 100 Reg Compak - Winter Series 6 of 6 - Call 01889 565986. Practice All Disciplines

Hornet Shooting Ground (CF), Buckinghamshire, 01494 883715, 100 REG ESP REG Limited Squads Tel Entries 07702243308

Lakeside Sporting, Leicestershire, 01509 881714, 100 ESP REG STAFFORDSHIRE 100 BIRD REG CPSA SELECTION SHOOT NO 1 IN SELECTION SERIES

Normanton Shooting Ground, Leicestershire, 01455 888353, 100 ESP REG ESP REG £100 H/G SQUADDED TELEPHONE ENTRIES 01455 888353 / 07972603469

Somerset Shooting Ground, Somerset, 07860 561677, 100 ESP REG 100 ESP REG £200 high gun. Pre-booked entries only, text 07866610086 (Liana) Start times 10:00 - 13:30

P **South West Shooting School, Devon**, 01884 243476, 100 SSP REG 100 Registered Supersporting



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Kegworth Shooting Ground, Leicestershire, 07973 111650, 100 ESP REG Day 2 of 2. No Pre Booking. Entries 09:30 - 14:30

Lakeside Sporting, Leicestershire, 01509 881714, 100 ESP REG STAFFORDSHIRE 100 BIRD REG CPSA SELECTION SHOOT NO 1 IN SELECTION SERIES

P North Of England C.T.C, Yorkshire, 01904 738120, 100 DTL REG

P Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire, 01604 642252, 100 Skeet REG. 100 All Round REG. 100 DTL REG. Practice 60 ESP,ESK,DTL & ABT Sportrap

P Nottingham & District Gun Club, Nottinghamshire, 01623 883798, 100 ESK REG Inc Kev Quincy Memorial, 100 DTL REG ESK,DTL,ESP & FIT practice also available- Cafe open all day

P Nuthampstead Shooting Ground LLP, Hertfordshire, 01763 848172, 100 OTR REG Hertfordshire County Championships

P South West Shooting School, Devon, 01884 243476, 100 SSP REG 100 Registered Supersporting

Spennymoor & District C.P.C, Durham, 07564 075210, 50 ABT REG, 50 ESK REG Practice DTL and ESP

Westfield Shooting Ground, Gloucestershire, 07342 338390, 100 ESP REG 100 ESP REG plus Sportrap pool shoot

TUESDAY 31 MARCH

P National Clay Shooting Centre, Surrey, 01483 797666, 100 ESK REG

SATURDAY 28 MARCH

Blyton Shooting Ground, Lincolnshire, 07741 469669, 100 ESP REG 100 esp 100 esp registered

Bradford Shooting Ground, Devon, 01409 281341, 100 ABT REG 100 ABT

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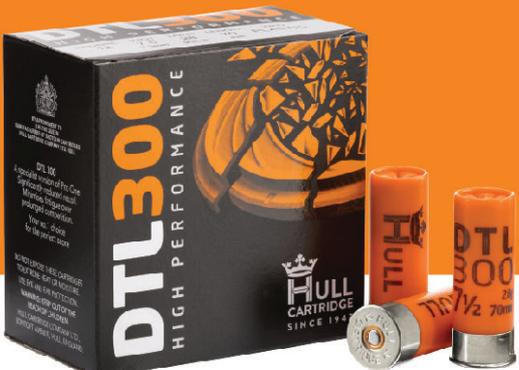
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PARTING SHOTS

MATT STOCKDALE

We speak to **Matt Stockdale** - The Skeet Coach - about all things Skeet.

Q Why skeet? How did you become the skeet coach?

I became the skeet coach by chasing understanding, not titles. I've shot and trained with the best, achieved the perfect score, and too many 99s to even recall. But my interest was always deeper; the mental side of shooting intrigued me. I delved into timing, pairs, psychology, and the reasons behind every miss. Over time, I could explain what others didn't, and "the skeet coach" became the inevitable label.

Q What makes your coaching philosophy so different?

I teach shooters to shut out the noise – counting, tension, distraction – and live a single clay at a time. Pairs show what's real; rhythm and psychology reshape it. Once the shot becomes deliberate, scores rise fast. My job is to give shooters the simplest path to consistent scoring – and pairs are the real exam.

Q You're known for teaching shooters to 'build time' into the shot. What does that mean?

Most people feel rushed by the clay. I teach shooters to slow the moment down: earlier visual pick-up, deliberate hold points, controlled movement. When you create space inside the shot, the target stops feeling urgent and rhythm replaces panic.

Q Why do you teach the layout in reverse as well?

Shooting in reverse removes

all the emotional storytelling shooters attach to a round: "here's where I messed up last week – I always miss this" – Reverse order wipes the slate clean. It's a psychological rewire that teaches shooters to treat every clay as singular – not a chapter in a drama.

Q Why do you work with opposite stations (1 & 7, 2 & 6, 3 & 5) as mirrored systems?

Again psychology. Skeet is three angles, mirrored – forget seven stations. When a shooter masters 2 & 6, they understand the picture, not the view. When they master 3 & 5, they've learned rotation, speed control and movement. This makes the layout simple and predictable, which builds confidence.

Q Why do you teach such a long, slow 'puuuuul' call?

Because it stops the mind jumping before the target appears. Too many shooters move on their call. A drawn-out call for the target kills anticipation and forces pure reaction to the clay. It builds calm, controlled timing – and avoids that glorious, glaring stare of blame at the ref!

Q You use digital scoring and video analysis. How does that work?

Technology is useful only when it explains why, not just what. Digital scoring shows



Q What do most shooters get wrong about breakpoints?

They choose breakpoints based on what they see, not logic. A breakpoint isn't a place you like – it's where the target is most predictable. Others might say slowest, largest, or clearest, but that tells me they're thinking way too much about it!

Q Why don't you compete anymore?

A spinal condition affects my consistency. I can still shoot straights, but the next week it might be a 94 or 96. Competition demands repeatable form, not flashes. Coaching gives me the outlet to contribute everything I still can to others.

patterns; shot analysis shows lead, swing, timing and shot pattern. It helps visual learners understand – but the value is interpretation, not pointing at a screen saying "you're behind on that".

Q What's the one detail most shooters overlook?

Focus – real, undiluted focus. A bit of clay under your boot, a phone buzzing in the pocket, a stray thought... any of it is a lost clay. The target has to be the only thing that exists.

Q Why is rhythm more important than speed in skeet?

Skeet isn't a game of speed – it's a game of timing. When you rush, you get tense. When you panic, you miss. Rhythm lets the gun and the eyes work together without tension. Great scores come from predictable tempo, not frantic movement.

Q Your favourite competitive memory?

Scoring one more than Richard Faulds at the British Open at Bisley, more moons ago than I care to remember, on a horrible, wet, and windy Saturday. Nothing was easy, it was ridiculous. The big guns had better weather on Sunday, but I'll take the Saturday win against an incredible talent like Richard any day. Days like that stay with you. 🍀



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