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SPORTING, AUGUST 2013

Three squads of shooters attended the August Sporting. Apart from a few trap problems at the start, the shoot progressed well and scores improved as the day wore on - visibly improving with the bright sunny conditions. HG went to Rob Butterworth with a score of 83/100. Other scores were :

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| AA | Norm Simms 76 |
| B | Steve Beere 67 |
| C | Brent Jackson 59 |

Our thanks go to the "setter-uppers" and those who helped pickup and put away at the end of the day. Also to Mrs Jennifer Betar who staffed the Canteen and served delicious food throughout the day. (Love that soup).



OCTOBER F&G - SPONSORED BY CANBERRA BODY WORKS

The forecast was for the usual Canberra early Spring weather - windy and unsettled. True to the prediction, the shoot was conducted in strong gusty winds causing very erratic targets which tended to keep scores down. Ten full squads attended with travellers from Majura Park, Bermi, Goulburn, Cooma and Temora.

This months shoot also incorporated a SBS section. Next month a Sub Gauge section is included.

Our congratulations go to Matt Webster who shot a fine 83/100 despite the difficult conditions. Other winners were :

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| AA | Greg Allen | 82 |
| 2nd | Mohammed Wazir | 80 |
| A | Daren Jones (Sponsor) | 80 |
| 2nd | Chris Rabbe | 76 |
| 3rd | Darren Coleman | 76 |
| B | Aaron Mc Creadie | 69 |
| C | Walid Wazir | 62 |
| 2nd | Tony Crome | 60 |
| Vets | Garry Betar | 51/75 |
| Ladies | Jenny Kessey | 41 |
| Junior | Jake Hedger | 71 |
| 2nd | Marcus Vaccaro | 53 |
| SBS | Mark Corbett | 79 |
| 2nd | Andrew Paddison | 70 |
| 3rd | John Sankey | 68 |

The club would like to particularly express our appreciation to **Daren Jones, Canberra Bodyworks** who sponsored the shoot. Also Mrs Lorraine Davison and Jennifer Betar who staffed the Canteen plus John Kearns who runs the office and keeps us out of trouble.

Pictured below are Darren, our sponsor and the bloke to contact next time you reverse into a brick wall, and Walid who is about to move up a grade or two.



BELCONNEN HIGH SCHOOL EXEC STAFF CORP DAY

Wednesday the 6th Oct the Club held a Corp Day for Dave McCarthy plus nine of the Executive Staff from Belconnen High School. Despite strong gusting wind, the group quickly settled into the routine and some very good scores were shot. A doubles shoot off was required for both Ladies and Men's High Gun. Winners were Anne 8/15 and Stefan 11/15.

Following the shoot, the group were continuing on for an executive conference at Bungendore. Our thanks go to Rob and Garry who gave up there time to conduct the event.

In the pic below the Principal is the one trying to be inconspicuous in the middle of the back row:



FOX DRIVE AT KYBEYAN

Whilst hardly a fox, rabbit or hare was sighted in range and, as such, hardly a shot was fired all day - still, the weather was perfect, the hunting safe, the company companionable, the walks not too arduous, and such an interesting assortment of outdoors clobber. The absence of foxes can surely only be due to the success of our previous efforts on this property.

Plus the non-target species seemed to enjoy the day out as well ... there's something jaunty about wombats in the wild - such funny bush fellows; and to have wallabies pass within metres of our cover even though we sported an assortment of amazing masks (see below) and bright orange shirts and hats was kinda special too.



CAPITAL CITY 100 Target AMERICAN SKEET C'SHIP

18 August

The August skeet was shot on a cool, sunny but windy day.

The winners were:

AA: 1st M Corbett 91/100

O/L and 1st in B:

R Venables 93/100

2nd B: J Pethybridge 87/100

C: 1st: T Post 83/100

2nd: N Jones 78/100

SEPTEMBER NEW SHOOTER SUNDAY

New Shooter Sunday for September was shot on the first day of Spring - and what a beautiful day : 24 degrees with light and variable winds and a clear sky.

Seven people attended in the morning and shot the normal routine resulting in a three way shoot off (all on ten out of 12) for HG.

The afternoon saw three new people shoot the program - Sean high gunning with 10/12.



AUGUST DTL

The August shoot was held in great conditions 17 shooters attended the August DTL shoot with some very good shooting in evidence early on. The cash divide, which was the first event, saw 7 clean rounds shot. There were 5 in AA which made for a skinny return and one in every grade except B.

The Championship on offer was the Champion of Champions from 18 metres and there was some good shooting in this one with Phillip Body up from Bega and Willo Cameron from Majura Park tied on 119/125. The resulting shoot off saw Willo shoot a clean set of brackets to take the championship by one point. The same two shooters went back to the tracks to shoot off for the Overall High Gun with Willo again taking it but this time the margin was 3 points. A notable performance was A grader Phillip Tse who was only one point down on Phil and Willo for the day.

25tgt Double Barrel Cash Divide

AA 1st D. Crane, P. Body, P. Watchorn, C. Nyveld, W. Cameron, R. Welch 25/25

A 1st Phillip Tse 25/25,
2nd Warren Clark, George Kazolis 24/25

B 1st James Jonklaas 23/25
2nd Wayne Smith, John Nyveld

C 1st Des Perry 25/25
2nd Garry Betar 18/25

75tgt Champion of Champions (Off 18m)

OA Willo Cameron 144/150
AA 1st Phillip Body 143/150,
2nd Dave Crane 117/125

A 1st Phillip Tse 142/150,
2nd Frank Luccarda 140/150

B 1st James Jonklaas 91/125,
2nd Wayne Smith 70/125

C 1st Des Perry 76/125,
2nd Garry Betar 71/125

Overall High Gun

Willo Cameron 169/175 (shootoff 19/20)

SEPTEMBER DTL

The September shoot was held in almost still conditions with only a bit of low light in the second event to make a mess of some scores. A total of 20 shooters attended including Murray Sutherland from Victoria, up here for some grand father duties.

The opening cash divide saw 3 clean rounds shot, including one from Terry Senior after a long break from competition.

The second event was the 25tgt Double barrel Championship. Willo Cameron shot them all and left four other AA graders on 49 to shoot off for 1st in grade. Dave Crane went 21 from 21 to take it from Tony Barton. The final event was 25tgt point score graded cash divide with Ian McKenzie shooting the lot in excellent conditions.

The Overall High Gun was Willo with an excellent 148/150 and no targets missed for the day. Only two second shot kills in the point score prevented a perfect day for him. Pic next page.

25tgt Double Barrel Cash Divide(graded)

AA 1st Terry Senior, Dave Crane, Willo Cameron 25/25

A 1st Geoff Mills 23/25, 2nd Trevor Coutts, Warren Clark, Frank Luccarda 22/25

B 1st James Jonklaas 24/25 2nd George Kasprzak 3rd Gary King 22/25

C 1st Gary Way 20/25 2nd Garry Betar 16/25

50tgt Double Barrel Championship

OA Willo Cameron 50/50

AA 1st Dave Crane 70/71

A 1st Trevor Coutts 47/50

B 1st George Kasprzak 44/50

C 1st Gary Way 47/50

25tgt Point Score Cash Divide(graded)

AA 1st Ian McKenzie 75/75, 2nd Wendy Barton 74/75, 3rd Willo Cameron 73/25

A 1st Geoff Mills 73/75, 2nd Warren Clark 72/75, 3rd Trevor Coutts 71/75

B 1st James Jonklaas 63/75 2nd Wayne Smith 53/75, 3rd Gary King 44/75

C 1st Gary Way 59/75

Overall High Gun Willo Cameron 148/150

James Jonklaas, the DTL coordinator on the left and Willo Cameron, on the right, who has been on a roll recently. Congratulations!



SEPTEMBER SPORTING

Sixteen shooter attended the September Sporting Clays which was shot in typical Canberra weather - unsettled. The rain held off for most of the day but a few showers came down from the hills later in the afternoon. Only three people shot comp and results were :

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| HG | Norm Simms | 87/100 |
| B Grade | George Fane | 64/100 |



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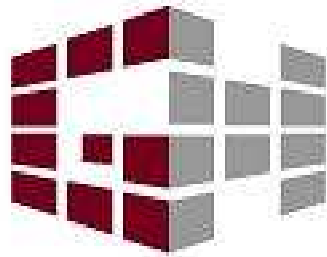
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