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Subject: practical scorer

HELP NEEDED

Hi all, our practical scorer has after 15 years decided to call it quits .

Peter will be doing the rest of the Year but we will need someone for next year .

The person will need some practical design and scoring capability. If you need some help, Peter will be there to guide you so the sooner we have someone the better .

If anybody would like to take this over you can contact;

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Management Matters July 2013

Welcome to another edition on the VPN and welcome to the new members to VAPA .

Sport & Recreation has issued a Volunteer Check Sheet too big to put in this column but here is the site where it can be accessed by the clubs and individuals:

<http://www.vicsport.asn.au/Assets/Files/VOLUNTEER%20FACT%20SHEET.format1.pdf>

I would recommend down loading, and read and draw from any suggestions that are made for the better running of your clubs.

I am a bit disappointed to hear complaints from individuals re, the digitalized version of the VPN, sure we have run into some minor problems and we are sorting them out .Raising the complaint theme again ,where were the delegates from the clubs when we were discussing this move 6 to 8 months ago at COM meetings?, that is where the delegates are supposed to take information back to the members re, any news and changes. The alternative was to stay with the magazine process and with the steep rises in printing and postage it would have been necessary to have a large increase in Vapa Fees and the Treasurer and the executive are trying to keep the fees at a reasonable level. It is not the executives fault that some input is missed by lack of Communication and involvement. and of course the issue was duly passed at the COM meeting for all. With these late complaints we shall endeavour to work through them and try to resolve the concerns. It must be said that as an association we need to move with the times and continue to upgrade our association .We all are not in agreement and don't like change , however we must accept change when it is warranted and not for changes sake.

Positive reports have filtered up to me re, Melbourne International Pistol Clubs recent Open. They said it was a good Open nearly as good as the Opens in the past with range staff from the membership and generally on top of it all day .Well done MISC and may your new management keep on top of these things that matter to the association club members attending Opens, it really makes a large difference if they are looked after, and I am sure that the numbers will increase because of the difference.

The Junior Development Squad attended the yearly Tri State event held in Victoria at Oakleigh Pistol Club where every body had a great time. More about that event from the Sports Development Officer. I must say that the juniors attending were a credit to their clubs and States as ambassadors. A refreshing change to some of the youth out there in the public.

As this is the last message this Year before elections, thanks and sadness to my Executive .Thankyou to Peter, Bob, Alex, Geoff, Clive and Eddie for your input and effort to the committee and association over the year and to finish off, sadness because we are losing Alex and Eddie after many years of valuable service and commitment to the association . To Eddie and Alex again, Thank You both and we all hope that your pursuits after committee life work out well for you and we see you both around the ranges.

G R Roberts

JUDGES CORNER - July 2013

This issue I am going to revisit the topic of Range Etiquette.

From observation this is something that seems to have slipped under the carpet. There are multitudes of things that come under this banner; I will cover some of them now.

The first and foremost is late arrival on the range for a competition. Etiquette requires that the competitor report to the Range Officer before entering their bay. Depending upon the event and competition the Range Officer may request that the competitor wait until that series is completed before allowing the competitor to enter the bay and set up his equipment. Rule 6.11.6.4 (page 248) also states that unless the late arrival is beyond the competitor's control he will not be credited with any extra time. If it is a time fired event i.e. Standard Pistol etc the competitor may have to forgo sighters. Each occurrence will be determined on the event and circumstances at the time.


I would also like to point out that if you have a vacant bay next to you when you set up your shooting equipment you should not encroach into the vacant bay. This maybe occupied by a competitor who has been held up on another range and will arrive shortly. If you have encroached into this bay when that competitor arrives you will need to move your equipment back into your own bay. This comes into play in particular in Air Pistol.

It should be also noted that if there are spare bays further down the range (again refers in particular to Air Pistol) where the late arrival could set up without disturbing competitors already started the match then this is where that competitor should be placed moving their targets into that bay.

Noise on or near the firing line, team officials and shooters must limit their conversation to official business when they are near the competitors. This means that when you have finished shooting please consider those who have not and be quiet or move off the range if you wish to converse with somebody else. Of course this is after obtaining the Range Officers permission to leave the range.

The last one I will mention is that of packing up any of your equipment before the Range Officer is told you to do so, or moving your bench to another position whilst other competitors are still shooting. Etiquette requires that you do not pack up any of your equipment until told to do so by the Range Officer. Also if you need to move your bench to another position i.e. going from 150 seconds to 20 seconds in the Standard Pistol event, you will be given time before being told to load for the first 20 second series to relocate your bench.

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Bianchi Cup – 2013 by Cherie Blake

Three years ago I hadn't even heard of the Bianchi Cup. How could that be when I have been a pistol shooter for almost 30 years? So I thought there might be a whole bunch of shooters out there who, like me, haven't heard of the Bianchi Cup, or don't know much about Action Match.

If you 'Google' Bianchi Cup you will find that Wikipedia tells you that the Bianchi Cup is the NRA National Action Pistol Championships held in May each year at Columbia Missouri, USA and it is the premier action pistol championships tournament in the world. It is one of the most prestigious events in shooting and is widely considered one of the most difficult championships in the shooting sports (http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/The_Bianchi_Cup). This year, the 35th Bianchi Cup, there was close to 300 competitors from 10 countries (Australia, Austria, Canada, Barbados, Italy, Japan, Germany, Netherlands, New Zealand and of course the USA).

There are 4 events that make the Bianchi Cup Match and what we, in Australia, call Action Match (which also used to be known as 1920 Match). Each event is out of 480 and therefore 1920 for the total match. Event 1 is Practical; Shot at two tombstone targets at ranges from 10 to 50 yards. Event 2 is Barricade, where you will shoot a tombstone target from each side of a barricade, ranging from 5 sec at 10 yards to 8 sec at 35 yards. Event 3 is the Mover, you will shoot a moving tombstone target (travelling the 60ft in 6 sec) at 10 through to 25 yards. Event 4 is Plates, where you shoot 6 plates at 10 through to 25 yards.

There are three main categories in which you can compete based on the handgun you use, all handguns need to be centrefire, however, locally at most clubs you can shoot the match with rimfire – which is a great way to be introduced to the match, especially for juniors, and you are also graded to compete against your peers.

Open – this handgun can have optics and modifications specific to the match

Metallic – this handgun requires metallic sights and can have only limited modifications

Production – this handgun is “out of the box”

So now that I've introduced you to Action Match let me tell you about my first time of competing at the Bianchi Cup. Amongst the nearly 300 competitors at this years cup, there were 12 Australians competing, 4 of whom were VAPA members; Zeljko Cvetnic, representing Pistol Australia; Dickie Siebert and Mark Blake representing SSAA and myself, representing SSAA in a self funded position. Two other VAPA members were at the Cup; Clive Whelen, Chairperson of the Bianchi Protest Committee and Brian Hardy, Pistol Australia Team Manager.

As I mentioned earlier, I've been shooting for a long time, and at various state, national and international events over that time but I have never been as nervous as I was when I lined up to shoot my first event at the Bianchi cup; the mover. Let me tell you that it makes it a bit harder to try and hit that 4 inch x ring on a moving target at 25 yards when your hands and knees are shaking! It was a bizarre experience to have camera / film crews on the line with the shooters, tiered seating behind the ranges for spectators, where at times there was standing room only to watch the top competitors. A fair swag of the top shooters are professional and it was a great experience to watch them shoot - Doug Koenig, Karl Bernosky, Bruce Piatt, Mike Viogt, Rob Leatham, BJ Norris, Jessie Duff, (and also for those Top Shot fans Maggie Reece, Iain Harrison and Chris Cerino) to drop a few names. There's big money in the US for shooting, it's the growth industry in the lagging US economy.

As an example of this growth in the shooting industry, the Starline Brass and Sierra Projectiles factories are in a small town, about an hours drive from Columbia, so a few of us managed a quick

visit, to pick up some brass, and we were lucky enough to get a tour of both factories. The stand out comment from the Starline manager was that they could stop taking orders today and they would still have enough back orders to keep producing for 2 years. The Sierra factory must be in a similar situation, as they now work 24 hours a day 6 days a week and they still only have a third of the stock they wish to hold.

Another interesting fact about the US shooting industry is that women are the growth market. There were over 30 women competing at this year's Bianchi Cup and this year in an obvious attempt to cater for the women competitors and entice more in future years, for the first time there were additional awards for High Lady Metallic and High Lady Production. One of the standout performances was that of Randi Rogers, shooting a Glock, not only winning the High Lady Production, but coming third in Production out right and winning the Production Plates event.

So how did the Victorian's fair – really well:

Zeljko Cvetnic came 5th over all (highest placed Aussie), 2nd in the International Category, 3rd in the Mover event and was part of the winning International team. The PA team was fortunate to be all squaded together and Zeljko's performance stood out in the team, shooting 1918.166X.



Mark Blake came 5th in the Multi Gun aggregate (the highest place Aussie), 15th overall, won the Male First Time award and came 3rd in the Barricade event after a shoot off with 7 of the top shooters there, including Doug Koenig, Bruce Piatt and Karl Bernosky. It took 3 shoot offs, and down to 6 seconds at 35 yards before the places were determined. A great event to watch, enhanced by video feed from the targets for the spectators.

Cherie Blake came 3rd in the Ladies category and won the Ladies First Time award. Part of the winning Ladies team event, with Jodi Lyall (Balcktown PC) and also second in the 2 person team event.





As a result of being in the top 4 of the Ladies Category, I received an invitation to shoot on the 5th day of competition in the Colt Speed Event – this was an amazing experience and despite long rain (thunder and lightening) delays there were hundreds of spectators filling the ‘bleachers’ for this event.

The outright winner was Doug Koenig, for his record 15th Bianchi Cup, with 1920.183X, separated only by 5 x's from Karl Bernosky. The Ladies was won by Jessie Duff (USA) with Tiffany Piper (a junior from NZ) and myself third.



Bianchi 2013 was a great experience and to be able to return with trophies was a bonus. There is always highs and lows in competition shooting, and in particular with Action Match having 4 very different events but I think I have been bitten by the Bianchi bug and will be trying to get over there again.

If you're interested in trying Action Match, the following VAPA clubs have action ranges: Geelong, Spingvale, Yarra, Melton, Echuca, Mildura, Hume (Albury), Wodonga, Ballarat or you could contact VAPA to put you in touch with someone to help you with the details for the ranges.

Many Thanks to Brain Hardy for his photographs

For detailed results: <http://www.gvshoot.com/forums/index.php?page/gvbianchicup>



Clive Whelan



Richard Siebert prepping his Barricade Targets with Doug Koenig



Open Mover Zeljko

Melbourne's 58th Anniversary Shoot

by Kim Frazer - Vice President MISC

The annual Melbourne International Shooting Club Open was held over the weekend of May 18th & 19th. As has been our recent practice, our Open included both rifle and pistol events for shooters to enjoy. Saturday kicked off with a pretty cold, dreary day, although some intrepid competitors were seen in shorts. One of our club volunteers suggested to me that when I advised wearing something warm for helping on the range I should have specified something for arctic conditions! I think everyone was grateful when the sun appeared on Sunday and conditions warmed up slightly.

Our Open this year was overseen by new club captain David Telfer (pictured) who did a terrific job ensuring the event ran well. David had a super team of assistants and the large number of MISC volunteers (over fifty in all) who turned out to help with patching, scoring, catering and general activities meant competitors could just enjoy their shooting. Competitions aren't possible without people giving up their time to come and assist and we are very appreciative of the effort that many club members put in to make this an enjoyable weekend for all.



In my opinion, the standout performance over the weekend was provided in Junior Sport Pistol by Siarhei Yauhleuski, son of international competitor Lalita who is well known amongst Victorian shooters. Siarhei was streets ahead with his score of 573.14 which featured 293 in the rapid fire stage. It is a while since we have seen a junior provide a score of such quality, and hopefully Siarhei will go on to break the long-standing Victorian record at next year's State Titles. The closest result eventuated in Men's Air Pistol where MISC's club member Guarav Kumar Pilaniya edged out Gary Mullens of Castlemaine by recording a higher number of inner tens.

This year the competition was run under the new ISSF rules which meant for both Air Pistol and Free Pistol, competitors needed to be on the line 30 minutes before the scheduled match start time. I know of one shooter who was nearly caught out by the change and while we were chatting she was happy to have me ask her whether she shouldn't be getting ready for her match, and I am sure there were others caught off guard by the change. Over time I am sure everyone will become accustomed to the change.

The Rogers Trophy which was inaugurated by MISC foundation members George & Rita Rogers was won by David Colvin who scored 1489 across the three matches that make up this event – Centre Fire, Free Pistol and Rapid Fire.

Anniversary Shoot Photo Album



Above: Preparations for the 25m Centre Fire/Sport Pistol.

Left: Peter Davis was happy to RO & Equipment Check on the weekend



Left: Misc helpers watch on Standard Pistol.

Right: Kristina Fantenberg looking fired about her Sport Pistol Match.



Centre: Renata Janska- winner of women's air pistol in her Sport Match.



Photo's courtesy of Johan Fantenberg.



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SHOOTING SERVICE

For Beginners.

The easy way - Part 2

By Brett Sandman ©2010

In part 1 we discussed The Grip well lets try The Stance.

THE STANCE

I believe that to shoot good scores you should be **comfortable in mind and body**. Once again this can be a very personal thing some people prefer the Weaver stance, which is one foot forward pointing at the target the other opened out and back at about 45 degrees this is quite an aggressive stance but gives good stability when stability is required.

My personal choice for shooting service is feet apart and your body more square on to the target, this stance is less aggressive, but both stances have their good and bad points.

I can only speak from my own experience and have found the latter to work better for me. The reason for this is, I found with the Weaver stance I was trying to be too aggressive and this was hyping me up on a physical level causing "the blood to rush" this was causing a disturbance to my concentration or my ability to **focus** so after talking to a shooter that shoots better scores than me I changed and so did my scores for the better. The change to my stance has made me much more relaxed and more comfortable; this is allowing me to concentrate on my sight picture and trigger control **very important**.

The stance I settled on is just a more relaxed version, with my body fairly square to the targets but my right foot is back just a little, enough to give some stability but with this I try to relax the rest of my body.

In shooting service there are other positions than standing to be considered so let us start at the start.

Prone this is a hard one because there are so many factors to be considered ie age, sex, weight, state of health. Comfort and practicality are the most important factors to consider its no good laying to one side if your holster digs into your stomach likewise its no point laying straight up and down the range if you cannot see through your glasses (if you need them to see). Once again it's back to trial and error to see what works for you and what others around you are doing, it is important to be comfortable.

Sitting /kneeling most of the above applies to this as well. The most important sentence in this article I believe is the very first one under the heading, go back and read it again and again, until it sinks in because it means a lot.

Left & Right side of barricade most important to get a routine for your non-shooting hand and make it a reflex action that happens automatically, read practice just like getting a good grip on your gun getting it out of the holster. It needs to be a good purchase on the barricade and good support for the shooting hand so practice it both hands, what might seem natural with your strong hand will seem like somebody else's hand with your weak hand. Get your strong hand right then study exactly what you do with your strong hand and try and replicate it with your weak hand both with the barricade and with the grip on the gun.

A summary starting from the ground up, wear comfortable footwear **no thongs or open sandals** most of your time shooting is spent on your feet. This also means wear comfortable and functional pants and shirt, its hard to wear a belt and holster if your pants don't have any belt loops and your shirt is better off to be snug and out of the way of your gun/holster/sights. Your headgear should be functional, not in the way when you go prone, you should not have to make any adjustments between prone/sitting or sitting/barricades and you should have eyewear that is equally functional, also hearing protection that does not get in your way but it must work and be comfortable and **make sure that you and your gear comply with the rules and regulations being disqualified is not fun**

If you get this part right then it is easier to concentrate on the job at hand, that is, what we all go to the range to do, **shoot tens. Part 3, in next VPN will be headered "The Hard Part". See Ya Then!!**

VICTORIAN AMATEUR PISTOL ASSOCIATION

Notice is hereby given that the Annual General Meeting of the Victorian Amateur Pistol Association will be held at Melbourne International Shooting Club, 120 Todd Road, Port Melbourne, on Friday 19 July 2013, at 7.30pm.

The purpose of the meeting will be to:

1. Confirm the minutes of the Annual General Meeting held on 20 July 2012.
2. Receive and adopt financial statements and report for the year ended 30 April 2013.
3. Receive and adopt President's report.
4. Elect office bearers for the ensuing year (see below).
5. Attend to any other business that may be dealt with at the Annual General Meeting.
6. Adopt new Association Rules.

VICTORIAN AMATEUR PISTOL ASSOCIATION

Minutes of meeting of the Annual General Meeting of the Victorian Amateur Pistol Association, held at Melbourne International Shooting Club on Friday 20 July 2012 at 7:33pm.

CHAIRMAN:

Graeme Roberts occupied the chair and welcomed the members.

APOLOGIES: S Reynolds, C Whelan, B Hardy, N Stewart.

PREVIOUS MINUTES:

The minutes of the Annual General Meeting held on the 15 July 2011 were confirmed on the motion of R Camp, seconded R Maddocks. Carried

REPORTS:

President

The report was published in the July issue of the Victorian Pistol News.

Treasurer

The report was included with the July issue of the Victorian Pistol News.

It was moved A Howard, seconded P Davis "that the reports be accepted" Carried

Auditor

It was moved R Maddocks, seconded J Pyne that "R Bennet be reappointed for 2013" Carried

ELECTIONS:

G Roberts declared all positions vacant;

As there was only one nomination for the position of President, Graeme Roberts was declared elected.

As there was only one nomination for the position of 1st Vice President, Peter Davis was declared elected.

As there was only one nomination for the position of 2nd Vice President, Geoff Horton was declared elected.

As there was only one nomination for the position of Treasurer, Bob Maddocks was declared elected.

As there was only one nomination for the position of Executive Officer, Alex Eagle was declared elected.

Nominations were called from the floor for the position of Secretary.

Eddie Evans was nominated by G Horton, seconded V Galiabovitch and declared elected.

Closure: The meeting was declared closed at 7:38pm.

President's Report to the members of VAPA – July 2013
from Graeme Roberts

Treasurers Report

ELECTION OF OFFICE BEARERS:

The following members have been nominated for the positions as listed.

<u>Position</u>	<u>Nominee</u>	<u>Proposer</u>	<u>Secunder</u>
President	Graeme Roberts (Diamond Valley)	R Maddocks	G Horton
1st Vice President	Peter Davis (MISC)	R Johnson	D Bowron
2nd Vice President	Geoffrey Horton (ANZ)	P Rand	G R Roberts
Treasurer	Robert Maddocks (Diamond Valley)	G Horton	R Lester
Secretary	William Crossman (Mildura)	R Ellway	L Moncrieff
Secretary	John Scott (Yarra)	P Jenner	G R Roberts
Executive Officer	Sharon Reynolds (Oakleigh)	G L Roberts	G Horton

SPECIAL BUSINESS

The special business of the meeting is to consider and, if thought fit, to pass the following special resolutions. Under clause 38.1 of the current VAPA constitution and section 50 of the *Association Incorporation Reform Act 2012 (Vic)* resolution below shall not be passed unless carried by a majority of three quarters ($\frac{3}{4}$) of the votes of those Members present and entitled to vote.

Resolution:

That the existing constitution of VAPA be amended and replaced as per the marked up constitution attached to this notice.

Notes

The current constitution of the VAPA has not been reviewed or amended since July 2002. VAPA is an incorporated association under the *Association Incorporation Reform Act 2012 (Vic)* (Act). The current constitution of the VAPA is not compliant with the reforms that were introduced under the Act. The constitution put before the members ensures compliance with the Act.

**VICTORIAN AMATEUR PISTOL ASSOCIATION INC
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION AS AT 30TH APRIL 2013**

	<u>Note</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
<u>CURRENT ASSETS</u>			
Cash & Bank	2	438,505	422,088
Receivables	3	16,077	22,595
Inventories	4	<u>36,221</u>	<u>37,190</u>
TOTAL CURRENT ASSETS		<u>490,803</u>	<u>481,873</u>
<u>NON CURRENT ASSETS</u>			
Receivables	5	81,577	63,426
TOTAL NON CURRENT ASSETS		<u>81,577</u>	<u>63,426</u>
TOTAL ASSETS		<u>572,380</u>	<u>545,299</u>
<u>CURRENT LIABILITIES</u>			
Creditors & Borrowings	6	9,134	- 1,330
TOTAL CURRENT LIABILITIES		<u>9,134</u>	<u>- 1,330</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES		<u>9,134</u>	<u>- 1,330</u>
NET ASSETS		<u>563,246</u>	<u>546,629</u>
Total Members Funds		<u>563,246</u>	<u>546,629</u>

**VICTORIAN AMATEUR PISTOL ASSOCIATION INC
INCOME STATEMENT
FOR YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2013**

	2013 \$	2012 \$
<u>Income</u>		
Fees & Capitulations	134,931	121,969
Advertising Income	2,467	3,180
Interest received	16,980	19,008
Sales - Trading	50,631	57,279
State Referee Council	630	696
Government Grants	<u>20,900</u>	<u>16,350</u>
Total Income	<u>226,539</u>	<u>218,482</u>
<u>Cost of Sales</u>		
Target/Patches Purchases	39,444	44,114
Fund Raising Items	<u>6,387</u>	<u>8,569</u>
Total Cost of Sales	<u>45,831</u>	<u>52,683</u>
Total Income	<u>180,708</u>	<u>165,799</u>
<u>Expenses</u>		
Postage	339	112
Phone / Internet	1,090	1,302
Printing & Stationery	885	664
Travel & Accommodation	1,905	2,172
Audit & Accountancy Fees	2,861	2,500
Advertising & Promotions	2,619	72
Affiliations & Subscriptions	2,009	1,694
Competition Expenditure	5,928	12,859
New Members Kits	2,001	382
Fees, Charges & Taxes	215	221
Insurance	12,101	10,596
Rent Paid	215	215
Victorian Pistol News	19,783	19,669
Workcare & Superannuation	5,658	369
State Coaching Council	6,398	5,495
State Referee Council	2,538	2,093
Team Mgr costs (tfr to T/F)	4,145	265
ISSF Team Costs (Tfr to T/F)	39,994	30,842
IPSC Team Costs (Tfr to T/F)	5,165	1,145
1920 Team Costs (Tfr to T/F)	8,288	14,288
Small Bore Team Costs	1,527	3,254
Uniforms	1,831	4,147
Honoraria	35,656	40,023
Property / equipment	0	7,878
Legal fees	1,138	0
Bad Debts		521
Total Expenses	<u>164,089</u>	<u>162,778</u>
Operating profit	16,619	3,021
Members funds at the beginning of the period	546,629	543,608
Members funds at the end of the period	563,246	546,629



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NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2013

1. STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

This financial report is a special purpose financial report prepared in order to satisfy the financial reporting requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act (Victoria) 1981. The committee has determined that the association is not a reporting entity.

The financial report has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of the Associations Incorporation Act (Victoria) 1981. No Australian Accounting Standards, Australian Accounting Interpretations or other authoritative pronouncements of the Australian Accounting Standards Board have been applied.

The financial report has been prepared on an accruals basis and is based on historic costs and does not take into account changing money values or, except where specifically stated, current valuations of non-current assets.

The following material accounting policies, which are consistent with the previous period unless otherwise stated, have been adopted in the preparation of this financial report.

(a) FIXED ASSETS

All fixed assets are carried at cost less, where applicable, any accumulated depreciation.

The depreciable amount of all fixed assets are depreciated over the useful lives of the assets to the association commencing from the time the asset is held ready for use.

(b) INVENTORIES

All inventories are valued at the lower of cost and net realisable value.

(c) INCOME TAX

The Association is exempt from income tax.

(d) GOODS & SERVICES TAX

The Association is registered for Goods & Services Tax.

VICTORIAN AMATEUR PISTOL ASSOCIATION INC
NOTES TO THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS FOR THE
YEAR ENDED 30 APRIL 2013

2.	<u>CASH</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
		\$	\$
	General Account	\$ 4,978	27,669
	Cash Management Account	\$ 33,166	104,949
	Online Savers Account	\$ 110,891	-
	Term Deposit - Fighting Fund	\$ 120,000	120,000
	Term Deposit - Fighting Fund	\$ 168,470	168,470
	Petty Cash Floats	\$ 1,000	1,000
		<u>\$ 438,505</u>	<u>422,088</u>

3.	<u>RECEIVABLES</u>		
	Debtors	\$ 16,077	22,595
	LESS Provision for Bad Debts	\$ -	-
		<u>\$ 16,077</u>	<u>22,595</u>

4.	<u>INVENTORIES</u>		
	Targets & Patches	\$ 28,113	27,550
	Fund Raising Stock	\$ 8,108	9,640
		<u>\$ 36,221</u>	<u>37,190</u>

5.	<u>RECEIVABLES - NON CURRENT ASSETS</u>		
	Loan - Ballarat Pistol Club	\$ 7,956	12,818
	Loan - Beaconsfield Pistol Club	\$ 9,683	14,047
	Loan - Mountain District Pistol Club	\$ 63,938	36,561
		<u>81,577</u>	<u>63,426</u>

6.	<u>CURRENT LIABILITIES</u>		
	<u>- CREDITORS & BORROWINGS</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
		\$	\$
	Capitation Fees	\$ 8,566	3,551
	GST, PAYG & Superannuation	\$ 568	(4,881)
	Sundry Creditors	\$ -	-
		<u>\$ 9,134</u>	<u>(1,330)</u>

7. EVENTS SUBSEQUENT TO BALANCE DATE

Since the balance date no significant events have occurred which are likely to have an effect on the associations operations.

8. REMUNERATION OF COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Number of committee members whose income from the association was within the following bands:

	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
\$0 - \$9999	1	1
\$10000 - \$25,000	2	2
The aggregate remuneration of the committee members referred to in the above bands was	\$ 35,656	\$35,895

9. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS

Transactions between related parties are on normal commercial terms.

VICTORIAN AMATEUR PISTOL ASSOCIATION

RULES

March 2013

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STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

The role of the Victorian Amateur Pistol Association (Association) is to manage the sport and recreation of pistol and revolver shooting in all its forms and disciplines and to support and facilitate competitions, events and activities through the provision of support services and to promote and encourage all aspects of recreational shooting to its members and the general community.

POWERS

Solely for the objective of furthering the purpose the Association has all the rights, powers and privileges conferred on it under the Act, in particular but not only Part 4.

RULES

NAME

1 The name of the incorporated association is VICTORIAN AMATEUR PISTOL ASSOCIATION INC (“Association”).

INTERPRETATION

2.1 In these rules, unless the contrary intentional appears:

“Capitation Fee” means a prescribed fee per member of each affiliated club, payable to the Association by the due date, which entitles such member to the privileges of the Association.

“Club” means a target shooting club which, has applied for and been granted affiliation with the Association.

“Committee” means the Committee of Management of the Association.

“Delegate” means a person who is a member of a club and is properly appointed to represent that club at meetings of the Association.

“Financial year” means the year ending on 30 April.

“Member” means a person who is a member of an approved target shooting club which is affiliated with the Association and whose capitation fee has been paid to the Association.

“Ordinary Member of the Committee” means a member of the Committee who is not an officer of the Association under rule 22.

“Proxy” means a person who is a member and is properly appointed to represent another member at an Annual or Special General Meeting.

“Proxy Delegate” means a person who is a member of a club and is properly appointed to represent a club other than the club of which he is a member at Committee Meetings.

[Endnotes--which are indicated by superscript numbers and which provide further information about the subject, but are not part of the Rules, have been included at the end of the document.]

“Secretary” means the person who is for the, time being the secretary, of the Association under these Rules and Part 6 of the Act.¹

“The Act” means the Associations Incorporation Reform Act currently in force.

“The Regulations” means the Regulations under the Act.

2.3 Words or expressions contained in these rules shall be interpreted in accordance with the provisions of the *Interpretations of Legislation Act 1984 and the Act as in force from time to time.*

MEMBERSHIP

3.1 A natural person who is nominated and approved for membership as provided in these rules is eligible to be a member of the Association on payment of the fees payable under these rules.

3.2 A person who is not a member of the Association at the time of the incorporation of the Association (or who was such a member at that time but has ceased to be a member) shall not be admitted to membership:

(a) unless he has been admitted to membership of a club; and

(b) such admission has been notified to the Association in accordance with these rules.

3.3 Affiliated clubs shall use the form as prescribed by the Committee from time to time for the enrolment of persons applying to join the affiliated pistol club.

3.4 A person is entitled to the privileges of the Association only by virtue of the fact that he is a member of a Club and full capitation fees have been paid to the Association in respect to that person.

3.5 A right, privilege or obligation of a person by reason of his membership of the Association:

(A) IS NOT CAPABLE OF BEING TRANSFERRED OR TRANSMITTED TO ANOTHER PERSON; AND

(B) TERMINATES UPON THE CESSATION OF HIS MEMBERSHIP WHETHER BY DEATH OR RESIGNATION OR OTHERWISE.

3.6 ALL MEMBERS MAY BY VIRTUE OF MEMBERSHIP OF THE ASSOCIATION AND SUBJECT TO THIS CONSTITUTION:

(A) EXPRESS IN WRITING OR OTHERWISE THEIR VIEWS AND OPINIONS IN ANY

MEETING IN RESPECT OF WHICH THEY ARE ENTITLED TO PARTICIPATE IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS CONSTITUTION;

(B) MAKE PROPOSALS OR SUBMISSIONS TO THE BOARD;

(C) ENGAGE AND PARTICIPATE IN ANY ACTIVITY APPROVED, SPONSORED OR RECOGNISED BY THE ASSOCIATION; AND

(D) CONDUCT ANY ACTIVITY APPROVED BY THE ASSOCIATION.

4.1 An amateur target shooting club located in Victoria, whether incorporated or not, may apply for affiliation with the Association.

4.2 An application for affiliation by an amateur target shooting club:

(A) SHALL BE LODGED WITH THE SECRETARY;

(B) SHALL BE MADE IN WRITING IN THE FORM SET OUT IN **ANNEXURE A**;

(C) **SHALL BE ACCOMPANIED BY ONE COPY OF THE RULES OR CONSTITUTION OF THE APPLICANT CLUB; AND**

(D) **SHALL BE ACCOMPANIED BY PROPERLY COMPLETED COPIES OF ALL FORMS, APPLICATIONS, CERTIFICATES AND LISTS AS MAY BE REQUIRED BY THE ASSOCIATION AND THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF VICTORIA POLICE OR HIS PROPERLY DELEGATED OFFICER.**

4.3 Approval of such application for affiliation shall be decided by a majority vote of the Committee.

4.4 The Association may approve or reject the application for affiliation of any club, or may direct any club to reject any application by a person for membership of that club. Reasons need not be given for any approval or rejection under this clause.

4.5 Upon an application for affiliation by a club being approved, the Secretary shall cause to be entered the particulars of the club and its members into the relevant registers of the Association.

4.6 Where it has been decided to approve or reject an application for affiliation by a club, the Secretary shall, as soon as practical, notify the club of that approval or rejection.

4.7 A right, privilege, or obligation of a club by reason of its affiliation with the Association:

(A) **IS NOT CAPABLE OF BEING TRANSFERRED OR TRANSMITTED TO ANOTHER CLUB; AND**

(B) **TERMINATES UPON CESSATION OF THE CLUB'S AFFILIATION WHETHER BY RESIGNATION OR OTHERWISE.**

5.1 The Association from time to time may, in general meeting, confer upon persons, whether or not members of affiliated clubs, the title of Patron or of Honorary Life Member.

5.2 Patron. On the recommendation of the Committee a general meeting may confer upon any person, whether or not a member of an affiliated club, the title of Patron. This shall be considered to be a position of honour.

5.3 Honorary Life Member. On the recommendation of the Committee a general meeting may confer upon any person, whether or not a member of an affiliated club, the title of Honorary Life Member. This is a position of honour which may be granted in recognition of service to the sport of target shooting and to the Association.

SUBSCRIPTIONS

6.1 Each Club shall annually pay to the Association a capitation fee for each member of the affiliated club.

Any affiliation fee and the capitation fee shall be determined by the Committee from time to time, and shall fall due on 1 November and shall be paid on or before 31 December in each year.

6.2 The capitation fee for the ensuing financial year shall be determined and advised to affiliated clubs not later than 13 April in any year.

6.3 No fees or levies shall be payable by or on behalf of a Patron or an Honorary Life Member of the Association.

6.4 Any club not having paid by 31 January the full affiliation and capitation fees which fell due on the previous 1 November shall immediately be deprived of all privileges until all fees are paid.

6.5 The Committee may, by resolution, add a surcharge for late payment of any fees.

6.6 The Committee may, by resolution, impose levies for specific purposes which must be fully stated.

6.7 All levies must be paid within three (3) months of the date upon which the levy was set.

6.8 The Committee may, by resolution, add a surcharge for late payment of levies.

REGISTER OF MEMBERS

7.1 The Association shall keep and maintain a register of affiliated Clubs.

7.2 The Association shall keep and maintain a register of members in which shall be entered the full name, address, date of entry of each member, date of birth, residential address, postal address, Club through which the member is capitated and such other information as may be directed by the Committee.

7.3 Not later than 30 days after becoming aware of any variation of the matters set put in **clause 7.2, each Club shall advise the Association the details of such variation in the manner required by the Committee together with the appropriate fee as determined by the Committee from time to time.**

CESSATION OF AFFILIATION OR MEMBERSHIP

8.1 A Club which has paid all monies due and payable by it to the Association ceases to be affiliated with the Association if it is dissolved or is expelled from the Association.

8.2 Upon expiration of the period of notice, the Club shall cease to be affiliated.

8.3 Upon receipt of a notice from a club of the resignation of a member from that Club, the Secretary shall make in the register of members an entry recording the date on which the resignation took place.

DISCIPLINE OF MEMBERS

9.1 Subject to these rules, the Committee may by resolution:

(A) **EXPEL A CLUB OR MEMBER FROM THE ASSOCIATION;**

(B) **SUSPEND A CLUB OR MEMBER FROM MEMBERSHIP OF THE ASSOCIATION FOR A SPECIFIED PERIOD; OR**

(C) **FINE A CLUB OR MEMBER IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE REGULATIONS;**²

if the Committee is of the opinion that the Club or member:

(D) **HAS REFUSED OR NEGLECTED TO COMPLY WITH THESE RULES, OR**

(E) **HAS BEEN GUILTY OF CONDUCT WHICH IS DEEMED TO BE PREJUDICIAL TO THE INTERESTS OF THE ASSOCIATION.**

9.2 A resolution of the Committee under **clause 9.1:**

(A) **DOES NOT TAKE EFFECT UNLESS THE ASSOCIATION, AT THE NEXT COMMITTEE MEETING, HELD NOT LESS THAN 14 DAYS AFTER THE SERVICE ON THE CLUB OR MEMBER OF A NOTICE UNDER **CLAUSE 9.3 CONFIRMS THE RESOLUTION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS CLAUSE; AND****

(B) **WHERE THE CLUB OR MEMBER EXERCISES A RIGHT OF APPEAL TO A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING THIS CLAUSE DOES NOT TAKE EFFECT UNLESS THE SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING CONFIRMS THE RESOLUTION IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS CLAUSE.**

9.3 Where the Committee passes a resolution under **clause 9.1, the Secretary shall as soon as practical, cause to be served on the committee of the club or the member a notice in writing:**

(A) **SETTING OUT THE RESOLUTION OF THE COMMITTEE AND THE GROUNDS ON WHICH IT IS BASED;**

(B) **STATING THAT THE COMMITTEE OR THE MEMBER MAY ADDRESS THE COMMITTEE AT A MEETING TO BE HELD NOT EARLIER THAN 14 AND NOT LATER THAN 35 DAYS AFTER SERVICE OF THE NOTICE;**

(C) **STATING THE DATE, PLACE AND TIME OF THAT MEETING;**

(D) **INFORMING THE CLUB OR MEMBER THAT THEY OR HE MAY DO ONE OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING:**

(I) **ATTEND THE MEETING;**

(II) **GIVE TO THE COMMITTEE BEFORE THE DATE OF THAT MEETING A WRIT-**

TEN STATEMENT SEEKING REVOCATION OF THE RESOLUTION; AND

- (III) NOT LATER THAN 48 HOURS BEFORE THE DATE OF THE MEETING, LODGE WITH THE SECRETARY A NOTICE TO THE EFFECT THAT THEY OR HE WISHES TO APPEAL TO THE ASSOCIATION IN GENERAL MEETING AGAINST THE RESOLUTION.

- 9.4 At a meeting of the Committee held in accordance with **clause 9.3, the Committee:**
- (A) SHALL GIVE TO THE COMMITTEE OF THE CLUB .OR MEMBER AN OPPORTUNITY TO BE HEARD:
 - (B) SHALL GIVE DUE CONSIDERATION TO ANY WRITTEN STATEMENT SUBMITTED BY THE CLUB OR MEMBER, AND
 - (C) SHALL BY RESOLUTION DETERMINE WHETHER TO CONFIRM OR TO REVOKE THE RESOLUTION.
- 9.5 Where the Secretary receives a notice under **clause 9.3(d)(iii)**, he shall notify the Committee and the Committee shall convene a special general meeting of the Association to be held within thirty-five days after the date on which the Secretary received the notice.
- 9.6 At a special general meeting of the Association convened under clause 9.5:
- (A) NO BUSINESS OTHER THAN THE QUESTION OF THE APPEAL SHALL BE TRANSACTED;
 - (B) THE COMMITTEE MAY PLACE BEFORE THE MEETING DETAILS OF THE GROUNDS OF THE RESOLUTION AND DIE REASON FOR PASSING OF THE RESOLUTION;
 - (C) THE CLUB OR MEMBER SHALL BE GIVEN AN OPPORTUNITY TO BE HEARD; AND
 - (D) THE MEMBERS PRESENT SHALL VOTE BY SECRET BALLOT ON THE QUESTION WHETHER THE RESOLUTION SHOULD BE CONFIRMED, OR REVOKED.
- 9.7 If at the general meeting:
- (A) TWO-THIRDS OF THE MEMBERS VOTE IN PERSON IN FAVOUR OF THE CONFIRMATION OF THE RESOLUTION, THE RESOLUTION IS CONFIRMED; AND
 - (B) IN ANY OTHER CASE, THE RESOLUTION IS REVOKED.

GENERAL MEETINGS

- 10.1 The Association shall in each calendar year convene an annual general meeting of the members.
- 10.2 The annual general meeting shall be held on such day as the Committee determines.
- 10.3 The annual general meeting shall be specified as such in the notice convening it.
- 10.4 The ordinary business of the annual general meeting shall be:
- (A) TO CONFIRM THE MINUTES OF THE LAST PRECEDING ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING AND OF ANY SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING HELD SINCE THAT MEETING;
 - (B) TO RECEIVE FROM THE COMMITTEE REPORTS UPON THE TRANSACTIONS ASSOCIATION DURING THE LAST PRECEDING FINANCIAL YEAR;
 - (C) TO ELECT OFFICERS OF THE ASSOCIATION; AND
 - (D) TO RECEIVE AND CONSIDER THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SUBMITTED BY THE ASSOCIATION IN ACCORDANCE WITH PART 7 OF THE ACT.³
- 10.5 The annual general meeting may transact special business of which notice is given in accordance with these rules.
- 10.6 The annual general meeting shall be in addition to any other general meetings that may be held in the same year.
- 10.7 The instrument of appointment of a proxy to an annual general meeting or special general meeting shall be in the form as set out in **Annexure B of these rules and shall be signed by the member making the appointment.**

SPECIAL GENERAL MEETINGS

- 11 All general meetings other than the annual general meeting shall be special general meetings.
- 12.1 The Committee may, whenever it thinks fit, convene a special general meeting of the Association and, where, but for this sub-clause, more than fifteen months would elapse between annual general meetings, shall convene a special general meeting before expiration of that period.
- 12.2 The Committee shall, on the requisition in writing of not less than 5 per cent of the total members of the Association, convene a special general meeting of the Association.
- 12.3 The requisition for a special general meeting in **clause 12.2 shall state the objects of the meeting and shall be signed by the members making the requisition and be sent to the address of the Secretary and may consist of several documents in a like form, each signed by one or more of the members making the requisition.**
- 12.4 **If the Committee does not cause a special general meeting to be held within six weeks after the date on which the requisition is sent to the address of the Secretary, the members making the requisition, or any of them, may convene a special general meeting to be held no later than three months after that date.**
- 12.5 **A special general meeting convened by members in pursuance of these rules shall be convened in the same manner as nearly as possible as that in which those meetings are convened by the Committee and all reasonable expenses incurred in convening the meeting shall be refunded by the Association to the persons incurring the expense.**

NOTICE OF MEETINGS

- 13.1 A Club or member desiring to bring any business before an annual general meeting or a special general meeting shall, not less than 63 days prior to the date set for the meeting, give notice of that business in writing to the Secretary who shall include that business in the notice calling the annual general meeting or special general meeting next after the receipt after notice.
- 13.2 The Secretary shall, at least 14 days or, if a special resolution is proposed, 21 days before the date fixed for holding the annual general meeting or a special general meeting of the Association, cause to be sent to each member of the Association at the address appearing in the register of members, a notice by prepaid post stating the place, date and time of the meeting and the nature of the business to be transacted at the meeting.
- 13.3 No business other than that set out in the notice convening the meeting shall be transacted at the meeting.
- 13.4 Any member having placed any business on notice for an annual general meeting or a special general meeting in accordance with **clause 13.1 shall have the right to attend that meeting and speak on that business.**

PROCEEDINGS AT ANNUAL OR SPECIAL GENERAL MEETINGS

- 14.1 All business that is transacted at a special general meeting and all business that is transacted at the annual general meeting with the exception of that specially referred to in these rules as being the ordinary business of the annual general meeting shall be deemed to be special business.
- 14.2 No item of business shall be transacted at a general meeting unless a quorum of members entitled under these rules to vote is present during the time when the meeting is considering that item
- 14.3 Not less than fifteen (15) members of the Association personally present (being members entitled under these rules to vote at a general meeting) constitute a quorum for the transaction of the business of a general meeting.
- 14.4 If within half an hour after the appointed time for the commencement of a general meeting, a quorum is not present, the meeting if convened upon the requisition of members shall be dissolved and in any other case shall stand adjourned to the same day in the next week at the same time and (unless another place is specified by the Chairman at the time of adjournment or by written to members given before the day to which the meeting is adjourned) at the same place and if at the adjourned meeting the quorum is not present within half an hour after the time appointed for the commencement of the meeting, the meeting shall be dissolved.
- 14.5 A member not physically present at a general meeting may participate in the meeting by the use of technology that allows that member and the members present at the meeting to clearly and simultaneously communicate with each other.
- 14.6 A member participating in a general meeting as permitted under **clause 14.5 is taken to be present at the meeting and, if the member votes at the meeting, is taken to have voted in person.**
- 15.1 **The President or in his absence the First Vice-President shall preside; or**
- 15.2 **If the President and the First Vice President are absent, the Second Vice-President shall preside; or**
- 15.3 **If the President and the First and Second Vice-Presidents are absent, the members present shall elect one of the remaining members of the Committee to preside as Chairman of the meeting.**
- 16.1 **The Chairman of a general meeting at which quorum is present may, with the consent of the meeting, adjourn the meeting from time to time and place to place, but no business shall be transacted at an adjourned meeting other than the business left unfinished at the meeting at which the adjournment took place.**
- 16.2 **Where a meeting is adjourned for fourteen days or more, a like notice of the adjourned meeting shall be given as in the case of the general meeting.**
- 16.3 **Except provided in clauses 16.1 and 16.2, it is not necessary to give notice of an adjourned meeting or of the business to be transacted at the adjourned meeting.**

- 17 A question arising at a general meeting of the Association shall be determined by a poll, a declaration by the Chairman that a resolution has, been carried or carried unanimously, or carried by a particular majority or lost, and an entry to that effect in the Minute book of the Association is evidence of the fact, without proof of the number or proportion of the voted recorded in favour of, or against, the resolution.
- 18.1 All votes shall be given personally or by proxy.
- 18.2 In the case of voting on a question, the Chairman of the meeting is entitled to a second or casting vote which he shall exercise so as to maintain the status quo.
- 19 A member is not entitled to vote at a general meeting unless all the moneys due and payable by him to the Association have been paid.

COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT

- 20.1 The affairs of the Association shall be managed by a Committee constituted as provided in **clause 22**.
- 20.2 The Committee:**
- (A) SHALL CONTROL AND MANAGE THE BUSINESS AND AFFAIRS OF THE ASSOCIATION;
 - (B) MAY, SUBJECT TO THESE RULES, THE REGULATIONS AND THE ACT, EXERCISE ALL SUCH POWERS AND FUNCTIONS AS MAY BE EXERCISED BY THE ASSOCIATION OTHER THAN THOSE POWERS AND FUNCTIONS THAT ARE REQUIRED BY THESE RULES TO BE EXERCISED BY GENERAL MEETINGS OF THE ASSOCIATION; AND
 - (C) SUBJECT TO THESE RULES, THE REGULATIONS AND THE ACT, HAS POWER TO PERFORM ALL SUCH ACTS AND THINGS AS APPEAR TO THE COMMITTEE TO BE ESSENTIAL FOR THE PROPER MANAGEMENT OF THE BUSINESS AND AFFAIRS OF THE ASSOCIATION.
- 21.1 The officers of the Association shall be:
- (A) A PRESIDENT;
 - (B) A FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT;
 - (C) A SECOND VICE-PRESIDENT;
 - (D) A TREASURER;
 - (E) A SECRETARY; AND
 - (F) AN EXECUTIVE OFFICER.
- 21.2 The provisions of **clause 23** so far as they are applicable and with necessary modifications, apply in relation to the election of the persons of any offices mentioned in **clause 21.1**.
- 21.3 Each officer shall be elected at the annual general meeting of the Association in each year.
- 21.4 Each officer of the Association shall, subject to these rules, hold office until the annual general meeting next after the date of his election but is eligible for re-election.
- 21.5 In the event of a casual vacancy occurring in any office of the Association, the Committee may appoint a member of the Association to fill the vacancy and the member appointed shall hold office, subject to these rules, until the conclusion of the annual general meeting next following the date of his appointment.
- 22. The Committee shall consist of:**
- 22.1 The Officers of the Association, each of whom shall be elected at the annual general meeting of the Association each year, and
 - 22.2 Two delegates appointed by each Club in accordance with **clause 25**.
- 23.1 Nominations of candidates for election as officers of the Association -**
- (a) shall be made in writing by two members to the Association and accompanied by the written consent of the candidate (which may be endorsed on the form of nomination); and
 - (b) shall be delivered to the Secretary of the Association not less than 42 days before the date fixed for holding of the annual general meeting.
- 23.2 Not more than two full members of any one club as shown in the register of members shall be elected as officers of the Association.

- 23.3 In determining the eligibility of members to be appointed as officers of the Association, the positions shall be determined in the order shown in **clause 21.1.**
- 23.4 **If insufficient nominations are received to fill all the offices of the Association, the candidates nominated shall be deemed to be elected and further nominations shall be received at the annual general meeting.**
- 23.5 **If the number of nominations received is equal to the number of vacancies to be filled, the persons nominated shall be deemed to be elected.**
- 23.6 **If the number of nominations exceeds the number of vacancies to be filled, a ballot shall be held.**
- 23.7 **The ballot for the election of officers of the Association shall be conducted at the annual general meeting by preferential secret ballot.**
- 23.8 **The election of a candidate under this clause shall not be invalidated by virtue of being nominated for another office at the same election.**
- 24 **For the purposes of these rules, the office an officer of the Association or a member of the Committee shall become vacant if the officer or member:**
- (A) CEASES TO BE MEMBER OF A CLUB;
- (B) BECOMES AN INSOLVENT UNDER ADMINISTRATION WITHIN THE MEANING OF THE CORPORATIONS ACT; OR
- (C) RESIGNS HIS OFFICE BY NOTICE IN WRITING TO THE SECRETARY.

DELEGATES TO THE ASSOCIATION

- 25.1 Each club may appoint not more than two delegates or not more than two proxy delegates to represent the Club at Committee meetings of the Association.
- 25.2 The instrument of appointment of a delegate and proxy delegate to the Committee shall be in the form as set out in **Annexure C of these rules and shall be signed by the president or secretary of the Club making the appointment.**
- 25.3 **A member shall not act as a proxy delegate for more than two (2) affiliated Clubs. However, if appointed as a delegate of the club of which he is shown to be a member in the register of members, he may act as a proxy delegate for not more than one other affiliated Club.**
- 25.4 **The appointment of a delegate or proxy delegate shall remain in force until terminated in writing by the president or secretary of the Club which made the appointment.**
- 25.5 **Members under the age of eighteen (18) years shall not be appointed as a delegate or proxy delegate to meetings of the Association.**
- 25.6 **At Committee meetings of the Association, each Club shall have one (1) vote for each twenty five (25) members or part thereof contained in the register of members and may register it's vote on any issue through one only of its delegates or proxy delegates or, in respect to motions on notice by letter delivered to the Secretary before the commencement of the meeting.**
- 25.7 **Should a delegate be elected as an officer of the Association, he shall forthwith cease to be a delegate and the club he represented shall thereupon be entitled to nominate another delegate in his place.**
- 25.8 **A delegate is not entitled to vote at a Committee meeting unless all moneys due and payable by his club to the Association have been paid.**
- 25.9 **The officers of the Association shall not be a delegate or proxy delegate, but shall be permitted to cast proxy votes when appointed to do so.**

COMMITTEE MEETINGS

- 26.1 The Committee shall meet at least 6 times in each year at such place and such times as the Committee may determine.
- 26.2 Notice of such meetings shall be given to affiliated clubs and shall accompany or be included in the minutes of the previous Committee or general meeting.
- 26.3 From time to time, a Committee meeting may be held at a country location at or close to that of a pistol Club.
- 26.4 A Club desiring to include any business on the agenda of a Committee meeting shall give notice in writing of that business to the Secretary so as to be received by him not less than five business days prior to the date appointed for the Committee meeting.
- 26.5 The Chairman or a majority of delegates may decide that a motion shall be put on notice if it concerns an issue considered to be contentious or upon which clubs may be likely to wish to register a vote.
- 27.1 Twelve members of the Committee, not less than two (2) of whom shall be officers, constitute a quorum for the transaction of business of a meeting of the Committee.
- 27.2 No business shall be transacted unless a quorum is present and if within half an hour of the time appointed for the meeting a quorum is not present the meeting shall stand adjourned to the same place and at the same hour of the same day in the following week unless the meeting was a special meeting in which case it lapses.
- 27.3 At meetings of the Committee:
- (A) THE PRESIDENT OR IN HIS ABSENCE THE FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT SHALL PRE-

SIDE; OR

- (B) IF THE PRESIDENT AND THE FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT ARE ABSENT, THE SECOND VICE-PRESIDENT SHALL PRESIDE; OR
- (C) IF THE PRESIDENT AND THE FIRST AND SECOND VICE-PRESIDENTS ARE ABSENT, SUCH ONE OF THE REMAINING MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE AS MAY BE CHOSEN BY THE MEMBERS PRESENT SHALL PRESIDE.

- 27.4 Question arising at a meeting of the Committee or of any sub-committee appointed by the Committee shall be determined by a show of hands or, if demanded, by a poll.
- 27.5 One delegate from each Club present at a Committee meeting may register multiple votes not exceeding the number as determined under **clause 25.6 and each officer is entitled to one vote and, in the event of an equality of votes on any question, the person presiding is entitled to a second or casting vote which he shall exercise to maintain the status quo.**
- 27.6 Subject to clause 27.3 the Committee may act notwithstanding any vacancy on the Committee.**
- 27.7 Special meetings of the Committee may be convened by the President, or by any four of the members of the Committee, or by requisition of not less than 10 present of the clubs.**
- 27.8 Notice shall be given to officers and to clubs of any special meeting specifying the general nature of the business to be transacted and no other business shall be transacted at such a meeting.**

OFFICERS OF THE ASSOCIATION

- 28.1 The President shall act as the Chairman of all meetings of the Association at which he is present, and shall be a member ex-officio of all standing and ad-hoc sub-committees.
- 28.2 The First Vice-President shall perform the duties of the President in his absence or at his request.
- 28.3 The Second Vice-President shall perform the duties of the President in the absence of the President and the First Vice-President.
- 28.4 The First and Second Vice Presidents shall perform such other duties and responsibilities as directed from time to time by the President or the Officers of the association.
- 29.1 The Secretary of the Association shall keep minutes of the resolutions and proceedings of each general meeting and each Committee meeting in books provided for that purpose together with records of the names of persons present at such meetings.
- 29.2 The Secretary or other nominated officer shall liaise between the Association and the Victoria Police Department.
- 29.3 The Secretary shall be a member ex-officio of all standing or ad-hoc sub-committees.
- 29.4 THE SECRETARY MUST GIVE THE REGISTRAR NOTICE OF HIS OR HER APPOINTMENT AS SECRETARY WITHIN 14 DAYS AFTER THE APPOINTMENT.**
- 29.5 IF THE POSITION OF SECRETARY BECOMES VACANT, THE COMMITTEE MUST SUBJECT TO THESE RULES APPOINT A PERSON TO THE POSITION WITHIN FOURTEEN (14) DAYS AFTER THE VACANCY ARISES.**
- 30.1 The Treasurer of the Association:
 - (A) **SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE COLLECTION AND RECEIPT OF ALL MONEYS DUE TO THE ASSOCIATION AND SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR MAKING ALL PAYMENTS AUTHORISED BY THE ASSOCIATION;**
 - (B) **SHALL ENSURE THAT ALL MONIES COLLECTED ARE, WITHIN FOURTEEN (14) DAYS OF COLLECTION, DEPOSITED INTO A BANK APPROVED BY THE COMMITTEE;**
 - (C) **SHALL ENSURE THAT CORRECT ACCOUNTS SHOWING ALL THE FINANCIAL AFFAIRS OF THE ASSOCIATION WITH FULL DETAILS OF ALL RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE CONNECTED WITH THE ACTIVITIES OF THE ASSOCIATION ARE MAINTAINED; AND**
 - (D) **SHALL BE DIRECTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR ENSURING THAT THE ASSOCIATION ADHERES TO ALL FINANCIAL STATUTORY REQUIREMENTS AS IMPOSED FROM TIME TO TIME BY THE AUSTRALIAN TAXATION OFFICE AND OTHER SUCH REGULATORY BODIES.**
- 30.2 The accounts and books referred to in **clause 30.1 shall be available for inspection by members at**

reasonable times.

31 **The Executive Officer of the Association shall represent the Association on the executive committee of Pistol Australia Inc. and shall be responsible to the Committee to which he shall report on all business of the executive committee.**

32 **A Technical Liaison Officer will be appointed:**

(A) BY THE COMMITTEE, ON THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE OFFICERS OF THE ASSOCIATION, AND

(B) FOR AN UNSPECIFIED TERM, SUBJECT TO ON-GOING REGULAR (MINIMUM ANNUAL) REVIEW BY THE OFFICERS OF THE ASSOCIATION, AND

(C) THE APPOINTMENT MAY BE TERMINATED BY THE COMMITTEE, BUT CONSULTATION BETWEEN THE OFFICERS OF THE ASSOCIATION AND THE APPOINTEE MUST FIRST BE DOCUMENTED, OR BY THE RESIGNATION OF THE APPOINTEE.

(d) **The Technical Liaison Officer will have the following duties:**

(I) SHALL BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ADVISING AFFILIATED CLUBS ON MATTERS PERTAINING TO RANGE SAFETY AND CONSTRUCTION REQUIREMENTS IF AND WHEN REQUESTED BY THE CLUBS OR THE COMMITTEE OR AT HIS OWN INSTIGATION;

(II) SHALL, TOGETHER WITH THE SECRETARY OF THE ASSOCIATION, LIAISE WITH THE VICTORIA POLICE ON MATTERS OF RANGE SAFETY, CONSTRUCTION OR OTHER RELATED MATTERS IF AND WHEN REQUESTED BY THE CLUBS OR THE COMMITTEE OR THE VICTORIA POLICE OR AT HIS OWN INSTIGATION.

REMOVAL OF OFFICER

33.1 The Association in general meeting may by resolution remove any officer of the Association before expiration of his term of office and appoint another member in his stead to hold office until the expiration of the term of the first-mentioned member.

33.2 Where the member to whom a proposed resolution referred to in **clause 33.1 makes representations in writing to the Secretary or President of the Association (not exceeding a reasonable length) and requests that they be notified to the affiliated clubs, the Secretary or the President may send a copy of the representations to each club or, if they are not so sent, the member may require that they be read at the meeting.**

AUDITOR

34 The Committee shall appoint an Auditor who shall be a Certified Practising Accountant or Chartered Accountant. The Auditor shall certify the accuracy of the financial statements presented to the annual general meeting by the Treasurer and shall conduct any financial investigations required by the Association.

POWERS OF THE COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT

35. All cheques, drafts, bills of exchange, promissory notes and other negotiable instruments of value less than five hundred dollars or such other figure as may be determined from time to time by the Committee, may be signed by the Treasurer alone, and all such documents of value exceeding the stated value shall be signed by two officers of the Association.

36.1 The common seal of the Association shall be kept in the custody of the Secretary.

36.2 The common seal shall not be affixed to any instrument except by the authority of the Committee and the affixing of the common seal shall be attested by the signatures either of two members of the Committee or of one member of the Committee and the Public Officer of the Association.

37 The Association may employ staff who shall be managed by the Secretary as part of his duties.

38.1 These rules shall not be altered except in accordance with the Act.

38.2 When any Club constitution or rule is in any way inconsistent with the Association's rules the latter shall prevail and the former shall to the extent of the inconsistency be invalid and will not be recognised by the Association.

39.1 A notice may be served by or on behalf of the Association upon any member either personally or by sending it by post or electronic mail to the member at his address shown in the Register of Members.

39.2 Where a document is properly addressed prepaid and posted to a person as a letter, the document shall, unless the contrary is proved, be deemed to have been given to the person at the time at which the letter would have been delivered in the normal course of post.

SUB-COMMITTEES

- 40.1 The Association may form one or more standing or ad-hoc sub-committees.
- 40.2 The Committee may delegate such powers as it deems appropriate to any standing or ad-hoc sub-committee so formed.
- 40.3 All sub-committees shall conduct their business at the direction of the Committee and shall report their proceedings in writing to the Committee.

WINDING UP

- 41.1 In the event of the voluntary winding up by special resolution, the assets of the Association shall, subject to any trust affecting the assets or any of them, be given or transferred to some other institution or institutions having purposes similar to the purposes of the Association and which shall prohibit the distribution of its or their income and property amongst its or their members to an extent at least as great as is imposed on this Association.
- 41.2 In the event of wind up under other provisions or the cancellation of the incorporation of the Association, the assets of the Association shall be disposed of in accordance with the provisions of the Act.5

GENERAL

- 42.1 Except as otherwise provided in these Rules, the Secretary shall keep in his custody or under his control all books, documents and securities of the Association.
- 42.2 IF REQUESTED BY A MEMBER, THE COMMITTEE MUST PERMIT SUCH MEMBER TO INSPECT:
 - (A) THE RULES OF THE ASSOCIATION;
 - (B) THE MINUTES OF EACH GENERAL MEETING.
- 42.3 UPON WRITTEN REQUEST AND PAYMENT OF A FEE DETERMINED BY THE COMMITTEE FROM TIME TO TIME, A MEMBER MAY OBTAIN A COPY OF THE DOCUMENTS LISTED AT **RULE 42.2**.
- 43 The funds of the Association shall be:
 - (a) derived from entrance fees, annual subscriptions, capitation fees, levies and such other sources; and
 - (b) managed;as the Association determines from time to time.

GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE

- 44 THE GRIEVANCE PROCEDURE SET OUT IN THIS RULE APPLIES TO DISPUTES UNDER THIS CONSTITUTION BETWEEN:
 - (A) A MEMBER AND ANOTHER MEMBER; OR
 - (B) A MEMBER AND THE ASSOCIATION.
- 45 THE PARTIES TO THE DISPUTE MUST MEET AND DISCUSS THE MATTER IN DISPUTE, AND, IF POSSIBLE, RESOLVE THE DISPUTE WITHIN FOURTEEN DAYS AFTER THE DISPUTE COMES TO THE ATTENTION OF ALL OF THE PARTIES.
- 46 IF THE PARTIES ARE UNABLE TO RESOLVE THE DISPUTE AT THE MEETING, OR IF A PARTY FAILS TO ATTEND THAT MEETING, THEN THE PARTIES MUST, WITHIN 10 DAYS, HOLD A MEETING IN THE PRESENCE OF A MEDIATOR.
- 47 THE MEDIATOR MUST BE:
 - (A) A PERSON CHOSEN BY AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE PARTIES; OR
 - (B) IN THE ABSENCE OF AGREEMENT:
 - (I) IN THE CASE OF A DISPUTE BETWEEN A MEMBER AND ANOTHER MEMBER, A PERSON APPOINTED BY THE BOARD ; OR
 - (II) IN THE CASE OF A DISPUTE BETWEEN A MEMBER AND THE ASSOCIATION , A PERSON WHO IS A MEDIATOR APPOINTED OR EMPLOYED BY THE DISPUTE SETTLEMENT CENTRE OF VICTORIA (DEPARTMENT OF JUS-

TICE).

48. AN AFFILIATED MEMBER OF A CLUB CAN BE A MEDIATOR.

49. THE MEDIATOR CANNOT BE AN AFFILIATED MEMBER OF A CLUB WHO IS A PARTY TO THE DISPUTE.

50. THE PARTIES TO THE DISPUTE MUST, IN GOOD FAITH, ATTEMPT TO SETTLE THE DISPUTE BY MEDIATION. THE MEDIATOR, IN CONDUCTING THE MEDIATION, MUST:

- (A) GIVE THE PARTIES TO THE MEDIATION PROCESS EVERY OPPORTUNITY TO BE HEARD; AND
- (B) ALLOW DUE CONSIDERATION BY ALL PARTIES OF ANY WRITTEN STATEMENT SUBMITTED BY ANY PARTY; AND
- (C) ENSURE THAT NATURAL JUSTICE IS ACCORDED TO THE PARTIES TO THE DISPUTE THROUGHOUT THE MEDIATION PROCESS.

THE MEDIATOR MUST NOT DETERMINE THE DISPUTE.

51. If the mediation process does not result in the dispute being resolved, the parties may seek to resolve the dispute in accordance with the Act or otherwise at law.

ENDNOTES

These notes are provided as an explanation of the subject referred to, and are not to be considered as being part of the Rules. For further explanation, refer to the Associations Incorporation Act 1981 and the Associations Incorporations Regulations 1983.

1. Public Officer: The public officer is the person to whom the Registrar of Incorporated Associations address any correspondence relating to the incorporated association.

It is mandatory that an incorporated association appoint a public officer, who may, unless its rules otherwise provide, hold any other office in the incorporated association.

When the office of public officer becomes vacant, the incorporated association shall within fourteen days after the vacancy arises, appoint a person to fill the vacancy.

[Act s24-28 & 30(4); Reg. s.23-28]

2. The Associations Incorporation Regulation s.13 states, "The committee (read Delegates in General Meeting) of an incorporated association may impose a fine, not exceeding \$20, on a member who commits a breach of the rules of the incorporated association."

3. The Associations Incorporation Act, clause 30:

At the annual general meeting of an incorporated association, the incorporated association shall submit to its members a statement containing the particulars of the following particulars:

- (a) *the income and expenditure of the incorporated association during its last financial year;*
- (b) *the assets and liabilities of the incorporated association at the end of its last financial year;*
- (c) *the mortgages, charges and securities of any description affecting any of the property of the incorporated association at the end of its last financial year; and*
- (d) *in respect of each trust of which the incorporated association was trustee during a period, being the whole or any part of the last financial year of the incorporated association—*
 - (i) *the income and expenditure of the trust during that period;*
 - (ii) *the assets and liabilities of the trust during that period; and*
 - (iii) *the mortgages, charges and securities of any description affecting any of the property of the trust at the end of that period.*

4. Association Incorporation Act s.23: "Unless the rules of the incorporated association otherwise provide, the first members of the committee of the incorporated association are the persons who were the members of the committee of the association immediately before the association was incorporated."

5. Part VII of the Associations Incorporation Act provides for:

- (a) *Voluntary winding up,*
- (b) *Winding up by the court;*
- (c) *Application of Companies (Victoria) Code to winding up.*
- (d) *Distributions of assets*
- (e) *Power of the Registrar to cancel incorporation of association,*
- (f) *Vesting of property after cancellation of incorporated association.*

For details, a copy of the Act should be consulted.

ANNEXURE A

Rule 4.2 (b)

VICTORIAN AMATEUR PISTOL ASSOCIATION INC
APPLICATION FOR AFFILIATION OF A PISTOL CLUB

We, the President and Secretary of the below named pistol club hereby apply for affiliation with the Victorian Amateur Pistol Association Inc and provide the following information in support of this application.

NAME OF CLUB
NAME OF PRESIDENT
ADDRESS
POSTCODE
NAME OF SECRETARY
ADDRESS
POSTCODE
FULL ADDRESS OF RANGE
STATE IF THE CLUB IS INCORPORATED
IF SO, PLEASE GIVE DETAILS

The club agrees

- 1 *(a) to abide by and operate under the Club Constitution as recommended by the Victorian Amateur Pistol Association Inc.
- *(b) to provide one copy of the proposed Club Constitution or Rules for consideration and approval of the Association.

* Delete the inappropriate clause.

- 2. to abide by the rules and regulations of the Association, and to pay such fees as are required by the rules and regulations or by resolution of a committee meeting of the Association.

SIGNATURE OF PRESIDENT
SIGNATURE OF SECRETARY

DATED this day of

Please forward to: Honorary Secretary
 Victorian Amateur Pistol Association Inc.

ANNEXURE B

Rule 10.7

VICTORIAN AMATEUR PISTOL ASSOCIATION INC
ANNUAL OR SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING
FORM OF APPOINTMENT OF PROXY BY MEMBER

I being a member of
.....Pistol Club hereby appoint.....(or failing him,
.....s my proxy to vote on my behalf at the
Annual or Special General Meeting of the Victorian Amateur Pistol Association Inc. to be
held on the day of
and any adjournment thereof.

My proxy is authorised to cast my vote/s on the motion/s and/or poll/s as set out below:

MOTION 1

*FOR or *AGAINST
(Insert details of motion/poll)

MOTION 2

*FOR or *AGAINST
(Insert details of motion/poll)
and so on.

Signature:.....
Date:.....

*Delete as appropriate

ANNEXURE C

Rule 25.2

VICTORIAN AMATEUR PISTOL ASSOCIATION INC

***FORM OF APPOINTMENT OF DELEGATE**

***FORM OF APPOINTMENT OF PROXY DELEGATE**

The *Pistol Club hereby appoints*.....

of..... *Pistol Club (or failing him)*,.....

of..... *Pistol Club*

as its DELEGATE/PROXY DELEGATE to vote on its behalf at the Committee Meetings of the Victorian Amateur Pistol Association Inc.

This appointment shall remain in force until terminated in writing by the President or Secretary of the above mentioned club.

Our delegate and/or proxy delegate is authorised to cast the full voting rights of this club FOR or AGAINST the motion/s and/or poll/s at the Committee Meetings of the Delegates.

PLEASE NOTE Members under the age of 18 years are not eligible to be appointed as a delegate or proxy delegate - Rule 25.5.

**President or Secretary*

Date.....

Victorian Top Ten

By Neil Stewart

COMPETITIONS INCLUDED IN THIS ISSUE:

Castlemaine ISSF, Outtrim Service & WA1500, Peninsula Black Powder, Vic Titles ISSF, Geelong ISSF, PA-ISSF Nationals, Ballarat ISSF, Sale Service, MISC ISSF

50m Pistol

State Record	555	
John Gillman (1976), Bruce Quick (1998)		
1 Quick, Bruce	547	Nationals Mar
2 Mullens, Gary	529	Castlemaine Feb
3 Gillman, Kristy	528	Nationals Mar
4 Palaniya, Guarav	525	M.I.S.C. May
5 Hall, Ben	516	Nationals Mar
6 Moncrieff, Les	516	Nationals Mar
7 Bowron, Peter	513	Geelong Feb
8 Hall, Ben	513	Castlemaine Feb
9 Ketelaars, Steven	506	Ballarat Apr
10 Horton, Geoff	501	Castlemaine Feb

Rapid Fire

State Record	570	
Lucas Finken (2010)		
1 Mullens, Gary	566	Ballarat Apr
2 Finken, Lucas	565	Nationals Mar
3 Quick, Bruce	564	M.I.S.C. May

4 Kennedy, John	555	Vic Titles Mar
5 Eagle, Grant	539	Vic Titles Mar
6 Moncrieff, Les	535	Nationals Mar
7 Healey, Stuart	531	Ballarat Apr
8 Horton, Geoff	529	Castlemaine Feb
9 McMillan, Ross	528	Castlemaine Feb
10 Ketelaars, Steve	527	M.I.S.C. May

25m Centrefire

State Record	585	
Bruce Quick (1996)		
1 Mullens, Gary	576	Nationals Mar
2 Finken, Lucas	566	Vic Titles Mar
3 Bowron, Peter	562	Geelong Feb
4 Coote, Dallas	562	Ballarat Apr
5 Kennedy, John	562	Vic Titles Mar
6 Davis, Wayne	556	Nationals Mar
7 Healey, Stuart	555	Ballarat Apr
8 McMillan, Ross	555	Geelong Feb
9 Moncrieff, Les	554	Nationals Mar
10 Hall, Ben	552	Castlemaine Feb

Standard Pistol

State Record 580
Bruce Quick (1999)

1	Mullens, Gary	565	Ballarat Apr
2	Quick, Bruce	562	Vic Titles Mar
3	Ryan, Linda	561	Vic Titles Mar
4	Finken, Lucas	555	Castlemaine Feb
5	Smith, Ern	551	Castlemaine Feb
6	Chng, Aik Pin	541	M.I.S.C. May
7	Eagle, Grant	541	M.I.S.C. May
8	Grant, Raymond	539	Castlemaine Feb
9	Austin, Marianne	538	M.I.S.C. May
10	Healey, Stuart	538	Ballarat Apr

10 Metre Air Pistol Men

State Record 577
B Sandstrom (1999)

1	Quick, Bruce	569	Nationals Mar
2	Coote, Dallas	565	Ballarat Apr
3	Mullens, Gary	564	Castlemaine Feb
4	Palaniya, Guarav	563	M.I.S.C. May
5	Chng, Aik Pin	556	M.I.S.C. May
6	Kennedy, John	555	Geelong Feb
7	Sammartino, John	555	Geelong Feb
8	Horton, Geoff	554	Castlemaine Feb
9	Bowron, Peter	553	Ballarat Apr
10	Hall, Ben	553	Castlemaine Feb

10 Metre Air Pistol Women

State Record 387
Lalita Yauhlevskaya (2002)

1	Ryan, Linda	379	Vic Titles Mar
2	Gillman, Kristy	375	Nationals Mar
3	Janska, Renata	372	Ballarat Vic
4	Galiabovith, Elena	367	Ballarat Vic
5	Alexander, Ainsley	364	Ballarat Vic
6	Mortimer, Sally	363	Vic Titles Mar
7	Mullens, Joy	361	Castlemaine Feb
8	Austin, Marianne	360	Nationals Mar
9	Charlton, Irene	358	M.I.S.C. May
10	Leticq, Lisa	358	Vic Titles Mar

25 Metre Pistol Women

State Record 583
Linda Ryan (2001)

1	Ryan, Linda	578	Vic Titles Mar
2	Galiabovitch, Elena	570	M.I.S.C. May
3	Gillman, Kristy	562	Nationals Mar
4	Austin, Marianne	556	Vic Titles Mar

5	Mullens, Chelsea	552	Vic Titles Mar
6	Mullens, Joy	551	Castlemaine Feb
7	Woodward, Kathryn	550	Castlemaine Feb
8	Janska, Renata	547	Vic Titles Mar
9	Mortimer, Sally	542	Vic Titles Mar
10	Alexander, Ainsley	540	Castlemaine Feb

25 Metre Pistol Junior

State Record 578
Andrew Gonczol (1990)

1	Yauleuski, Siarhei	573	M.I.S.C. May
2	Dent, Hayden	536	M.I.S.C. May
3	Barling, Brenton	529	M.I.S.C. May
4	Lees, Benjamin	521	Vic Titles Mar
5	Quick, Hannah	518	Nationals Mar
6	Jenner, Steven	513	Nationals Mar
7	Wons, Brody	513	Vic Titles Mar
8	Sewell, Chloe	472	Castlemaine Feb
9	Wisely, Mitchell	466	Ballarat Apr
10	Savoia, Kailee	465	Castlemaine Feb

10 Metre Air Pistol Junior Men

State Record 571
Daniel Repacholli (2000)

1	Yauleuski, Siarhei	556	Ballarat Apr
2	Jenner, Steven	547	M.I.S.C. May
3	Barling, Brenton	539	M.I.S.C. May
4	Lees, Benjamin	536	Vic Titles Mar
5	Dent, Hayden	531	Castlemaine Feb
6	Wisely, Mitchell	528	Vic Titles Mar
7	Wons, Brody	520	Vic Titles Mar
8	Rudd, Nicholas	517	Vic Titles Mar
9	Rourke, David	456	Ballarat Apr
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10 Metre Air Pistol Junior Women

State Record 385
Annemarie Forder (1998)

1	Quick, Hannah	348	M.I.S.C. May
2	Sewell, Chloe	341	Vic Titles, Mar
5	Rudd, Rachael	323	M.I.S.C. May
4	Savoia, Kailee	297	Castlemaine Feb
5	Fantenberg, Kristina	269	M.I.S.C. May
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Black Powder 25 Metre

State Record 378

Noel Ryan (1980)

1	Sammartino, John	378	Peninsula Feb
2	Davis, Wayne	374	Nationals Mar
3	Moncrieff, Les	370	Nationals Mar
4	Smith, Ern	362	Peninsula Feb
5	McMillan, Ross	355	Nationals Mar
6	Prewett, Rex	337	Peninsula Feb
7	Vanettan, Hank	336	Peninsula Feb
8	Calway, Graeme	328	Peninsula Feb
9	O'Meara, Brian	325	Peninsula Feb
10	Healey, Peter	319	Peninsula Feb

Black Powder 50 Metre

State Record 374

Dennis Martin (1998)

1	Davis, Wayne	356	Peninsula Feb
2	Smith, Ern	355	Peninsula Feb
3	Sammartino, John	348	Peninsula Feb
4	Moncrieff, Les	346	Peninsula Feb
5	McMillan, Ross	342	Nationals Mar
6	Hastie, David	334	Peninsula Feb
7	Horton, Geoff	296	Peninsula Feb
8	Prewett, Rex	293	Peninsula Feb
9	Healey, Peter	292	Peninsula Feb
10	Vanetten, Hank	283	Peninsula Feb

Service Pistol

State Record 887

Peter Muscat (1991)

1	Jensen, Paul	872	Sale Apr
2	Hall, Andrew	866	Nationals Mar
3	Lowe, Greg	860	Nationals Mar
4	Sandman, Brett	859	Sale Apr
5	Clark, Les	857	Outtrim Feb
6	Motton, Ralph	854	Nationals Mar
7	Rehlicki, Ivan	849	Outtrim Feb
8	Winterhalter, Chris	845	Outtrim Feb
9	Wilkinson, Chris	844	Sale Apr
10	Anastasi, Ercole	834	Outtrim Feb

Service Unrestricted

State Record 886

Peter Muscat (1989)

1	Hall, Andrew	882	Outtrim Feb
2	Jensen, Paul	881	Outtrim Feb
3	Sandman, Brett	876	Sale Apr
4	Rehlicki, Ivan	872	Outtrim Feb

5	Lowe, Greg	871	Outtrim Feb
6	Motton, Ralph	871	Sale Apr
7	Winterhalter, Chris	870	Outtrim Feb
8	Scott, Peter	869	Outtrim Feb
9	Clark, Les	865	Nationals Mar
10	Parker, Terry	854	Outtrim Feb

Service 25

State Record 635

Dean Brus (2010)

1	Motton, Ralph	628	Nationals Mar
2	Hall, Andrew	626	Sale Apr
3	Jensen, Paul	626	Nationals Mar
4	Scott, Peter	619	Sale Apr
5	Winterhalter, Chris	615	Outtrim Feb
6	Clark, Les	612	Sale Apr
7	Davis, Wayne	612	Nationals Mar
8	Lowe, Greg	610	Nationals Mar
9	Sandman, Brett	609	Outtrim Feb
10	Ryan, Linda	606	Outtrim Feb

WA 1500 Revolver

State Record 1487.92x

Donnal Pollard (2010)

1	Hall, Andrew	1476.84x	Nationals Mar
2	Lowe, Greg	1470.78x	Outtrim Feb
3	Jensen, Paul	1468.78x	Outtrim Feb
4	Motton, Ralph	1468.65x	Nationals Mar
5	Winterhalter, Chris	1467.89x	Outtrim Feb
6	Clark, Les	1464.68x	Outtrim Feb
7	Anastasi, Ercole	1453.66x	Outtrim Feb
8	Scott, Peter	1451.60x	Outtrim Feb
9	Parker, Terry	1447.66x	Outtrim Feb
10	Rehlicki, Ivan	1446.72x	Outtrim Feb

WA 1500 Pistol

State Record 1489.89x

Donnal Pollard (2010)

1	Jensen, Paul	1464.77x	Outtrim Feb
2	Motton, Ralph	1463.75x	Nationals Mar
3	Hall, Andrew	1441.65x	Nationals Mar
4	Neal, Luke	1441.41x	Outtrim Feb
5	Lowe, Greg	1440.58x	Outtrim Feb
6	Anastasi, Ercole	1428.45x	Outtrim Feb
7	Clark, Les	1427.29x	Outtrim Feb
8	Parker, Terry	1412.46x	Outtrim Feb
9	Horton, Geoff	1412.44x	Outtrim Feb
10	Miller, Andrew	1405.53x	Outtrim Feb

Action Match (Open)

State Record 1918/169x

Zeljko Cvetnic 2008

1	Cvetnic, Zeljko	1916.168x	Geelong Apr
2	Blake, Mark	1916.161x	SSPC ACT Open
3	Siebert, Richard	1914.160x	Geelong Apr
4	Whitehead, Tom	1909.151x	Geelong Apr
5	Blake, Cherie	1907.132x	SSPC ACT Open
6	Bannister, Roy	1906.152x	Echuca Mar
7	Hunter, Adrian	1898.155x	SSPC ACT Open
8	Dajczer, Henry	1895.144x	Geelong Apr
9	Crouch, Dean	1893.143x	Echuca Mar
10	Kerner, Charles	1892.148x	Echuca Mar

Action Match (Metallic Sight)

State Record 1890/118x

Ivan Rehlicki 2009

1	Blake, Mark	1875.111x	Echuca Mar
2	Kerner, Charles	1820.109x	Echuca Mar
3	Siebert, Richard	1799.097x	Echuca Mar
4	Bannister, Roy	1787.112x	Echuca Mar
5	Renzow, Peter	1534.058x	Echuca Mar
6	Spano, Joe	1501.063x	Echuca Mar
7	Renzow, David	1423.049x	Echuca Mar
8	Renzow, Sam	1229.041x	Echuca Mar
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VAPA 2013 Open Competition Calendar

Month	Date	Competition	Venue
June	1-2		
	8-10	ISSF, Service & BP	Mid Murray
	15-16		
	16	Action Pistol	Ballarat
	22-23		
	29-30	Black Powder	Castlemaine
Jul	6-7		
	7	Action Pistol	Echuca
	13-14		
	20-21	WA1500 & Service	Mildura
	26-28	Met Sil Big Bore Titles	Euroa
Aug	3-4		
	4	Action Pistol	Echuca
	10-11		
	17-18	<u>Action Pistol State Titles</u>	<u>Mildura</u>
	24-25		
Aug-Sep	31-1		
Sep	7-8	ISSF	Shepparton
	14-15		

	15	Action Pistol	Geelong
	<u>21-22</u>	<u>WA1500 & Service 25 State Tiles</u>	<u>Mt District</u>
	28-29	Black Powder	Ballarat
Oct	5-6	Australian Masters Games	Geelong
	12	Australian Masters Games	Geelong
	12-13	WA1500	Sale
	<u>19-20</u>	<u>Black Powder State Titles</u>	<u>Peninsula</u>
	20	Action Pistol	Geelong
	26-27	ISSF	Yarra
Nov	2-3	ISSF	Yackandandah
	9-10	Oakleigh	ISSF
	<u>16-17</u>	<u>Service State Titles</u>	<u>Outtrim</u>
	17	Action Pistol	Geelong
	23-24	Service	Yarra
Nov-Dec	30-1		
	7-8		
Dec	14-15		
	21-22		
	28-29		

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