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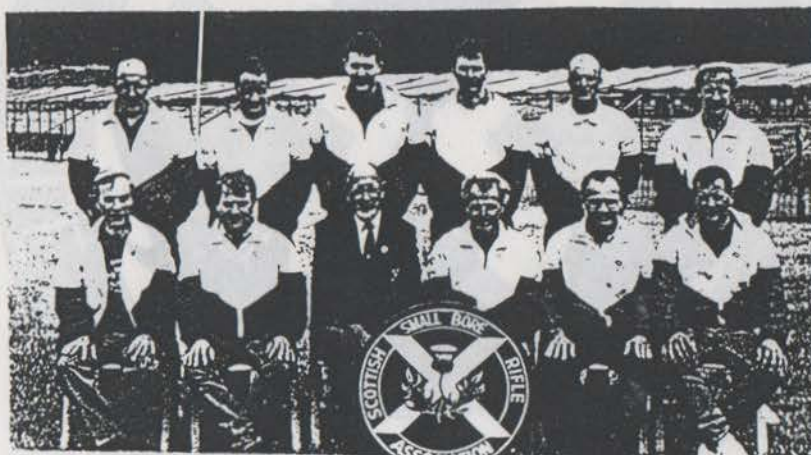


**SCOTTISH MEETING
SCOTLAND WIN
D.W. GARROW WINS HAIG**

Scottish Smallbore Rifle Association



SENIOR TEAM



Back Row from L to R D.A.Duncan N.T.J. Calder
D.A.M. McIntosh A.S. Bruce G.J.B. Winch
J. Cole-Hamilton Front Row from L to R
C.G. De Jonckheere W.A. Copeland A.J. Dick Sec.
D.W. Garrow Capt. W.F. Brown H. Simpson Jnr.

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SSRA Winter Competitions

Final Results 1996

Medal A Class					
Name	Club	Card 1	Card 2	Card 3	Total
D A Duncan	Keith	0	1	0	1
TieShoot000 0					
D W Garrow	Dallas	0	0	1	1
TieShoot211 4					
T L W Kidner	Bon Accord	0	0	1	1
TieShoot121 4					
A Gordon	Bon Accord	1	0	1	2
N T J Calder	East Grinstead	1	1	1	3
W Moonie	Stirling Royal Inf.	2	1	1	4
C W C Ogle	EU Alumni	3	1	2	6
I Thomson	Watsonians	1	3	2	6
S M Bell	EU Alumni	4	0	3	7

Medal B Class						
Name	Club	Card 1	Card 2	Card 3	Total	
J R Ward	Horsham	1	3	0	4	
C C Gall	St Nicholas	3	3	0	6	
W T Vaughan	Selkirk	2	3	1	6	
D G Wood	Peterhead	5	3	0	8	
A F J Smith	Arbroath	5	1	3	9	
J H Hind	Balerno & Currie	2	4	3	9	
L Martin	Marlowe	3	6	1	10	
P Gray	Steeple	2	4	5	11	

Medal C Class						
Name	Club	Card 1	Card 2	Card 3	Total	
R Ronnie	Stirling Royal Inf.	1	1	2	4	
G Cuthill	Hawick	4	3	2	9	
M Rodigan	Basingstoke	5	5	1	11	
W McDonald	Dallas	5	1	5	11	
D A Manson	Westfield	3	3	7	13	
C Urquhart	Stirling Royal Inf.	8	6	4	18	
J Moodie	Tain	6	8	4	18	
M Howell	George Watson	5	8	5	18	
N Davies	George Watson	6	6	9	21	

SSRA Winter Competitions Final Results 1996

Medal D Class

Name	Club	Card 1	Card 2	Card 3	Total
N Stirton	Bon Accord	1	1	4	6
G Scott	George Watson	2	6	4	12
S Etherson	Durris	5	8	3	16
N McGechan	George Watson	4	8	4	16
R Younger	George Watson	3	8	7	18
A Robetson	George Watson	7	6	8	21
W J Plowman	Westfield	2	9	13	24
A McGill	George Watson	7	11	7	25
S M Whitehead	Workington	10	15	8	33

Veterans Class

Name	Club	Card 1	Card 2	Card 3	Total
A Gordan	Bon Accord	1	0	1	2
C C Gall	St Nicholas	1	2	0	3
C M Y Trotter	Chobham	1	2	2	5
D G Wood	Peterhead	2	4	4	10

Medal C Class

Name	Club	Card 1	Card 2	Card 3	Total
N Stirton	Bon Accord	1	1	4	6
M Howell	George Watson	4	9	3	16
N Davies	George Watson	6	6	9	21
C Urquhart	Stirling Royal Inf.	8	8	6	22

CanDicap

Name	Club	H'Cap	Card 1	Card 2	Card 3	Total
N Stirton	Bon Accord	10	0	0	0	0
J Eccles	Alloa	5	0	2	0	2
M Rodigan	Basingstoke	5	1	1	1	3
T McGregor	Balerno & Currie	8	0	1	2	3
V K Nilsen	St Andrews	5	1	2	1	4
G Cuthill	Hawick	8	3	2	0	5
J Stewart	Larkhall	7	1	4	0	5
N McMillan	Greenock & Dist.	5	1	3	1	5
S Etherson	Durris	8	1	2	2	5
G Bray	Arbroath	8	4	1	1	6

Congratulations to all the Class winners and to David Duncan for winning the SSRA Silver Medal. Remember prizes for each competition are awarded at the A.G.M.

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LADIES TEAM

Back Row
from L to R
R. Ronnie
S.M. Bell
K. Nilsen
G. Adams
Front Row
from L to R
L. Martin
L. Fraser Sec.
M. Main Capt.
B.E. Mackay



JUNIOR TEAM

From L to R
N. Stirton
J.A.C. Gray
D.C. Taylor

Scottish Smallbore Rifle Association

1995/6 Winter Individual Air Rifle League

ROUND 5

DIVISION 1		1ST CARD	2ND CARD	3RD CARD	4TH CARD	5TH CARD	6TH CARD	TOT	POINTS	
									RND	CUM
A	R. LAW	96	97	96	96	95	98	578	5.0	29.0
C	D.A.M. McINTOSH	96	94	98	96	94	95	573	2.5	14.5
D	A. RYCRAFT	94	93	93	93	89	92	554	1.0	12.0
E	P. LITTLECHILD	94	96	95	95	97	96	573	2.5	11.5
G	A.M. COATES							0	0.0	6.0
F	C.W.C. OGLE	93	93	93	91	89	90	549	0.0	3.0
B	D.W. RATTRAY							0	0.0	0.0
H	P. GRAY							0	0.0	0.0

DIVISION 2		1ST CARD	2ND CARD	3RD CARD	4TH CARD	5TH CARD	6TH CARD	TOT	POINTS	
									RND	CUM
A	E.G. WATT	86	85	89	90	90	86	526	2.5	23.5
C	S. QUINTELA	87	90	93	93	85	92	540	5.0	21.0
F	A. CREDLAND	85	83	90	88	92	87	525	1.0	12.0
I	S. MORGAN							0	0.0	11.0
B	C. DEJONCKHEREE	87	91	87	92	86	83	526	2.5	6.5
D	N. BARTON							0	0.0	1.0
E	E. GRIEVE	79	83	69	82	84	72	469	0.0	1.0
G	G. LANE							0	0.0	0.0
H	J.R. WARD							0	0.0	

Scored by Angus J. Dick Compiled by Moyra E. Main

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1995/6 Winter Short Range Individual 3-P League ROUND 5

DIVISION 1	P		S		K		TOT	POINTS	
	1ST CARD	2ND CARD	1ST CARD	2ND CARD	1ST CARD	2ND CARD		RND	CUM
A R. LAW	97	97p	91	93	89	88	458	0.0	16.0
B C.W.C. OGLE	100	97	90	95	93	94	569	3.0	10.0
D A.M. COATES	98	98	92	90	93	97	568	1.0	6.0
C P. LITTLECHILD		97					97	0.0	1.0
E M. SINCLAIR							0	0.0	0.0

DIVISION 2	P		S		K		TOT	POINTS	
	1ST CARD	2ND CARD	1ST CARD	2ND CARD	1ST CARD	2ND CARD		RND	CUM
A W.G.R. WALKER	97	97	78	87	92	95	546	0.0	17.0
C J.R. SILCOX	98	99	84	88	92	98	559	2.0	16.0
E N.B. BAKER	99	93	83	81	96	96	548	1.0	9.0
D W.P. BAIRD	98	98	89	85	95	97	562	4.0	8.0
B D.P. SHERIDAN								0.0	3.0

DIVISION 3	P		S		K		TOT	POINTS	
	1ST CARD	2ND CARD	1ST CARD	2ND CARD	1ST CARD	2ND CARD		RND	CUM
A S. QUINTELA	93	95	70	73	84	85	500	0.0	9.0
D A. CREDLAND	97	96	84	89	83	86	535	2.0	6.0
B E.G. WATT							0	0.0	1.0
C G. LANE							0	0.0	0.0
E J.R. WARD							0	0.0	0.0

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Scottish Smallbore Rifle Association 1995/6 Short Range Individual Prone League Round 5

DIVISION 1		1ST CARD	2ND CARD	TOT	POINTS	
					RND	CUM
A	D.A. DUNCAN	99	98	197	4.5	41.5
J	K. M. MacDONALD	99	99	198	7.5	37.0
D	W.H. MacDONALD	97	100	197	4.5	36.5
L	D. GARROW	99	100	199	11.0	35.0
K	I. SHANKS	99	99	198	7.5	31.5
I	G. MOTION	99	99	198	7.5	27.5
C	B. YOUNG	100	98	198	7.5	17.5
G	A. HERON	96	96	192	0.0	12.5
H	S.M. HENDERSON	99	97	196	3.0	12.5
E	W. CRAWFORD	98	97	195	2.0	11.5
B	W.P. BAIRD	97	97	194	1.0	5.0
F	M. SINCLAIR			0	0.0	2.5

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DIVISION 4		1ST CARD	2ND CARD	TOT	POINTS	
					RND	CUM
D	E.M. WRAY	96	99	195	6.0	26.5
A	D.A. MANSON	96	97	193	3.5	24.5
C	R. RONNIE	99	99	198	9.0	23.0
I	J. MOODIE	96	98	194	5.0	15.0
H	B. MACKIE	93	95	188	1.0	13.5
F	A.G.M. JONES	96	96	192	2.0	11.0
G	M. STRUTHERS	89	90	179	0.0	8.0
E	G. LANE	98	98	196	7.0	7.0
B	R. HARPER	94	99	193	3.5	5.5

DIVISION 2		1ST CARD	2ND CARD	TOT	POINTS	
					RND	CUM
F	J.R. WARD	97	100	197	4.5	28.5
I	M.E. MAIN	98	97	195	2.0	28.5
B	B.A. DUNCAN	98	99	197	4.5	26.5
A	J.R. SILCOX	98	96	194	1.0	26.0
H	J.R. BROWN	100	99	199	8.0	24.5
J	A. FLETCHER	99	98	197	4.5	23.0
C	N. McNAUGHTON			0	0.0	21.0
D	W.T. VAUGHAN	99	98	197	4.5	20.5
G	I. HALLEY			0	0.0	6.5
E	M.L. JOY	94	92	186	0.0	3.0

Congratulations to W. MacDonald, D. Garrow & B. Young in Division 1 & J. Ward & J.R. Brown in Division 2 for their Possibles.
May I take this opportunity to thank you all for competing in what was for me a very exciting competition. It proved to have a nail biting final round. Sorry for the delay in getting the final results out but ill health was to blame. Looking forward to our next season together - Moyra E. Muir

DIVISION 5		1ST CARD	2ND CARD	TOT	POINTS	
					RND	CUM
B	J. HAMMOND	95	95	190	8.0	36.5
D	A. BLAKE	93	95	188	6.0	18.5
A	P. KANE	93	94	187	4.0	17.5
C	A. MILLAR	95	92	187	4.0	29.0
E	S. QUINTELA	94	93	187	4.0	17.5
G	L. RENNIE	92	92	184	2.0	7.0
F	R. McCONNELL	93	89	182	1.0	6.0
H	G. GREENHOWE	0	0	0	0.0	6.0

DIVISION 3		1ST CARD	2ND CARD	TOT	POINTS	
					RND	CUM
B	J. HAMMOND(JNR)	98	98	196	7.5	43.0
C	G. PHILIP	97	99	196	7.5	41.5
E	J.A. MANSON	98	93	191	4.0	30.0
M	J. CRAN	96	95	191	4.0	28.5
H	P. FOR	96	94	190	2.0	20.0
D	C. CAMERON	97	95	192	6.0	19.0
I	M. RODIGAN	98	99	197	10.0	16.5
L	J. MACRAE	92	99	191	4.0	16.0
A	P. DINGLE	89	92	181	0.0	14.0
J	H. RAE			0	0.0	12.0
F	G.A. LAWSON	90	92	182	1.0	10.0
G	J.L.S. ALLAN			0	0.0	3.5

DIVISION 6		1ST CARD	2ND CARD	TOT	POINTS	
					RND	CUM
I	N. STIRTON	97	97	194	8.0	40.5
D	A. RICHARDSON	90	96	186	5.0	30.5
F	S. ETHERSON	96	94	190	6.0	28.0
A	J. TAYLOR	96	98	194	8.0	25.5
G	M. KNOWLES	91	90	181	3.0	24.0
C	W. RAE	88	89	177	1.0	12.5
H	E. GREIVE	91	94	185	4.0	9.5
E	S. McGINTY	88	91	179	2.0	4.5
B	L. BISSETT	87	88	175	0.0	2.0

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100 Fund Raising Club

Congratulations to **Gordon Motion (No 72)** who was the April winner of 'The 100 Fund Raising Club' and received a cheque for £35.40. The sincere thanks to the whole Association must go to all the present supporters.



There are still vacancies within the Club. Remember that the greater proportion of all monies are returned in the form of cash prizes to the individual monthly winners and the Association receives a modest, but very valuable, monthly income.

It would be good if we could fill all the present vacant numbers in the Club to ensure that there was a winner each week. Please give this serious thought and if you would like to join, use the form enclosed with this newsletter.

Supporters are encouraged to select their own lucky numbers and at this moment in time the following numbers are available:

2, 7, 12, 13, 15, 18, 19, 20, 22, 24, 26, 31, 33, 34, 37, 39, 41, 43, 44, 46, 48, 49, 52, 53, 55, 57, 58, 59, 60, 66, 68, 69, 71, 73, 74, 76, 77, 78, 79, 81, 82, 84, 85, 87, 89, 91, 93, 94, 96, 97, 98 and 99.

At only £12 per year it must be an attractive and lucrative proposition - and it will help your sport too!

If any member of the Club or the Association would like to receive a current print out of the random computer selected numbers and prize money for the past year I would be pleased to send them a copy any month upon request.

Payment of SSRA Subscription

Following requests from our membership I have arranged with our Bankers that in future it will be possible to pay individual SSRA subscriptions by Bankers Standing Order. When the time comes for renewal please let me know if you wish to pay your subscription by this method and I will send you the appropriate completed Bankers form for your signature. I hope this will be helpful to many members.

If you have any other good suggestions please pass them on.

John R. Silcox Association Treasurer

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100 Club

Application / Renewal Form

How many numbers?		Start Month	
How many months ? (3, 6, 9 or 12)		SSRA Membership No.	
Preferred Numbers (if any)		Remittance £1 per No. per month	
Name			
Address & Postcode			
Telephone Number			
Signature Date			
Please return to: Mr John R. Silcox			
[Redacted Address]			
Telephone : [Redacted]			

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1995/6
Inter Regional Shoot,
Perth
Sunday
14th April 1996

LOTHIAN Region	1ST CARD	2ND CARD	3RD CARD	4TH CARD	SCORE	SCORE	
J. H. HIND	97	96	98	99	390	390	
RONNIE SELLAR	99	99	98	100	396	396	
G. MOTION	98	97	100	99	394	394	
W. GIBBON	99	97	97	97	390	390	
S. M. BELL	96	97	98	98	389		
ANGUS JACKSON	98	99	97	98	392	392	POS
TOTAL					2351	1962	1ST

HIGHLAND Region	1ST CARD	2ND CARD	3RD CARD	4TH CARD	SCORE	SCORE	
K. MacDONALD	98	99	99	97	393	393	
MOYRA MAIN	98	98	97	93	386		
B. E. MacKAY	99	96	96	98	389	389	
W. H. MacDONALD	100	97	97	98	392	392	
H. SIMPSON	99	99	99	100	397	397	
G. SUTHERLAND	99	96	97	98	390	390	POS
TOTAL					2347	1961	2ND

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GRAMPIAN Region	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	SCORE	SCORE	
	CARD	CARD	CARD	CARD			
DAVID DUNCAN	100	98	98	98	394	394	
IAIN SHANKS	98	98	98	98	392	392	
M. RAE	92	98	99	96	385	385	
C. J. BRUCE	99	100	97	99	395	395	
J. E. Chamberlain Mole	96	95	99	95	385		
J. LAVETY	99	96	97	98	390	390	POS
TOTAL					2341	1956	3RD

Borders Region	1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	SCORE	SCORE	
	CARD	CARD	CARD	CARD			
J. MILNE	97	95	98p	97	387	387	
W. VAUGHAN	97	99	97	99	392	392	
TOM HODGSON	96	99	98	99	392	392	
D. KENNED MOFFAT	91	98	98	100	387	387	
M. L. IVES	96	95	96	97	384		
C. De JONCKHEERE	99	97	98	95	389	389	POS
TOTAL					2331	1947	4TH

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George Watson's College Rifle Club

Tour Thursday 21st March to Monday 25th March 1996

At approximately eight o'clock on Thursday 21st March 1996 a mini-bus loaded with everything from rifles and ammunition to toothbrushes and toothpaste departed from the school. The most important cargo was of course the eight shooters - **Mark McGechan** (age 15), **Matthew Cross** (15), **Alastair McGill** (15), **Robert Read** (15), **Philip Rudd** (14), **Richard Irving** (13), **Graham Rudd** (13) and **Ewan McNeill** (13) - who made up our under 16 tour team.

Our first match was against **Ellesmere College** and after a five hour drive taking us through Scotland, England, momentarily through Wales and then back into England we arrived at the school. We were greeted warmly and given tea and cakes before the match began. In the match half of the team shot on five bull targets and the remaining four shot on the harder ten bull targets. Sadly we lost **1495 to 1530 (ex 1600)**, however this was a reasonable score considering Ellesmere was only missing one first team member. After supper with the school we set off to Ludlow Youth Hostel which was to be our accommodation for the night, via a short scenic route - despite the fact that it was pitch dark outside.

The next morning we had another long drive to **Sevenoaks School**, our next opponents. Before the match we were shown our accommodation for the night, the School boarding house, which we had entirely to ourselves because the school had already closed for the Easter Holidays. As the school's rifle range was quite small we had to travel to **Tunbridge Wells Rifle Club** for the match. We were given a guide who was instructed to show us the way but unfortunately he was unfamiliar with the route and we ended up getting completely lost. We finally arrived at the range after a search party succeeded in finding us. By this point we had searched every street in the town except the right one.

The match was also against **Cranbrook School** and as they and Sevenoaks had teams of four, our eight was split into two teams. The result was victory over Sevenoaks for our 'A' team who sadly lost to Cranbrook by one point. We were all shooting on five bull targets and both **Matthew** and **Philip** scored 99 out of 100 which was the highest score of the match. The scores were **Cranbrook 391 (ex 400)**, **GWC 'A' 390**, **Sevenoaks 387** and **GWC 'B' 381**. After the match we retreated to McDonalds and then to the boarding house where we took full advantage of its facilities which included satellite TV.

The following morning we travelled to **Felsted School** in Essex, our next opponents, but because their range was under reconstruction we again had to travel to a nearby range. This time we stuck rigidly to the car in front and we completed the short journey without mishap. Generally we all shot quite well quite well in this match with **Richard** achieving a new personal best of 96 on a ten bull target. However, the occasional cross fire meant we had to settle for second place. The gap, however, was small as we scored a best **total 1121 (ex 1200)** to **Felsteds 1129**.

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After the match we travelled to Windsor Youth Hostel which was to be our home for the next two nights and we were able to relax as we had the evening and the following morning off. In the evening we drove to the centre of Windsor, where, sick of McDonalds and Burger King, we attempted to go to Pizza Hut. However, our attempt was thwarted by several other people with similar intentions and we retreated to Burger King. They must have known we were coming because we greeted by picture of the sites of Edinburgh on the walls. The walk back to the mini-bus was not uneventful as a lamppost jumped out in front of me and I returned to the hostel with a large lump on my head!

The next day we visited **Bisley Camp** where we took a team photograph before travelling the short distance to **Chobham Rifle Club** for our final match. Sadly we lost this match as well - a result of a combination of poor shooting from us and some excellent shooting by Chobham which included a 'possible' from one of their members. However, despite this, the match was quite close with a score of 1423 (ex 1600) to 1449. We returned to the hostel and the following morning returned to Edinburgh.

Although the results may not show it, the tour was still a great success both because the results were close and we all enjoyed ourselves. Ironically on a weekend when the news was dominated by the latest scare from 'Mad Cow Disease' we possibly ate more beef than ever before in a weekend. At this point I must express my sincere thanks to all our Sponsors:

Target Shooting Supplies in Fife,
White House Photographic Studios in Edinburgh,
Aitken & Niven in Edinburgh,
Rackwick Limited in Edinburgh,
North British Distillery Company in Edinburgh

as well as others for there generous sponsorship which enabled this tour to take place. I would also like to thank **Stephen Dunlop** for organising everything and also **Jenny Gilliatt** and **Ian Thomson**.

Mark McGechan, Tour Captain



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SSRA 1996 Calendar



Sat 15th June - 3 Positional Grand Prix No 2
Venue: Denwood Rifle Club, Aberdeen

Fri 28th June - Police Match
Venue: Forres

Sat 29th June - 5th July - Scottish
Meeting Venue: Forres

Sat 27th July - Prone Grand Prix No 3
Venue: Wick Rifle Club, Caithness

Sun 5th August - Caithness Open
Venue: Wick Rifle Club, Caithness

Sat 10th - 17th August - NSRA Meeting
Venue: Bisley, Woking, Surrey

Sat 24th August - 3 P Grand Prix No 3
Venue: Denwood Rifle Club, Aberdeen

Sun 25th August - Prone Grand Prix No 4
Venue: Denwood Rifle Club, Aberdeen

Sun 1st Sept. - Prone Grand Prix No 5
Venue: Gage

Sat 7th Sept. - 3 P Grand Prix No 4
Venue: Denwood Rifle Club, Aberdeen

Sun 8th Sept. - Inter Regional Match
Venue: Denwood Rifle Club, Aberdeen

20th to 22nd September - CSF (ED)
Championship, Denwood

27th October - SSRA AGM, Perth

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