

5th February, 1985.

NEWSLETTERWinter Competitions

The full qualifying results list accompanies this letter, together with the Finals targets for the Qualifiers. The last date for shooting is 28th February, 1985, and all shot cards must be back in my hands for scoring not later than Wednesday, 6th March, 1985.

Both the Medal (3 cards) and the CanDicap (2 cards only) are to be shot as a set under N.S.R.A. rules and ties will be resolved by a tie-shoot. The four Class winners (plus the Junior winner) in the Medal will each receive an engraved Salver and the Association Silver Medal goes to the overall best score.

Stickers for the 3-Position second stage are enclosed. This round is also to be shot by 28th February, 1985. Top ten scorers in the second stage qualify for the Final.

Summer Competitions

Overleaf is the 1985 Calendar of Events. Your attention is drawn especially to:

(a) The five Grand Prix events comprising the Scottish 50 Metres Championship. In addition to being individually exciting events, championship points are accumulated over the five to produce the 1985 Order of Merit, for the top four places of which handsome prizes are awarded.

(b) The Freuchie (Wilkinson Sword) Individual Knock-Out Competition again to be run during the Scottish Meeting, 22nd - 28th June, at St. Andrews. As before, the draw is made in groups of 3 with the winner over 20 shots at 100 yards going through to the next round. Entries are taken on the range but early entry is advised as there is a limit of 81 entries. Draw is made on Sunday, 23rd June, 6 p.m., first round the Monday 1 p.m., second round the Tuesday 1 p.m., semi-final Thursday, 1 p.m. and Final on the Thursday at 5.30 p.m. The unexpected often happens!! There are prizes for all three finalists. Return the entry form below NOW to book your place.

There is a separate prize for the best C and D performance. It will be decided by a parallel final of the top three from these classes in the round in which their number falls to three or less, viz. if six reach round 2 and two reach the Semi, the three in the C & D final will be the two winners plus the top gunscore of the four losers.

(c) The S.S.R.A. Open Meeting at Perth on 8th/9th June, to which this year's Perth Grand Prix will be added. Excellent prizes are on offer and residual proceeds will benefit the Association funds. Details can be had in due course from Bill Moonie, Flat 1d, St. Valery Drive, Stirling, or via the Secretary.

In air weapons shooting, there are also:

(i) Open Air Weapons Meeting

The 1985 Open Meeting is to be run by S.A.R.P.A. at the Scottish Sports Council (Inverclyde) National Centre, Largs, on 20th/21st April. There will be a full Programme of air rifle and pistol competitions at 10 metres and 6 yards. Field Target shooting will be introduced on the Saturday (weapons available for all to try it!) with prize competitions on the Sunday. The N.S.R.A. has agreed to support the indoor meeting and Webley and Scott the field target competitions.

Entry Forms are now available for all events from the Secretary who wishes to draw attention to the attractive residential package the Centre offers. Full board from Friday tea to Sunday tea is £27.50 inclusive; full board over one night is £15.

(ii) S.A.R.P.A. Summer Leagues

Individual leagues will again be run in Air Rifle and Air Pistol at 10 metres and 6 yards and are open to all members of S.A.R.P.A. and S.S.R.A. Interest from those not presently shooting in the winter leagues should be notified to the Secretary by end March. The 6-yard leagues cater in addition for recoiling weapons.

Entry Form for The 1985 Freuchie (Wilkinson Sword)

Name Club

Address Code Phone

Entry fees £1.20 for Individual Members, £1.50 for Club Members.

Return to R. Normand, 88 Southbrae Drive, Glasgow, G13 1TZ; first 81 entries accepted.

1985 CALENDAR OF EVENTS

****Denotes Grand Prix Event for the Scottish 50 Metres Championship
(Champion: W. Moonie, Stirling R.I.)**

Feb. 24th	Mar. 2nd, 3rd	Perthshire Indoor Open, Perth (I.G. Gray)
March 24th		Speedway Final, Perth
	31st	New Zealand Match (Indoor International) at Perth
April 20th/21st		Scottish Open Air Weapons Championships (Inverclyde, Largs-RN)
May 12th	**	Denwood Open, Aberdeen (50 Metres) (J. Lavety)
	18th/19th	Lanarkshire Open, Linwood (50m./100 yds.) (Mrs. R. Moffat)
	19th	Scottish Multi-discipline, Blair Atholl (S.D. Nicoll)
	25th/26th	Perthshire Open, Perth (I.G. Gray)
June 1st/2nd		West of Scotland, Linwood (50m./100 yds.) (N. Leitch)
	8th/9th	** S.S.R.A. Open (Dewar) Meeting, Perth (W. Moonie)
	16th	Border Field Day, Lauder (Mrs. B. Stevenson)
	22nd/28th	N.S.R.A. Scottish Meeting, St. Andrews (includes The Freuchie)
July 7th	**	Linwood Open, Paisley (50 metres) (J. Simpson)
	27th/28th	Eley Competition, Perth
Aug. 10th/17th		N.S.R.A. Bisley Meeting
	25th	** Northern Open, Denwood (J. Lavety)
Sept. 1st		1986 Squad Trial
	8th or 22nd	** Gage Open, Dundee
	13th/14th	Mini Games, Northern Ireland
Oct. 27th		S.S.R.A. Annual General Meeting

** Entries for all Grand Prix Meetings and The Freuchie I.K.O. may be had from R. Normand.

Scottish Team Squad

1985 Squad is set, except that any shooter scoring 595 in a Grand Prix will be invited to join forthwith. Anglos may nominate three English Match meetings from which their scores will be considered.

The principal Trial for the 1986 squad will be on September 1st (date and venue to be confirmed). Qualifying conditions are under review and will be published not later than April.

National (G.B.) Squad Qualification, 1986

Negotiations are in train to have the Order of Merit used for automatic entry to the Scottish Regional B Squad. Meantime shooters who wish to be considered for the N.S.R.A. Regional & National Squads are reminded that the system is via good performance in Authorised Shoots. It is their own responsibility to nominate in advance with the N.S.R.A. which authorised shoots they wish to have considered. All five Grand Prix Open Meetings and the Perthshire Open are authorised for this purpose.

Grant Aid for Training

Many District Councils now offer financial assistance to local sportsmen and women wishing to train for and participate in their chosen sport at the top competitive level. District Departments of Leisure and Recreation also handle the Maxwell House Give-it-a-Go scheme. Apply to "your local" for details and forms.

There is also a Scottish Sports Aid Foundation for whose assistance Scottish competitors must "... expect to compete with distinction at U.K. or Scottish Championship levels". Application would be through the S.S.R.A. Council.

SCOTTISH SMALL-BORE RIFLE ASSOCIATION

Silver Medal 1985 : Qualifiers for Final Stage

<u>Points Dropped</u>	<u>Class A</u>		<u>Points Dropped</u>	<u>Class B</u>	
0 off	H. Simpson Jnr. D.W. Garrow	Wick O.S. Dallas	1 off	R.G.H. Thomson	Portlethen
1	C.M.Y. Trotter I.A. Kerr A.F. McKenzie H. Milne	Guernsey Larbert Stirling R.I. Bon Accord	2	S.P. Dunlop	Watsonians
2	R. Law W.T. Vaughan C. Ronaldson A.A. Reid	Alloa Selkirk Wick O.S. Methlick	3	Miss L. Buchanan	Alloa
			4	M.G. Rennie A.S. Bruce A. Ewen R. Mill	Beaconsfield Walverton Banchory Westfield
			5	Mrs. K.B. McCrindle R. McKenzie D.G. Drury	Caithness Bearsden Edinburgh U.
<u>Class C</u>			<u>Class D</u>		
6 off	I. Morton	Glengarnock	10 off	F. Tolmie	Watsonians
7	N.B. Baker D. Brand J. Quinn P. Duncan J. Cockburn	Dundee U. Durriss Glengarnock Kinlochlaggan Leven	11	Miss J. Gilliatt	Watsonians
8	J. Scott J. Armour W.F. Mackenzie S.A. Guild A. Jones J. Brown	Larbert Blair Atholl Pentland Watsonians Elgin Kirkcaldy	12	C. Reid	Heriot-Watt U.
			13	D. Mowat	Pentland
			16	W. Findlay A. McGrath	Park Wynd DunfermlineRail
			19	E. Traynor R.G. Chapman M. Wynn	Park Wynd Selkirk Watsonians
			20	J. Berkin Mrs. G. Smith	Dundee U. Clachnacuddin
<u>Junior</u>					
10 off	J.D. Oliphant N. McIntosh F. Tolmie	Westfield Kinlochlaggan Watsonians	17	G. Johnston	East Neuk
11	Miss J. Gilliatt	Watsonians	19	M Wynn	Watsonians
13	Miss L. Nicoll	Perth C.&C.	21	A.M. Sutherland	Westfield
			22	Miss J. Murray	Watsonians
			28	J. Mann	Watsonians

OTHER SCORES

Class A

3 off	S.P. Davison, H. Simpson, W.D. Manson, G.J.B. Winch, L.O. Brown.
4	J.P. Millar, S.D. Nicoll, C.G. De Jonckheere, R.R. Simpson, R.D. McKay, D.J. McIntosh.
5	D. Johnston, D.S. Westwater, I. Shanks.
6	W. Moonie, G.R. Linton, K.M. MacDonald, J.R. Sinclair, R.R. Murray, I. Cruickshank, D.G. Morrison, G.A. Lawson, J.E. Scobie.
7	J.H. Hind, W.J. Grant, W.R. Bateman, T.F. Hodgson, I.G. Malcolm, R.G. Birch.
8	P. Gray, W. Kerr (D.Rly.), G.C. Baxter.
10	W. Kerr (Larbert), T.W. Lindsay, J. Michael, D.A. Downie, R.J. Aitken.
11	R.M. Allan, D. Richardson.
12	G. Webb.
13	J. Kinnell.
51	Returns : 28 No-returns.

Class B

6	G.L. McWalter, A. Thomson, N.K. Mackay, T. Finlay, T.K. Flynn, D.H. Bremner, Mrs. J. Thomson, W.D. Mowat, M. Shearer.
7	T. Davidson, R.N. Young, B.G. Allan, W. Marr, B. Mackie, G. Duncan.
8	K. Anderson, J. Simpson, I.W. Robertson, R. Anderson, M.J. Ozmond.

Class B (Contd.)

- 9 off J.P. Leggat, J. Gray, J.M. Sinclair, W. McDonald, J.A. Manson, A. Jones, E.C. Lovie, S.A. Guild, V. Blackwood, J. Mowat, A. Stewart.
- 10 K.G. Mackenzie, J.A. McRae, A.J. Oliphant, J.D. Oliphant, M.S. Allan, J.R. Hood, W. Paterson, D. Watson.
- 11 J.W. Allan, N.S. Gerrard, I. Thomson, G. Brand, A. Donald, W. Watson, J. Gall.
- 12 P. Harrison, D. Lumsden (Leven), A.J.W. Bertram, A. Sutherland.
- 13 Miss L. Nicoll, N.G. Lemon, D. Lumsden (E.U.), W. Hume.
- 14 I.G. Gray, C. Cameron, W. Shoreman, S. Leslie.
- 19 A. Miller, D.A. McIntosh.
- 23 J.B. McCutcheon.
- 28 R.B. Fraser.

72 Returns : 22 No-returns.

Class C

- 9 M. Linczyc.
- 10 A. Stapleton, W. Steven, N. McIntosh, S. Campbell.
- 11 J. Seaton, S. Johnson.
- 12 J. Clark, J. Chamberlain-Mole, A. Burn, A. Rendall.
- 13 D. Grieve, G.J. Fraser.
- 14 J.A. Smith, H.A. Ross, R.M. Hosie, I. Wright, J. French.
- 15 G.M. Steven, G. Wright.
- 16 Miss J.C. Dick, P.H. Patterson, F. Strachan, R. Baldie.
- 17 Mrs. C. Baxter, B. Colley, C. Begg, A.G. Gray, G. Johnston, M. Schofield, K. Hunter.
- 18 Mrs. P. Gray, G.R. Gibbon, R.B. Fraser, J. Hutchison.
- 19 I. Wilson
- 20 D. Thomson
- 21 T. McGregor, Miss J.L. Smith.
- 22 G. Bray
- 23 Miss J. Orr.
- 25 G. Vincent.
- 27 N. McMillan.

55 Returns : 18 No-returns.

Class D

- 21 A.M. Sutherland.
- 22 Miss G. Fraser-Corser, S.W. Argo, C. Niven, Miss J. Murray.
- 24 C.W. Edey.
- 27 J. Copland, W. Plowman.
- 28 B. Devine, J. Mann, Miss A. Gray.
- 29 M. Warwick.
- 31 G.D.W. Adamson.
- 32 A.H. Jones.
- 36 H. Petrie.

26 Returns : 8 No-returns.

CanDicap 1985 : Qualifying Stage

Qualifiers

Points
Dropped

0	K. Myles	Larbert
1	J. Armour	Blair Atholl
	N.B. Baker	Dundee U.
	C.W. Edey	Selkirk
	N. McMillan	Greenock
	G.M. Steven	Pentland
	J. Seaton	Durris
	I. Morton	Glengarnock

Points
Dropped

2	D. Grieve	Larbert
	H. Petrie	Park Wynd
	R.G. Chapman	Selkirk
	P.H. Patterson	Selkirk
	M. Ross	Dallas
	J.M. Clark	Peterhead
	S.A. Guild	Watsonians
	R.B. Fraser	Alloa
	D. Brand	Durris
	J. McDowall	Glengarnock
	J. Chamberlain-Mole	Peterhead
	P. Duncan	Kinlochlaggan
	M. Schofield	Heriot-Watt U.
	B. Lindsay	Sands

Non-Qualifiers

- 3 off A. McGrath, S.W. Argo, R.M. Hosie, J. Quinn, J. Hands, J. O'Hara, B. Colley, J. Cockburn, Miss H. Grant, I. Grant, Miss S. Hargreaves, C. Reid.
- 4 Miss J.C. Dick, Mrs. P. Gray, Miss G. Fraser-Corser, T. McGregor, C. Begg, G.J. Fraser, A. Rendall.
- 5 Miss J. Orr, G. Vincent, E. Traynor, M. Linczyc, Mrs. C. Baxter, A. Burn, S. Johnson, A.A. Arneil.
- 6 W. Findlay, A. Stapleton, G.C. Smith, D. Watson, A.G. Gray, R. Broadbent, J.A. Leggat.
- 7 J.M. Nisbet, J.E. Thomson. G.J. Johnson.
- 8 J. Scott, J. Berkin, P. Smithard, Mrs. E. Nisbet, I. Wright.
- 9 J.A. Smith, Mrs. R. Boyle, W. Bremner.
- 10 G.A. Bray, Miss J.L. Smith, N. McIntosh.
- 11 I. Middleton.
- 13 Mrs. G. Smith.
- 15 F. Strachan, G.D.W. Adamson.
- 17 J. Copland.
- 23 A. Wilson.

76 Returns : 19 No-returns.

SCOTTISH SMALL-BORE RIFLE ASSOCIATION

SPEEDWAY 1985 : Scores in Qualifying Stage

Qualifiers

Points Dropped

1 off	H. Simpson Jnr. G.J.B. Winch	Wick O.S. Edinburgh U.
2	A.F. McKenzie	Stirling R.I.
3	I. Cruickshank C.J. Bruce	Elgin Stirkoke
4	W.G. Gibbon T.W. Kidner J.E. Scobie	Balerno & C. Bon Accord Stirling R.I.

Points Dropped

5 off	I.A. Kerr W. Moonie T. Finlay W.T. Vaughan H. Simpson D.W. Garrow R.R. Murray D.G. Drury	Larbert Stirling R.I. Selkirk Selkirk Wick O.S. Dallas Bon Accord Edinburgh U.
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Tie-shoot to determine order of reserves:

6 off	T.F. Hodgson D.J. McIntosh	Dumfries Elgin	H. Milne J. Lavety	Bon Accord Portlethen
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The three cards enclosed comprise a set. They are numbered to allow a further tie to be determined by count-back.

Non-Qualifiers

- 7 off A. Gordon, M.G. Rennie, A. Thomson, D. Ross, C.G. De Jonckheere, A.A. Reid.
- 8 W. Kerr, S.D. Nicoll, A.J. Horne, R.R. Simpson, K.M. MacDonald, J.D. Oliphant, I.W. Robertson, I.G. Malcolm, I. Shanks.
- 9 P. Gray, D. Johnston, J.H. Hind, J. Michael, W. Simpson.
- 10 J.W. Allan, N.S. Gerrard, A.S. Bruce, R.B. Henderson, P. Shand, D.S. Westwater, R.G. Birch, D. Brand, G.A. Lawson, A. Donald, C. Ronaldson.
- 11 R. Law, T. Davidson, S.P. Davison, R.M. Brown, D.G. Morrison, R.G.H. Thomson, S.P. Dunlop, M.J. Ozmond.
- 12 N.B. Baker, W.J. Grant, W.R. Bateman, J. Milne, P. Harrison, D. Richardson.
- 13 J.P. Leggat, J. Gray, G.C. Baxter, J. Taylor, W.D. Mowat, A.G. Lawson.
- 14 T.K. Flynn.
- 15 N.G. Lemon, V. Blackwood.
- 16 Mrs. J. Thomson, W. Shoreman, D. Lumsden (Leven).
- 17 J. Armour, R.B. Fraser, B. Mackie, A. Ewen, G. Duncan.
- 18 M. Linczyc, J. Simpson, M.S. Allan, J. Seaton, A. Miller, D. Lumsden (E.U.).
- 19 Mrs. M. Massie, J. Copland.
- 20 A. Stapleton, J.M. Clark.
- 21 J.B. McCutcheon.
- 23 G.B. Fraser.
- 24 J.A. Leggat.
- 25 S.A. Guild, F. Strachan.
- 26 J. McRae, A.G. Gray,.
- 27 J. Gall.
- 29 C. Cameron.
- 30 A.A. Arneil.
- 32 B. Lindsay
- 34 W. Bremner.
- 40 Miss G. Fraser-Corser.
- 43 T. McGregor.
- 45 G. Bray

107 Returns : 50 No-returns.