



May 30 2007

NEWSLETTER SPRING 2007

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING 2007

Your officers were elected unchanged as follows:-

President: This office is vacant.
Vice-President: D P Giuseppi Esq
Chairman: Major P F C Underhill
Vice-Chairman: A T Redhead Esq
Hon. Secretary: F H Balcombe Esq
Hon. Treasurer: Mrs N Hunter MBE
Hon. Asst. Secretary: Mrs A S Balcombe

The following Committee Members were elected following the postal ballot to serve on the committee for the next 12 months:-

S J Dafforn	55 votes	J Mallows	45 votes
I French	45 votes	R Taylor	48 votes
D A Goodfellow	54 votes	M T White	57 votes

After sending out some 300 ballot papers to all paid up members on March 31 it was extremely disappointing to have only 65 ballot papers returned.

As the Annual General Meeting was very poorly attended a copy of the Chairman's Report is available on this website.

HOME COUNTRIES INTERNATIONALS AIRGUN – BISLEY – FEBRUARY 23-25 2007

Air Rifle Senior Open – C Hector 588, J Huckle 581, Miss M Flowers 577.
England 1746, Scotland 171, Wales 1712.

Air Rifle Women – Miss L Minett 393, Miss M Flowers 384, Miss S Cox 374.
Wales 1154, England 1151, Scotland 1140.
Rifle Captain: Mr K A J Parr.

Air Pistol Senior Open – M Gault 570, N Baxter 561, I Candlish 577.
England 1688, Wales 1652.

Air Pistol Women – Miss K Pearson 371, Miss G Geike 368, Miss J Lydall 366.
England 1105, Wales 1063.
Pistol Captain: Mr P A Taylor.

Unfortunately due to there being no Junior Team entries from Scotland or Wales in any event, we could not enter a Junior event as it is our policy that we do not win by default.

OPEN/CONFINED ENGLISH CHAMPIONSHIPS 2007.

The entry for the Championships was only slightly less than last year due we believe to some of our top shooters being abroad on international duties and the fact that this year was not a qualifying year for Commonwealth Games.

The changed format for these Championships meant that each event could be completed on the same day, thereby saving shooters the added cost of an overnight stay. Because of an increased entry we were able to include a Rapid Fire Pistol event.

Overall the event ran very smoothly and our grateful thanks go to all our helpers without whom we would not have a Championship.

TROPHY WINNERS – 2007
THE OPEN MEETING TROPHY

Men's Prone Rifle Open Meeting Championship Trophy R Wilson 694.6

CONFINED ENGLISH TROPHY WINNERS

Men's Prone Rifle	The Eley Trophy	R Wilson 694.6
Men's 3-Positions	The Cafferata Plate	C Hector 1255.0
Women's Prone Rifle	The Iris Trophy	L.Smallbone 690.4
Women's 3-Positions	The Women's 3-Positions Goblet	E Sigournay 669.7
Men's Air Rifle	The Walther Trophy	C Hector 687.1
Men's Junior Air Rifle	The Ted Daw Air Rifle Trophy	K G Parr 686.7
Women's Air Rifle	The Air Rifle Goblet	S Cox 492.6
Women's Junior Air Rifle	The Ted Daw Air Rifle Trophy	S Cox 492.6
Men's Air Pistol	The Calvert Plate	M Gault 671.1
Men's Junior Air Pistol	The Trudy Henry Air Pistol Trophy	P Lillis 542
Women's Air Pistol	The Women's Air Pistol Goblet	J Lydall 462.8
Women's Junior Air Pistol	The Trudy Henry Air Pistol Trophy	S Buckley 462.2
Rapid Fire Air Pistol	The Rapid Fire Air Pistol Trophy	P Taylor 566
Standard Air Pistol	The Hunter Trophy	M Gault 572
Free Pistol	The Cafferata Memorial Plate	M Gault 654.6
Sport Pistol	The Newton Brazier Goblet	K Pearson 574
Standard Handgun		K Pearson 574

A full listing of results is published on this website.

ESSU vs ARMY vs POLICE SPORT UK – May 20 2007

This match resulted in a very good win for the ESSU with total scores as follows:-

Match 1 – N Clark 589, M T White 585, R C Brown 585, R M Fowke 585, M Buttery 584, S D Harris 579, A Howard 578, A French 576. Reserves: C J White 576, A J Coulson 570.

ESSU 4661 ARMY 4616 POLICE SPORT UK 4606

Match 2 – R M Fowke 593, S D Harris 588, R C Brown 587, N A Clark 586, A French 580, M T White 576, A Howard 574, M Buttery 571. Reserves: C J White 574, A J Coulson 570.

ESSU 4655 POLICE SPORT UK 4617 ARMY 4573

TOTALS: ESSU 9316 POLICE SPORT UK 9223 ARMY 9189

Team Captain: Mr Mike Bailey.

WINTER POSTAL COMPETITIONS – RESULTS – 2006/7.

Prone Rifle – Class 1 – C Abbs – Class 2 – M Buttery

10M Air Pistol – Division 1 – S Cooke, Division 2 – A McGee, Division 3 – R Thornby.

We wish to record many thanks to Ron Jewell who has retired from scoring our competitions over the last 15/16 years.

SCOTLAND – LAUDER 2007

Home Countries Internationals – Officials:-

Open Match – Captain – R J Wingrove, Secretary – B C Norman

Ladies Match – Captain – Miss A Longbottom, Secretary – Miss S Marshall

TENT. There will be an ESSU tent in Scotland for the use of members. Please make use of it but do not leave rifles and ammunition unattended.

LOST & FOUND. At the Championships one of our members lost a set of shooting glasses in a black 'Champion' box. Another member at a different end of the range somehow picked up an empty 'Champion' glasses box. The two incidents appear to be unrelated but will anyone finding a second set of shooting glasses please contact the secretary.

2007 CSF (ED) CHAMPIONSHIPS – JERSEY – 27-30 SEPTEMBER 2007

We have today received notification of the programme for the above. This event will be completely self-help with no funding available. If anyone is interested in taking part will they please declare this on the enclosed form and return to the secretary by June 30.