

SCOTTISH SMALL-BORE RIFLE ASSOCIATION

\*\*News items overleaf\*\*

27th November, 1984.

Winter Postal Competitions - Conditions (read before shooting)

I enclose the first round cards or stickers for the four competitions. Please note - the last date for shooting all is Monday, 14th January, 1985, and cards must be returned to me not later than first post on Saturday, 19th January, 1985.

Association Silver Medal (with Class salvers) - note also Junior class.

This is a three-card set to be shot in the period of one hour as per N.S.R.A. rule 47. The best 10 and equal tenth in each class will qualify for the Final.

CanDicap (engraved Salver)

This is also a three-card set to be shot in a one hour period. It is an Own-Handicap competition for C and D class shooters. Chosen handicap of not less than 5 per card is to be shown on the cards. Several have not yet declared a handicap. Top ten and equal tenth qualify for Final.

If the gross score exceeds 100, the points in excess are deducted from 100, e.g. gunscore 96 + handicap 6 = 102 gross (98 nett). Any penalty points (e.g. for two shots on one diagram) are deducted from the nett score.

Speedway (Bill Dick Trophy & cash prizes)

The five cards to qualify for the shoulder-to-shoulder Final are not a set and may be shot over different sessions. Top sixteen exactly will qualify with a list of reserves determined by order to ensure that the Final has a full complement of 16 shooters when it takes place on a central range late in March.

Three-Position: 6 stickers are enclosed for first stage, 20 shots in each position, shot in one session. The numbers represent Membership No./Position/Card No. and the stickers are to be affixed before the witness and before shooting. Top 25 qualify for stage 2.

Eligibility: the competitions are open to all Scots. Those who choose to become Individual Members for the annual subscription of £1.00 (to be ratified by A.G.M.) pay lower competition fees, receive personal copies of Newsletters and may vote at General Meetings. Others enter as "Club" members.

Bob Normand.

Late Entry Form - for a friend!

(accepted up to last date for shooting - 14th January, 1985)

Name ..... Club .....

Address .....

Junior (date of birth).....(if under 18 on 1 Jan., 85)

Length of Club Range .....	(tick)	<u>Individual</u> Members	FEES	<u>Club</u> Members
1. Individual Membership	<input type="checkbox"/>	£1.00		-
2. Medals & Salvers (Class .....	<input type="checkbox"/>	0.70		( £1.00
(Verified .....		)	Choose your form	(
3. Speedway	<input type="checkbox"/>	0.70	) of membership	( 1.00
4. CanDicap (C or D Class only)	<input type="checkbox"/>	0.50	) on entering	( 0.80
(declared Handicap ..... per card)		)		(
5. 3-Position	<input type="checkbox"/>	1.00		( 1.30
Late entry fee (per person entering)		0.20		0.20
		_____		_____
		£		£

Association Stickers 30p each (send s.a.e. with orders for less than 10).

Return to R. Normand,

NEWS POINTS

1. Supplementary entry to the Team Squad, 1985, will be by scoring 595 in any of the 1985 Grand Prix events. Anglos may nominate three English Match Meetings where a score of 595 or better will be considered by the Chief Coach, who retains the traditional managerial discretion re "exceptional current performance".
2. In preparation for the Commonwealth Games, 1986, a U.I.T. Officials, Category B, Course is to be held in Scotland (probably Edinburgh) in February/March, 1985, just as soon as the new edition of the U.I.T. rule book is published after 1st January, 1985. The number of such officials required for running the three smallbore events in the Games is not yet known but the course can cater for at least 30. The object is to have a core of helpers duly certified to understand all the U.I.T. rifle rules. Mr. D.R.V. Parish will run the course. He is a Category A Official.  
  
Enthusiasts should note that acceptance of the "A or B tickets" would disqualify them in future from representing their country in a U.I.T.-run major championship. If space on the course permits, international aspirants may take the course but not apply for the ticket. Enquiries to R. Normand.
3. There is good interest from Counties in the County Coaches course (February/March), but not all have yet replied. Interested candidates should contact their County Secretary in the first instance. The S.S.R.A. has space for nominating potential members of the National coaching team, for which application should be made to Dr. H. Milne, [redacted], or to R. Normand.
4. The 1985 Open Air Weapons Championship meeting will take place again at Inverclyde National Sports Training Centre, Largs, on 20th/21st April, 1985. The attractive residential package of full board from Friday evening to Sunday evening remains at £27.50/head and a full air weapons programme, including field target, will be run. Apply to R. Normand for details.
5. In the 1984 New Zealand Match, the North Island team equalled the previous match record of 5924 (v 5899 for Scotland) to end the Scottish straight-six run of victories. Mrs. N. Barlow also had the distinction of posting only the second clean 400 in the eleven match series, which has been pulled back to 6-5 Scotland.

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