

# SCOTTISH TARGET SHOOTING



## SCOTTISH OPEN CHAMPIONSHIPS 16<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> JUNE 2023 at JUBILEE RANGE, BLAIR ATHOLL



**Jubilee Range, Home of West Atholl Rifle Club**

**Closing Date for Entries: 8<sup>th</sup> June 2023**

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## PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

### FRIDAY from 0915 hrs



#### ASSOCIATION GOLD AND SILVER MEDALS:

2 sighters and 15 to count at 400 and 600 yards



#### STOCK EXCHANGE:

2 sighters and 15 to count at 400 yards

### SATURDAY from 0915 hrs



#### BANNOCKBURN:

2 sighters and 15 to count at 500 yards



#### PRESIDENTS:

2 sighters and 15 to count at 600 yards



#### INTERNATIONAL MATCH - the Lawrence Trophy:

1 sighter and 15 to count at 500 and 600 yards

### SUNDAY from 0915 hrs



#### ROYAL FACULTY OF PROCURATORS IN GLASGOW:

2 sighters and 15 to count at 900 yards

Scores count towards the CALEDONIAN SHIELD final stage and the 2<sup>ND</sup> stage of the SCOTTISH CHAMPIONSHIP

#### CITY OF GLASGOW:



2 sighters and 15 to count at 1000 yards

Scores count towards the SCOTTISH CHAMPIONSHIPS FINAL STAGE



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## COMPETITIONS

### 1. ASSOCIATION GOLD and SILVER MEDALS

2 sighters and 15 to count at 400 and 600 yards.

The Gold Medal is open only to previous winners of the Scottish Championship, Grand Aggregate, Caledonian Shield or an Association Silver Medal won in TR or SR(b) competition. All others shoot for the Silver Medal.

### 2. THE SCOTTISH CHAMPIONSHIP

*1<sup>st</sup> Stage:* Concurrent with competitions 3, 4 and 5

*2<sup>nd</sup> Stage:* Sunday

Open to 36 competitors taking the highest places in the 1<sup>st</sup> Stage.

2 sighters and 15 to count at 900 yards.

The score in this shoot will also count as the competitor's score in the Royal Faculty of Procurators Competition.

*Final Stage:* Sunday

Open to 20 competitors taking the highest places in the 2<sup>nd</sup> stage.

2 sighters and 15 to count at 1000 yards.

The places of all competitors in the Final Stage will be decided by the aggregate of their scores in the 2<sup>nd</sup> and Final Stages.

The score in this shoot will also count as the competitor's score in the City of Glasgow Competition.

### 3. STOCK EXCHANGE

2 sighters and 15 to count at 400 yards.

### 4. BANNOCKBURN

2 sighters and 15 to count at 500 yards.

### 5. PRESIDENTS

2 sighters and 15 to count at 600 yards.

### 6. ROYAL FACULTY OF PROCURATORS IN GLASGOW

2 sighters and 15 to count at 900 yards.

### 7. CITY OF GLASGOW

2 sighters and 15 to count at 1000 yards.

## **COMPETITIONS (continued)**

**8. FRIDAY AGGREGATE**

The aggregate of competitions 1 and 3.

**9. SATURDAY AND SUNDAY AGGREGATE**

The aggregate of competitions 4, 5, 6 and 7.

**10. THE GRAND AGGREGATE**

The aggregate of competitions 1, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7.

**11. CALEDONIAN SHIELD** (confined to individual members of STS at Dual, Enhanced or Complete level, who are entitled to represent Scotland in the National Match)

*1<sup>st</sup> Stage:* Concurrent with competitions 3, 4 and 5.

*Final Stage:* Sunday: open to 15 competitors taking the highest places in the 1<sup>st</sup> Stage

2 sighters and 15 to count at 900 yards.

The score in this shoot will also count as the competitor's score for the Faculty of Procurators competition.

The places of all competitors in the Final Stage will be decided by the aggregate of their scores in the 1<sup>st</sup> and Final Stages.

**12. NRA SILVER MEDAL**

The aggregate of Competitions 4 and 5 and the 600 yards shoot of Competition 1.

**13. SPECIAL 'XX' MEDAL**

The aggregate of Competitions 1, 5 and 6.

**14. VETERANS**

Confined to competitors of 60 years of age and over. Concurrent with the Scottish Championship 1<sup>st</sup> Stage.

**15. AUSTRALIA MEDAL**

Awarded to the highest placed Home Scot in the Grand Aggregate.

**16. BOB AITKEN MEMORIAL TROPHY**

Awarded to the highest placed Scot in the Scottish Championship.

**17. COMBINED GRAND AGG TROPHY**

combined scores of the Grand Aggs in the Scottish Long Range Championships and Scottish Open Championships.



## TEAM EVENTS

### 18. RIFLE CLUB CHAMPIONSHIP:

THE DARNLEY CHALLENGE PLATE  
and four Bronze Medals.

Entry Fee: £5 per team.

Open to any number of teams of four from Rifle Clubs.

Entries with the names of teams to be submitted to the organisers on the Range before 1400 hrs on Friday.

Concurrent with 1<sup>st</sup> Stage of Scottish Championship.

### 19. SCHOOL AND UNIVERSITY CHALLENGE

A SILVER CHALLENGE CUP  
and four Bronze Medals.

Entry Fee: £5 per team.

Open to any number of teams of four individual students of any School or University.

Entries, with names of teams, to be submitted to the organizers on the Range before 1400 hrs on Friday.

Concurrent with 1<sup>st</sup> Stage of the Scottish Championship.

### 20. INTERNATIONAL MATCH

LAWRENCE SILVER CHALLENGE TROPHY  
and 18 Bronze Medals

Shoulder to shoulder match

Saturday 1430 hrs

Teams of 12

Entry Fee: £210 per team

1 sighter and 15 to count at 500 and 600 yards.

David Hossack Trophy for top individual score in the Lawrence Trophy Match







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## PRIZES

### THE SCOTTISH CHAMPIONSHIP


-  1st Silver Challenge Cup, Gold Lion Badge and £40
-  2nd Lion Badge and £25
-  3rd Lion Badge and £15
-  4th-10th Lion Badge

### THE GRAND AGGREGATE

-  1st Silver Challenge Cup, Silver Thistle Badge and £40
-  2nd Thistle Badge and £25
-  3rd Thistle Badge and £15
-  4<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> Thistle Badge

In addition, there will be an SRA Badge for the highest placed School pupil, and a Silver Challenge Cup for the highest placed competitor under the age of 25 years.

### CALEDONIAN SHIELD

-  1st Gold Badge and £30
-  2nd Silver Badge and £20
-  3rd Bronze Badge and £15



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## PRIZES

### COMPETITION numbers 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9



1st Silver Challenge Cup and £15



2nd £10

### ASSOCIATION GOLD/SILVER MEDAL



1st £15



2nd £10

The Gold and Silver Medals will be awarded under the conditions stated in the programme.

### CLASS TR/F

TR/F prizes will be awarded in the various competitions depending on the number of entries.



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## CONDITIONS OF ENTRY AND NOTICES

1. UK NRA Regulations will govern the Meeting except where otherwise stated. Either .308in/7.62mm or .223in/5.56mm Target Rifles which comply with appropriate NRA regulations may be used. TR/F rifles may be used in a separate class. The organisers reserve the right to vary any matters connected with the Meeting.
2. Any type of ammunition including handloads is permitted. Bullet weights (including TR/F Class) must be within the following limits: .308in/7.62mm –not exceeding 156 grains; .223in/5.56mm – no weight limit. The external dimensions of the case, as loaded and after firing, must not exceed the maximum dimensions shown on the current UK Government 7.62 x 51mm NATO or SAAMI .308 Win chamber drawings. .308in/7.62mm 155gr ammunition will be available and can be ordered on the Entry Form. Surplus ammunition and empty cases supplied by the organisers **MUST** be returned on the Range.
3. Two sighting shots per distance in each Competition will be convertible. Any additional sighting shots following a stoppage on the range will also be convertible.
4. V Bulls will be used throughout the competitions. The order of merit in all competitions will be decided by the score and number of V Bulls. Ties for first place will be shot off in the Grand Aggregate, the Scottish Championship and the Caledonian Shield; other competitions placings will be decided by tie shoots if time permits or by counting out. Cash prizes will be shared if they cannot be counted out. Trophies may be won by any competitor (including honour only), to be held by the winner for up to one year and returned at or before next year's Championship.
5. Entry forms together with entry fees should be submitted online at [www.scottishtargetshooting.co.uk](http://www.scottishtargetshooting.co.uk) or should reach the Meeting Secretary by 8<sup>th</sup> June 2023. There will be a cutoff in accepting entries if numbers exceed range capacity and entrants will be advised accordingly. Late entries will only be accepted if range capacity permits and on payment of a 10% surcharge. Entries will be confirmed by e-mail.
6. Individual membership of Scottish Target Shooting or Meeting Membership is a prerequisite for all competitors. For non-members of STS, Meeting Membership is £2.50 each day for adults and £1.00 each day for school and university students. ***(Scottish shooters should note that 'Essential' membership of STS costs only £5 for students/juniors and £10 for adults, providing discounted entry to STS courses and events and will help support your sport.)***
7. Competitors will be squadded in pairs to a target.



## **SOCIAL EVENT**



# **FULLBORE RIFLE DINNER**

**For all competitors, their partners and friends  
on the evening of Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> June 2023, in the  
Atholl Arms Hotel in Blair Atholl at 7.30pm**

**Charged at cost - £39.50p per person for dinner and  
wine**

**If you wish to attend, please add £39-50p per person to  
your entry fee**

**SCOTTISH OPEN MEETING 2023: ENTRY FORM**

<b>Competing for medals, badges and prize money</b>	<b>ENTRY FEE (EXCLUDES AMMUNITION)</b>
Friday Competitions	£57.00
Saturday Competitions	£57.00
Sunday Competitions	£57.00
<b>BLOCK ENTRY FEE</b>	<b>£162.00</b>

<b>Competing for "honour" only</b>	
Friday Competitions	£50.00
Saturday Competitions	£50.00
Sunday Competitions	£50.00
<b>BLOCK ENTRY FEE</b>	<b>£140.00</b>

**Special rate for School & University students:**

**£27/day or £80 BLOCK ENTRY FEE**

**Add 10% Late Entry Fee for Entries Received After Closing Date**

**Donation to Prize Fund**

**AMM0: 308 Fri £67, Sat £44, Sun £44      3 days £155**

**TOTAL ENTRY FEES (Including Ammunition)**

**Meeting Membership if not STS indiv. member      £2.50 per day**

**Special rate for School and University students      £1.00 per day**

Dinner Saturday Evening: at cost @ **£39.50p each**      Dinner Total  
Number of persons: .....

**Discount for STS members - £3 per day or £10      STS Discount**  
**for BLOCK ENTRIES**

**Entries due by 8<sup>th</sup> June      GRAND TOTAL**

Any special request for squadding, eg if sharing vehicle or rifle with another competitor:

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Postcode:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Individual Member of Scottish Target Shooting** YES / NO

**I am a member of** \_\_\_\_\_ **(Scottish/Home Office Approved Club)**

**SIGNED:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

<p><b>Please delete where NOT applicable:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• I shoot from the <b>left / right</b> shoulder</li><li>• I am eligible for the <b>Gold/Silver</b> Association Medal (see competition 1)</li><li>• I am <b>TR Class X/ Class A/ Class O / Class T</b> or <b>TR/F Class</b></li><li>• I am eligible for the Veterans Competition</li></ul>	<p>Enter online at <a href="http://www.scottishtargetshooting.co.uk">www.scottishtargetshooting.co.uk</a> or return form with <b>cheque payable to Scottish Target Shooting</b> to: <b>TIM KIDNER,</b> 11 WESTHOLME AVENUE, ABERDEEN AB15 6AA Email: <a href="mailto:TLK762@aol.com">TLK762@aol.com</a> Phone: 01224 321468</p>
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## ***ROAD FROM BLAIR ATHOLL TO JUBILEE RIFLE RANGE***

After turning off the village road opposite the Bridge of Tilt Hotel, you are on a narrow, winding public road with passing places. Drive slowly and cautiously for your own protection.

After you turn left at Old Bridge of Tilt, take the hairpin bend VERY slowly: there have been several head-on near misses. You are on a narrow road used only by estate staff and residents. Please keep to 20mph on this road until you reach a "crossroads", where you turn right up the hill past the Home Farm. **IT IS ESSENTIAL TO KEEP TO FIFTEEN (15) MPH BETWEEN THE "CROSSROADS" AND THE RANGE.** Fifteen mph may seem painfully slow when driving, but the time lost is less than two minutes. It is particularly important to observe the limit when passing the Home Farm cottages, and Blairuachdar Steading (the large farm steading on the left at the top of the hill above the Home Farm).

Be especially careful when coming down the hill after leaving the range. There have been complaints about irresponsible driving by range users, which threaten the good relations we must maintain.

## ***ROAD CONDITIONS***

The road from Blair Atholl to Jubilee Range is maintained only as far as Blairuachdar (the last farm steading on the left, before you enter the forestry). Beyond Blairuachdar, the road is severely rutted and pot-holed. Two cars have suffered severe sump damage in the past few years.

This stretch of road is easily passable in a 4x4 and is passable with care and sensible driving in most saloon cars. Drivers of low saloon cars, heavily-laden saloon cars and sports cars should take extreme care on this stretch, and should consider leaving their vehicles in Blair Atholl (NB there is no parking at Blairuachdar) and arranging a lift with a 4x4 owner.

Neither Scottish Target Shooting, West Atholl Rifle Club nor Atholl Estates shall be responsible for any damage to vehicles caused by the road conditions.

