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At the start of every year we take time to reflect, and 2020 brought us all challenges nobody could have expected.

I would like to thank everyone from the NHS, emergency services, and key workers. I would also like to personally thank all of the members who have stuck with us through 2020. Even when shooting stopped, our work continued to ensure that clay-target shooting could start up again as soon as it was possible, and in a safe and secure way. Your support is what enabled this.

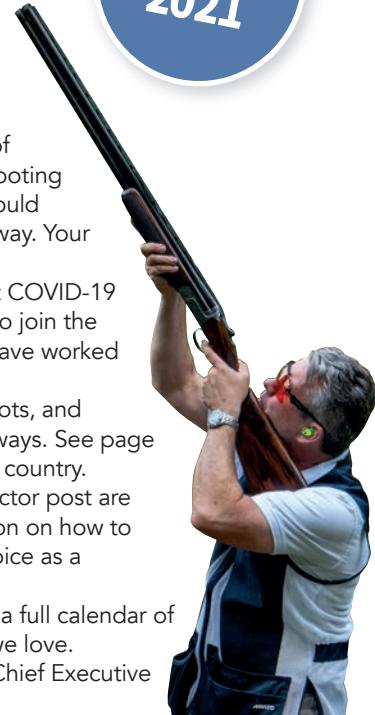
I am writing this just as the news has been announced of the first COVID-19 vaccine being administered in the UK. The CPSA and I would like to join the nation in thanking all of the medical and research personnel who have worked hard to put us on the path of seeing the pandemic behind us.

In this issue, we are pleased to bring you the usual CPSA Top Shots, and despite less targets being shot, the averages were incredible as always. See page 12 for those lists, and to hear from some of the top shooters in the country.

Please also note that CPSA Director elections for a National Director post are being contested, see page 31 for candidate profiles and information on how to vote. I encourage you to cast your vote and make sure that your voice as a member is heard.

Finally, I and the CPSA team wish you all a happy New Year with a full calendar of competitions, CPSA Championships, and events across the sport we love.

IAN PARKER // Chief Executive



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CLUBHOUSE NEWS

2021 CPSA COLTS INITIATIVE

The CPSA, thanks to a generous donation bequeathed by John Dalby, and through support from sponsors, grounds, and coaches, are delighted to announce a new initiative for selected Colts running this year, 2021. This was due to run last year, but was postponed due to Covid-19.

With John Dalby having been a keen sporting shooter, it was decided that in the first year of this initiative to invite the Top 20 Colts ranked in English Sporting as of the first classification run of 2020 to apply for this scheme. Following an application and interview process, the CPSA are delighted to announce the participants of the initiative this year are: Alf Bartle – North Yorkshire, Charlie Bird – Cambridge, Barney Eastman – Hampshire, Darcy McBride – Hertfordshire, Jasper Pearce – Suffolk,



The objective of this initiative is to support and guide these Colts as they develop and progress through the rankings, competing at county and regional level and possibly through to an England cap. The CPSA are pleased to be working with the following sponsors for this programme: Rizzini, Musto, Solware, E.J. Churchill (West Wycombe and Swinton), Owls Lodge Shooting School, and High Lodge Leisure Ltd. The overall aim is to measure the success of the initiative this year, and to grow the programme year on year. We hope to gain additional support from grounds, coaches, and sponsors to be able to offer this to more Colt members and branch out to the other disciplines. Darcy McBride said, "It still hasn't sunk in that I have been accepted but I'm happy beyond words this is a dream come true and I can't wait to

progress my shooting with the support of the Colt's initiative" Jasper Pearce stated, "I feel privileged to have been selected as part of the Colt's Initiative for 2021 and can't wait to see what the year ahead brings with the added support of the sponsors involved". Congratulations to all the participants and we look forward to following their progress on social media over the next year.

Left: Jasper Pearce. Below: Darcy McBride.



BRITISH SHOOTING SHOW

this year for their new show dates of 23-25 April at East of England Event Centre.

THE BRITISH INTERNATIONAL CLAY TARGET SHOOTING FEDERATION LIMITED

The Annual General Meeting of the British International Clay Target Shooting Federation Limited will be held on Saturday 6 March 2021 at 2pm. The venue will be confirmed at a later date and is subject to any COVID-19 restrictions.

Details of the Candidates for the Discipline Director Elections together with a voting form will be emailed to all Members of BICTSF Ltd early in the New Year and will also be put on the Federation's website.

To find out more information please visit bictsf.com

NEW BERETTA PREMIUM DEALER NEWS

GMK are delighted to announce that Rob Hall Shooting Supplies, trading as The Gun Room at Holme on Spalding Moor, have recently been given the status of a Beretta Premium Dealer. Their location and the friendly, knowledgeable, and helpful staff were significant factors, as well as the excellent facilities provided as a result of recent financial investment. They will now stock a full range of premium guns in both Field and Competition spec, from the 687EELL Classic and DT11L/EELL series through to the SL3 range.

Rob Hall becomes the twelfth in the GMK network of Premium Dealers across the UK. For more information please visit gmk.co.uk or thegun-room.co.uk

E.J. CHURCHILL LAUNCH A NEW CLEANING BOTHY

E.J. Churchill have built a brand-new gun cleaning facility at their prestigious shooting ground at West Wycombe. Called 'The Bothy', the idea was inspired to provide a free-to-use facility and give the shooter an ideal opportunity to clean their gun out of the sun, wind, and rain. Inside the immaculate new facility,

users will find four cleaning stations, two racks of cleaning rods and bore mops, two compressed airline hoses, as well as cleaning products from KG, Pro-Shot, and E.J. Churchill's own formula of oil with padded benches to keep shooter's guns clean and safe. For more information please visit ejchurchill.com

NATIONAL DIRECTOR – BALLOT 2021

Following our announcement on 10 November, the position of National Director for a three year term, starting immediately after the March 2021 AGM has been contested. A ballot is therefore required to take place. This is between (in alphabetical order) John Lucy and Carl Smith. (See page 31 for candidate profiles.) All CPSA members aged 18 and over will be sent a link to the ballot

process during January, giving details and profiles of the two candidates. If we have a valid email address for you then you will receive an email from Civica Election Services Ltd, who are managing the ballot on behalf of the CPSA. If we do not have an email address for you, you will be sent a letter explaining how to cast your vote. The deadline for casting your vote will be Friday 5 March 2021.

SAFETY OFFICER RE-QUALIFICATION

This year we will be contacting by email or letter all those who originally qualified in 2016 to renew their Safety Officer qualification, so please keep an eye out for the notification. If you qualified prior to this and haven't yet renewed your qualification please contact Richard or Cheryl at CPSA HQ and we will add you to the next available online exam.

NEW FITASC RULE CHANGES FOR 2021

The FITASC governing body routinely holds its Ordinary General Assembly (OGA) prior to the World FITASC Sporting championships, in the country of the host nation for that event.

With the worldwide pandemic in full swing, the 2020 OGA was held as a video conference. However, although reduced in content, there was an allocated agenda place for all the FITASC discipline rules to be reviewed.

Changes to the rules were focused on a noticeable increase in the use of release trigger operating shotguns.

This has prompted FITASC to produce a new and generic rule for competitors, and advice to the referees when there is a problem, mainly due to a no target on first or second shot. As of 1 Jan 2021, a competitor will be required to display

the above logo on the outward facing part of their stock.

This means that the referee should be able to see the logo, regardless of whether the competitor shoots from their left or right shoulder.

The logo is available to purchase through suppliers via the internet.

The other inclusion to all FITASC disciplines rules is advice to the referee on how to deal with no targets, with a release trigger shotgun. The focus is on gun safety and a common sense and safe approach is advised.

The rules for 2021 are available now on the FITASC web for all the FITASC disciplines.



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The retail price of The Zenith Sporter with adjustable stock will be £2,550. For further information please visit vikingarms.com

THE COUNTRY FOOD TRUST DINNER PARTY

Looking back at 2020, at what can only be described as an extremely challenging year, the Country Food Trust has been reflecting on how they, and the UK as a whole, have responded to changes in food poverty.

They hope this gave us all pause for thought and made us consider the 8.4 million fellow citizens for whom access to food every day is not a given. It is a shocking number and one which has increased because of the pandemic.

The plight of school children was also brought sharply into focus, thanks to the extraordinary work of their partner FareShare and their incredible ambassador Marcus Rashford. They drew attention to the one million plus children who are in food poverty in the UK, and for whom school provides not just an education but also nourishment.

To date, the charity has over 75,000 orders for this new meal with their producer which will be delivered directly to families before Christmas.

For 2021, The Country Food Trust need to raise even more funds to help children and their families in need and have a target to raise another £250,000 before Spring 2021.

The Country Food Trust is inviting you to host The Country Food Dinner Party at your home on Friday 26 February for as many guests as space allows, or as COVID-19 rules permit.

The goal is for over 2,000 people to attend individual dinners across the country, with each party raising vital funds to ensure another 250,000 meals can reach those in need, including children and their families. There will be online access to both a silent and a live auction for everyone attending, and a prize for the group who raises the most money on the night. So the charity urges you to call your friends and family, rally the troops, be part of the fun, give your friends something to look forward to and help make a difference to young lives this winter.

For more information about The Country Food Trust, please visit thecountryfoodtrust.org

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



SHOTS IN THE MAIL

LETTER OF THE MONTH



I started clay pigeon shooting after retiring about nine years ago. I bought my first gun, a Browning 525, which was checked for fit, as was the Browning 725 I changed to some six years later. The gun fit checks I have experienced were based on trigger pull and if my eye was aligned. I have had lessons from a variety of people but none included a gun fit check.

Recently I have had instruction from a CPSA instructor and the first thing he did was check for gun fit. He found that my

stock length was too long for me. The standard stock on a Browning 725 is 14.75" and it seems I need one about 13.5" – that's quite a significant difference! This instructor was even reticent to carry on the lesson because my gun did not fit! Having a stock over 1" too long had not helped with consistent gun mount and was probably encouraging lifting my head off the stock, especially on high clays.

I have now bought a Beretta Vittoria 686 with 13.5" adjustable stock and

already finding my scores are improving – having a couple more lessons with my CPSA Instructor has also helped. I think the important lesson here is that a gun must fit, and although it's quite possible to shoot with a poor fitting gun, it is so much better shooting with one that fits. I also suggest that a 'proper' gun fit check should always be part of any lesson.

– Barry Sexton



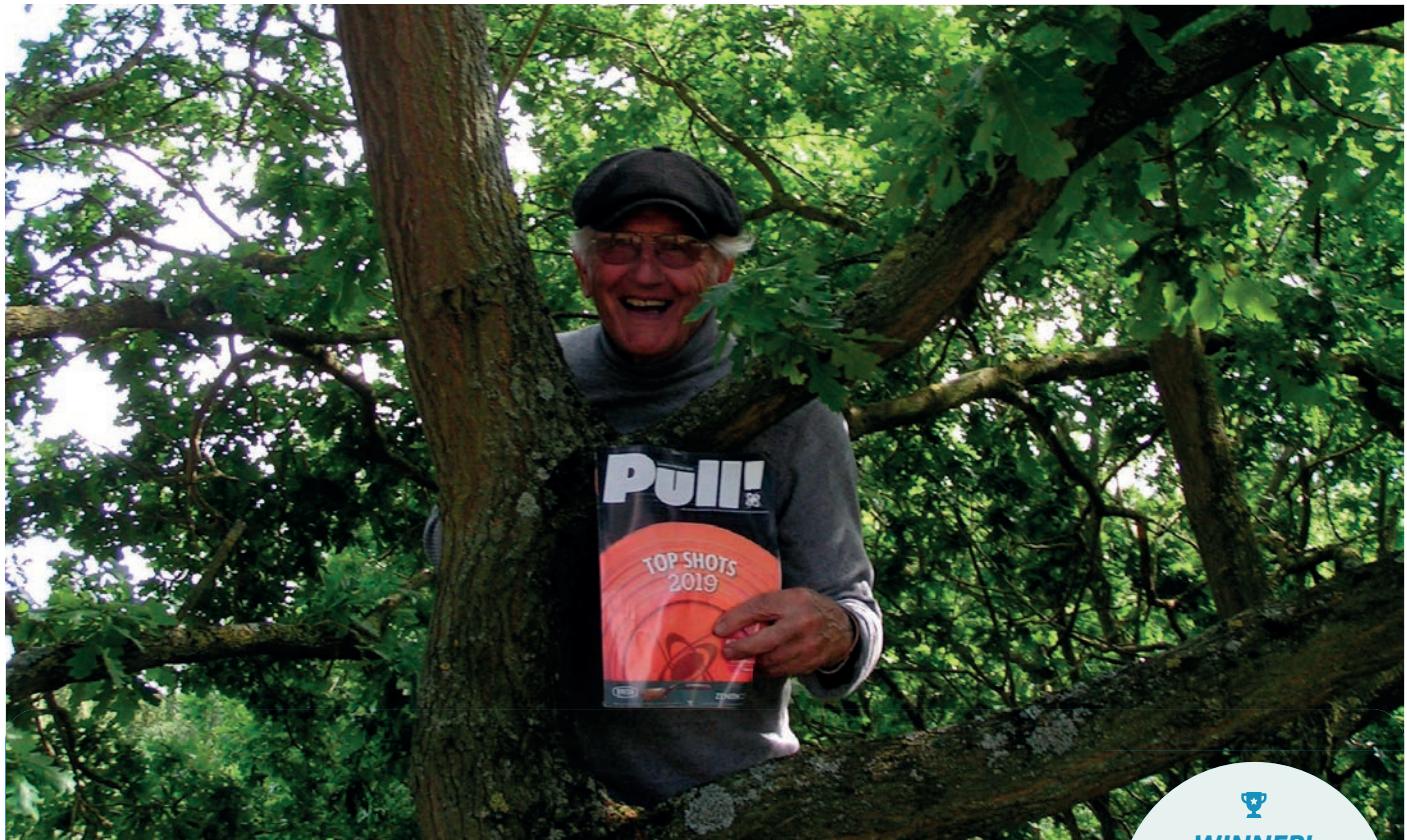
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Reading **Pull!** top shots from last year in preparation for this year's list! – David Payne

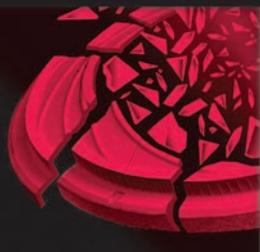


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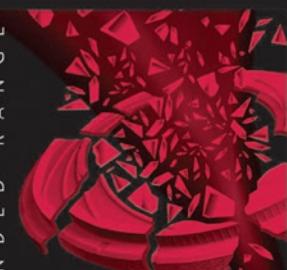


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Whether you are just starting out or are an experienced shooter, the CPSA has created a range of courses to offer the best training available in the sport today.

We are delighted to be able to release a selection of dates for 2021, to enable you to plan ahead with your training pathway. Please keep an eye out online and in future issues of *Pull!* for more information and additional dates becoming available. If you have any questions don't hesitate to contact Cheryl or Richard at CPSA HQ on 01483 485400 who would be happy to help!



L2 Common Element & L2 CTC

£495/£550

These are two three-day courses – the Common Element (£495) and the discipline specific Coach Training Course (£550). The Common Element now includes the three coach development workshops and allows seamless progression to the desired CTC in Trap, ESK or ESP. There are also three stand-alone CDW's * (£175 per CDW) available for those who have previously qualified as a L2 Coach, and wish to continue their coaching qualifications in a second or third discipline. They are designed to give you the technical skills to improve an established shooter. Candidates must be L1 Instructor qualified to attend L2 Courses.

- 24-26 May L2 (3 days) Northampton SG
- 07 Jun ESP (1 day) CDW Northampton SG
- 14 Jun ESK (1 day) CDW Northampton SG
- 14 Jun Trap (1 day) CDW Northampton SG

- 06-08 Sep ESP (3 days) CTC Northampton SG
- 13-16 Sep ESK (3 days) CTC Northampton SG
- 13-16 Sep Trap (3 days) CTC Northampton SG

Safety Officer Course

£105

This one-day course provides the basis for running a safe and successful shooting ground. It looks at safe gun handling, layout management, risk assessments and so on. It's an obvious choice for ground-owners and a prerequisite to Club Affiliation. It also appeals to the shooter and is the first step to our higher L1 Instructor & L2 Coaching qualifications.

● 06 Feb NCSC	● 05 Jul Nottingham & District GC
● 08 Feb Cambridge Gun Club	● 17 Jul NCSC
● 06 Mar High View CS	● 23 Aug Lea Marston
● 15 Mar Lea Marston	● 25 Sep NCSC
● 15 Mar Northampton SG	● 04 Oct Eriswell Lodge
● 03 Apr Spennymoor & District CPC	● 27 Nov NCSC
● 08 May NCSC	

Instructor Development Workshop (IDW)

£175

The Instructor Development Workshop is a one-day course and a prerequisite to attending the four-day Level 1 Instructor Training Course. Candidates will be given an overview of the full four-day course and be assessed for their suitability to progress onto the ITC. Candidates must have attended a Safety Officer Course.

● 08 Mar NCSC	● 14 Jun Lea Marston
● 08 Mar Cambridge GC	● 02 Aug Northampton SG
● 22 Mar Lea Marston	● 27 Sep Nottingham & District GC
● 03 May Eriswell Lodge	● 18 Oct NCSC
● 17 May NCSC	

Level 1 Instructor Training Course (ITC)

£695

This four-day course teaches you how to check eye dominance and gun fit. It shows you how to teach the CPSA Method, how to recognise shooting errors and how to correct them. It consists of classroom time, off-and on-range workshops and a final day of assessments. It covers crossing, rising, and dropping targets and equips instructors with the knowledge to tackle a huge variety of targets. For this course, the criteria for qualification is that the candidate can get a novice to hit a moving target safely using the CPSA Method. Candidates must have attended an IDW within the previous two years.

● 10-13 May Northampton SG	● 12 Aug Lea Marston
● 28 Jun-01 Jul NCSC	● 20-23 Sep NCSC

Safety Officer Requalification

£10

We will be contacting by email or letter all those who originally qualified in 2016, during this year to renew your Safety Officer qualification, so please keep an eye out for the notification. If you qualified prior to this and haven't yet renewed your qualification please contact Richard or Cheryl at CPSA HQ and we will add you to the next available online exam.

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

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THE NATIONAL INTER-COUNTIES

Reports back from the ABT, English Skeet, and English Sporting National Inter-counties.

NATIONAL INTER-COUNTIES ABT

The National Inter-Counties ABT was hosted by East Yorkshire Clay Shooting Ground on 11 October. Sixteen squads were entered in the competition, which had a full entry of 96 shooters.

Jack Thompson, who has shot both DTL and ABT for England, took High Gun after dropping only two targets. Lucy Hall took both Ladies and Junior High Gun for the day, demonstrating her exceptional ability across the trap disciplines. Aside from being a member of the GB Olympic Trap Team, this year she also won Juniors at the National Inter-Counties DTL and Ladies at the British Open Single Barrel.

Neil Leeming – also a former England ABT shooter – won Veterans, whilst Lewis Kirk won Colts.

The main show was the team events, with this being the National Inter-Counties Championship. Yorkshire managed to beat Lancashire by a single point in the Senior team event, adding another episode to that age-old rivalry. The winning Yorkshire Seniors were led by the High Guns Jack Thompson with 98 and Lucy Hall with 96, along with

Andrew Thompson, Chris Tate, and Dean Linley all on 92, and Geoff Barker on 83. Lincolnshire won both Ladies and Veterans, with their Ladies team consisting of Elena Taylor on 78, Janet Stennett 78, and Jackie Houghton 77. Veterans were Marvin Houghton with 94, GW Elkington with 91, and David Shepherd with 80. Herefordshire and Worcestershire took Juniors with a team of Thomas Burns, scoring 82, and William Goodman with 81.

CPSA Chairman John Martin stated "It was a fantastic turnout, as it has been for all National Inter-Counties this year compared with previous years, so everybody is getting out shooting while they have a chance – which is great! The weather was a major disappointment as the Met Office said today would be the best day of the weekend, and fairly mild, so don't believe what you see on the internet! Despite this, the shooters and the amazing staff at East Yorkshire got on with it. Congratulations to all of the winners and thank you to East Yorkshire for making it a great event."

NATIONAL INTER-COUNTIES ENGLISH SPORTING

The National Inter-Counties English Sporting was held at Westfield Shooting Ground on 4 October. Being a Steve Lovatt shoot, the competitors were prepared for some challenging targets, but they were also treated to some extra difficulty thanks to blustery weather conditions throughout the day. This did not deter Richard Faulds MBE who took High Gun for the day with a perfect 100 – the second year in a row that he has won this event with a straight.

Ladies High Gun was taken by 2020 Clay Shooter of the Year Amy Easeman. Arnie Palmer, who has been a stalwart of the England Team since 1987, put in an excellent 96 to take Veterans, whilst George Cheer, who won his first England cap in 2019 in both English and FITASC Sporting, took the Juniors title. Colts was won by Oliver Keats, who is already an A Class English Sporting shot.

The Senior team event was won by the Oxfordshire's Gold team (John Smith 92, Matt Hance 94, Karl Field 92, Luke Taylor 90, Mickey Rouse 91, and Julian Freeman 89), just managing to surpass Wiltshire by one clay. Ladies was won by Buckinghamshire (Amy Easeman 90, Lorrynne Harris 75, and Sammy Halsey 79.). Gloucestershire won Juniors with a team of Harry Lovatt 89, Luke Russell 77, and Liam Richings 73, and also took Veterans with Clint Warren 88 and Kevin Childs 89 shooting without a third teammate.

NATIONAL INTER-COUNTIES ENGLISH SKEET

The National Inter-Counties English Skeet took place at Northampton Shooting Ground on 17-18 October, on what turned out to be a chilly and overcast weekend. Originally scheduled for the latter day only, bookings for the event proved so popular that the team



Opposite page: ABT Winning Seniors.

Right top: Competitors at the National Inter-Counties English Sporting.

Right below: ESK Champion Martin Walmsley and ESK Ladies Champion Isabel Cartlidge.

at Northampton decided to open the shoot across the whole weekend.

Martin Walmsley, who last year won his first England Team cap, shot an exceptional 125-straight to win High Gun. Having shot a perfect 100-straight to tie with Andy Parsons, Martin then shot another 25-straight to win the shoot-off. Veterans was closely contested, with Paul George, Kevin O'Reilly, and Stephen Leppington all shooting near-perfect 99s, but Paul walked away with the win after crushing 24 clays in the shoot-off.

A shoot-off was also required for the Ladies category, with Isabel Russell, Emma Parkinson, and Isabel Cartlidge all shooting 97. Isabel Cartlidge held her nerve in the shoot-off, only dropping one target to take the title – an impressive feat given that she is still a Colt, and managed to win that title too. Rounding off the individual titles, Harrison Willis won Juniors with 96.

The team titles were well fought across the counties, and distributed amongst them. Andy Parsons' 100-straight led the Yorkshire team to win Seniors, and along with his teammates Jon Cain on 97, Ross Elgie on 99, Gary Cooke on 98, and Steve Leppington on 99, managing to drop only seven of the 500 possible points. Herefordshire and Worcestershire's Emma Parkinson scored 97 and Natalie Jones scored 93 to win the Ladies. Juniors was won by Northamptonshire's team consisting of Alexander Banning, who shot 96, Sonny Bowman on 91, and Sam Brodie on 87. Winning Veterans was Cambridgeshire's team of Robert Fletcher on 90, Timothy Jones on 96, and Peter Cook on 93.

CPSA Chairman John Martin was at the event and stated: "That this National Inter-Counties Championship was so popular that Martine and the team at Northampton had to open it up for two days, just goes to show how happy people are to be out shooting this year. It was a pleasure to see so many familiar faces from the Skeet community, including many that I've not seen in a while due to recent events. The turnout of county teams was encouraging, with teams coming from as far away as Cornwall and Yorkshire – showing just how committed Skeet shooters can be. Congratulations to all of the winners, and well-done to the team at Northampton for putting on a great weekend of shooting."



NATIONAL INTER-COUNTIES ABT

		Score			Score
High Gun	Jack Thompson	98		Senior Team 1st	Yorkshire
				Runner-up	Lancashire
Ladies 1st	Lucy Hall	96			470/500
Junior 1st	Lucy Hall	96			469/500
Veteran 1st	Neil Leeming	95		Ladies Team 1st	Lincolnshire
Colt 1st	Lewis Kirk	82		Runner-up	Hereford & Worcester
					156/200
				Junior Team 1st	Hereford & Worcester
					129/200
				Veteran Team 1st	Lincolnshire
				Runner-up	Yorkshire
					163/200
					185/200
					177/200

NATIONAL INTER-COUNTIES SKEET

		Score	S/O
High Gun	Martin Walmsley	100	25
Ladies 1st	Isabel Cartlidge	97	24
Junior 1st	Harrison Willis	96	
Veteran 1st	Paul George	99	24
Colt 1st	Isabel Cartlidge	97	
Senior Team 1st	Yorkshire	493/500	
Runner-up	Cheshire	489/500	
Ladies Team 1st	Hereford & Worcester	190/200	
Runner-up	Yorkshire	189/200	
Junior Team 1st	Northamptonshire	187/200	
	Cheshire	184/200	
Veteran Team 1st	Cambridgeshire	189/200	
Runner-up	Hereford & Worcester	189/200	

NATIONAL INTER-COUNTIES ENGLISH SPORTING

		Score
High Gun	Richard Faulds	100
Ladies 1st	Amy Easeman	90
Junior 1st	George Cheer	93
Veteran 1st	Arnie Palmer	96
Colt 1st	Oliver Keates	80
Senior Team 1st	Oxfordshire (Gold)	459/500
Runner-up	Wiltshire	458/500
Ladies Team 1st	Buckinghamshire	169/200
Runner-up	Hampshire	151/200
Junior Team 1st	Gloucestershire	166/200
	Lincolnshire	162/200
Veteran Team 1st	Gloucestershire	177/200
Runner-up	Hampshire	164/200

TOP SHOTS 2020



Please note that some lists are shorter than normal due to less shooters being able to put in the required number of scores across three grounds this year.



RICHARD KING 1ST ABT, 2ND ALL ROUND, 4TH SPORTRAP, 10TH ESP

This year has been very difficult for everyone with lots of shoots cancelled or postponed.

I have really missed competing at all of the championships and selection shoots. On the other hand, it has enabled me to shoot more locally and enjoy my home county championships.

I have been very pleased with most of my shooting this year, winning a total of 25

High Guns and a further five county titles.

There are always highs and lows when it comes to shooting, if I have a bad day I try and analyse it that evening, and work out where things went wrong. I don't dwell on it for too long, I just look forward to the next shoot.

My goals for 2021 are to hopefully be attending as many championships and selection shoots as possible, in several disciplines, and mainly



it has enabled me to shoot more locally



to keep enjoying the sport that I really love.

My advice to anyone is to shoot different disciplines, put yourself out of your comfort zone. Its always good to visit the local grounds that you tend to shoot less, shoot pool shoots and try out lots of different techniques.

All the shooting that I do would not be possible without the help from my sponsors, and I would like to thank Blaser UK for my F3 Pro, Hull Cartridge for the Pro One, and Ian Mulliner Guns for all his help.

GUN:
Blaser F3 Pro
AMMO: Hull Cartridge Pro One



CHRIS CHILDERHOUSE

1ST SPORTRAP OVERALL, 16TH ENGLISH SPORTING OVERALL

I've probably shot the least targets I've ever shot this year, but I was pleased how I shot the British Open Sporting, qualifying with a score of 115, which was the joint highest over the week. On the finals day I shot 73 and qualified for the six person Super Final. To win the Premier League series was also a highlight of 2020, it's a tough event for a AAA class shot to win, as we compete off scratch handicap, so to win that was very satisfying.

My 2021 goals are to shoot my best when it really matters, at major championships, if I do that I'll know I'll be in with a shout. I had a bit of a set back at the

British Open Super Final – on the first stand I missed four of the eight targets which put me out of contention. I

put this down to lack of focus and not getting in the 'zone'. Advice I would give to others would be to shoot at as many different grounds as you can, getting used to different targets and backgrounds. Also

shoot all the majors and big events, so you can understand how to deal with pressure.

I would like to thank my sponsors Browning, Just Cartridges, and also my wife and son for all of their continued support.



GUN:
Browning XS Pro
AMMO: Just Cartridges CSP Load

SPORTRAP

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targts	Hits	Ave
1	EE96439	Chris Childerhouse	1750	1645	94
2	EE86476	Nick Hendrick	1150	1066	92.7
3	EE127052	James Bradley-Day	1350	1251	92.67
4	EE24962	Richard King	1750	1618	92.46
5	EE18214	Paul Foster	2025	1865	92.1
6	EE102643	Pietro Mastroeni	1000	914	91.4
7	EE87054	David Kempley	1700	1550	91.18
8	EE115804	Sean Gamblen	1000	902	90.2
=9	EE19567	Will Thatcher	1000	900	90
=9	EE71316	Ian Mullarkey	1550	1395	90
11	EE116300	Argun Ismet	1500	1345	89.67
12	EE100978	Nicholas Portlock	1100	984	89.45
13	EE122464	Lee Phillips	1950	1741	89.28
14	EE134349	Joshua Bennion	1450	1294	89.24
15	EE10816	Michael Foster	1275	1137	89.18
16	EE138030	William Page	1650	1468	88.97
17	EE69348	Adrian Balham	1350	1200	88.89
18	EE121649	Andrew Swaine	1750	1537	87.83
19	EE56372	Glenn Hunt	1550	1359	87.68
20	EE19302	Robert Humphreys	1500	1315	87.67

Colts

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targts	Hits	Ave
1	EE138030	William Page	1650	1468	88.97

Junior

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targts	Hits	Ave
1	EE134349	Joshua Bennion	1450	1294	89.24
2	EE135238	Katie Durrant	1500	1159	77.27
3	EE139958	Hayden Coham	1200	878	73.17

Ladies

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targts	Hits	Ave
1	EE111792	Pauline Chapman	1400	1214	86.71
2	EE112108	Nadine Gilder	1150	968	84.17
3	EE103733	Sarah White	1000	818	81.8
4	EE1436	Tanya Faulds	1050	857	81.62
5	EE128249	Ceyla Ismet	1300	1042	80.15
6	EE119965	Linda Grayson	1150	907	78.87
7	EE135238	Katie Durrant	1500	1159	77.27
8	EE140165	Rachel Tweddell	1225	927	75.67
9	EE126098	Sian Hoskins	1000	752	75.2
10	EE135148	Lauren Goodman	1250	916	73.28

Veterans

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targts	Hits	Ave
1	EE69348	Adrian Balham	1350	1200	88.89
2	EE56372	Glenn Hunt	1550	1359	87.68
3	EE125416	Ian Schwier	1150	1005	87.39
4	EE1743	Eric Chapman	1800	1553	86.28
5	EE42934	Michael Snape	1225	1055	86.12
6	EE27861	Brian Jackson	1000	861	86.1
7	EE67499	Kenneth Bennett	1800	1532	85.11
8	EE17045	Keith Roe	1150	969	84.26
9	EE52182	Patrick Dickman	1300	1088	83.69
10	EE40903	Ray Effamy	1800	1504	83.56

ENGLISH SKEET

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targets	Hits	Ave
1	EE90969	Gary Cooke	2200	2170	98.64
2	EE118667	Peter Stanton-Hope	4800	4686	97.63
3	EE127545	Leon Gill	1000	976	97.6
4	EE112822	Andrew Parsons	1700	1657	97.47
5	EE95471	Peter Chester	1100	1072	97.45
6	EE121252	Christian Bethell	1450	1411	97.31
7	EE8494	Douglas Moore	1300	1264	97.23
8	EE134547	Tom Clifford	1000	972	97.2
9	EE128767	Martin Walmsley	1375	1336	97.16
10	EE39173	Stephen Leppington	2400	2331	97.13
=11	EE130555	Emma Parkinson	1000	969	96.9
=11	EE9098	David Billington	1000	969	96.9
13	EE118321	Alejandro Garcia-Mayol	3600	3488	96.89
14	EE137277	David Woolley	1100	1063	96.64
15	EE123649	David Roling	1800	1735	96.39
16	EE1100	Ray Rogers	2600	2506	96.38
17	EE99421	Luke Sanders	1200	1156	96.33
18	EE126835	Callum Jones	1000	961	96.1
19	EE87729	Martin Brister	2900	2785	96.03
20	EE31104	Tristan Hockey	1300	1248	96

Ladies

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targets	Hits	Ave
1	EE130555	Emma Parkinson	1000	969	96.9
2	EE126339	Rebecca Savins	1000	951	95.1
3	EE132830	Becky Clarey	1300	1233	94.85
4	EE118012	Hazel Denney	1000	933	93.3
5	EE129781	Samantha Rhodes	2575	2398	93.13
6	EE122157	Liz Shanks	1200	1116	93
7	EE48799	Jackie Martin	2100	1927	91.76
8	EE138498	Tracy Lowrie	1300	1182	90.92
9	EE142110	Isabel Cartlidge	1000	883	88.3
10	EE3805	Karen Donnelly	1000	870	87

EMMA PARKINSON

1ST ESK LADY, JOINT 11TH ESK OVERALL

After a very bizarre year, I am over the moon to have maintained my position in the CPSA rankings, and despite several major championships and selection shoots not going ahead I still managed to shoot a few of my favourite competitions during 2020.

I retained my Welsh Open Championship title for the third year running, scoring 97ex100, and my County title with 99ex100.

Having been a member of the England team for three years, I was disappointed

to see the selection shoots didn't go ahead, but next year I would like to continue to shoot for the England team.

I would like to say a massive thank you to my parents, boyfriend Ryan, and coach David Beardmore, for their continued support. In my opinion, the most important aspects to clay shooting is vision, gun fit, and ammunition – Ed Lyons and X-SIGHT have played a vital role in helping me guarantee my vision and reactions are always 100%. Manuel Ricardo has made me a bespoke gun stock for my Browning so when I put my head on the stock, I know it's always in the right place. And finally Eley Hawk, who produce cartridges that are smooth to shoot, but also give the most incredible breaks which is always a great confidence boost.

GUN:
Browning Ultra S (over 30 years old belonging to dad)
AMMO: Eley Hawk 24g Selects

Colts

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targets	Hits	Ave
1	EE131753	Alexander Banning	2600	2466	94.85
2	EE140905	Kian Maher	1000	939	93.9
3	EE142110	Isabel Cartlidge	1000	883	88.3

Junior

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targets	Hits	Ave
1	EE31104	Tristan Hockey	1300	1248	96
2	EE132396	Archy Stannard	1100	1054	95.82
3	EE134700	Harrison Willis	1400	1328	94.86
4	EE132830	Becky Clarey	1300	1233	94.85
5	EE141233	Mackenzie Kempton	1600	1429	89.31
6	EE140402	Brad Cole	1200	998	83.17

Veterans

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targets	Hits	Ave
1	EE118667	Peter Stanton-Hope	4800	4686	97.63
2	EE8494	Douglas Moore	1300	1264	97.23
3	EE39173	Stephen Leppington	2400	2331	97.13
4	EE1100	Ray Rogers	2600	2506	96.38
5	EE87729	Martin Brister	2900	2785	96.03
6	EE7027	John Dyson	1500	1435	95.67
7	EE9784	Peter Collins	1400	1334	95.29
8	EE80828	Ian Parkinson	1000	951	95.1
9	EE52646	Ross Nabney	2300	2183	94.91
10	EE103976	Raymond Simmons	3300	3131	94.88

PAUL JENKINS

1ST OLYMIC TRAP VETERAN, 13TH OLYMIC TRAP OVERALL

I feel I have shot more consistently this year, as I changed my gun from a Perazzi MX8 to a DT11 Black. Winning B Class at the OT British Grand Prix and also a bronze medal in Vets was my highlight of the year, as well as Shooting at O'Pinhal in Portugal in February. I also finished third in my class, and won B Class, in the OT Winter Series 2019/20 at East Yorkshire Shooting Ground.

It was difficult to get out and shoot a lot this year, with the Pandemic curtailing shooting and not being able to travel abroad. To qualify to represent England in the Home International, to keep being consistent with my scores, and continue to



GUN:
Beretta DT11 Black
AMMO: Fiocchi Golden Trap

enjoy shooting will be what I look forward to achieving next year.

I would like to thank my wife Angela for her support, along with the many other people along the way that have given me help, but most recently Rob Hall at the Gun Room, and East Yorkshire Shooting Ground.

To be successful you need to stay positive and keep going – I started shooting OT in 1992 at North Wales Shooting School, and shot my first British GP in 1993 there. I am still learning.





WILLIAM PAGE

**1ST ENGLISH SPORTING COLTS,
1ST SPORTRAP COLTS, 16TH
SPORTRAP OVERALL**

Given all the Covid restrictions this year – I am very happy with my results from what I have managed to shoot. I have achieved my five goals: retain the BO ESP Colts title, win the BO STR Colts, get into AA class, a

High Gun at one of my local Sporting shoots, and win the Suffolk Sporting Junior title.

Two events that stick out this year for me would be winning the English and British Open Sportrap Colt prizes. Winning both in the same year was a huge achievement for me. I also shot 97/100 at the BO Sportrap which left me fourth overall. I was only one clay away from being in the shoot-off for High Gun!

This was my last year in the Colts category, so going into Juniors next year I would



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Fieldsports channel. I would also like to thank my Mum and Dad for their taxi services and financial contributions, and finally Trevor, Kevin, Adam, and Cyrus for their support, guidance and “words of encouragement” – once they have finished laughing!

GUN:
Blaser F16
sporting
AMMO: Hull
Cartridge Pro
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like to get in the top five rankings for Juniors, win the Suffolk Junior Sporting championship, win an English or British title as a Junior, and 90% average in Sporting or Sportrap.

I would like to thank my sponsors Hull Cartridge Company and Highwaymans Shooting Ground for their continued support. Team Hull have made me feel part of the family

and Sam Green helped me with my first debut on the

ENGLISH SPORTING

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targs	Hits	Ave
1	EE99970	Mark Winser	1270	1206	94.96
2	EE105770	Sam Green	2820	2673	94.79
3	EE187	Richard Faulds	2712	2570	94.76
4	EE32151	Martin Elworthy	1500	1412	94.13
5	EE127052	James Bradley-Day	5370	5045	93.95
6	EE88811	Martin Myers	6188	5802	93.76
7	EE27222	Stuart Clarke	1162	1088	93.63
8	EE95608	John Lee	1970	1843	93.55
9	EE129712	Samuel Usher	5250	4908	93.49
10	EE24962	Richard King	6090	5687	93.38
11	EE125785	Aaron Harvey	2020	1886	93.37
12	EE86476	Nick Hendrick	5232	4879	93.25
13	EE107759	James Attwood	1570	1460	92.99
14	EE38554	Andy Moon	5670	5272	92.98
15	EE72281	Stuart Rudling	2100	1943	92.52
16	EE96439	Chris Childerhouse	7632	7050	92.37
17	EE42914	Robert Wise	1320	1219	92.35
18	EE19160	Steve Brightwell	4862	4483	92.2
19	EE61189	Philip Thorrold	1500	1382	92.13
20	EE84951	Richard Bunning	3690	3394	91.98

Ladies

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targs	Hits	Ave
1	EE124370	Amy Easeman	2662	2295	86.21
2	EE108958	Hannah Gibson	1420	1224	86.2
3	EE125027	Emma Stacey	1220	1039	85.16
4	EE112575	Rebecca Mckenzie	1720	1454	84.53
5	EE1436	Tanya Faulds	1500	1255	83.67
6	EE124597	Kerry Oakley	1595	1325	83.07
7	EE98398	Charlotte Hollands	1200	977	81.42
8	EE112108	Nadine Gilder	1600	1300	81.25
9	EE114223	Nicola Gryspeerdt	1050	853	81.24
10	EE124024	Louise Smith	1040	844	81.15

Colts

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targs	Hits	Ave
1	EE138030	William Page	3120	2721	87.21
2	EE135536	Daniel King	1470	1238	84.22
3	EE132165	Oliver Keates	1100	889	80.82
4	EE137555	Alf Bartle	1320	1049	79.47
5	EE138501	Joshua Poyer	2100	1638	78
6	EE135399	John Porter	3100	2405	77.58
7	EE139723	Mathew Paley	1620	1244	76.79
8	EE131130	Barney Eastman	2040	1524	74.71
9	EE138654	Jasper Pearce	1820	1315	72.25
10	EE138100	Toby Peyton	1197	834	69.67

Junior

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targs	Hits	Ave
1	EE128120	Will Fenner	2740	2479	90.47
2	EE127107	Fred Whitehurst	1990	1778	89.35
3	EE134349	Joshua Bennion	5212	4651	89.24
4	EE131046	Henry Bevan	1400	1249	89.21
5	EE123128	Brody Woollard	2720	2391	87.9
6	EE127102	Charlie Soanes	1860	1625	87.37
7	EE125441	Harry Lovatt	2040	1781	87.3
8	EE141593	Kieran Bradford-Eyre	1597	1387	86.85
9	EE31104	Tristan Hockey	1000	865	86.5
10	EE124370	Amy Easeman	2662	2295	86.21

Veterans

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targs	Hits	Ave
1	EE27222	Stuart Clarke	1162	1088	93.63
2	EE19160	Steve Brightwell	4862	4483	92.2
3	EE27697	Robert Palmer	3648	3296	90.35
4	EE81097	Dave Carrie	1620	1460	90.12
5	EE9435	Carl Bloxham	2440	2188	89.67
6	EE19729	Mickey Rouse	2712	2431	89.64
7	EE25609	Martin Doughty	1717	1534	89.34
8	EE50036	Ian Baldwin	2100	1876	89.33
9	EE43968	John Heagren	1000	889	88.9
10	EE27470	Robin Heal	2612	2315	88.63

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DOWN THE LINE

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targs	Hits	Ave
1	EE300	Paul Chaplow	3800	3766	98.22
2	EE125835	Marty Smith	2500	2476	98.13
3	EE128899	Martin Jeminson	1200	1188	98.11
4	EE95522	Bob Singleton	1000	993	97.97
5	EE43566	Christopher Moule	2500	2473	97.96
6	EE90911	Tom Robinson	2400	2376	97.94
7	EE6792	Keith Bond	1000	992	97.8
8	EE133087	Daniel Price	1700	1675	97.73
9	EE111393	Paul Meakin	2200	2174	97.52
10	EE64228	Nigel Chapman	2500	2454	97.47
=11	EE96250	Mark Shaw	1600	1577	97.46
=11	EE8949	Paul Turner	1900	1873	97.46
13	EE90262	Maurice Beedan	1800	1767	97.44
=14	EE110007	Ian Biggins	3500	3444	97.43
=14	EE44635	Gerald Sweet	2000	1969	97.43
=16	EE111369	Curtis Woolley	1900	1878	97.37
=16	EE115894	Paul Cerri	1000	985	97.37
18	EE100330	Shaun Gardener	3300	3255	97.33
19	EE7226	Emma Holden	1900	1869	97.25
20	EE10892	Dave Toomer	1200	1178	97.22

Ladies

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targs	Hits	Ave
1	EE7226	Emma Holden	1900	1869	97.25
2	EE118936	Charlotte Kitchen	2300	2252	95.77
3	EE111815	Leanne Powell	2650	2577	95.3
4	EE132717	Leah Southall	1900	1810	93.04
5	EE116558	Karen Allen	2700	2515	90.95
6	EE129786	Helen Oakes	1400	1308	90.9
7	EE111933	Hazel Whiten	1000	933	90.2
8	EE141042	Pip Driver	1500	1396	90.16
9	EE133374	Emma Percival	2100	1942	90.08
10	EE134107	Saira Boardman	1700	1570	90.06

Colts

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targs	Hits	Ave
1	EE137699	George Harvey	2200	2123	94.11
2	EE29411	Toby Hurstfield	1800	1691	91.3
3	EE140455	William Taylor	1300	1208	89.67
4	EE135965	George Madden	1500	1303	81.13
5	EE140816	Ellie Whitehead	1900	1545	77.93

Junior

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targs	Hits	Ave
1	EE134284	Tom Roberts	1100	1077	96.24
2	EE135871	Charlie Madden	1400	1344	93.88
3	EE132717	Leah Southall	1900	1810	93.04
4	EE137290	Christian Taplin	1800	1696	89.69
5	EE135412	Megan Williams	1100	997	87.58
6	EE140503	Paul Atkinson	1200	1074	86.06
7	EE136525	Rachel Westacott	1200	1035	82.31

Veterans

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targs	Hits	Ave
1	EE90262	Maurice Beedan	1800	1767	97.44
=2	EE110007	Ian Biggins	3500	3444	97.43
=2	EE44635	Gerald Sweet	2000	1969	97.43
4	EE10892	Dave Toomer	1200	1178	97.22
5	EE121065	David Hincliffe	2100	2066	97.11
6	EE114463	Thomas Fair	3300	3243	97.06
7	EE88221	Phillip Frankland	2100	2061	97.05
8	EE124724	David Garrett	4500	4418	97.04
9	EE92866	Stephen Booth	2200	2163	96.88
10	EE116852	Martin Clark	3700	3637	96.87

SKEET DOUBLES

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targs	Hits	Ave
1	EE118667	Peter Stanton-Hope	700	682	97.43
2	EE123649	David Roling	600	551	91.83
3	EE128514	Russell Swain	500	459	91.8
4	EE48799	Jackie Martin	500	426	85.2

Ladies

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targs	Hits	Ave
1	EE48799	Jackie Martin	500	426	85.2

Veterans

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targs	Hits	Ave
1	EE118667	Peter Stanton-Hope	700	682	97.43
2	EE128514	Russell Swain	500	459	91.8
3	EE48799	Jackie Martin	500	426	85.2

PAUL CHAPLOW BEM

1ST DOWN THE LINE

I am thrilled to have topped the DTL top-20, considering that this is my lowest yearly average for nearly 20 years. This year I was awarded the prestigious BEM (British Empire Medal) in the Queen's Birthday Honours List which was a fantastic achievement.

I was disappointed not to have been able to get out shooting much because of COVID-19 restrictions this year, but my aim for the year was to come back after the lockdown stronger than ever.

When I was shooting my best a few years back I ate, slept, and breathed shooting, to dominate a sport you have to give it 100%, but most of all enjoy it.

I would like to thank my wife for putting up with my shooting over the years. She's often forgotten about but believe me if you are

GUN:
Custom Krieghoff K80 shotgun
AMMO: Hull Cartridge Pro One

going to succeed at the top for a long period of time you need full support from your partner and to have the full backing of Krieghoff and Hull Cartridge Company, means the world to me. I'm pleased to have been associated with these companies for years, and hopefully many more.



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OWEN CLARK

1ST ABT JUNIOR, 2ND ABT OVERALL

I'm happy with my results this year, I've finally settled and have more confidence with my gun and I feel my results reflect this. In my opinion, it is the best I've shot in a long time.

Since I'm confident in my ability now, I feel I can progress in the new year.

I haven't a particular result I'm over the moon about, as I know there's still loads to improve on however, I'm happy that I have come back from last year as I struggled then more than anything.

I'm happy with this year's performance, considering



GUN:
Miroku MK38
AMMO:
Bornaghi cartridges

the inconvenience of COVID-19. I'd like to thank my dad and family for their support, Duane, Andrew, and Daz for their company at the 'big' shoots, RGB for their continued support, and the many other people who have helped me improve my shooting over the years.



GUN:
Miroku 3800
AMMO: Cheddite Smart Strike

KATHERINE BRIGHT

1ST UNIVERSAL TRENCH LADY

To win the English Open UT title was really special to me, as its the sixth English Open title I have won: DTL, ABT, Double Rise, and Handicap by Distance are the others. I'm really really pleased with my results and consistency during this very short season.

I have not been able to shoot as much as I would have liked this year – and although having a condensed season with fixtures almost every weekend was brilliant for shooting, it was also

expensive and tiring with lots of ferry trips.

Despite this I am looking to gain a place in the UT GBR team for the World and European Championships in 2021.

I would really like to thank the following for their ongoing support at this difficult time: Ed Lyons Sports Vision for my glasses, advice, and support, Bryan Prest at Malmo Guns, Cheddite for support with my Smart Strike cartridges, and Mark Lawson at Hazel Bank Shooting Ground for continuing to give help, advice and a 'kick up the behind' whenever needed!

FITASC SPORTING

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targs	Hits	Ave
1	EE88811	Martin Myers	850	788	92.71
2	EE91416	Matt Hance	900	832	92.44
3	EE110965	Jack Lovick	500	458	91.6
4	EE85635	Karl Field	500	456	91.2
5	EE113122	Julian Morris	550	499	90.73
6	EE96891	Adrian Parkin-Coates	1000	907	90.7
7	EE87112	Paul Lovick	1700	1539	90.53
8	EE129234	Steven Trout	550	494	89.82
9	EE19567	Will Thatcher	500	449	89.8
10	EE126348	Michael Hibbert	1150	1032	89.74
11	EE50222	Phillip Marks	950	849	89.37
12	EE71646	Mark Webster	1100	983	89.36
13	EE128224	Joshua Brown	600	535	89.17
14	EE108791	Paul Batchelor	650	579	89.08
15	EE25609	Martin Doughty	600	532	88.67
16	EE63158	Shaun Stacey	650	576	88.62
17	EE48710	Phil Rowbottom	800	708	88.5
18	EE95690	Michael Hillyer	800	705	88.13
19	EE2211	Desmond Sturgess	1300	1141	87.77
20	EE85061	Mark Stevenson	1200	1050	87.5

Ladies

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targs	Hits	Ave
1	EE125027	Emma Stacey	500	418	83.6
2	EE112575	Rebecca Mckenzie	1620	1273	78.58
3	EE45975	June Speakman	800	606	75.75
4	EE103733	Sarah White	1300	983	75.62
5	EE134133	Chloe Applin	500	370	74
6	EE97549	Petula Easton	750	553	73.73
7	EE113746	Lorraine Baker	700	509	72.71
8	EE105601	Natasha Vadasz	950	668	70.32
9	EE55504	Dee Ward	700	491	70.14
10	EE129508	Britta Beach	1000	685	68.5

Junior					
No.	Mem No.	Name	Targs	Hits	Ave
1	EE128120	Will Fenner	1200	1047	87.25
2	EE134349	Joshua Bennion	520	438	84.23
3	EE130343	Charles Monahan	1200	1007	83.92
4	EE129330	Theo Coleman	700	573	81.86
5	EE134133	Chloe Applin	500	370	74
6	EE139723	Mathew Paley	500	343	68.6

Veterans

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targs	Hits	Ave
1	EE87112	Paul Lovick	1700	1539	90.53
2	EE19567	Will Thatcher	500	449	89.8
3	EE25609	Martin Doughty	600	532	88.67
4	EE48710	Phil Rowbottom	800	708	88.5
5	EE2211	Desmond Sturgess	1300	1141	87.77
6	EE8574	Peter Simpson	500	437	87.4
7	EE19336	Stephen Williams	920	802	87.17
8	EE103091	Christopher Smith	1400	1200	85.71
9	EE73756	John Dunne	1620	1387	85.62
10	EE28237	Martin Hill	500	428	85.6

Super Veterans

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targs	Hits	Ave
1	EE42631	Stephen Watts	950	819	86.21
2	EE31547	Bryan Summerhayes	700	595	85
3	EE66957	John Pool	2400	2034	84.75
4	EE85315	Jeffrey Dix	3000	2514	83.8
5	EE13	Martin Reynolds	1500	1254	83.6
6	EE10612	Barry Green	1500	1249	83.27
7	EE15004	John Price	1020	848	83.14
8	EE40903	Ray Effamy	2150	1767	82.19
9	EE10494	Robert Battaglia	500	406	81.2
10	EE17045	Keith Roe	1070	861	80.47

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AUTOMATIC BALL TRAP

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targts	Hits	Ave
1	EE24962	Richard King	1200	1126	93.83
2	EE127582	Owen Clark	1200	1113	92.75
3	EE20512	Nigel Caves	1700	1574	92.59
=4	EE70468	Graham Andrew	1100	1017	92.45
=4	EE98708	Marvin Houghton	1100	1017	92.45
6	EE43952	Stephen Corner	1950	1791	91.85
7	EE99420	Philip Sanders	1400	1268	90.57
8	EE132787	Adam Holmes	1050	950	90.48
9	EE89494	Giovanni Russo	1000	902	90.2
10	EE118210	Graham Carter	1000	900	90
11	EE134655	Cory Doble	1450	1303	89.86
12	EE123938	John Lucy	1400	1252	89.43
13	EE42743	John Reilly	1075	955	88.84
14	EE41337	Robert Bright	1450	1283	88.48
15	EE11811	Ted Philipson	1300	1146	88.15
16	EE27785	Gordon Branthwaite	1650	1454	88.12
17	EE4208	Alan Haynes	1100	964	87.64
18	EE139713	Doug Maclean	1200	1050	87.5
19	EE117930	Darrin Donaldson	1700	1469	86.41
20	EE127623	John Leightley	1200	1028	85.67

Ladies

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targts	Hits	Ave
1	EE112841	Amanda Gallagher	1250	1006	80.48

Junior

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targts	Hits	Ave
1	EE127582	Owen Clark	1200	1113	92.75
2	EE134655	Cory Doble	1450	1303	89.86

Veterans

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targts	Hits	Ave
1	EE98708	Marvin Houghton	1100	1017	92.45
2	EE99420	Philip Sanders	1400	1268	90.57
3	EE89494	Giovanni Russo	1000	902	90.2
4	EE42743	John Reilly	1075	955	88.84
5	EE11811	Ted Philipson	1300	1146	88.15
6	EE27785	Gordon Branthwaite	1650	1454	88.12
7	EE4208	Alan Haynes	1100	964	87.64
8	EE7227	Douglas Pinno	1100	889	80.82
9	EE27019	Tony Clayton	1275	1015	79.61
10	EE135816	Christopher Henshaw	1050	726	69.14

ALL ROUND

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targts	Hits	Ave
1	EE108838	Jack Thompson	1200	1134	94.5
2	EE24962	Richard King	700	650	92.86
3	EE117533	James Wood	500	445	89
4	EE119965	Linda Grayson	500	399	79.8

LADIES

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targts	Hits	Ave
1	EE119965	Linda Grayson	500	399	79.8

OLYMPIC SKEET

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targts	Hits	Ave
1	EE133898	Martin Loheac	525	452	86.1
2	EE139289	Gary Young	650	525	80.77
3	EE108755	Robert Vincent	750	602	80.27
4	EE126436	George Downing	825	649	78.67
5	EE120555	Mark Jones	650	483	74.31
6	EE138032	Maxine Smiles Cooke	550	310	56.36

Ladies

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targts	Hits	Ave
1	EE138032	Maxine Smiles Cooke	550	310	56.36

COMPAC SPORTING

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targts	Hits	Ave
1	EE12484	Christopher Dennis	500	440	88
2	EE132643	Nick Adams	1400	1163	83.07

SUPER VETERANS

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targts	Hits	Ave
1	EE12484	Christopher Dennis	500	440	88

HELICE

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targts	Hits	Ave
=1	EE136662	Jonti Spilman	96	84	87.5
=1	EE99095	Kevin Flitton	24	21	87.5
3	EE17565	Malcolm Grant	116	98	84.48
4	EE94738	Matthew Pugh	24	20	83.33
5	EE129642	Charles Pomfret	64	53	82.81
6	EE93879	Thomas Gridley	44	36	81.82
=7	EE72491	Trevor Hawkins	48	39	81.25
=7	EE124328	Alasdair Williams	64	52	81.25
9	EE134195	Ben Dingley	140	113	80.71
=10	EE136818	Wayne Killian	72	58	80.56
=10	EE136817	Benjamin Killian	72	58	80.56
12	EE71617	Alan Rowley	92	74	80.43
=13	EE107036	Tony Coulstock	20	16	80
=13	EE140959	Alfie Peart	20	16	80
15	EE71792	Glyn Barker	64	51	79.69
=16	EE27601	Kevin Tyler	44	35	79.55
=16	EE117135	Karl Williams	44	35	79.55
=18	EE129226	Gordon Hodgkinson	24	19	79.17
=18	EE27818	Fletcher Watson	24	19	79.17
=18	EE4321	Elizabeth Turner	24	19	79.17
=18	EE72679	Henry Arnold	24	19	79.17
=18	EE29151	Timothy Jones	48	38	79.17

OLYMPIC TRAP

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targts	Hits	Ave
1	EE100870	Matthew Coward-Holley	1000	946	94.6
2	EE110605	Matthew Panter	725	669	92.28
3	EE69	Steve Scott	825	752	91.15
4	EE95538	Rod Gould	625	569	91.04
5	EE99436	Lee Betts	700	633	90.43
6	EE128343	Ellie Seward	1925	1740	90.39
7	EE129494	Thomas Betts	1425	1279	89.75
8	EE127334	Jake Janes	1250	1114	89.12
9	EE102534	Stefan Roberts	700	621	88.71
10	EE123755	Mark Robinson	1125	997	88.62
11	EE126458	Michael Bovingdon	1325	1169	88.23
12	EE98398	Charlotte Hollands	825	725	87.88
13	EE64094	Paul Jenkins	1875	1643	87.63
14	EE136817	Benjamin Killian	1750	1511	86.34
15	EE125524	Maciej Bilkiewicz	1725	1472	85.33
16	EE126280	Alistair Seward	1725	1465	84.93
17	EE88570	Howard Beaumont	1425	1208	84.77
18	EE118210	Graham Carter	1100	925	84.09
=19	EE133046	Niven Schofield	850	713	83.88
=19	EE135871	Charlie Madden	825	692	83.88

UNIVERSAL TRENCH

No.	Mem No.	Name	Targts	Hits	Ave
1	EE116118	Nathan Hales	800	774	96.75
2	EE95538	Rod Gould	1200	1160	96.67
3	EE110605	Matthew Panter	1200	1156	96.33
4	EE3071	Kevin Borley	1500	1428	95.2
5	EE20730	Chris Tate	1900	1794	94.42
=6	EE107288	Keith Kilvington	800	748	93.5
=6	EE70167	Duane McCulloch	1000	935	93.5
8	EE905	David Lloyd	800	746	93.25
=9	EE132521	David Craig	700	651	93
=9	EE70468	Graham Andrew	1300	1209	93
11	EE14178	Richard Fletton	1900	1766	92.95
12	EE136662	Jonti Spilman	1200	1111	92.58
13	EE10050	Howard Batt	1400	1275	91.07
14	EE20512	Nigel Caves	1900	1725	90.79
=15	EE107036	Tony Coulstock	500	452	90.4
=15	EE98708	Marvin Houghton	1000	904	90.4
17	EE45163	Ray Sutton	1300	1172	90.15
18	EE123938	John Lucy	1200	1080	90
19	EE28358	Metin Cenkci	1000	899	89.9
20	EE99420	Philip Sanders	1800	1618	89.89

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TRAVELLING TO EUROPE

WITH YOUR SHOTGUN FOLLOWING BREXIT

Nicola Heron tells us what it will be like travelling with a firearm in 2021 and what you can do to be organised without the European Firearms Pass.

Travelling abroad with shotguns from 2021 onwards will certainly be different without the use of an EFP (European Firearms Pass). But don't panic as it is relatively easy to get the correct licences – if you can be organised.

We will now be treated just like any other shooter coming in from outside the EU, like Australia or the USA. You can forget last minute trips with your shotgun, however, as you will need time to comply with each individual country's requirements by their deadline dates for permits.

If you are going to any international competitions (Worlds or European Championships) organised by World Bodies (WB) such as ISSF, FEDECAT, FITASC or ICTSF, then the information required to take your shotgun into the desired country will be easily available on their online portals, when you make your registration to the championship.

IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS

From 2021 onwards we will all need four important documents to take our shotguns abroad:

- A Shotgun Certificate (SGC)
- A Gun Declaration Form (GDF) – this needs to be returned to the organisers, including a copy of your passport and your SGC, by the deadline date given to you.
- An invitation to the event – again this is normally available as a download from the organiser's registration page.
- Proof of insurance – take your CPSA membership card and a print out of your individual members insurance.

INFORMATION FOR YOUR GDF

It is important to note that in order to complete your Gun Declaration Form, you need to have already decided on, and booked your method of travel. By

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far the easiest is to fly on a direct flight to your destination as it involves only one GDF. The GDF form itself will ask detailed information about your entry into their country such as:

- Name
- Date of Birth
- Address
- Nationality
- Passport number
- Airport or Port
- Date arriving and date leaving
- Airline and flight numbers (or similar if by ferry)
- Hotel details
- Gun details (brand, model, serial number, calibre, extra barrels)
- Email address
- A copy of your passport and your Shotgun Certificate (SGC)

Some countries will also charge a fee for processing your GDF.

NICOLA'S TOP TIPS

TIP 1 Always fly direct if you can, even if it costs more.

TIP 2 Take hard copies of all GDF paperwork in your hand luggage so they can be produced easily at customs (if asked for) alongside your SGC, permit, return ticket and proof of insurance.

TIP 3 Keep all email correspondence regarding the GDF, on your mobile as proof of the date it was applied for.

TIP 4 Keep a picture of your passport, SGC and what your gun case looks like on your phone. It comes in handy should the worst happen (items stolen or lost).

TIP 5 Most customs will have someone who speaks a level of English.

TRAVELLING BY CAR

For those travelling by car, you will need to complete the required GDF for each country that you drive through, which may involve contacting each of the embassies direct.

You will also need to complete the airline's gun handling form as usual.

THE GDF PROCESS

When the GDF is received by the championship organisers, it is then sent on to that country's police authority for approval. Some countries like Portugal or USA send back a stamped permit in order to enter their country. Others, like Spain, may just add you to the Guardia Civil airport list for that particular championship, without sending a permit.

A similar process as described above will be needed for shooters travelling to other countries to hunt, or to have stocks made. Again, the organiser of your trip will advise the criteria you need to meet. All will involve a GDF.

If there is a problem and no matter how frustrated you may get with a language barrier, keep calm and polite. It is the difference between getting through customs in 20 minutes or 3 hours.

TIP 6 Always use the armoury at the shooting ground, if there is one provided.

TIP 7 If no armoury is provided and you have to keep your gun at the hotel, then keep the gun in its locked hard case (if you have a lock wire, use it to tie to something immovable), when you go out to dinner leave the TV and light on, put the 'do not disturb' sign on the bedroom door.

TIP 8 Enter and exit the hotel each day without attracting attention. Most onlookers will think that the gun case is a musical instrument.



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DT11 EELL BLACK SPORTING/TRAP SRP from £17,195

Furthering their pursuit of the perfect competition shotgun, Beretta have launched the DT11 EELL Black Edition. Strikingly, this new gun has many carbon fibre elements, most noticeably the side plates, which immediately catch the eye. The gun also features other carbon fibre components including, the top rib, trigger unit and additionally, the trigger guard.

DT11 EELL SCROLL SPORTING/TRAP SRP from £15,575

The DT11 EELL is elegantly adorned with exquisite scroll engraving upon the sideplates, making it the perfect choice for the discerning clay shooter who is looking for a touch of class. Similarly, the specification makes them perfectly suited for tackling high driven birds from a peg.

DT11 L GAMESCENE SPORTING SRP from £11,045

Designed to meet the requirements of the most serious competition shooter who is looking for an element of individuality and refinement. Equally, these guns are perfectly at home tackling high pheasants. This model is also available with full scroll engraving in Sporting and Trap specification.

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GUN SHOP FAVOURITES



Richard Faulks speaks to **Simon Hadfield** of Hadfield Guns, **Matt Morgan** of Premier Guns, and **William Mole** from Bywell Shooting Ground about their favourite beginner, mid range, and top range guns.

Whether you're a seasoned clay shooter or just starting out in the sport, gun selection is one of the choices that will probably have the greatest impact on your success and enjoyment of the sport – alongside the services of a good coach! Money spent on lessons will seldom be wasted, but when you start looking for your first gun or are thinking of trading up, you'll also realise it's the largest up-front cost too.

Getting the right gun is something you should spend time researching and experimenting with before committing. You should aim to seek advice as to which guns are the most reliable, and which will retain their value best for the future.

Good quality and popular guns generally have the best resale value for obvious reasons. There are a plethora of guns on the market for all budgets, so we have asked the gun trade professionals for their thoughts and recommendations of guns for beginners, shooters looking to trade-up and those lucky people where money is no object!

Simon Hadfield of Hadfield Guns, Matt Morgan of Premier Guns, and William Mole from Bywell Shooting Ground have each suggested three guns they feel suit the three price brackets.

Above: ATA SP. **Left:** Blaser F16. **Right:** Browning XS Pro.



It looks every part a £3,000 gun and they've got all the features

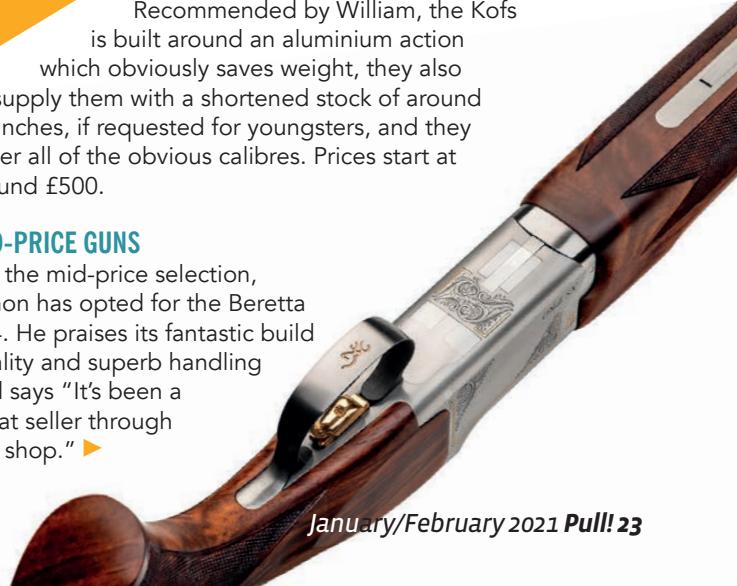
BEGINNER PRICE GUNS

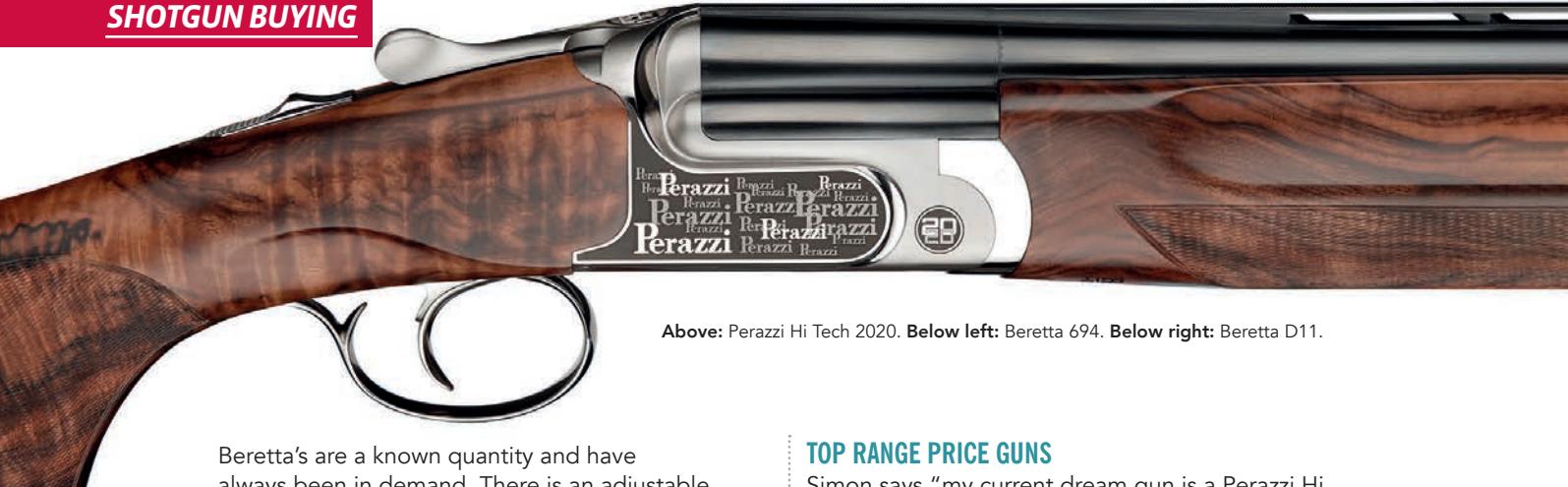
The first comes at a truly astonishing price. I have to admit, I didn't know you could buy a new Over and Under for this price – the ATA SP Elegant looks like a gun that punches above its weight. At around the £600 mark, Simon explains that this gun allows a newcomer to the sport to purchase a decent gun, a gun slip, cleaning kit, and cartridges all for under £1,000 – and get them out on the range. That's a very decent price point and Matt agrees too. "Well it looks great, it's got gold on it, nice wood. It looks every part a £3,000 gun and they've got all the features that somebody wanting to shoot clays needs." The Turkish are really giving the Italians a run for their money at the moment on the entry level guns. It's probably not going to be a gun for somebody wanting to shoot millions of cartridges, but it'll be perfect for those shooting two or three times a month.

Kofs are another low-cost option that may be worth looking at, especially for youngsters or ladies. Recommended by William, the Kofs is built around an aluminium action which obviously saves weight, they also supply them with a shortened stock of around 13 inches, if requested for youngsters, and they cover all of the obvious calibres. Prices start at around £500.

MID-PRICE GUNS

For the mid-price selection, Simon has opted for the Beretta 694. He praises its fantastic build quality and superb handling and says "It's been a great seller through our shop." ▶



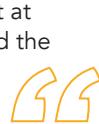


Above: Perazzi Hi Tech 2020. Below left: Beretta 694. Below right: Beretta D11.

Beretta's are a known quantity and have always been in demand. There is an adjustable comb option and I don't think you could ever go too far wrong with a Beretta. Prices start at the £3,300 mark, a crowded price point and the competition is stiff.

Matt Morgan has opted for a similarly well renowned gun manufacturer that has a proven track record on the circuit. He's chosen the Browning XS Pro which is based on the old GTI, which won plenty of competitions in the 90s. "It's extremely versatile, available in a number of barrel lengths, has barrel weights, stock weights, various pads and spacers, so out of the box, you can do anything you want fitting wise" says Matt. The XS Pro is Browning's top-end competition gun, and if you look at the recent Sporting British Open, the finalists were all shooting Brownings or Mirokuos. Except for George Digweed, who obviously shoots a Perazzi.

Another solidly built German engineered option at around the £3,400 mark is the Blaser F16. This gun again is easily customisable, and is supplied with all you'll need to do so. It's a gun that shares a great deal of DNA with its older sibling, the F3. This would be William at Bywell's choice for its build quality.



Browning XS Pro is based on the old GTI, which won plenty of competitions in the 90s.

TOP RANGE PRICE GUNS

Simon says "my current dream gun is a Perazzi Hi Tech 2020 with custom made stock, 30 3/4" barrels and fixed 1/2 and 1/2 chokes, as I have one on order!"

Simon is going over to the factory in Italy to have the stock fitted and made to his liking. That's the kind of service you get when you invest upwards of £16,000, though the custom fitting adds a little extra to the price. Perazzi are famous for their factory visits, for clients to have a stock custom fitted and go through their vast list of options for all aspects of their gun.



William agrees with the idea of a factory visit and says "If you're spending upwards of £9,000 on a gun, you should be thinking of a gun that you can customise to your exact requirements." William would opt for a Perazzi MX12 SCO Sideplate with scroll engraving. Not a cheap option with a price tag of around £33,000.

He does warn of customising the engraving to a very personal level though incase you want to trade the gun in at a later date. He recounted a story of a gun which came in for a valuation with a gentleman's wife engraved on the bottom of the action. This personal level of engraving devalued the gun and in the end the engraving was changed to a spaniel at great expense to the customer!

Matt Morgan is equally in favour of Beretta's custom fitting service, which is run in a very similar manner to Perazzi's. Matt has chosen the new £16,000 Beretta DT11 Carbon Black Edition or EELL for his 'money is no object gun'. It has

evolved from the acclaimed DT10, which had been a very popular and revered gun for many years. Both the Perazzis and the Beretta have proven competition history, and are both brands that have evolved from previous successful clay models. Both are great choices.

Some sound advice from Simon, Matt, and William, and also a couple of surprises. I'm amazed at the cost of the ATA entry level gun and I did expect somebody would opt for a hand-built British gun or a Krieghoff for the top end choice... Choices, choices!



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FORWARD-THINKING INVESTMENTS

Ed Barker of Nuthampstead Shooting Ground talks about their history and recent investments to the Hertfordshire-based ground.



Q **How did the owners get involved in shooting?**

A: The late Martin Barker discovered a passion for clay shooting at local straw bale shoots, and decided to diversify from being a farmer to establish the shooting ground with his wife Nicky.

As Martin's son, I now run Nuthampstead Shooting Ground with Nicky. I have worked at the ground from a young age and can remember only having a box of cartridges as an allowance from my father to shoot a round of Trap. I lost the

enjoyment for shooting when I had to fill up the traps after I shot – it was lucky I had more talent with a spanner and trap filling than a shotgun, so it was less of an issue!

Q **When did the ground open and what makes it special?**

A: The shooting ground started as a sporting layout, using some of the local farmer's manual traps. Martin soon developed a passion for Trap and Helice.

Nuthampstead has always provided for OT and UT, as well as ABT, Skeet, and

Sporting. Having specialised ranges and equipment for Trap means that we join an exclusive list of grounds across the UK to offer it.

We have hosted National Championships in Olympic Trap and Universal Trench for over 25 years, as well as Olympic Double Trap during the success of the British teams. Nuthampstead is renowned for being a challenging place to shoot, however it does give shooters good perspective!

We are very lucky to have the support of Promatic Ltd,



the exclusive providers of our machines, after two years of research into finding the perfect suppliers. We have a great relationship with all of their staff, and their engineers are always fantastic.

Q What disciplines do you offer currently?

A: We offer Olympic Trap, Universal Trench, ABT, and Olympic Skeet as the main disciplines, as well as some Sporting, DTL, and simulated game stands.

Q Can you tell us a about the new sheeting on the bunds to collect the lead shot?

A: Italian grounds set the precedent for creating the best possible background for shooting clay targets. The bright orange clay contrasts perfectly with a green background. The expense of using the Geomembrane on the bund is only cost effective because of catching lead shot, and of course the more consistent background for the pleasure of our customers.



I worked on the project for five to six years with my father before building it.

Q Where did the inspiration come from to provide such a forward-thinking investment?

A: Italy and famously Lonato. Trap Concaverde is the largest Trap range in the world, boasting 12 ranges to our four. They host World Championships, World Cups, and Italian Qualifiers.

Visiting other grounds around the region and world, we quickly saw the short and long-term benefits.

We all need to play a bigger part in the clay shooting world to be responsible with our cartridge cases, waste, lead shot, and noise. The bund has already helped us achieve significantly lower noise levels, and to reclaim lead shot for recycling. Myself and my father both had the privilege to be at the World Championships in 2015, and both agreed then that it would happen as quickly as finances and the opportunity came around.

Q How have you found adapting to COVID-19 social distancing procedures around the ground?

A: It has been challenging, however we made the right decision to delay our opening to really find out what we could do to protect our staff and customers.

We are grateful for all the hard work done by the CPSA with the government to get back shooting promptly and safely.

We received first-class advice and kept business very much under control.

We are also very thankful

for the support of all of our understanding and co-operative customers.

Q Do you have any events coming up soon that you are particularly excited about?

A: We have had a fairly short competition season for obvious reasons, but a selection of events for GBR teams will have been and gone by the time this article is published. Martin Barker's Memorial shoot is always a great event for seeing everyone, having lots of laughter, and the pigeon flurry always makes lots of money for the Essex and Herts Air Ambulance. This is scheduled for 1 November.

Q Is there anything else you'd like the readers of *Pull!* to know?

A: We are continuing Martin's legacy and have high hopes for the future of the shooting ground, and hope to welcome you to the ground soon.

We have achieved and developed a lot since the passing of my father, however there are still many projects in the pipeline.

Its a challenge running a small family business, but it is a real privilege to be involved in clay shooting, and all the people that make our sport what it is.



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YOU ARE BETTER THAN YOU THINK YOU ARE

Bob Palmer talks about being a ghost of yourself and six tactics to help overcome it.

I know that you haven't heard of ghosting, as it pertains to clays, as I just invented the term for this article to illustrate showing up for a competition as the ghost of yourself. You just don't feel present. You pretend that you know what you are doing. You attempt to walk tall, but slump after making the same mistakes that you promised yourself the last time out to correct. Except, aside from the broken promise, nothing has changed. And you know darned well that that kind of promise will be broken over and over again. Why? Lack of knowledge of how to prepare, train, or build routines?

Inability to deal with the stress of misses, people, or new situations? Zero practice session or sessions with a coach?

Well, there is hope. And here are six tactics you can use to be present, so

that the ghost of yourself never emerges again.

And if you want to learn more about how to get the sport advantage, check out my new online course – ZoneQuest. It's a ten-module video training course that covers these tactics and more. What are you waiting for – more ghosts? Log in to cpsa.co.uk/offers to find out more.

1

TACTIC 1: KNOW WHAT YOU WANT

Have a long hard discussion with yourself as to where you want to go with your game. If you are happy being a ghost of yourself, I'm good with that. Except that, around every post-game pub table (in almost every sport), the glum looks and slumped shoulders tell a different story. Clearly most people want a lot more. Defining what you want is the first step. Start with: "I expect to win" then add: "I will be in the zone and not think." There are no better outcomes to start with!

**2**

TACTIC 2: WATCH THE BEST SHOOTERS ON YOUTUBE AND DECIDE ON A SHOOTING STYLE THAT YOU WANT TO COPY

We all copy. It is normal and not cheating. The better you get at copying (learning from the best), the faster you'll rise to the top without reinventing the wheel. Some of the best shooters grew up in shooting families and learned through osmosis from parents, siblings, or other role models. You may not have been so lucky, but you are lucky to live in an era of the internet and YouTube. Pick three shooters and watch them obsessively before you practice. And then in practice, be them.

3

TACTIC 3: AT YOUR NEXT COMPETITION, WATCH THE TOP SHOOTERS PREPARE

Maybe you won't even see them before the match because they are off in some hidden location getting ready. Notice what they are doing to get ready. It may not surprise you that your pre-game preparation looks very different from theirs. Hint: You might want to change yours.

4

TACTIC 4: PRACTICING ALLOWS YOU TO IMPROVE YOUR GAME

Visualization and other mental exercises allow you to predict and adjust to potential stressors. However, no amount of technique practice or visualization will fully prepare you for a competition. You must compete (put yourself on the firing line) to learn how to compete. Competing reveals chinks in your armour that you can fix. Stop getting mad at your mistakes when dropping targets. They tell you so much, like what techniques to practice and what fears to overcome via your mental strategies. Competing is the best – and some would say the most important – way to improve your game.

5

TACTIC 5: GET A COACH

Seriously. Far too many shooters rely on squadmates and friends for advice. However, this endless faucet of knowledge will never get turned off once you start it. In every practice and competition a 'coach' arises with a new piece of advice for a problem that has already been adjusted numerous other times by numerous other 'coaches.' The next time someone gives you advice, ask to see their coaching certificate. Better yet, book some time with a professional – both technical and mental.

6

TACTIC 6: PRACTICE YOUR TECHNIQUE

Shooting a round of clays is not technique practice. Technique practice is working diligently on one type of presentation that has been flummoxing you. It is breaking through any number of frustrations such as taking your head off the stock in anticipation of the certain target. Although it sometimes may be a bit lonely, just you and the live or electronic puller, this kind of deliberate practice changes everything as you build the kind of subconscious skills that will become solid in your competitions.

I've been teaching these simple tactics for more than 20 years to help athletes stay in the Zone while keeping their ghosts at bay. Applying one of these tactics demonstrates to yourself that you are serious about your game. Applying them all will demonstrate it to everyone!



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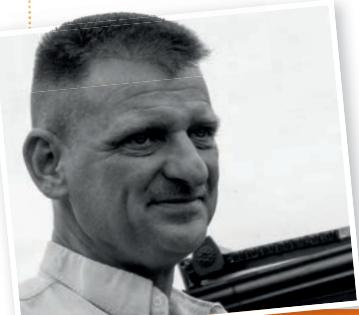
CPSA NATIONAL DIRECTOR

The three-year term position of National Director has been contested, a ballot is therefore required to take place between (in alphabetical order) **John Lucy** and **Carl Smith**.

Following our announcement on 10 November that the position of National Director for a three-year term starting immediately after the March 2021 AGM has been contested, a ballot is therefore required to take place. This is between (in alphabetical order) John Lucy and Carl Smith. All members 18 years of age and over will be sent a link to the ballot during January. If we have a valid email address for you then you will receive an email from Civica Election Services Ltd, who are managing the ballot on behalf of the CPSA. If we do not have your email address, you will be sent a letter explaining how to cast your vote. The deadline for your vote will be Friday 5 March 2021. Details of the two candidates follow:

CARL SMITH PEN PORTRAIT & PICTURE

I have worked within the shooting industry for over 30 years doing every job imaginable within that time. Starting as a trapper at Nottingham GC whilst still at school, I quickly developed a passion for shooting which



ultimately led to me buying the ground that I have now owned for over 15 years. I enjoy shooting DTL and all its derivatives at County, Regional & National level (where my own fixtures allow!). During the winter months, I like to partake in occasional game shooting.

Not only am I a qualified safety officer, referee and instructor, I am also Chairman of my County Committee, Vice Chair of my Region and I'm heavily involved with the Firearms Independent Advisory Group.

I have been on the Board of the CPSA in the role of National Director for the past six years, during that time I have helped to achieve a more visible presence and increased membership/participation from Game Fairs & Events. I have also been influential in implementing better communication from the association and the ability to admit to, and subsequently learn from, mistakes.

As a business owner, I have to make critical decisions on both a short and long-term basis, this experience is vital when making Board decisions that affect all of us – shooters

and those who work within the industry.

Should I be successful I would like to work on fairness, professionalism, standards and continuity within the sport. This will enable us to attract new shooters and ensure that the sport that we love not only survives but grows and develops into something we can all be proud of.

The most important thing to me is to know that the members are properly represented, so I urge everyone to please use your vote.

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17-18 Oct: North FITASC Championship
Held at Mount Farm Sporting Clays and with 84 entries attended. High Gun and North Region champion was Mark Delf on 95ex100, Ladies champion was Rebecca Brown on 72ex100, the Veteran titles was won by Glenn Hunt on 87ex100, Super Vet was won by Richard Blacker on 79ex100, and finally Juniors was won by Ron Chipman on 78ex100. Thank you to everyone that attended and supported the event, well shot all. *Tom Brown*

17-18 Oct: ESK National inter-counties

Team Yorkshire were successful at this event, held at Northampton Shooting Ground. The Senior Team consisted of Gary Cooke 98, Steve Leppington 99, Andrew Parsons 100, Ross Elgie 99, and Jon Cain 97 to total 493/500. Ladies were Samantha Rhodes 95, and Wendy Taylor 94 totalling 189/200. Neither team had the luxury of an extra team player, therefore couldn't drop a score.

The Yorkshire Seniors won the National Inter-Counties again by four targets from Cheshire Seniors. Looking at the trophy,

that's 12 times out of the 26 years recorded. Yorkshire Ladies came second to Hereford & Worcester, again without the advantage of being able to drop a score. *Andrew Parsons*

North Region Single Barrel

Nigel Chapman shot 50-straight and Charlotte Kitchen 47ex50. The other winners were Maurice Beedan as the Vets champion with 49ex50, Nigella Leslie Colts champion with 39ex50, and Archie Pope Juniors champion with 47ex50.

4 Oct: English Sporting National Inter-Counties 2020

Held at Westfield Shooting ground, 259 entries from around the Country took part. From the North, unfortunately only one region was present which was Yorkshire. A Senior team, Ladies team, and Junior team was submitted.

The Yorkshire Ladies team, consisting of Becky Brown and Liz McLaughlin, managed to snap up joint second with Hampshire on a combined score of 151, with Buckinghamshire taking Gold on 169. The Junior team of Alf Bartle and Anthony Clark scored a combined total of 157, narrowly missing out on the top-three by three targets. The Senior team of Tom Brown, Scott Greenwood, Phil Rowbottom, Glenn Hunt, Gugsy Ahmed and Les Rushworth, scored a combined overall score was 434. Unfortunately the team didn't place this year but all put in a brilliant effort in the event. *Tom Brown*

War of the Roses

At Holmes Chapel Shooting Ground, 107 shooters took part and Yorkshire's dominance continued their ten man team scoring 2945ex3000, with the Lancashire team 55 points behind on 2890ex3000.

The High gun was Paul Chaplow with a 100/300. Lancashire High gun was K Bond with 298. The winning Yorkshire team was P Chaplow, A Parish, A Wragg, M Smith, P Frankland, J Adams, C Kitchen, N Chapman, M Clark, and L Powell. Thanks to Dave Hurstfield and family, Zoli Guns, Yorkshire Tea, Lancashire Tea, and everyone who came and donated some many raffle prizes. Next year's Yorkshire home shoot will be at North Of England. *John Titterington*

11 Oct: North Region Sportrap Championship

Held at North of England Activity Centre, entries were popular with 96 people fighting for their individual or champion title positions. The course put on by Phil and the team was top class, a lot of variety, distance, speed, and angles certainly tested all that entered.

Mark Winser was crowned North Region Sportrap Champion 2020 on a score of 93/100. Closely followed by Richard King and Tom Brown on 92/100. Veterans champion was Eric Warring on 88/100, Ladies Champion was Becky Brown on 89/100, Junior Champion was Ron Chipman on 85/100, and the Colts Champion was Mathew Paley on a score of 86/100. *Tom Brown*



Seniors All Round Team



Seniors Skeet Team

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30 Aug: Promatic Sporting Challenge and Cheshire Promatic Shield, Kegworth Shooting Ground

Eleven Cheshire shooters competed in this marathon of 100 targets on Saturday and 100 targets on Sunday. The event attracted entrants from all over the country. Tony Dean came out on top with 174, Cheshire High Gun, fourth Overall, and first in AA class, what a day for Tony. Congratulations to him, and well done to all those who made the journey.

13 Sep: West Midlands Area Individual ESK Championship, Fauxdeglia Shooting Ground

A large field of nine squads did their best in the difficult conditions. The early pace was set by Ian Cunliffe 96, Kevin O'Reilly 95, Miles Machin and Jim Wagstaff each on 94. That's how it stayed for most of the day until scores came in from the last two squads. Alan Barnes (Derbs) was champion with 99, in second place was Kian Maher (Staffs) with 98. A shoot-off commenced between Ian Cunliffe and Martin Walmsley (Staffs) both on 96, for third place, where Martin won. There was also a three way shoot-off to decide Veterans between Kevin O'Reilly, Trevor Lewis and Graham Evans, all on 95. It was all very close needing eight targets to decide the final three places. Graham Evans won, Kevin O'Reilly second, Trevor Lewis third. Cheshire Ladies had a clean sweep with Isabel Cartlidge winning Gold, Lucy Earl Silver and Hazel Denney Bronze. Isabel also won Junior Silver and Lucy Junior Bronze. Congratulations and well done to you all.

20 Sep: National Inter-Counties All Round Championship, Northampton SG

A full Senior team represented Cheshire at the National Inter-Counties All round. We were the last squad out for the day, with Nottingham waiting in the wings as the leaders on the scoreboard. Starting on the DTL and then onto the ABT, scores were looking good at this stage. We then moved onto the skeet which again went well, moving onto the sporting, last but definitely not least. Again scores were great with three straights, and making our way back to the clubhouse we started to think that National Champions was a possibility. It proved to be the case, taking the title by two clays from Nottingham. But just to top that, Scott Barnett scored 95 to take the Overall title, Tony Dean on 94 was Runner-up and took the Vets title. Fred Whitehurst took the Junior title with 91.

18 Oct: National Inter Counties ESK, Northampton SG

Cheshire's first squad was underway at 12.40 with Jim Wagstaff, John Shreeve, and Miles Machin shooting for the Vets, with Lucy Earl and Isabel Cartlidge shooting for Juniors. There were some great scores with Isabel Cartlidge (new cap) shooting a fantastic 97, followed by Miles on 93. The Juniors came Runners-up with 184/200 and the Vets finished fourth on 183/200.

The next squad consisted of Senior Colin Babcock and Ladies Hazel Denney and Jacqui Slater. Colin Babcock shot 99, followed by Hazel Denney on 92. The Ladies finished fourth Overall. In the final squad for Cheshire were the rest of the Senior. Chris Bethell finished on 99, Kevin O'Reilly 99, Jack Hope 97, Ian Cunliffe 95, and Jim Rogers 92. The Senior team finished Runners-up on a fantastic 489/500.

The day was rounded off with Isabel Cartlidge taking the Colts title, and then the Ladies title after a shoot-off. Kevin O'Reilly narrowly missed out on the Vets title after another shoot-off. We'd like to take the opportunity to thank all the Cheshire shooters for their continued support, and look forward to shooting again next season. *ESK Manager Colin Babcock, Assistant Manager Maurice Cunningham.*

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National Inter-Counties – Sporting

Derbyshire entered two Senior teams at Westfields on 4 October. Unfortunately we finished out of the medals. Top scorers were Joss Read on 91/100, James Wood 86/100, Tristan Yeomans 84/100, Max Small and Mark Fisher both on 83/100. Well done to you all.

National Inter-Counties ABT

No teams where entered at East Yorkshire on 11 October. Four Derbyshire shooters took part with Paul Insley the top scorer on 90/100, followed by Janice Barnett on 83/100, Rob Jones on 81/100, and Robert Holmes on 79/100. Well done to you all.

National Inter-Counties Skeet

The skeet was held at Northampton on 17-18 October. Unfortunately the Senior team had to withdraw due to most of the team going into lockdown. There were only two Seniors, Geoff Flint who finished on 93/100, and Adam Driver who finished on 83/100. The ladies team, consisting of Julie Havill, shooting 93/100, Sarah Johnson on 81/100, and Pip Driver on 71/100, finished just out of the medals. Well done to you all.

Message to All Derbyshire Shooters

Thank you to all Derbyshire shooters that made up the teams that shot at the National Inter-Counties shoots, whether they were invited or going anyway, hopefully you all enjoyed the day.

The current Committee are now looking to arrange County Championships and Selections for next year at grounds that where selected to hold this year's shoots, subject to availability and COVID-19 restrictions. In the meantime, we hope you stay safe and fit and healthy and we hope to see you all in the New Year. Geoff, Ron, Julie, Ian, Simon and Pip

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4 Oct: National Inter-Counties, Westfields

On a very wet day, our Seniors performed very well but were just shy of the Silverware. In the Seniors category Matt Turk shot 91, Rob Wise 94, Nick Portlock 90, Steve Burnham



90, Rich Webb 88, and Adrian Johnson 87. Our Veterans however, performed very well clinching the Gold. Kevin Childs scored 89, Clynt Warren 88, and Brian Parker 81. The Junior Team of Harry Lovatt who scored 89, Luke Russell with 77, and Liam Richings with 73, also picked up the Gold. In the Ladies Sue Tippett shot 66, Jenny Young 66, and Judith Gilder 60. Well done all!

11 Oct: Gloucestershire Skeet Doubles

Championship, Gloucester Skeet Club

Cliff Gardner and Paul Tudge both posted a 96. After a tense shoot-off between the two, Cliff became the champion. Liam Richings took the Juniors with an excellent 93 – very well shot.

17 Oct: Gloucestershire FISTAC

Championship, Westfields

Congratulations to Nick Portlock for retaining the title with a superb 93. Runner-up was Adrian Johnson with 88 and third place was Mark Kettel with 84. Junior was Harry Lovatt with 83, Ladies was Chloe Applin with 74, and Veteran Adrian Johnson with 88. Congratulations Rich Webb Taking High Gun at Westfields on 25 October with a score of 87.

Welcome to Gloucestershire Chloe Applin

Chloe has just moved to the county and is looking to make her mark. Having previously won the 2018 TSC championship including a new car, Chloe uses a Zoli Z sport and Fiocchi F-Blacks, she is also coached by Stuart Clarke.

Last months' competition winners were Tony Hughes and Steve Coote, who won new Ian Coley caps kindly donated by Top Instructor from Ian Coley's, Matt Davis. The correct answer was Ian Coley's was formerly Chatcombe Estate Shooting School.

HEREFORDSHIRE & WORCESTERSHIRE



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4 Oct: National Inter-Counties Sporting

Hereford and Worcester sent a Senior team to Westfield, with all the team returning good scores. The final team results were Oxford first with 459, Wiltshire second with 458, H&W third with 457. The H&W team were Phil Smith with 96, Brandon Smith with 91, Julian Morris with 91, Matt Pugh with 91, Nick Rees with 88, and George Thomas with 85.

11 Oct: Skeet Doubles

Our thanks to Gloucester for holding a very well run event. The first squad saw Veteran Graeme Walker shooting a very good 95, leading until squad four when Luke Sanders took over with 96. County Champion was Luke Sanders, with Graeme Walker and Ian Parkinson both on 95 taking Joint runner-up spot. It was then a shoot-off for the Veteran's trophy which Ian secured. The Ladies title went to Natalie Jones with 88, and Peter Mannion won Colts on 77. Luke Sanders won A class and Graeme Walker won B class. We would like to thank Paul Tudge, all the referees, and everyone that took part.

11 Oct: National Inter-Counties ABT

The County sent teams of Seniors, Ladies, and Juniors to East Yorkshire. Thomas Burns and Will Goodman shot 163 to win the Junior title, with Fiona Caren and Emily Grainger shooting 129 for Ladies Runners-up. The Senior team of Fred Goodman 90, Stuart Palmer 90, Mark Lilly 89, Phil Sanders 87, Craig Miles 87, and Richard Grainger 86 were placed fifth.



17-18 Oct: H&W FITASC

The County FITASC championship took place at Westfield. With a brilliant score of 93 Julian Morris took the county title, with Nick Rees Runner-up and Veteran's champion on 87. Ladies champion was Dee Ward on 68, with Peter Mannion taking the Colts on 48.

18 Oct: H&W ABT

Rugby & DTC was the venue for our ABT county championships. With a score of 90ex100, Trevor Lloyd was the County champion and Veterans champion.

18 Oct: National Inter-Counties ESK

Held at Northampton, we sent teams of Seniors, Ladies, and Veterans to compete. Emma Parkinson shot 97 and Natalie Jones 93 (190/200) to take the Ladies Gold medal with Ian Parkinson on 95, Paul Colley 94, and Ian Currie 87 (189/200) to take the Veterans Silver medal. Unfortunately our Seniors – Matt Pugh 96, Brandon Smith 94, John Smith 93, John Tarplee 93, and Matt Bodfish 90 (466/500) were not in the medals.

4 Nov: H&W Universal Trench

It was a fabulous result for H&W Ladies member Fiona Caren at Rugby & DTC. Her first time on Universal Trench, she finished with a marvellous score of 75ex100 and shot a 23 on the last round. Fiona was the H&W County Champion and Ladies Champion.

6 Feb 2021: AGM and John Hadley

Charity Shoot

H&W AGM will be held at The March Hare Inn, Broughton Hackett at 4pm. A two-course carvery will be served at 3pm and the 2020 award presentation afterwards. The carvery costs £15 per person and a £5 deposit will be required. Please contact me to book on 07969 452580, first come first serve basis. I will keep you updated.

The John Hadley Charity shoot will be held at Park Farm, Ombersley from 10am with telephone entries only on 07860 214903. This will consist of 25 ABT, 25 ESK, and 25 Sportrap with prizes for the winner on each discipline, and a prize for Overall winner of the three disciplines plus the John Hadley Trophy.

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Annual General Meeting (AGM), Committee, and Team Managers

Please contact the Shropshire Chairman, Trevor Lewis, if you wish to put yourself forward for the Shropshire CPSA Committee for 2021,



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participate in the AGM (details will be provided nearer the time), or provide much needed help as a Team Manager of your discipline.

4 Oct: English Sporting, Ortston SG

Nick Williamson was ninth overall, third in Veterans, and joint fifth in AAA Class with a very solid 88ex100. He and other sporting shots, such as John Stokes, Mike Cashmore, Fred Wilson, Dan Whittall, Paul Stokes, Matt Bower and Robert Bower, have been going to various venues recently which good to see.

4 Oct: West Midlands and Shropshire Universal Trap Championships, Rugby

Graham Evans won both the West Midlands and Shropshire Championship with a very impressive 97, including 74 on the first three rounds. Trevor Lewis was Shropshire's Runner-up, scoring a respectable 87, and his first UT 25-straight in the first round. This clashed with a BICTSF UTR GB selection shoot but it is noted the High Gun at that shoot did average 97%.

11 Oct: Shatterford

This is a new sporting ground with targets set by Steve Lovatt. At the first non-registered shoot there were some great scores from several Shropshire guns, including three over 90ex100! Leading the way was Stewart Owen with an excellent 92 (the top scores by AAs were 99 and 94), good enough to give Stewart joint sixth Overall, joint fourth in Seniors, and second in B Class. Well done Stewart!

17-18 Oct: British Shooting Talent Pathway, Olympic Trap Championships, Nuthampstead

It is good to see five Service Cadets amongst the 34 at the Championships. The Service Cadet and Young Members Initiative was started in June 2018, and there has been an increase in Junior shooting in Shropshire and Hereford and Worcester since then. COVID-19 has restricted the amount of shooting we have all been able to do, however the Cadets continue to be encouraged to keep working at their shooting and take full advantage of what 2021 will offer. Well done to Jack Shipton, Zak Mansell, Joel Kelly, Nathan Rouse and Charlie Morris.

17-18 Oct: National Inter-Counties Skeet Championship, Northampton

Trevor Lewis was the only Shropshire entrant scoring 95, that resulted in joint fourth in B Class, and joint tenth in Veterans.

18 Oct: West Midlands and Shropshire ABT Championships, Rugby

Graham Evans was not at his best but still managed to beat Trevor Lewis by just one clay

Nuthampstead by topping the table with 93ex100 in the first OTR winter series event at Fauxdeglia Shooting Ground.

11 Oct: ESP at Kingsley Moor

Richard Thompson and Sam Upton shared top spot with 93ex100. Ed Harrison led the A class scores with an excellent 89, and David Highley topped B class with a fine 86.

17 Oct: English Skeet National Intercounties, Northampton SG

We've probably all heard of the Inter-City 125, well how about an Inter-Counties 125? That's just what Staffordshire's Martin Walsmsley achieved. In a strong field of 146, Martin put in a phenomenal performance to shoot 100-straight, only to find that Yorkshire's Andy Parsons had done the same. Undaunted, Martin kept his composure to shoot 25-straight and take High Gun. He was joined in a three-man squad by Craig Macho and Colt, Kian Maher. Well done to all but especially you, Martin – brilliant shooting.

18 Oct: ABT West Midlands Area Championship, Rugby

At the last CPSA West Midlands Area Championships of the year, we are delighted to report that Darren Wood took Silver in the Seniors with a terrific 92. Also hearty congratulations to Leah Southall and Gill Grealey, who took Gold and Silver respectively in the Ladies. Leah also came second Overall in Juniors.

18 Oct: ESP, Garlands SG

AAA class shooter Josh Bennion hit 91ex100 to finish second, on what was a typically challenging but fair course from Steve Lovatt. Just behind him was Veteran Shaun McNamara with an excellent 90.

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3 Oct: Universal Trench GB Selection Shoot, Nuthampstead SG

Well done to Adam Gutteridge who took fourth place with 192ex200, just two targets off top spot.

4 Oct: UT West Midlands Area Championships, Rugby

A great effort from Graham Wainwright on 95ex100, who narrowly lost out in a shoot-off to Fletcher Watson from Warwickshire, to take a Bronze in the Seniors and a Silver in the Veterans. And a terrific Bronze medal for Ian Hull in the Veterans. Pictured with Ben Dingley of Warwickshire, who took Gold in the Juniors.

11 Oct: DTL Winter Series, Holmes Chapel

The DTL Winter Series began at Holmes Chapel with Luke McHugh leading the way for Staffordshire shooters, with a superb 99/290.

11 Oct: Olympic Trap Winter Series, Fauxdeglia SG

Adam Gutteridge backed up his success from



Martin Walsmsley National Inter-Counties Skeet Champion



Ian Hull (right), Bronze in Veterans Class at WM Area UT Championship

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25 Oct: ESP, Kingsley Moor

With 95ex100, Richard Thompson tied first with Fred Whitehurst of Cheshire. Gavin Heath was just one behind to claim third place. Richard Stubbs topped the B class shooters with 85.

1 Nov: ABT, Ranton Clay Target Club

Congratulations to Graham Evans of Shropshire, who took first place with a superb

49ex50. Hot on his heels were Staffordshire shooters Adam Gutteridge, Darren Wood, and Jason Findlay, all 47. Ian Hull and Craig Nightingale both hit 46.

1 Nov: ESP, Garlands SG

Martin Butcher topped the list of Staffordshire shooters with a fine 89, just four from top spot on another tricky course. At time of going

to press, the sport in England is currently on pause again following a second lockdown. By the time you read this, hopefully shooting will have resumed and you'll be getting out there again and putting in some fine scores. We're always delighted to hear from you, so why not head over to the Staffordshire CPSA Facebook page to tell us about it? You can find us on Instagram, too.

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The County Committee would like to wish you all a Happy New Year, and hope that 2021 will be more promising than 2020. As it stands the AGM will be postponed until later in the year with the current committee in place.

It is with great sadness that we inform you that Mr Ian Clifton of Sporting Targets passed away on 12 November. He was a great asset to shooting in Bedfordshire and the country sitting on the Shooting Sports Council for many years. He will be greatly missed.

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E Lord National DTL
Colt winner 2020

We hope you all manage to get a bit of good cheer at Christmas, as we are hoping to be able to arrange the dates for 2021 as soon as possible. So as not to clash so much with the Inter-Counties and Nationals this year as the pandemic is still with us, we may be postponing the usual AGM at the end of January until we can hold one safely for everyone to enjoy.

We have update of the last few winners of the year, in case you didn't catch them. Cambs ZZ Helice winner was M Conway, Cambs ABT was G Russo, Cambs Double Rise was R Morris, Cambs OSK was H Sperring, and Cambs All Round was won by P C Simpson. The Supreme Champion of 2020 was P Barnard, Senior Champion was C Barnard, Vets Champion was G Thatcher, and finally Colts Champion was E Lord.

National Inter-Counties Skeet Veterans winners were Tim Jones, Peter Cook, and Roger Fletcher. National Inter-Counties All Round Veteran winners were Tim Jones, Gary Thatcher, and Richard Croft.

Our thanks go to all of the grounds that held all of the championships for us this year under such trying conditions, and thanks to all who attended them and supported our county through the year at the Nationals. We hope we have a Better year in 2021. From all of us on the Cambridgeshire committee, we hope you have all had as good a year as has been possible, and enjoyed and continue to enjoy everything that you do.



H Sperring Cambs
OSK champion 2020

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2 Oct: 100 Sporting, Kibworth SG

Senior Stephen Leonard from Bedfordshire, and Veteran Timothy Howell from Staffordshire, both shoot 91ex100 to come top. The top Seniors were, Michael Parsons and James Hardy, both with 90. Craig Boddice scored 81, and Peter Norton shot 78ex100. The 'Dads Army' top shots were, Steve Brightwell with 90, Alan Pearson with 85, and Malcolm Husthwaite with 79x100. The Ladies were led by Rebecca McKensie from Nottinghamshire with 84, Jennifer Baker of Sussex with 76, and Sandy Greener from Derbyshire with 68.

4 Oct: 100 Sporting, Kegworth SG

Junior High Gun went to Luke Johnson from Dorset, who travelled to the shoot by bicycle! The Junior Runners-up were, Lucie Christy, Jessica Falkner, and Charlie Knight. The top shot of the day and AAA class winner was Nick Hendrick from Derbyshire, shooting 99ex100. Keith Roe, also from Derbyshire, was top Veteran and AA class shooter, finished on 92. top A class shooter, Martin Walsh from Yorkshire also claimed 92ex100. AAA class Runners-up were, Timothy Simmons with 91, Toby Read with 88, and Jason Allaway with 86. A class Runners-up were Andrew Miller and Phil Archer with 86, and Robert Bailey with 85ex100. B class was won by Ray Cobb on 82, Alan Pearson on 81, and Chris Denham on 80ex100. C class was won with 80 from Mark Hallam, Roger Grimshaw and Mick Sheffield close behind with 74 and 73. Ladies was won by Sandy Greener on 73x100, with Emily Goddard shooting 73, and Jane Taylor 69ex100.

11 Oct: 100 Sporting, Grange Farm SG

The top-shot was Martin Myres 97ex100, Runner-up was local boy Toby Reed on 95, equalled by top Veteran Steve Brightwell. Chris Childerhouse and John Lee both scored 94 and Paul Batchelor finished on 90. Pat Dickman split the AAA class shooting on 91 to take AA class. Now a shout for the B and C classes. Richard Stubbs shot 83, Gary Dickenson 81, Steve O'Reilly and Matthew Bower Jnr finished on 80. Rob Edulgee was top B Veteran on 79, and Craig Boddice also finished with 79. The top C class shooter was John Stokes with 75, Tom Buck shot 74, Kirill

Pozdnjakov 70, and Ash Dar, Paul Newbutt, and Paul Buckley scored 70, 69 and 69. Brody Woollard was top Junior on 88, Harry Piercy 81, Matthew Bower 80, and the top Colt was Josh Lee with a creditable 88ex100.

11 Oct: 100 Sportrap, Kegworth SG

A bit different this time, there were four 25 target layouts. High Gun of the day was Marc Ivey, breaking 91%, as did Trystram Yeomans. Andrew Swaine scored 90, Richard Jones and Reece Lofley both shot 89 apiece. Top Veteran was Gary Greet with 87, closely followed by Robert Tucker on 86. Top of the Ladies category was Becky McKensie with 81, Catherine Smalley with 73, and Hazel Denny with 56. Josh Bennion took top Junior with 85ex100.

24 Oct: 100 DTL, Normanton SG

Alex Harris has done it again, scoring 99/295. Runner-up Mike Brookes scored 96/283, whilst Leon Gill was a second barrel behind with 96/282.

25 Oct: 100 Sporting, Grange Farm SG

Timothy Simmons rose to the top with 98ex100. Runner-up was Junior Brody Woollard with 93. Peter Smith and Steve Brightwell shared the Veterans with 90. Lady Sandy Greener was High Gun with 85ex100, Becky McKensie finished on 80, Rachael Tuckey 76, Louise Smith 74, and Kerry Oakley 71. These Ladies were closely followed by Isabel Russell, Corrina Binks, Amanda Beagrie, Elizabeth Williams, Maia Trees, Sarah Johnson, and Toni Kent-Chapman. Elizabeth and Maia are both Juniors.

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Season's greetings to you all and a Happy New Year! We hope that everyone has enjoyed the recent ability to gather together in whatever groupings these might be – a household, tribe, chatter, heard, quiver, dynasty, parliament, shiver, murder, or bubble. We looked hard for the collective noun for clay pigeon shooters but could only find a hail of bullets. We weren't so sure about that, so would like to suggest the term 'a scatter of clay pigeon shooters' for future use.

We are looking forward to 2021 being a very different year to 2020. Hopefully with the recent strict measures and a vaccine on the horizon we can look forward to a full competitive season without any lockdowns, and everyone feeling



Skeet Team Manager
Isabel Russell

confident to gather and enter competitions.

At the end of summer the county entered a team for the National Inter-Counties Skeet competition, held on home ground at NSG. There were 146 guns in total taking part, in county teams and as individuals.

This was one of the few competitions held this year with some shooters experiencing unaccustomed nerves. The day was a bit windy – some people concentrated a bit harder and others took their eye off the target and the flight of the clay for granted. The county fielded a full team with some good scores but there were many shooters from across the country, and with a few scores of 100 and 99x100 around, the margins were slim. The Junior team managed to take the title with a good score of 187x200. The Senior team came third Overall with 486x500. Isabel Russell rushed back to the ground to take part in the Ladies High Gun shoot-off but was just pipped to the title by Isabel Cartlidge. Thanks to all those who took part and well done. Thanks also to Isabel Russell for organising the team.

In 2020 the Northants CPSA committee met occasionally and communicated regularly about the situation and the best way to ensure the whole county responded to the changing situation and increased freedoms, with the safety of shooters and their wider families always at the forefront of decisions. This year will be no different and it is on that point we have a request...

The Northants CPSA AGM is planned for Wednesday 20 January 2021 at the Northants Shooting Ground. 7.30pm – 8.15pm

approximate finish. It is at the meeting that the committee for 2021 is voted for, the same committee that plans the competition dates for the year. Please put the date in your diary.

Given the three tier system of COVID-19, it is envisaged that the meeting will be held in the one of the following ways: In the clubhouse socially distanced with all members wearing masks, or in the Northants Shooting Ground car park, held either in person under shelters or with members in their cars and the meeting broadcast over the tannoy. Given that we have grown in confidence using electronic methods of communication, there will be the availability to participate, in real time only, via Zoom, WhatsApp or via Facebook messenger.

I would encourage all members to attend personally if possible, and if you wish to attend via Zoom or a WhatsApp group, please email your name, CPSA number, email address, and/or phone number to Roy Tyler at hotshot686@gmail.com. Please be aware that phone details will be visible to others in the WhatsApp group. Suggestions and ideas for things to do for next year are always welcome, so please email Roy or myself.

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We are fast approaching the end of the second national lockdown at time of writing. Here at Orston Shooting Ground preparations are well underway to re-open our doors early next week, in addition to Nottingham and District Gun Club and Cockett Farm.

A few changes have been made at CPSA HQ during lockdown – the first being the England team selection process for DTL. You can read more about this in the CPSA website. There has been some extended date changes due to COVID-19 and a revised new selection process. Some additional news for the DTL shooters is the 2021 ICTSF World DTL Championships, which has sadly been postponed to 2022, mainly due to overseas travel.

CPSA have been conducting a weekly lockdown quiz and it looks like some fantastic prizes have been donated and won. It seems it's been a bit of fun for everyone during these gloomy times – so thank you to the CPSA.

The Nottinghamshire CPSA committee is due to meet virtually across the coming weeks to finalise decisions regarding next year's county shoots and committee allocations.

As we come out of the lockdown across the UK, as we are sure you are all aware, we find ourselves in a tiered system, with the majority of counties falling in either tier two or tier three. Every shooting ground will operate slightly differently, depending on their circumstances and how they operate. We would therefore advise calling the shooting grounds to confirm their rules prior to arrival.

Hopefully we will be back in the full swing of things for our next report, with some shooting news from across the county. But for now may we take this opportunity to wish you and your families a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.



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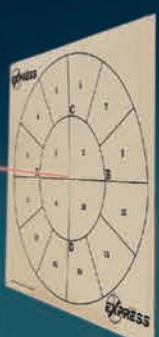


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Having received guidelines from CPSA HQ in regards to AGM's for regions and counties it has been decided to delay/postpone the Avon AGM, if timescales relating to decisions to be made during the meeting and the articles and by-laws permit.

As it is impossible to book any venues at the moment and the size of any gatherings prohibit larger meetings taking place, the AGM will be scheduled at such a time that it is prudent to hold one.

If circumstances do change, details will be published on the website or in Pull! when possible. In the meantime, the committee will continue to organise and plan for a full schedule of county shoots for 2021.

Avon FITASC could not be held this year as no date or venue could be set for the event. After representation from FITASC shooters we will endeavour to hold a special event in 2021.

Any further breaking news from anyone please contacts us for inclusion next time by emailing rogercox47@gmail.com or via the Avon website hosted on the main CPSA website, accessible via the County tab.

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Since the last issue of Pull! Magazine was released, we have had the final competitions of the year have taken place.

The South West Inter-Counties ABT took place just over the border at Bradford on 3 October, when our Seniors, Vets, and Ladies teams competed.

The National Inter-Counties Sporting was held at Westfield, Gloucestershire, on 4 October when our Senior, Junior, and Ladies teams competed.

Our final County Championship was Skeet Doubles, held at Landare on 11 October. The champions were Senior Kelvin Walsh with 97, Veteran Pete Mylam with 95, Ladies category Alison Morden-Hawke with 70, and junior Denzil Grose with 91.

The South West Inter-Counties Single Barrel was held at North Cornwall on 17 October. Both our Senior and Ladies teams won trophies.

The National Inter-Counties Skeet took place at Northampton on 18 October. Both Senior and Ladies teams competed. The team members are shown in the photo below courtesy of photographer and CPSA director John Martin. Paul George, pictured in the centre, won Veteran High Gun with a phenomenal score of 99 and after a shoot-off.

We are delighted that the County came top of the South West Inter-Counties league, and are extremely proud that as a result we have been awarded the inaugural South West Inter-Counties Overall Team Champions trophy in recognition.

Well done to all to have competed – there were a total of 59 members who shot for their county with 11 earning new caps. Thank you to the county committee's selection sub-committee for arranging, and for the grounds hosting the condensed but comprehensive selection process at such short notice. We look forward to even better times in 2021.

Please keep an eye out for details of the AGM on the committee's Facebook page for any other news.

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3 Oct: ABT SW Inter-Counties, Bradford

Thanks to Martin Burge for the report and photos on this shoot. We would like to thank Matt and his team, who really did a good job in what can only be described as a wet, windy, and drab day. With nine squads it was very well attended.

Congratulations to Devon A Senior Team, who won with 538 points. Paul Westaway (Team Captain), Richard Chapple, James Bondman, Michael Webber, and Owen Clark. Cornwall A Team came in second with 516 points, and Devon B Team came third with 508 points. Veterans was won by Devon A team of Paul Westaway, Richard Chapple, and Peter Cole with 182 points, Cornwall were second with 180 points. Ladies was won by Devon team of Rachel Westacott, Becky Peat, and Katie Cox with a score of 170. Cornwall were second with 138. Juniors was won by Devon team of Owen Clark, Rachel Westacott, and George Harvey with a score of 188.

15 Oct: Devon Skeet Doubles Championship

This was the last Devon Championship for 2020. We would like to thank Abbey and Ed Ling for holding this at their shooting ground. Devon Champion was Richard Chapple with a score of 94/100. Runner-up was Oliver Durovic with 93, and third place was James Cook with 93. A total of nine entries for this final event.

Devon Championship Winners

The Devon Championship winners for 2020 are listed below. ABT Paul Westaway, All Round Steve Trout, DTL Chris Smyth, Double Rise Richard Chapple, ESK Tim Pollentine, ESP Andy Moon, FITASC Charlie Avery, OT Katie Jemmison, SB Robert Dietz, Skeet Doubles Richard Chapple, Sportrap James Cook, and UT Graham Andrew.

Devon Veterans Winners 2020

ABT Paul Westaway, DTL Richard Chapple, English Sporting Richard Chapple.

Devon Ladies Winners 2020

ABT Rachel Westacott, DTL Rachel Westacott, SB Rachel Westacott, ESP Sarah Palfrey.

Devon Juniors Winners 2020

ABT Owen Clark, DTL George Harvey.

Devon CPSA AGM 2021

At the time of writing, the Devon CPSA AGM will be held on Wednesday 20 January, at the Waie Inn at 8pm. Please come along to support the Devon Committee and your sport with any suggestions or ideas for the coming year.



Devon Juniors SW ABT Inter-County Winners 2020



Devon Ladies SW ABT Inter-County Winners 2020

Please send any news and photos to Marilyn Chapple, Devon CPSA Secretary. Tel 01769 540501, email marilyncapple@btopenworld.com.

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Luckily, Dorset managed to stage its two final County Championships before the Government brought in the second COVID-19 lockdown in November. These were the English Sporting, held on Saturday 3 October, and the Sportrap a fortnight later. Both shoots were held at Purbeck.

Shooting School.

Although the weather was terrible for the English Sporting, it was fantastic to see Registered shoots returning to Purbeck. The team there put on an excellent event, with 27 Dorset shooters taking part. Andy Herbert-Smith claimed High Gun and therefore also the 2020 ESP County Champion title, with his impressive score of 90ex100 in adverse conditions.

Wrapping up the Dorset County Championships for 2020, 26 of our shooters took part in the Sportrap event two weeks later at Purbeck. This time, Dorset's Richard King and Stuart Rudling tied for High Gun on a very solid 94ex100. A shoot-off then earned Richard the County STR title.

With all the County Championships complete, the 2020 Dorset Super Seven Supreme County Championship was therefore also concluded. In a demonstration of perfect efficiency – Richard King took the title. Despite taking part in only four of the contributing Super seven shoots, he was the highest or highest-equal scoring Dorset shooter in each event. This equated to a total of 40 points, four points ahead of joint-second place contenders, Ian Mulliner and Dean Webber.

We're not sure about everyone else, but 2020 felt like a crazy year to us! The two COVID-19 lockdowns saw the suspension of Registered shoots on each occasion, but even when the restrictions were relaxed, things didn't really return to normal. Some people had to keep self-isolating throughout and therefore were not able to return to shooting. Let's hope that 2021 sees good progress in beating this virus and that all shooters can return to the sport and thus get the social scene fully back onto its feet.

the day with the first peg showing some stiff targets – Richard unfortunately missed two on this first peg and then another two on the second peg seeing him take High Gun of the day with a Fantastic score of 96/100. Wiltshire's Joshua Brown was hot on his heals with 94/100.

At the end of the day Graham announced the team winners as well as the individual winners for the Inter-Counties – Hampshire Veterans were Trevor Bell and Des Sturgess, Ladies were Hampshire's Lauren Goodman and Britta Beach, and Seniors were Hampshire for the 12th year in a row! The victorious Hampshire seniors team were Richard Faulds, Des Sturgess, Lee Knight, Phil Marks, Roger Deacon and Neil Lockton. Richard Faulds won High Gun, Des Sturgess was joint first in Vets, and Lauren Goodman won the ladies by six clays. All round another fantastic day for the county!

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13 Sep: County Sportrap Competition, Barbury

Barbury hosted the county Sportrap competition, where Will Thatcher was named County Champion with a score of 93ex100. Kevin Ricks was the Veteran champion with a score of 82ex100. Chris Orchard was the Junior champion with a score of 70ex100. Francina Mattinson was the Ladies champion with a score of 61ex100.

Inter-County Championships

A couple of Inter-County championships were held before the second lockdown and Wiltshire shot very well. Owls Lodge hosted the Inter-County teams Sporting on 19 September. Josh Brown organised teams in Seniors, Ladies, Veterans, and Juniors, who all performed magnificently. The Wiltshire Senior and Junior teams both won.

Purbeck hosted the Inter-Counties teams FITASC on 2 September. Josh Brown again organised the teams – again the Junior team won. Both the Senior and Veteran teams were just pipped by Hampshire. Well shot everyone!

Social Media

Wiltshire CPSA is also on Facebook. Please feel free to join the Wiltshire CPSA group.

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The CPSA and CPSA National Director Nicola Heron have been working to help re-establish the Berkshire CPSA Committee, and there has been an outstanding response from volunteers wanting to help.

If you live in Berkshire, please keep an eye out in your email, as the CPSA will soon be sending you an invite to the Berkshire CPSA AGM, which will be held over Zoom due to CV-19 restrictions.

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After the strangest of years, we hope you are all staying safe. Our thanks go to all the local

grounds and their staff for keeping us all safe and helping us all to keep going.

There has not been loads to write about this year but what the Bucks Shooters have been doing is really impressive. A well-deserved mention to Will Canter for winning the Bucks County DTL in every category, and for yet another 25-straight at Bisley not long after.

The Bucks AGM will be held at E.J. Churchill's on 26 January 2021. This invite extends to all of our Bucks Shooters – from all disciplines, ages, and parts of Bucks! We need you all to be a part of our teams and Bucks Shoots – any Juniors or Colts that attend will get 250 free cartridges. Tea and coffee will be provided, so please do come along.

Please try to keep us up-to-date with everything you are all doing – our Facebook page is Buckinghamshire CPSA and on there you can keep up with all the local shoots, county shoots, and much more.

GREATER LONDON



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The Greater London English Sporting, which was deferred from earlier in the year due to the Coronavirus outbreak, was at last held at Southdown Gun Club on 25 October.

The winner and Champion was Adrian Balham with a score of 88, and he also won the Veteran title. The Runner-up was Anthony Hoskins with 78 and top in the Ladies category was Sian Hoskins with 75. There were nine shooters from Greater London who entered out of a total of 116.

Our thanks and gratitude goes out to the Southdown team, who in spite of all the pandemic difficulties, managed to have a very busy day. A very well done.

Due to the various degrees of lockdown, the Greater London committee may not be able to meet for an extended period of time still. At present we are exploring the possibility of using Zoom (or similar) for meetings, so if there is anyone who can offer some tips how this can be done, please contact the secretary.

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Chris Windebank – 1965-2020

It is with a very sad heart that we say goodbye to Chris Windebank, please see page 60 for his obituary.

11-12 Oct: British Shooting Pathway Championship

Held at Nuthampstead Shooting Ground, there were some fantastic results at the British Shooting Pathway Championship for Herts shooters. The Competition, featuring Olympic

Skeet and Olympic Trap disciplines was run over two days.

Competitors on the British Shooting Shotgun Pathway arrived from many of the UK Regional Shooting Schools. For some this was their first experience of an Olympic Competition, for others it was business as usual, providing the opportunity to compete and test their skill and stamina. We were promised fantastic weather for the weekend, a slight breeze, high clouds, superb. Olympic Trap also had the benefit from the new green backdrop. It was looking to be a weekend of good shooting!!

The OSK quickly started to heat up with some terrific scores being posted. Emotions were running high – concentration, nail biting, smiles of joy, sighs of despair. Several Personal Best Scores posted. The Overall winner was Maddie Russell, Sophie Herrmann came second and Andrew Payne was third. High Gun was Sebastian Noakes who shot 113ex125.

OT from the start was deadly quiet. Fixed glares of concentration, precision mounts, followed massive rushes of joy as first barrels annihilate the targets for an indisputable break, or looks of disbelief as a target sneaked away from the second barrels. Great scores – well done to all. The winner of the Junior Women Final was Maddie Purser. Hollie Lumsden came second and Philippa Stroud was third.

It was wonderful to see so many parents and supporters at the ground helping to make the event and to provide support for competitors. On a personal note it was very pleasing to see Nuthampstead's home grown talent performing so well – congratulations to the Maddies!

Jonathan Noakes

County competitions

We are hoping 2021 allows us to set up the county competitions – keep an eye out on social media and in Pull! for updates.

Stories and comments

Please send in any stories or comments to the Herts Committee, or if you want to be considered for one of the Hertfordshire teams please contact us.

Herts CPSA Committee

If you are interested in helping out please let us know, the Herts committee is a small group and we struggle to get shooters involved so any help is appreciated.

OXFORDSHIRE



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As we find ourselves in lockdown again, all shooting again has ceased. Firstly I hope you have all had a suitably festive Christmas and a Happy New Year and are keeping safe and well in such difficult circumstances.

I am able to report from the last few shoots which were held before the second lockdown was enforced so here goes.

Westfield Shooting Ground

Steve hosted a 100 Registered FITASC event at Westfield in mid-October, with 87 competitors. Oxfordshire's Matt Hance shot incredibly well, with a score of 94ex100 to take High Gun. Great shooting Matt.

Honesberie shooting Ground

Honesberie managed to get three registered shoots in before lockdown was enforced. The standard of shooting was extremely high in their first shoot in October, where Julian Freeman shot a very strong 96ex100 and found himself sixth Overall, and fifth in AAA Class. Steve Cox finished on 94ex100, placing him second in AA Class. Our Oxfordshire Veteran Mickey Rouse finished with a 92ex100 to take first in Vets.

One hundred and twenty four shooters took part in their shoot held on 25 October. Julian Freeman fared better at the second shoot than the first. He shot 95ex100 to win High Gun. Well done Julian.

Oxfordshire shooters also did well in A Class – Melvin Taylor shot a great score of 82ex100 and came second, with Alexander Turner shooting a brilliant 78 in B Class to place second. Well done to you both.

The last shoot took place on 1 November and saw 111 shooters compete. Oxfordshire's Julian Freeman once again gets credit after shooting 93ex100 placing him second Overall. Steve Cox shot his socks off and won AA Class, also with a 93ex100, beating Richard Faulds is his new claim to fame! Well done Steve.

Oxfordshire shooters continued to perform well, Tim Dunbar shot a brilliant 88ex100, placing him third in A Class. B Class was won by Oxfordshire's Kevin Allen, after shooting an excellent 84ex100, well done to you all.

E. J. Churchill Shooting Ground

E.J. Churchill managed to get two shoots in before lockdown, both with great attendance. Their first to report on was held on 15 October with a very healthy 117 shooters take part. Oxfordshire's Gary Davis shot a very good score of 92 placing him third in AAA class.

Well done Gary. Oxfordshire's Tim Thornett deserves a mention as he continues to make an appearance in the top-three in A Class, this time he finished second after shooting a very impressive 88ex100. Well done Tim.

The second shoot was altered at late notice to the announcement of lockdown, but 113 shooters still managed to rearrange their diaries to compete.

Oxfordshire's Kevin Allen shot brilliantly and finished with a score of 86ex100, placing him third in B Class. Well done Kevin. A mention must also go to Charlotte Allen who posted a score just two behind Kevin and took the Ladies High Gun, well done Charlotte.

Please keep an eye on our Facebook page for current updates and news of the AGM which is normally announced by now – sadly with the restrictions in place at the moment we are unable to provide dates. Fingers crossed shooting will continue soon and we can return to some normality.

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18 Oct: Side-by-Side County Championship, Guildford Gun Club

The 2020 side-by-side event for the Mick Haynes Trophy was shot over an eight stand, 60 target, side-by-side themed layout, including a double rabbit, pairs of fast driven and incoming decoyed pigeons.

Peter Saich scored 50/60 with his trusty Webley and Scott to retain his County title. Steve Cole, shooting with a 'Cole' shotgun, was second and Clive Monk was third. Tim King from Sussex, shooting with a very nice Beretta side-by-side won the 'non-Surrey' Webley and Scott Trophy with 45/60. Runner-up was Kevin Addison from Surrey, and third was Philip Saich from Berkshire. Thanks to Guildford and District Gun Club for hosting this event and to Andy for his well thought out layout.

Surrey success in Helice World Championships

Despite COVID-19, the FITASC Helice World Championship was one of the few events which took place between the two lockdowns in Ghedhi, Italy, during November. 15 GB shooters attended, including Jo and Fergus Watson-Hopkinson, and whilst the event was

dominated by the Italians, the GB team still managed to make a difference and gain some podium places. There were no official teams, however Jo Watson-Hopkinson, alongside Dionne Rogers, came second in the team event ahead of the French, but lost out on the Gold to a very strong Italian team.

Surrey AGM

The committee would still like to hold our AGM which would usually take place in February. At this time it is difficult to predict if this will be possible and in what format, so please keep an eye out on our website and Facebook page for updates.

CPSA Director Appointment

Congratulations to Surrey Committee Member Peter Saich who has been re-elected to the Management Board of the CPSA as South East Region Director. This is Peter's second term of three years, and with his impending retirement from full-time employment Peter intends to devote more time to representing the Grassroots members, and supporting the work of the hard working County Committees.

Forthcoming dates

25 Apr	Sportrap, Southdown Gun Club, Supreme Points event
31 May	English Sporting, Southdown Gun Club, Supreme Points event
30 Aug	Compak Sporting, Southdown

Gun Club
16-18 Sep FITASC Sporting, Southdown Gun Club, Supreme Points event

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



Jo Watson-Hopkinson



Peter Saich

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We were fortunate enough to hold one shoot in early October at Sporting Targets before the second lockdown period. Sadly some people were either in isolation or already locked down due to their parts of the country being affected and they were really missed.

Despite the restrictions the shoot was really well attended by members, guests, and two



of last year's supporters – The Pointer Family from Norfolk and the National Masonic Clay Shooting Societies. Both kindly presented us with cheques this year and in previous years. In return we handed both parties a memento from the group.

We shot 100 ESP and it was reputedly the registered targets for the following day. The clays were enjoyable but very stiff. C class was won by Adrian Barron and B class by Ben Woodham. A class was hotly contested with a single target splitting Craig Williams and Craig Marlow from High Gun Sam Nunn.

Thank you to those who attended, we will see you in the new year at some point following our conference call AGM which was held in December. Full details of our new committee will be provided to our members, however we can already confirm that Adrian Last has stood down as Chair, with Paul Rendell taking on the role. Sam Nunn has also stood down as secretary for 2021.

Sam will continue as treasurer to allow him to focus on his impending marital duties in the summer. The secretary role will be split into three, a General Secretary, Fixtures Secretary, and Membership/Social Media Secretary. Names will be provided in the next edition.

Finally, if you haven't already please check out Paul Bailey's videos on shooting from a wheelchair and shooting on a budget. You can find them on our social media and also his. They are very informative for both disabled and able bodied shooters.

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Please note that all hours and offerings listed are subject to change with little notice due to the Coronavirus pandemic. See the CPSA's current guidance for grounds at cpsa.co.uk/staysafe.

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SA-TH CLOSED, FR 17:30-19:00

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NORTHUMBERLAND

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MO CLOSED, TU-SA 9:30-17:30

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STEVE SMITHS SG

MO,TH CLOSED. TU, WE, FR, SA 10:00-16:30.

SU 10:00-15:00

Late Night shooting (19:30) on Wed and Fri May-end of Aug • stevesmiths.co.uk • 016618 22444 • ABT, CSP, DTL, OTR, STR, UT • Airgun and air pistol ranges.

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CONISTON SG

MO CLOSED. TU-FR 09:30-17:00, SA-SU 09:30-13:30

conistonshootingground.co.uk • 01756 748586

• DTL, ESK, ESP, FSP, SKD.

EAST YORKSHIRE CLAY SG

MO-TU CLOSED. WE,FR, SA, SU 10:00-17:00.

TH 10:00-20:00

Every Saturday registered DTL entries 10:00-14:00. Thurs late night shooting May to September. • eastyorkshire-clayshootingground.co.uk • 01964 204190 • ABT, CSP, DTL, ESK, ESP, FSP, OSK, OTR, STR, UT • High Tower.

E.J. CHURCHILL AT THE SWINTON ESTATE

MO, WE, TH, FR 09:00-17:00. TU CLOSED.

SA, SU 10:00-15:00

ejchurchill.com/swinton-estate • 01765 357997

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MO, TU, WE, FR CLOSED. TH 12:00-15:30. SA 13:00-

16:00. SU 10:30-13:00

Open other days by appointment. Open Wednesday evening for ten weeks from start of Nov. Open Tuesday evenings Apr-Sep from 17:00-20:00. Closed Sundays before Bank Holidays Mondays, but open on the Bank Holiday from 10:30-13:00 • 07852 785590

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NORTH OF ENGLAND C.T.C

MO-SA 09:00-16:00. SU CLOSED

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HOLMES CHAPEL SG

MO-TU, SAT CLOSED. WE-FRI 10:00-18:00. SU 09:30-13:00

Reg. shoots on the second and fourth Sunday
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• holmeschapelsg.com • 01477 518444 • DTL • Tuition by appointment with CPSA-qualified Instructor.

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• ddcpsc.org.uk • 07929 108619 • ESP.

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• doveridgeclaysports.co.uk • 01889 565986

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OCKBROOK GUN CLUB

MO-SA CLOSED. SU 08:45-10:00

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A YEAVELEY ESTATE & SHOOTING SCHOOL**MO-SA 09:00-DUSK. SU 09:30-13:30**

All shooting ceases 1hr before sunset. All shooting by appointment only • yeaveley-estate.co.uk • 01335 330247 • ABT, DTL, ESP.

GLoucestershire**A CORINIUM CLAY PIGEON SHOOTING CLUB****SU 10:00-13:00. MO-SA CLOSED**

Sporting shoot every other Sunday. Check website for dates. Book in between 10:00 and 10:15. Squadded. Guests welcome. • ccpsc.co.uk/index.html • 01453 884268.

P IAN COLEY SHOOTING SCHOOL**TU-SA 09:00-17:00. SU & MO CLOSED**

iancoley.co.uk • 01242 870391 • ESP, DTL • Tuition & Gun Fitting by appt. Pay & Play practice for licence holders. REG ESP 2nd Sat every month Nov-Feb. 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**MO-TH, SU CLOSED. 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 for practice every Friday and two Saturdays a month • 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**R 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, FSP, STR

STAFFORDSHIRE**A LEEK & DISTRICT GUN CLUB****MO-SA CLOSED. SU 10:00-11:30**

leekgunclub.com • 07790145226 • Shooting the first Sunday of every month and Boxing day • ESP • Fibre wad only.

WARWICKSHIRE**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.

A FILLONGLEY SHOOTING CLUB**MO-SA CLOSED. SU 09:30-12:30**

See website for Fixtures - Booking in at 10:00 last entry 11:00. Saturday shoots 10:00-14:30, last entry 14:00 • fillongleysc.co.uk • 07751 952149 • ABT, CSP, DTL, ESP, STR, • Toilet facilities • Food is available at Saturday shoots and can be made available at Sunday shoots on request.

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 SHOOTING CLUB**MO-TU, TH-FR: 10:30-17:30. WE: 14:30-20:30. SA: 10:30-15:30. SU: 9:30-14:00**

Wednesday evening floodlit shooting • leamarstonshootingclub.com • 01676 540070 • These times are first-last shot so please allow 1/2 hour to finish your round. Allocated session times available • 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

• See fixtures for dates.

A WEDNOCK SG**MO, SA CLOSED. TU-FR, SU 10:00-13:00**

Open 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 • ESP.

LEICESTERSHIRE**R KIBWORTH SHOOTING CLUB****MO CLOSED. TU-WE, FR-SA 09:00-17:00. TH 09:00-20:00. SU 09:00-15:00**

Registered English Sporting first Friday of every month from May-Sept. Late Night Thursdays until 24th Sept. From 1st September closes at 17:00 each Thursday. • kibworthshootingground.co.uk • 0116 2796001 • AR, CSP, DTL, ESK, ESP, FSP, STR • Toilet facilities including disabled toilet.

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. • kegworth.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.

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**P EAST OF ENGLAND SG****MO-WE CLOSED. TH-SU 10:00-16:30**

eestg.co.uk • 01406 540362 • DTL, ESK, ESP, ABT, OSK, CSP, STR.

R GRIMSTHORPE ESTATE SG**MO-TU CLOSED. WE-SU 09:30-17:00**

grimsthorpeshootingground.co.uk • 01778 591128 • ESP • 100 ESP Practice. High Tower available to book.

R THE PRIORY CLAY TARGET CENTRE**MO, TU, TH CLOSED. WE, FR, SA, SU 09:30-16:00**

theprioryctc.co.uk • 01406351451 • Registered shoots every weekend • AR, ABT, CSP, DR, DTL, ESK, HBD, OSK, STR.

NORFOLK**P MID NORFOLK SG****MO, SU CLOSED. TU-SA 10:00-16:00. WE 10:00-18:00**

Opening hours shown are for the shop, air gun and archery ranges. Shooting times vary; please see website • Summer: late night Wed & Thurs. Winter: late night Wed. Clay shooting every other Sat. • norfolkshooting.co.uk • 01603860436 • AR, ABT, CSP, DB, DTL, ESK, ESP • Air gun range, Archery range, Private meeting room. Shooting masterclasses & workshops.

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.

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE**A 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**MO, TU, FR CLOSED. WE-TH 10:00-DUSK.****SA 10:00-17:00. SU 09:00-16:00**

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SA 10:00-17:00. SU 09:00-16:00

To arrange events/appts on Mon, Tue or Fri just contact the Ground. • nottsclayshooting.co.uk • 01623 883798 • CSP, DTL, ESP, FSP, HBD, STR • Sporting targets changed every fortnight.

P ORSTON SG



MO-TU CLOSED. WE-SU 09:00-17:00

Registered Comps most Sundays, if hoping to practice please call ahead. Last entry day to day is 15:00.

• orston.com • 01949 851181 • DTL, ESK, ESP, ABT, OSK, STR, CSP • Golf buggies available for hire. Game Arena also available.

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R BARROW SPORTING CLAYS



MO-SA CLOSED. SU 09:00-14:00

100 ESP Registered Competition - usually the 1st and 3rd Sun of each month. Runs all year round.

• 07912 497000 • ESP, FSP, STR.

R ERISWELL LODGE



MO-TU, TH-SA 09:00-19:00. WE 09:00-20:30.

SU 09:00-15:30

On Wednesdays in Winter practice closes at 3.30pm with evening floodlit competitions from 5pm. • On Wednesdays in Summer shooting is until dusk or 20:30. • eriswell-lodge.com • 01638534045 • AR, ABT, CSP, DTL, ESK, ESP, FITASC, HBD, STR • New clubhouse in 2020, with conferencing facilities and a gun room. • FITASC & Compak set up as required. Simulated driven game area and rabbit skeet available.

P HIGHWAYMANS SG



highwaymansshootingground.co.uk • 07836 643436

• ESP, FSP, STR • See fixtures for Sunday hours.

P HIGH LODGE LEISURE LTD



SU 9:30-12:30. MO-SA 10:00-17:00

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CORNWALL

R COUNTY GUN CLUB



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

R NORTH CORNWALL SG



MO-WE, FR CLOSED. TH 11:00-16:30. SA 09:30-17:30

Opening & closing times may vary according to weather, time of year & competitions • 077901 58109 • ABT, DR, DTL, STR, UT.

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R ASHLEY CLAY SHOOT



MO-SA CLOSED, SU 10:00-11:30

01884 243476/07837 197595 • 70 or 100 target practice shoots held on alternate Sunday mornings. Open alternate Wednesday evenings 18:00 in the summer months. • ESP • Set in a deep valley. No need to book. Dates available on Ashley Clay Shoot Facebook page.

R LITTLE SILVER CLAY SHOOT



SU 10:00-14:00. MO-SA CLOSED

devonclayshooting.co.uk • 07971963421 • ESP, STR • Can contact by phone or Facebook (Westdown Farm and Littlesilver clay shoots.)

**P SOUTH WEST
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R FAREHAM CLAY TARGET CLUB



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R OWLS LODGE SHOOTING SCHOOL



MO, WE, FR-SU CLOSED. TU, TH 10:00-18:00

Open till dusk if before 18:00 • olss.co.uk

• 07734 200280 • DTL, ESK, ESP, OTR, OSK, STR, FSP, CSP, DR, UTR.

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P BROOK BANK



MO-TU, TH CLOSED. WE 13:00-16:00. FRI,

SA 11:00-16:00. SU 10:30-15:30

Pre-book only. Check website for last minute updates.

• brookbankshooting.co.uk • 07773 488018 • ABT, DTL, ESP, OTR, UT • Gunsmith on site • Clubhouse with snack bar. • Cartridge restriction applies Thur, Fri & Sat - only Hull & Fiocchi permitted. No steel allowed.

R PODIMORE (DOUBLE BARRELLED)



MO-TU, TH-SA CLOSED. WE 10:00-16:00. SU 10:30-15:30

1st and 3rd Sunday of the month, please check website for details • podimore-shooting-school.co.uk • 07888 697401 • ESP, FITASC, STR • All weather undercover shooting positions, fully catered clubhouse, toilet block.

R SOMERSET SG



MO-SA CLOSED. SU 09:00-16:00

Only open when a shoot is being held. Registered shoot held on the last Sunday of each month. • 07860 561677 • CSP, ESK, ESP, FSP, STR • Toilets, clubhouse, outside seating area, televised results, different stand layout each month • See Facebook and Instagram for fixtures, results and news.

WILTSHIRE

P HAM CROSS SG



SA 10:00-15:00

Open an alternate Saturdays, please call for details.

• cpsa.co.uk/clubs/ham-cross-shooting-ground/206 • 07711 242749 • ESP, FSP, STR.

P WIDDINGTON SHOOT



MO-WE CLOSED. TH-SA 10:00-18:00. SU 10:00-14:00

widdingtonshoot.co.uk • 01980 630990 • ESP

• Open Bank Holiday Mondays 10:00-14:00.

SOUTH EAST

BERKSHIRE

**R FOUR COUNTIES CLAY
TARGET CLUB**



MO-SA CLOSED. SU 09:00-15:00

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

**R ROYAL BERKSHIRE
SHOOTING SCHOOL**



SU-MO CLOSED. WE-SA 08:00-DUSK

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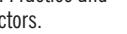


MO-SA CLOSED. SU 10:00-13:00

07889719943 • Open every Sunday morning fortnightly. Last card 11:30. Please check our Facebook page for details. • ESP

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Times may change in the summer, please look on our website • a1sg.co.uk • 02084 419986 • ESP, OT • Group and Individual lessons given, Game shooting tuition also given. Helice practice dates will be shown on our website.

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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.

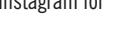
**A CODICOTE BOTTOM CLAY
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MO-SA CLOSED, SU 10:00-13:00

07941110381 • Open alternate Sundays. • ESP.

R LEA VALLEY



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SU-TU, FR CLOSED. WE, SA 10:00-16:00. TH 10:00-20:00

Thur evening shoots May-Sept • lvsas.org.uk

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07855 403902 • ABT, ESK, ESP • Men's and women's toilets, canteen for full English breakfast, sandwiches, tea / coffee etc.

P NUTHAMPTON STEAD SG**WE 10:00-16:00. SA-SU 10:00-17:00**

nuthampsteadshootingground.co.uk • 01763 848172 • DTL, ESK, ESP, ABT, OTR, OSK, FSP, CSP, HEL, UTR, STR.

P REDRICKS SPORTING CLAYS**MO-SA CLOSED. SU 09:00-14:00**

07836 676654 • Last entry 14:00 during Winter. • CSP, ESP, FITASC, STR.

KENT**P DARTFORD CLAY 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.

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P WEST KENT SHOOTING SCHOOL**MO-FR 10:00-17:00. SA-SU CLOSED**

westkentshooting.co.uk • 01892834306 • As the light fades we will close 15:00/16:00 – please call to check. • ESK, ESP.

A WILLOW FARM SG**TU-FR 09:00-17:00. SA 09:00-16:00. SU 10:00-14:00.****MO CLOSED**

100 Sporting Competition every Sunday (Last Entry 12:45) Winter closing Tuesday to Saturday 16:00 • willowfarmshootingground.co.uk • 01233 758703 • CSP, DTL, ESK, ESP, OSK.

OXFORDSHIRE**A GREENFIELD ENTERTAINMENT****MO-SU 10:30-14:00**

Closed in Nov-Dec, Open Shoots every other Sunday • greenfieldentertainment.co.uk • 01869 354949 • ESP • See fixtures website. In association with Magnolia Park Golf and Country Club, Best Western Hotel, banquet hall, bar, restaurant, meeting room • Occasional FITASC and Compak layouts.

R OXFORDSHIRE SHOOTING SCHOOL**MO, SU CLOSED. TU-SA 09:00-17:00**

Registered shoot on the second Friday of every month • theoxfordshireshootingschool.co.uk • 01608 690866 • ESP • Catering available Friday and Saturdays • Fibre wad only.

SURREY**R BISLEY GUN CLUB****MO-FR CLOSED. SAT 08:30-15:00. SU 08:30-16:00**

thebisleygunclub.com • 07713 762928 • Open 1st, 3rd, 5th weekends of every month. Sat a.m. Reg, practice from 12:00. Sun a.m. Reg Competition (Must pre-book) • DTL.

A GATWICK CLAY SHOOTING SCHOOL**MO-SA CLOSED. SU 10:00-13:00**

gatwickclayshootingschool.com • 07769701842 • DTL, ESK, ESP • Shoots on Sundays, coaching on Saturdays by appointment • Disabled access to Sporting and DTL, but not to clubhouse or toilets.

R HORNE CLAY PIGEON CLUB (CLAY & COUNTRY SPORTS UK)

clayandcountry.com • 07711 332097 • ESP

• Mon-Sat, open for lessons, company days, stag/hen, private events, simulated game. Sundays, open sporting events as follows:

GATTON BOTTOM SG**SU 10:00-15:00****COURT FARM SG****SU 10:00-14:00**

See fixtures page on website for details of all our open shoots and directions to the shooting grounds.

P NATIONAL CLAY SHOOTING CENTRE**MO CLOSED. TU-SU 09:00-16:00**

nsc-clays.co.uk • 01483 797666 • DTL, ESK, ABT, OTR, OSK, UTR, SKD.

SUSSEX**A KINGSCOTE SG****SU-FR CLOSED, SA 09:30-13:00**

clayshootingsussex.co.uk • 01903 340657

• Shoots on one Saturday per month, see website fixtures. Open February to December. • ESP

A MILL FARM CLAY PIGEON CLUB**MO-SA CLOSED. SU 09:00-14:00**

We are open once a fortnight on a Sunday

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P NORTHLAND CLAY PIGEON CLUB**WE, SA-SU 10:00-17:00. MO-TU, TH-FR CLOSED**

northallcpc.co.uk • 01825 791783 • DTL, ESK

• Opening days vary, please see northallcpc.co.uk/Fixtures or call for details.

A POLOWOOD SG**MO, WE-FR CLOSED. TU, SA-SU OPEN**

Saturdays from April, 50 ESP, 10:00-15:00. Alternate Sundays throughout the year 09:30-14:00. Tuesdays from April - Oct 12:00 - Dusk (last entry 19:30)

• claypigeonshootingbrighton.co.uk • 07818203871 • CSP, STR • Fibre wad only. 25 and 50 bird flush available.

P SOUTHDOWN GUN CLUB LTD**MO-TU CLOSED. WE-SU 10:00-17:30**

southdowngunclub.co.uk • 01903 877555

• DTL, ESK, ESP, ABT, FSP, CSP, HEL, DR, STR.

NON-ENGLAND**CHANNEL ISLANDS****R CRABBE CLAY PIGEON SHOOTING CLUB****MO-SA 11:00. SU 10:00-13:00**

07797 718459 • ESK practice Friday 2pm, ESK and DTL alternate Saturday 2pm, Sporting shoot every Sunday morning 10am • AR, DTL, ESK, ESP, OSK, OTR.

R LECQ CLAY TARGET CLUB**SA 13:00-17:00. SU 09:30-13:00**

50 Bird Sporting every Sunday except month end which is Sporting 100 • lecqclaytargetclub.com • 07797 717940 • ABT, CSP, ESK, ESP, STR, UT.

ISLE OF MAN**R AYRE CLAY TARGET CLUB****MO-FR CLOSED. SA 13:00-16:00. SU 10:00-14:00**

ayreclaytargetclub.com • Practice Wednesday evenings April-September - Please check our website and Facebook pages for updates • ABT, DTL, ESK, ESP, OSK, OTR, STR.

R ISLE OF MAN CLAY PIGEON SHOOTING CLUB**MO-FR CLOSED, SA 10:00-14:00, SU 10:00-16:00**

Practice on Sat mornings, Open for practice on Tuesday evenings. May until September • iomclays.com • 07624 460785 • ABT, DTL, ESK, OSK, STR, ESK.

SCOTLAND**R BISLEY AT BRAIDWOOD****MO CLOSED. TU-SA 09:00-17:30. SU 10:00-16:00**

Late Night from 24 Apr to 18 Sept 2019. Monthly club shoot – please see events on website. • bisleyshooting.co.uk/bisley-at-braidwood • 01835 870280 • CPS, ESP, FSP, STR.

WALES**A FERNDALE SHOOTING CLUB****MO-WE, FR, SU CLOSED. TH 12:00-19:00.****SA 09:00-16:00**

Open Practise • ferndaleshooting.club • 07771 603989 • ESP.

P FAUXDEGLA SG**TH- SU 10:00-17:00. MO, TU CLOSED.****WE 10:00-20:00**

fauxdeglia.co.uk • 01978 790198 • STR, OSK, FSP, DR, UTR, DTL, ESK, ESP, ABT, OTR.

A LEADBROOK HALL SG**MO-SA CLOSED. SU 10:30-15:30**

First gun 10:30, last entry 13:30 • leadbrookclays.com • 07977 624358 • ESP • Open every second Sunday and fifth Sunday.

P MID WALES SHOOTING CENTRE**SUN, MO CLOSED. TU-FR 10:00-16:00. SAT 10:00-13:00**

midwalesshootingcentre.com • 01686 430654

• DTL, ESK, ESP, ABT, OSK, FSP, DR, STR.

R NORTH WALES SHOOTING SCHOOL**TU-FR 09:00-17:00, SA 09:00-16:00**

nwshootingschool.co.uk • 01244 812219 • CSP, DTL, ESK, ESP, OT, STR.

P SOUTH WALES 2000 SG**TU-SU 10:00-17:00. MO CLOSED**

southwales2000.com • 01495 201182 • DTL, ESK, ESP, ABT, OTR, OSK, FSP, CSP, UTR.

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CPSA FIXTURES

REG—CPSA Registered Competition
ESP—English Sporting
STR—Sportrap
DTL—Down the Line
ESK—English Skeet
OSK—Olympic Skeet

OTR—Olympic Trap
DT—Double Trap
UTR—Universal Trench
ABT—Automatic Ball Trap
FSP—FITASC
HEL—Helice

SB—Single-Barrel
DR—Double Rise
HD—Handicap by Distance
SKD—Skeet Doubles
AR—All-Round
CSP—Compak

P—Premier Plus Ground
P—Premier Ground

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

Whilst CPSA Registered shoots have returned, please understand that some grounds may not be fully operational, some fixtures may be out of date, and fixtures are still subject to change with little notice. Please confirm fixtures by contacting the ground or checking social media and websites before making plans.

FRIDAY 1 JANUARY

Barbury Shooting School, Wiltshire, 01793 940420, NEW YEARS DAY 100 ESP Practice Food available barburyshoot.com Last entries 12:00, 09:00-12:00

Clacton Gun Club, Essex, 07394 670871, 100 AR REG skeet & sporting practice. Telephone booking only. 07394 670871, 09:00-14:00

Southdown Gun Club Ltd, Sussex, 01903 877555, 120 ESP REG, 100 STR REG NY day Shoot + Pool Shoot (NO PRACTICE), 09:10-14:30

SATURDAY 2 JANUARY

Bisley Gun Club Limited, Surrey, 07713 762928, 100 DTL REG + Practice 11:00-15:00, 09:00-12:00

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

Brook Bank, Somerset, 01749 871056, 100 DTL REG + ESP/ABT/UTR/OTR Practice 10:30am-3pm Pre-book only, 10:30-11:30

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

Fauxdeglia Shooting Ground, Wales, 01978 790198, 100 OTR REG - PHONE AND PAY BOOKINGS ONLY - OPEN FOR PRACTICE, 10:00-17:00

Garlands Shooting Ground, Staffordshire, 01827 383300, 100 ESP REG £150 high gun and cash in classes pre-book only via theclayshootingcompany.com or text 07394227186, 09:00-14:00

Highwaymans Shooting Ground, Suffolk, 07836 643436, 100 ESP REG Squadded event TEL 07836643436, 09:00-14:00

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

Kegworth Shooting Ground, Leicestershire, 07973 111650, 100 ESP REG £150 HIGH GUN-Adult Refs- £720+ Prizefund & £100+ Payout each class+ Sportrap POOL ~ Book Now ~, 10:00-14:30

Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire, 01604 642252, 100 ESK REG, 100 AR REG, Practice ESP,ESK,DTL & ABT, 10:00-16:30

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

SUNDAY 3 JANUARY

Ayre Clay Target Club, Isle Of Man, 01624 621451, 100 ESK REG Penketh Millar Handicap, 10:00-13:00

P **Nuthampstead Shooting Ground, Hertfordshire**, 01763 848172, 100 OTR REG, 100 OSK REG, 09:30-10:30

Penrith & District GC Ltd, Cumbria, 07539 269392, 100 DTL REG, 09:00-15:00

Ranton Clay Target Club, Staffordshire, 01785 223621, 50 ABT REG, 10:00-12:00

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

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

TUESDAY 5 JANUARY

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

WEDNESDAY 6 JANUARY

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

THURSDAY 7 JANUARY

E.J.Churchill Group Ltd, Buckinghamshire, 01494 883227, 100 ESP REG, 50 STR REG Bar & Kitchen open, 09:00-14:00



PATTERN MATTERS



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

FRIDAY 8 JANUARY

Brook Bank, Somerset, 01749 871056, 100
DTL REG + ESP/ABT/UTR/OTR Practice
10:30am-3pm Pre-book only, 10:30-15:00

P High Lodge Leisure Ltd, Suffolk, 01986
784347, 100 ESP REG (5 Stand format)
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STR, ABT, DTL, & ESK - PRE-BOOKED ONLY,
10:00-15:30

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

Somerset Shooting Ground, Somerset,
07860 561677, 100 FSP REG £150 high gun.
Pre-booked entries only, call 07866610086
(Liana), 09:30-15:30

**Westfield Shooting Ground,
Gloucestershire**, 07342 338390,
100 FSP REG pre-book only via
theclayshootingcompany.com or text
07394227186 shoot either day, 09:00-14:00

SATURDAY 9 JANUARY

Bradford Shooting Ground, Devon, 01409
281341, 100 DTL REG Thomas shoot, 09:30-10:30

Brook Bank, Somerset, 01749 871056, 100
OTR REG + ESP Practice 10:30am-3pm Pre-
book only, 10:30-15:00

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

Fareham Clay Target Club, Hampshire,
01329 315185, 100 ABT REG, 100 ESP
Comp, 09:15-10:00

P Fauxdeglia Shooting Ground, Wales,
01978 790198, 50 OTR REG RE-ENTRY -
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P High Lodge Leisure Ltd, Suffolk, 01986
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**Hornet Shooting Ground (CF),
Buckinghamshire**, 01494 883715, 100
ESP REG Limited Squads Tel Entries
07702243308, 10:00-16:00

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

**P Northampton Shooting Ground,
Northamptonshire**, 01604 642252,
100 ESK REG, 100 DTL REG, Practice
ESP, ESK, DTL & ABT, 10:00-16:30

Oak Lodge Shooting Ground, Durham,
07786 868691, 125 STR REG 3rd winter series
10 till 2pm Booking required, 10:00-14:00

**P Owls Lodge Shooting School,
Hampshire**, 07734 200280, 100 ESP REG
PRE BOOKING REQUIRED, 10:00-14:00

**Westfield Shooting Ground,
Gloucestershire**, 07342 338390,
100 FSP REG PRE-BOOK ONLY VIA
theclayshootingcompany.com or text
07394227186 shoot either day, 09:00-14:00

SUNDAY 10 JANUARY

Barrow Sporting Clays, Suffolk, 07912
497000, 100 ESP REG, 09:00-14:30

**P East Yorkshire Clay Shooting Ground,
Yorkshire**, 01964 204190, 100 ABT REG
plus practice, 10:00-14:00

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

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

Gunsite Sporting Clays, Wiltshire, 07977
874887, 100 ESP REG, Entry times 10
-1.30pm, 10:00-13:30

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

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

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

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

Mayland & District Gun Club, Essex, 07572
878348, 100 DTL REG & RE ENTRY, 100 DR
REG & RE ENTRY DTL, 09:00-14:30

P North Of England C.T.C, Yorkshire,
01904 738120, 100 DTL REG, 10:00-12:30

**P Northampton Shooting Ground,
Northamptonshire**, 01604 642252, 100
ESK REG, 100 AR REG, Practice ESP, ESK, DTL
& ABT, 10:00-16:30

**P Nottingham & District Gun Club,
Nottinghamshire**, 01623 883798, 100
DTL REG, 100 ESK REG tel entries only.
Practice ESP, FSP, ESK & DTL by pre-booking.
Food available all day, 10:00-14:00

**P Nottingham Sporting Clays,
Nottinghamshire**, 01623 883798,
NSSA - Any Gauge. Practice ESP, FSP, ESK &
DTL. Food available all day. Pre-booking via
nottscayshooting.co.uk, 10:00-17:00

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

Redricks Sporting Clays, Hertfordshire,
07836 676654, 100 ESP REG Squadded with
telephone entries to Phil on 07836 676654.
£150 HG and £75 1st place in lettered
classes, 09:00-13:30

P South West Shooting School, Devon,
01271 864784, 100 ESP REG, 10:30-11:30

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

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

WEDNESDAY 13 JANUARY

**Westfield Shooting Ground,
Gloucestershire**, 07342 338390, 100 BIRD
ESP REG £150 high gun and cash in classes
pre-book only via theclayshootingcompany.
com or text 07394227186, 09:00-14:00

THURSDAY 14 JANUARY

E.J.Churchill at The Swinton Estate, Yorkshire,
01765 357997, 100 ESP REG, 09:00-14:00

**P Owls Lodge Shooting School,
Hampshire**, 07734 200280, 100 FSP REG
PRE BOOKING REQUIRED, 10:00-13:00

FRIDAY 15 JANUARY

P Southdown Gun Club Ltd, Sussex,
01903 877555, 100 Reg. FITASC day 1/3
PRE BOOK ONLY + Open Sporting Practice,
08:45-12:30

SATURDAY 16 JANUARY

Bisley Gun Club Limited, Surrey, 07713 762928,
100 DTL REG + Practice 12:00-15:00, 09:00-12:00

Brook Bank, Somerset, 01749 871056, 100
DTL REG + ESP/ABT/UTR/OTR Practice
10:30am-3pm Pre-book only, 10:30-15:00

Clacton Gun Club, Essex, 07394 670871,
100 STR REG, practice sporting. Telephone
booking only. 07394 670871, 09:00-14:00

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

P Fauxdeglia Shooting Ground, Wales,
01978 790198, 100 UTR REG - PHONE
AND PAY BOOKINGS ONLY - OPEN FOR
PRACTICE, 10:00-17:00

**P Ian Coley Shooting School,
Gloucestershire**, 01242 870391, 100
ESP REG SQUADDED. £150 High Gun. Hot
Food Available. Book online: iancoley.co.uk/
reg or call 01242 870391, 09:00-17:00

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

Mount Farm Sporting Clays, Yorkshire,
07887 751517, 100 FSP REG £100 HG &
CLASS PRIZES. 4/5 2020/21 SERIES. MUST
BOOK 07887751517 / emilyrowbottom@
gmail.com, 10:30-14:00

**North Cornwall Shooting Ground,
Cornwall**, 01409 211458, 100 DTL REG,
100 ABT REG Telephone/Text entries only,
07790158109, 09:30-10:30

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

P Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire, 01604 642252, 100 ESK REG, 100 AR REG, Practice ESP, ESK, DTL & ABT, 10:00-16:30

P Nuthampstead Shooting Ground, Hertfordshire, 01763 848172, 100 ABT REG & practice, 09:30-10:30

P Southdown Gun Club Ltd, Sussex, 01903 877555, 100 Reg. FITASC day 2/3 PRE BOOK ONLY + Open Sporting Practice, 08:45-12:30

SUNDAY 17 JANUARY

Bisley Gun Club Limited, Surrey, 07713 762928, 100 DTL REG Competition - Winter Series, 08:30-14:00

Brook Bank, Somerset, 01749 871056, 100 UTR REG + ESP Practice 10:30am-3pm Pre-book only, 10:30-15:00

Double Barreled Enford Valley, Dorset, 07888 697401, 100 ESP REG FIBRE Only. Catering on site. Telephone entries to 07888697401, 09:30-14:00

P East Yorkshire Clay Shooting Ground, Yorkshire, 01964 204190, 100 OTR REG plus practice, 10:00-13:00

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

Garlands Shooting Ground, Staffordshire, 01827 383300, 100 ESP REG £150 high gun and cash in classes pre-book only via theclayshootingcompany.com or text 07394227186, 09:00-14:00

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

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

Kegworth Shooting Ground, Leicestershire, 07973 111650, 100 ESP REG £150 HIGH GUN-Adult Refs- £720+ Prizefund & £100+ Payout each class+ Sportrap POOL ~ Book Now ~, 10:00-14:30

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

Mount Farm Sporting Clays, Yorkshire, 07887 751517, 100 FSP REG £100 HG & CLASS PRIZES. 4/5 2020/21 SERIES. MUST BOOK 07887751517 / emilyrowbottom@gmail.com, 09:00-15:00

P North Of England C.T.C, Yorkshire, 01904 738120, 100 STR REG tel entries £75 H/G, 10:00-12:30

P Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire, 01604 642252, 100 ESP REG £100 HG Tel. entries pref. Practice ESP, ESK, DTL & ABT, 09:00-14:30

P Nottingham & District Gun Club, Nottinghamshire, 01623 883798, 100 DTL REG, 100 ESK REG tel entries only. Practice ESP, FSP, ESK & DTL by pre-booking. Food available all day, 10:00-14:00

P Nottingham Sporting Clays, Nottinghamshire, 01623 883798, Practice ESP, FSP, ESK & DTL. Food available all day. Pre-booking only via website (nottscayshooting.co.uk), 10:00-17:00

P Nuthampstead Shooting Ground, Hertfordshire, 01763 848172, 100 UTR REG & practice, 09:30-10:30

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

P Southdown Gun Club Ltd, Sussex, 01903 877555, 100 Reg. FITASC day 3/3 PRE BOOK ONLY + Open Sporting Practice, 08:45-12:30

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

P Sporting Targets Ltd, Bedfordshire, 01234 708893, 100 ESP REG TEL ENTRIES ONLY 01234 708893. LTD PRACTICE, 09:00-14:00

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

THURSDAY 21 JANUARY

P E.J.Churchill Group Ltd, Buckinghamshire, 01494 883227, 100 ESP REG, 50 STR REG Bar & Kitchen open, 09:00-14:00

Garlands Shooting Ground, Staffordshire, 01827 383300, 100 ESP REG £150 HIGH GUN and cash in classes pre-book only via theclayshootingcompany.com or text 07394227186, 09:00-14:00

P Nottingham Sporting Clays, Nottinghamshire, 01623 883798, NSSA - Any Gauge. Practice ESP, FSP, ESK & DTL. Food available all day. Pre-booking via nottsclayshooting.co.uk, 10:00-17:00

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

FRIDAY 22 JANUARY

A1 Shooting Ground, Greater London, 0208 441 9986, Practice ESP and OT, 10:00-16:00

P Atkin Grant & Lang SG, Hertfordshire, 01582 849382, ESP Pratice, Tuition by Appointment. Fibre Wad. Catering available Email: info@agl-uk.com, 09:00-17:00

Barbury Shooting School, Wiltshire, 01793 940420, 100 ESP Practice Food available barburyshoot.com Last entries 16:30, 09:00-17:00

Double Barreled High Croft, Somerset, 07888 697401, 100 ESP REG NO WAD RESTRICTION. Limited Squads. Telephone entries to 07888697401, 09:30-14:00

SATURDAY 23 JANUARY

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

Double Barreled High Croft, Somerset, 07888 697401, 100 ESP REG NO WAD RESTRICTION. Limited Squads. Telephone entries to 07888697401, 09:30-14:00

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

P Fauxdeglia Shooting Ground, Wales, 01978 790198, 50 OT REG RE-ENTRY - PHONE AND PAY BOOKINGS ONLY - OPEN FOR PRACTICE, 10:00-17:00

P High Lodge Leisure Ltd, Suffolk, 01986 784347, 100 ESP REG (squared) PRACTICE CLAYS ESP, CSP, STR, ABT, DTL, & ESK - PRE-BOOKED ONLY, 10:00-15:30

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

P Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire, 01604 642252, 100 ESK REG, 100 DTL REG, Practice ESP, ESK, DTL & ABT, 10:00-16:30

SUNDAY 24 JANUARY

Barrow Sporting Clays, Suffolk, 07912 497000, 100 ESP REG, 09:00-14:30

Brook Bank, Somerset, 01749 871056, 100 DTL REG + ESP/ABT/UTR/OTR Practice 10:30am-3pm Pre-book only, 10:30-15:00

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

P East Yorkshire Clay Shooting Ground, Yorkshire, 01964 204190, 100 UTR REG plus practice, 10:00-13:00

Fareham Clay Target Club, Hampshire, 01329 315185, 100 DTL REG, 100 ESK REG, 09:15-10:00

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

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

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

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

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

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

Mayland & District Gun Club, Essex, 07572 878348, 100 DTL REG BRETT DRAGON TROPHY (C CLASS), 09:00-14:30





P **North Of England C.T.C, Yorkshire**, 01904 738120, 100 AR REG, 10:00-12:30

P **Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire**, 01604 642252, 100 ESK REG, 100 SKD REG, 100 AR REG, Practice ESP, ESK, DTL & ABT, 10:00-16:30

P **Nottingham & District Gun Club, Nottinghamshire**, 01623 883798, 100 DTL REG, 100 ESK REG tel entries only. Practice ESP, FSP, ESK & DTL by pre-booking. Food available all day, 10:00-14:00

P **Nottingham Sporting Clays, Nottinghamshire**, 01623 883798, Practice ESP, FSP, ESK & DTL. Food available all day. Pre-booking only via website (nottsclayshooting.co.uk), 10:00-17:00

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

P **Penrith & District GC Ltd, Cumbria**, 07539 269392, 100 DTL REG, 09:00-15:00

P **Redricks Sporting Clays, Hertfordshire**, 07836 676654, 100 ESP REG Squadded with telephone entries to Phil on 07836 676654. £150 HG and £75 1st place in lettered classes, 09:00-13:30

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

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

P **Westfield Shooting Ground, Gloucestershire**, 07342 338390, 100 BIRD ESP REG £150 HIGH GUN AND CASH IN CLASSES PRE-BOOK ONLY VIA THECLAYSHOOTINGCOMPANY.COM OR TEXT 07394227186, 09:00-14:00

MONDAY 25 JANUARY

P **Brook Bank, Somerset**, 01749 871056, 100 OTR REG + ESP Practice 10:30am-3pm Pre-book only, 10:30-15:00

WEDNESDAY 27 JANUARY

P **Barbury Shooting School, Wiltshire**, 01793 940420, 100 ESP REG SQUADS EVERY 10 MINS 9AM - 1PM + 100 ESP Practice Food available barburyshoot.com Last entries 16:30, 09:00-17:00

Mickley Hall Shooting School, Cheshire, 07766 252438, 100 ESP REG BOOKING ONLY SQUADS AT 10AM AND 12:30PM. OPEN PRACTICE FOR ESP & DTL PRACTICE & TUITION IS ALSO AVAILABLE, 10:00-15:00

THURSDAY 28 JANUARY

E.J.Churchill at The Swinton Estate, Yorkshire, 01765 357997, 100 ESP REG, 09:00-14:00

P **Owls Lodge Shooting School, Hampshire**, 07734 200280, 100 ESP REG PRE BOOKING REQUIRED, 10:00-14:00

FRIDAY 29 JANUARY

P **Atkin Grant & Lang SG, Hertfordshire**, 01582 849382, 100 ESP REG Squadded, pre booking required. First squad 9am, last squad 2:30pm, 09:30-17:00

P **Southdown Gun Club Ltd, Sussex**, 01903 877555, 100 Reg. Sportrap day 1/3 PRE BOOK ONLY + Open Sporting Practice, 09:10-14:30

P **Sporting Targets Ltd, Bedfordshire**, 01234 708893, 100 FSP REG STL Series (1) (Day 1 of 2) Tel Entries Only 01234 708893, 09:00-18:00

SATURDAY 30 JANUARY

P **Bisley Gun Club Limited, Surrey**, 07713 762928, 100 DTL REG + Practice 11:00-15:00, 09:00-12:00

P **Brook Bank, Somerset**, 01749 871056, 100 DTL REG + ESP/ABT/UTR/OTR Practice 10:30am-3pm Pre-book only, 10:30-15:00

P **Clacton Gun Club, Essex**, 07394 670871, 100 STR REG, practice sporting. Telephone booking only. 07394 670871, 09:00-14:00

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

P **Fauxdeglia Shooting Ground, Wales**, 01978 790198, 50 DTL REG(FULL USE OF GUN), 50 ABT REG - PHONE AND PAY BOOKINGS ONLY - OPEN FOR PRACTICE, 10:00-17:00

P **Kingscote Shooting Ground, Sussex**, 01903 340657, 80 Bird Sporting 10 stands. Entries 10 to 12pm last shots 1pm, 10:00-14:00

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

P **North Cornwall Shooting Ground, Cornwall**, 01409 211458, 100 DTL REG, 100 ABT REG Telephone/Text entries only, 07790158109, 09:30-10:30

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

P **Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire**, 01604 642252, 100 ESP REG, £100 HG Tel. entries pref. Practice ESP, ESK, DTL & ABT, 09:00-14:30

P **Southdown Gun Club Ltd, Sussex**, 01903 877555, 100 Reg. Sportrap day 2/3 PRE BOOK ONLY + Open Sporting Practice, 09:10-14:30

P **Sporting Targets Ltd, Bedfordshire**, 01234 708893, 100 FSP REG STL Series (1) (Day 2 of 2) Tel Entries Only 01234 708893, 09:00-18:00

SUNDAY 31 JANUARY

Belsay Shooting Ground, Northumberland, 01661 881040, 100 ESP REG Squadded event, fibre wads only. View website for details/entry fees, last card 2:30pm, 10:00-16:00

Bisley Gun Club Limited, Surrey, 07713 762928, 100 DTL REG Competition - Winter Series, 08:30-14:00

P **Brook Bank, Somerset**, 01749 871056, 100 UTR REG + ESP Practice 10:30am-3pm Pre-book only, 10:30-15:00

P **East Yorkshire Clay Shooting Ground, Yorkshire**, 01964 204190, 100 DTL REG, 100 ABT REG plus practice, 10:00-14:00

P **Eriswell Lodge, Suffolk**, 01638 534045, 100 ESP REG Squadded, Tel. Entries 01638 534045. Practice & Tuition available, shop and café open, 09:00-15:30

P **Fauxdeglia Shooting Ground, Wales**, 01978 790198, 100 DTL REG - PHONE AND PAY BOOKINGS ONLY - OPEN FOR PRACTICE, 10:00-17:00

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

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

P **Kegworth Shooting Ground, Leicestershire**, 07973 111650, 100 ESP REG £150 HIGH GUN-Adult Refs- £720+ Prizefund & £100+ Payout each class+ Sportrap POOL ~ Book Now ~, 10:00-14:30

P **Mayland & District Gun Club, Essex**, 07572 878348, 100 DTL REG ALAN LAZELL PRESIDENT TROPHY, 09:00-14:30

P **North Of England C.T.C, Yorkshire**, 01904 738120, 100 DTL REG & 50 ABT REG, 10:00-12:30

P **Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire**, 01604 642252, 100 ESK REG, 100 SKD REG, 100 AR REG, Practice ESP, ESK, DTL & ABT, 10:00-16:30

P **Nottingham & District Gun Club, Nottinghamshire**, 01623 883798, 100 DTL REG, 100 ESK REG tel entries only. Practice ESP, FSP, ESK & DTL by pre-booking. Food available all day, 10:00-14:00

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

P **Somerset Shooting Ground, Somerset**, 07860 561677, 100 ESP REG £200 high gun. Pre-booked entries only, call 07866610086 (Liana), 09:30-13:10

P **Southdown Gun Club Ltd, Sussex**, 01903 877555, 100 ESP REG, 100 STR REG day 3/3 PRE BOOK ONLY + Pool Shoot (NO practice), 09:10-14:30

P **Spennymoor & District C.P.C, Durham**, 0191 377 2412, 80 DR REG (40 pairs), 50 ESK REG Practice DTL & ESP, 09:30-11:00

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

THURSDAY 4 FEBRUARY

E.J.Churchill Group Ltd, Buckinghamshire, 01494 883227, 100 ESP REG, 50 STR REG Bar & Kitchen open, 09:00-14:00

FRIDAY 5 FEBRUARY

High Lodge Leisure Ltd, Suffolk, 01986 784347, 100 ESP REG (5 Stand format) Squadded plus PRACTICE CLAYS ESP, CSP, STR, ABT, DTL, & ESK - pre-booked only, 10:00-15:30

SATURDAY 6 FEBRUARY

Bisley Gun Club Limited, Surrey, 07713 762928, 100 DTL REG + Practice 11:00-15:00, 09:00-12:00

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

Brook Bank, Somerset, 01749 871056, 100 DTL REG + ESP/ABT/UTR/OTR Practice 10:30am-3pm Pre-book only, 10:30-15:00

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

Fareham Clay Target Club, Hampshire, 01329 315185, 100 ABT REG + 70 ESP open. Pre-bookings only, 09:15-10:00

Fauxdeglia Shooting Ground, Wales, 01978 790198, 50 OTR REG, 75 STR REG - PHONE AND PAY BOOKINGS ONLY - OPEN FOR PRACTICE, 10:00-17:00

High Lodge Leisure Ltd, Suffolk, 01986 784347, 100 ESP REG (5 Stand format) Squadded plus PRACTICE CLAYS ESP, CSP, STR, ABT, DTL, & ESK - pre-booked only, 10:00-15:30

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

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

Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire, 01604 642252, 100 ESK REG, 100 DTL REG, Practice ESP, ESK, DTL & ABT, 10:00-16:30

Owls Lodge Shooting School, Hampshire, 07734 200280, 100 ESP REG PRE BOOKING REQUIRED, 10:00-14:30

SUNDAY 7 FEBRUARY

Barrow Sporting Clays, Suffolk, 07912 497000, 100 ESP REG, 09:00-14:30

Bisley Gun Club Limited, Surrey, 07713 762928, 100 DTL REG Competition - Winter Series, 08:30-14:00

Brook Bank, Somerset, 01749 871056, 100 OTR REG + ESP Practice 10:30am-3pm Pre-book only, 10:30-15:00

Double Barreled Willoughby Hedge, Wiltshire, 07888 697401, 100 ESP REG FIBRE Only. Catering on site. Telephone entries to 07888697401, 09:30-14:00

East Yorkshire Clay Shooting Ground, Yorkshire, 01964 204190, 100 DTL REG plus practice, 10:00-13:00

Eriswell Lodge, Suffolk, 01638 534045, 100 ESK REG Squadded, Tel. Entries 01638 534045. Practice & Tuition available, shop and café open, 09:00-15:30

Fauxdeglia Shooting Ground, Wales, 01978 790198, 100 DTL REG - PHONE AND PAY BOOKINGS ONLY - OPEN FOR PRACTICE, 10:00-17:00

Garlands Shooting Ground, Staffordshire, 01827 383300, 100 ESP REG £150 HIGH GUN AND CASH IN CLASSES PRE-BOOK ONLY VIA THECLAYSHOOTINGCOMPANY.COM OR TEXT 07394227186, 09:00-14:00

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

Kegworth Shooting Ground, Leicestershire, 07973 111650, 100 ESP REG £150 HIGH GUN-Adult Refs- £720+ Prizefund & £100+ Payout each class+ Sportrap POOL ~ Book Now ~, 10:00-14:30

North Of England C.T.C, Yorkshire, 01904 738120, 100 ESP REG squadded tel entries, 10:00-12:30

Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire, 01604 642252, 100 ESP REG £100 HG Tel. entries pref. Practice ESP, ESK, DTL & ABT, 09:00-14:30

Nottingham & District Gun Club, Nottinghamshire, 01623 883798, 100 DTL REG, 100 ESK REG tel entries only. Practice ESP, FSP, ESK & DTL by pre-booking. Food available all day, 10:00-14:00

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

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

Penrith & District GC Ltd, Cumbria, 07539 269392, 100 DTL REG, 09:00-15:00

Ranton Clay Target Club, Staffordshire, 01785 223621, 50 ABT REG, 10:00-12:00

Redricks Sporting Clays, Hertfordshire, 07836 676654, 100 ESP REG, 09:00-13:30

Spennymoor & District C.P.C, Durham, 0191 377 2412, 100 AR REG John Farley Memorial Shield Club Championship, Practice DTL & ESP, 09:30-11:00

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

TUESDAY 9 FEBRUARY

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

WEDNESDAY 10 FEBRUARY

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

Westfield Shooting Ground, Gloucestershire, 07342 338390, 100 BIRD ESP REG £150 high gun and cash in classes pre-book only via theclayshootingcompany.com or text 07394227186, 09:00-14:00

THURSDAY 11 FEBRUARY

E.J.Churchill at The Swinton Estate, Yorkshire, 01765 357997, 100 ESP REG, 09:00-14:00

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

Owls Lodge Shooting School, Hampshire, 07734 200280, 100 FSP REG PRE BOOKING REQUIRED, 10:00-13:00

FRIDAY 12 FEBRUARY

Double Barreled High Croft, Somerset, 07888 697401, 100 ESP REG NO WAD RESTRICTION. Limited Squads. Telephone entries to 07888697401, 09:30-14:00

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

Somerset Shooting Ground, Somerset, 07860 561677, 100 FSP REG £150 high gun. Pre-booked entries only, call 07866610086 (Liana), 09:30-15:30

Westfield Shooting Ground, Gloucestershire, 07342 338390, 100 FSP REG pre-book only viatheclayshootingcompany.com or text 07394227186 shoot either day, 09:00-14:00

SATURDAY 13 FEBRUARY

Atkin Grant & Lang SG, Hertfordshire, 01582 849382, 75 STR REG Pre booking required, ESP Practice. Email: info@agl-uk.com, 09:00-17:00

Brook Bank, Somerset, 01749 871056, 100 DTL REG + ESP/ABT/UTR/OTR Practice 10:30am-3pm Pre-book only, 10:30-15:00

Clacton Gun Club, Essex, 07394 670871, 100 AR REG, skeet & sporting practice. Telephone booking only. 07394 670871, 09:00-14:00

Double Barreled High Croft, Somerset, 07888 697401, 100 ESP REG NO WAD RESTRICTION. Limited Squads. Telephone entries to 07888697401, 09:30-14:00

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

Fauxdeglia Shooting Ground, Wales, 01978 790198, 50 OTR REG, 50 DTL (full use of gun) - phone and pay bookings only - open for practice, 10:00-17:00



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

**P Ian Coley Shooting School,
Gloucestershire**, 01242 870391, 100
ESP REG SQUADDED. £150 High Gun. Hot
Food Available. Book online: iancoley.co.uk/
reg or call 01242 870391, 09:00-17:00

**North Cornwall Shooting Ground,
Cornwall**, 01409 211458, 100 DTL REG,
100 ABT REG Telephone/Text entries only,
07790158109, 09:30-10:30

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

**P Northampton Shooting Ground,
Northamptonshire**, 01604 642252, 100
ESK REG, 100 AR REG, Practice ESP, ESK, DTL
& ABT, 10:00-16:30

Oak Lodge Shooting Ground, Durham,
07786 868691, 125 STR REG 4th winter series
10 till 2pm Booking required, 10:00-14:00

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

**Westfield Shooting Ground,
Gloucestershire**, 07342 338390, 100 FSP REG
pre-book only via theclayshootingcompany.
com or text 07394227186 SHOOT EITHER DAY,
09:00-14:00

SUNDAY 14 FEBRUARY

Brook Bank, Somerset, 01749 871056, 100
UTR REG + ESP Practice 10:30am-3pm Pre-
book only, 10:30-15:00

**P East Yorkshire Clay Shooting Ground,
Yorkshire**, 01964 204190, 100 ABT REG
plus practice, 10:00-13:00

P Fauxdeglia Shooting Ground, Wales,
01978 790198, 100 OTR REG - PHONE
AND PAY BOOKINGS ONLY - OPEN FOR
PRACTICE, 10:00-17:00

**Gloucester Clay Shooting Club,
Gloucestershire**, 07827 812796, 100 ESK
REG, 10:30-12:30

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Mayland & District Gun Club, Essex, 07572
878348, 100 DTL REG CANTANKEROUS
TROPHY, 09:00-14:30

P North Of England C.T.C, Yorkshire,
01904 738120, 100 AR REG, 10:00-12:30

**P Northampton Shooting Ground,
Northamptonshire**, 01604 642252, 100
ESK REG, 100 SKD REG, 100 DTL REG, 100 AR
REG, Practice ESP, ESK, DTL & ABT, 10:00-16:30

**P Nottingham & District Gun Club,
Nottinghamshire**, 01623 883798, 100
DTL REG, 100 ESK REG tel entries only.
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**P Orston Shooting Ground,
Nottinghamshire**, 01949 851181, 100
ESP REG, 100 STR REG £100 HG + Cash in
Classes, 25 STR Pool + 25 DTL & ESK Pool. ESP
& Driven Practice, Shop & Cafe, 09:00-14:00

P South West Shooting School, Devon,
01271 864784, 100 ESP REG, 10:30-11:30

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

THURSDAY 18 FEBRUARY

P E.J.Churchill Group Ltd, Buckinghamshire,
01494 883227, 100 ESP REG, 50 STR REG
Bar & Kitchen open, 09:00-14:00

**P Owls Lodge Shooting School,
Hampshire**, 07734 200280, 100 STR REG
PRE BOOKING REQUIRED, 10:00-15:00

FRIDAY 19 FEBRUARY

P Southdown Gun Club Ltd, Sussex,
01903 877555, 100 Reg. FITASC day 1/3
PRE BOOK ONLY + Open Sporting Practice,
08:45-12:30

SATURDAY 20 FEBRUARY

Bisley Gun Club Limited, Surrey, 07713
762928, 100 DTL REG + Practice 11:00-
15:00, 09:00-12:00

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

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

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

P High Lodge Leisure Ltd, Suffolk,
01986 784347, 100 ESP REG (squadded)
PRACTICE CLAYS ESP, CSP, STR, ABT, DTL, &
ESK - PRE-BOOKED ONLY, 10:00-15:30

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

Mount Farm Sporting Clays, Yorkshire,
07887 751517, 100 FSP REG £100 HG &
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P North Of England C.T.C, Yorkshire,
01904 738120, 100 DTL REG practice
from 12:30, 10:00-17:00

**P Northampton Shooting Ground,
Northamptonshire**, 01604 642252,
100 ESK REG, 100 DTL REG, Practice
ESP, ESK, DTL & ABT, 10:00-16:30

**P Nuthampstead Shooting Ground,
Hertfordshire**, 01763 848172, 100 ABT
REG & practice, 09:30-10:30

P Southdown Gun Club Ltd, Sussex, 01903
877555, 100 Reg. FITASC day 2/3 pre-
book only, Open Sporting Practice, 08:45-12:30

SUNDAY 21 FEBRUARY

Barrow Sporting Clays, Suffolk, 07912
497000, 100 ESP REG, 09:00-14:30

Bisley Gun Club Limited, Surrey, 07713
762928, 100 DTL REG Competition - Winter
Series, 08:30-14:00

Brook Bank, Somerset, 01749 871056,
100 DTL REG, 100 ESK REG + ESP Practice
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**P East Yorkshire Clay Shooting Ground,
Yorkshire**, 01964 204190, 100 OTR REG
plus practice, 10:00-13:00

Fareham Clay Target Club, Hampshire,
01329 315185, 100 DTL REG + 70 ESP
Open. Pre-bookings only, 09:15-10:00

P Fauxdeglia Shooting Ground, Wales,
01978 790198, 100 DTL REG - PHONE
AND PAY BOOKINGS ONLY - OPEN FOR
PRACTICE, 10:00-17:00

Garlands Shooting Ground, Staffordshire,
01827 383300, 100 ESP REG £150 high
gun and cash in classes pre-book only
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07394227186, 09:00-14:00

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

Horne CPC (Court Farm), Surrey, 07711
332097, 100 OPEN ESP, £100 1st in
AA,A,B,C, £50 2nd in Each Class plus Ladies,
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P Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire, 01604 642252, 100 ESP REG - £100 HG, tel entries preferred, Open practice, 10:00-16:30

P Nottingham & District Gun Club, Nottinghamshire, 01623 883798, 100 DTL REG, 100 ESK REG tel entries only. Practice ESP, FSP, ESK & DTL by pre-booking. Food available all day, 10:00-14:00

P Nuthampstead Shooting Ground, Hertfordshire, 01763 848172, 100 UTR REG & practice, 09:30-10:30

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

Penrith & District GC Ltd, Cumbria, 07539 269392, 100 DTL REG, 09:00-15:00

Redricks Sporting Clays, Hertfordshire, 07836 676654, 100 ESP REG, 09:00-13:30

P Southdown Gun Club Ltd, Sussex, 01903 877555, 100 Reg. FITASC day 3/3 PRE BOOK ONLY + Open Sporting Practice, 08:45-12:30

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

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

WEDNESDAY 24 FEBRUARY

Barbury Shooting School, Wiltshire, 01793 940420, 100 ESP REG SQUADS EVERY 10 MINS 9AM - 1PM + 100 ESP Practice Food available barburyshoot.com Last entries 16:30, 09:00-17:00

Mickley Hall Shooting School, Cheshire, 07766 252438, 100 ESP REG BOOKING ONLY SQUADS AT 10AM AND 1PM. OPEN PRACTICE FOR ESP & DTL PRACTICE & TUITION IS ALSO AVAILABLE, 10:00-16:00

THURSDAY 25 FEBRUARY

E.J.Churchill at The Swinton Estate, Yorkshire, 01765 357997, 100 ESP REG, 09:00-14:00

Garlands Shooting Ground, Staffordshire, 01827 383300, 100 ESP REG £150 high gun and cash in classes pre-book only via theclayshootingcompany.com or text 07394227186, 09:00-14:00

P Nottingham Sporting Clays, Nottinghamshire, 01623 883798, NSSA - Any Gauge. Practice ESP, FSP, ESK & DTL. Food available all day. Pre-booking via nottsclayshooting.co.uk, 10:00-17:00

FRIDAY 26 FEBRUARY

P Atkin Grant & Lang SG, Hertfordshire, 01582 849382, 100 ESP REG Squadded, pre booking required. First squad 9am, last squad 2:30pm, 09:30-17:00

P Owls Lodge Shooting School, Hampshire, 07734 200280, 100 ESP REG PRE BOOKING REQUIRED, 10:00-15:00

P Southdown Gun Club Ltd, Sussex, 01903 877555, 100 Reg. Sportrap day 1/3 PRE BOOK ONLY + Open Sporting Practice, 09:10-14:30

P Sporting Targets Ltd, Bedfordshire, 01234 708893, 100 FSP REG STL Series (2) (Day 1 of 2) Tel Entries Only 01234 708893, 09:00-18:00

SATURDAY 27 FEBRUARY

Brook Bank, Somerset, 01749 871056, 100 DTL REG + ESP/ABT/UTR/OTR Practice 10:30am-3pm Pre-book only, 10:30-15:00

Clacton Gun Club, Essex, 07394 670871, 100 STR REG, practice sporting. Telephone booking only. 07394 670871, 09:00-14:00

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

P Fauxdeglia Shooting Ground, Wales, 01978 790198, 50 OTR REG, 50 DTL (FULL USE OF GUN) - PHONE AND PAY BOOKINGS ONLY - OPEN FOR PRACTICE, 10:00-17:00

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P Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire, 01604 642252, 100 ESK REG, 100 AR REG, Practice ESP, ESK, DTL & ABT, 10:00-16:30

P Southdown Gun Club Ltd, Sussex, 01903 877555, 100 Reg. Sportrap day 2/3 PRE BOOK ONLY + Open Sporting Practice, 09:10-14:30

P Sporting Targets Ltd, Bedfordshire, 01234 708893, 100 FSP REG STL Series (2) (Day 2 of 2) Tel Entries Only 01234 708893, 09:00-18:00

SUNDAY 28 FEBRUARY

Ayre Clay Target Club, Isle Of Man, 01624 621451, 100 STR REG Top Spec Fencing, 10:00-13:00

Belsay Shooting Ground, Northumberland, 01661 881040, 100 ESP REG Squadded event, fibre wads only. View website for details/entry fees, last card 2:30pm, 10:00-16:00

Brook Bank, Somerset, 01749 871056, 100 OTR REG + ESP Practice 10:30am-3pm Pre-book only, 10:30-15:00

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

P East Yorkshire Clay Shooting Ground, Yorkshire, 01964 204190, 100 UTR REG plus practice, 10:00-13:00

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

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

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

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

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

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

Mayland & District Gun Club, Essex, 07572 878348, 100 DTL REG VICTORIA CHALLENGE CUP FOR HIGH GUN, 09:00-14:30

P North Of England C.T.C, Yorkshire, 01904 738120, 100 STR REG tel entries £75 H/G, 10:00-12:30

P Northampton Shooting Ground, Northamptonshire, 01604 642252, 100 ESK REG, 100 SKD REG, 100 AR REG, Practice ESP, ESK, DTL & ABT, 10:00-16:30

P Nottingham & District Gun Club, Nottinghamshire, 01623 883798, 100 DTL REG, 100 ESK REG tel entries only. Practice ESP, FSP, ESK & DTL by pre-booking. Food available all day, 10:00-14:00

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

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

Somerset Shooting Ground, Somerset, 07860 561677, 100 ESP REG £200 high gun. Pre-booked entries only, call 07866610086 (Liana), 09:30-13:10

P Southdown Gun Club Ltd, Sussex, 01903 877555, 100 ESP REG, 100 STR REG day 3/3 PRE BOOK ONLY + Pool Shoot (NO practice), 09:10-14:30

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

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

Westfield Shooting Ground, Gloucestershire, 07342 338390, 100 BIRD ESP REG, £150 HIGH GUN AND CASH IN CLASSES PRE-BOOK ONLY VIA THECLAYSHOOTINGCOMPANY.COM OR TEXT 07394227186, 09:00-14:00





OBITUARIES

CHRIS WINDEBANK

It is with a very sad heart that we say goodbye to Chris Windebank. Chris shot for most of his lifetime, frequenting most of the Hertfordshire grounds up until summer 2020. He served as Herts CPSA Secretary as well as a committee member for countless years, and also played a big part in Walkern Shooting Club. He was a great support to the county's Colts and Juniors, with encouraging words as well as offering free embroidery for skeet vests, caps etc.

Ken Rist said "Chris was a great guy, great shot, great friend and he helped the Juniors with embroidery free of charge. He will be greatly missed by all of us." Alfie Tibbles recounted "I will treasure everything Chris has done for me, I kept him entertained with videos whilst he was in hospital. A great friend that will be missed" Chris will be sorely missed, our condolences go out to his wife Deborah, and all that had the pleasure of knowing him. **David Tibbles**



IAN CLIFTON

It is with great sadness we inform that Mr Ian Clifton of Sporting Targets passed away on 12 November, aged 87. He was a great asset to shooting in Bedfordshire and the country, sitting on the Shooting Sports Council for many years. He will be greatly missed. **Andrew Clifton**

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PETER BILLINGTON

I wish to inform you that Peter Billington died at home on Tuesday 5 October, aged 82. He was one of the great characters of the sport and will be missed by many that knew him.

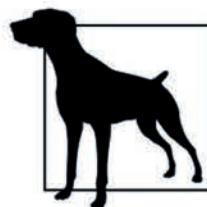
I first met Peter 50 years ago at Southend Gun Club, he got me into competitive shooting. At that time he was one of the top ISU Skeet shooters and one of only a handful that had shot 100-straight at ISU. He shot for GB and England. In his later years he preferred Sporting and FITASC, making the England Team for the inaugural Home International FITASC event at High Lodge.

The last few years he became a regular Referee at John Dyson's events. He will be greatly missed on the shooting circuit.

Dennis Webb



Above: Peter pictured on the far top left in this England Team photo.



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We reflected on the shooting year of 2020 with British Shooting Grand Festival Men's Olympic Trap winner and coach, **Rod Gould**.



Q How did you first become involved in clay shooting?

A: In 1985 I overheard two friends talking about going shooting in the local pub, and I badgered them to take me too. I had a go on the practice stand at Chiltern Gun Club and I beat them with their own guns.

One month later I had purchased a Beretta 303 Semi-Auto multichoke. I shot predominately Skeet for a couple of years before being introduced to Sporting. I then began learning Taekwondo and stopped shooting for about ten years until I ruptured a disc in my back.

I fell back into Sporting for a few years until Ian Peel and Richard Faulds won their medals at the Sydney 2000 Olympics, which inspired me to switch to Olympic Trap. I made the England Team in 2002 and have qualified, and shot, in the England Team every year since, bar 2017 due to a clash with the World Universal Trench. I have been in an OTR or UTR team for GB every year since 2007.

Q How does it feel to have shot a new British Finals record at the British Shooting Grand Festival?

A: During the final I made a tactical error and forgot to load the gun on one shot. I

had to quickly stuff a cartridge into the chamber mid-routine which resulted in a miss. I drove home both elated at shooting the record, whilst cursing myself for making that mistake. I'll settle for 47/50 – but it should have been 48!

Breaking the British Finals Record was the icing on the cake for me in 2020. I knew that British Shooting would consider me for the ISSF World Cups and they picked me for Delhi, India.

Q Do you feel coaching others adds any pressure for you to perform well?

A: Not at all. There is no pressure, only the process of shooting the next target. I am a serious martial artist so for me being able to teach and execute at the highest level is very important, and I regularly do this in the Dojo and on the shooting ranges. The Bushido way teaches that you learn, you learn to teach, you teach, and the highest honour is when your student surpasses you on a regular basis.

Q What are your plans for shooting over the Christmas period?

A: I have already started to take bookings for coaching. I will shoot the odd round in between, but have no plans to grind out round after round.

At my level and age, it is counterproductive to overshoot as my motor skill is that honed from prior years of vigorous practice. Obviously in the build up

to Delhi, I will step up the rounds, but not a huge amount. Little and often is the best approach.

Q What would your advice be for people who haven't practiced for a while due to lockdown restrictions?

A: Dry mounting practice is an essential part of my coaching philosophy. If you really want to succeed, then do it every night religiously. This will help retain your motor skills over periods of inactivity. I would advise slow motion dry mounting with visualisation. Don't use a mirror unless checking for correct body dynamics – in which case remove the mirror as soon as the change has bedded.

For very young shots under 18, try to limit rounds so as not to induce recoil damage to the musculoskeletal system. For young shots over 18 you should be shooting eight rounds a day at least two times a week if you want to get to the top of the game.

This may seem to contradict my previous answer, but remember, I have already done the eight plus rounds a day for many a year prior.

Q What would you like to achieve in 12 months time?

A: I came close to winning the European and World UT championships in 2019 with 194 and 196 respectively. It is about time I nailed both. Also, winning the ISSF World Cup in Delhi is in real focus now. On the coaching side I would like to take on a few more youngsters and set them up right for a bright

trap shooting future. Finally, I would like to see the newly conceived 'Junior Trap Challenge' competition come to life in 2021. It has been a year in the planning and there is a substantial prize pot, including some fantastic one-off bespoke medals.

Q Is there anything else you would like to add, that we haven't mentioned?

A: Yes, about achieving success. If you want to be the best, you must think differently to the rest of the pack. Remove all the negativity from your life, seek out the best coach (in all life goals not just shooting) and dedicate 100% of your time to achieving your goals. Cover all the bases, nutrition, fitness, mentality, and seek out new ideas.

Watch what other top sports people do in preparation and executions, then take the ideas that will work for you, adapt them to your shooting, and discard the rest. There are plenty of people out there who want you to fail, putting unfair barriers in your way. Go around them, over them, under them, through them. Do whatever it takes to achieve your goals and never give in or quit! Do not be afraid to experiment. Do not just train for the sake of pulling the trigger! Work on one training goal at a time until it is resolved before moving onto the next. Finally, the harder you work, the luckier you get! 

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