



## ENGLISH SMALL-BORE SHOOTING UNION

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### NEWSLETTER AUTUMN 2007

#### OPEN/ENGLISH CHAMPIONSHIPS 2008.

These Championships will be held on May 3/4/5 2008. At a Committee Meeting held on October 27 it was decided to leave the programme unchanged with the exception that there will only be a single 60 shot course for Air Pistol. It was also decided after discussion to retain Class 2 events. There will only be Pairs Competitions in Prone Rifle.

#### TEAM ENGLAND NATIONAL SQUAD.

The following squads have been selected for 2007/8:-

##### RIFLE

M Babb  
C Hector  
J Huckle  
K G Parr  
M Pill  
R Wilson

##### PISTOL

M Gault  
N Baxter

Miss L Minett  
Miss S Cox  
Miss M Flowers  
Miss S Lee  
Miss L Smallbone  
Miss H Spittles

Miss J Lydall  
Miss K Pearson  
Miss G Geikie

#### TENS SELECTION PROCEDURE.

From 2009 the Squad Year will change and will run from January to December to fall in line with the Selection Process for the CSF Championships in October 2009 and the Commonwealth Games in October 2010.

The Selection Procedure and ESSU Nominated Meetings for 2008 is on the website. **The Letter of Intent stating your wish to be considered is also on the website and should be returned to the secretary by January 31 2008.**

#### COMMONWEALTH YOUTH GAMES 2008.

Details of the Cartridge and Air Selection Procedure for the above games to be held in Pune (India) 12-18 October 2008 are also on the website. Will juniors wishing to be considered please complete the Letter of Intent and return to the secretary by December 10 2007 latest.

#### COMMONWEALTH GAMES

At the CGF General Assembly on November 9, although the European CGA's were united in their efforts to retain the existing shooting programme the Chair put the proposal to the vote and 47 countries voted to accept the Executive Board's recommendation that the Commonwealth Games Shooting programme be aligned with the Olympic programme with the addition of all existing full bore events. We understand that this will not be applied until the 2014 C.G. in Glasgow.

## **COMMUNICATING WITH THE MEMBERSHIP**

Our main way of communicating with our membership has been through the Newsletter over many years. Times are changing and the mail system is not getting any easier. At the last Committee Meeting it was decided to try and phase out wherever practical the hard copy of the Newsletter over the next 12 months. Answers to the previous questionnaire were somewhat misleading and not many folk answered. **If you wish to continue receiving hard copy please advise the secretary.**

If you wish to receive the newsletter by email **please email the secretary saying this.**

The Newsletter goes onto the website as soon as it is sent out and we know some members look at this. There will always be some things that have to be mailed, but we are trying to reduce expense and work.

As from 2008 you will be able to pay your membership subscription by Direct Debit. Please do nothing until you receive instructions with our next Newsletter.

## **HOME COUNTRIES INTERNATIONAL MATCHES – RESULTS BISLEY.**

As we all know shooting conditions during the week were very difficult and very wet and the theme continued during the international matches. However, we had excellent results in both the Home Countries and Ladies Internationals but unfortunately our Junior Team did not win.

**Team scores are as follows:-**

**Prone International Matches.**

**Open Match:**

**P G Strong 394, R H Wilson 390, T Q Brunning 390, K A Ridgway 389,**

**D A Clark 389, N A Clark 388, N J Day 385, K D Bowley 385,**

**J R W Latimer 383, R M Fowke 379.**

**Reserves: G J Webb, C Garnham, M Bagot, D R Farmer.**

**England 3872                      Wales 3822                      Scotland 3817**

**Captain: P J Turnbull                      Secretary: D A Goodfellow**

**Ladies Match:**

**Miss S Lee 391, Miss M Smith 386, Ms A E Longbottom 383,**

**Mrs Y Edwards 383, Mrs W Foith 377**

**Reserves: Miss D Russell, Miss L Smallbone**

**England 1940                      Wales 1901                      Scotland 1893**

**Captain: Ms A Parker                      Secretary: Mrs S Haskett**

**Junior Match:**

**J Huckle 382, Miss S Bond 381, B Butler 375.**

**Reserves: Miss S Whitaker, Miss N Perkins**

**Scotland 1145                      England 1138                      Wales 1128**

**Captain: H Webber**

## **INTER-SERVICES MATCH BISLEY – SEPTEMBER 9 2007.**

**Result: ESSU 9349    Combined Services 9306**

**Team Scores:-**

**M T White 585-587, D J Swain 586-588, M Bagot 588-588, R C Brown 584-591,**

**C J White 572-584, D A Clark 580-583, G S Webb 581-586, N Clark 589-582,**

**P Duxbury 586-584, C Craig 589-578.**

**Team Captain: P J Turnbull**

## **POSTAL COMPETITIONS.**

It was agreed at the above mentioned Committee Meeting that the Pistol Competitions shall be self-scoring starting next summer.

### SUMMER PRONE RIFLE RESULTS

Class 1 – 1<sup>st</sup> M Barnett, 2<sup>nd</sup> Miss L Smallbone, 3<sup>rd</sup> D Farmer.

Class 2 – 1<sup>st</sup> Mrs S Haskett, 2<sup>nd</sup> D Swain, 3<sup>rd</sup> G Grimm

### AIR PISTOL RESULTS

Div. 1 – 1<sup>st</sup> A Graver, 2<sup>nd</sup> S Cooke

Div. 2 – 1<sup>st</sup> Dr P Holdstock, 2<sup>nd</sup> D Peters

Div. 3 – 1<sup>st</sup> T Smith, 2<sup>nd</sup> E Graver

## **INTERSHOOT – FEBRUARY 7/8/9 2008**

The following will be competing for England in the above Championship:-

### **MEN'S AIR RIFLE**

#### A TEAM

C HECTOR

I J POTTS

C TUCKER

#### B TEAM

I HOOKHAM

A FRENCH

M BUTTERY

### INDIVIDUAL – A HALL

#### **MEN'S AIR PISTOL**

##### A TEAM

M GAULT

P FRIEND

N BAXTER

##### B TEAM

B CLARKE

I UBHI

A FERRARA

##### INDIVIDUAL

A GRAVER

A ROBINSON

R STUBBS

MAJ. C GILES

A McGEE

#### **WOMEN'S AIR RIFLE**

##### INDIVIDUAL

L MINETT

F POTTS

#### **WOMEN'S AIR PISTOL**

### **JUNIOR**

#### INDIVIDUAL

A COVEY

### **JUNIOR**

#### A TEAM

K CALLAGHAN

M HOFF

P LILLIS

#### INDIVIDUAL

E GRAVER

### **JUNIOR**

#### INDIVIDUAL

L HOFF

R PIDGLEY

### **JUNIOR**

#### INDIVIDUAL

T LILLIS

Team Officials: Rifle Coach – K A J Parr

Pistol Coach – A T Redhead