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*Victorian Action Match team attend the Nationals at St Ives NSW in October*



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# Editorial

by VPN Editor Roger Wakelin



Welcome to this special December edition of Victorian Pistol News.

With a number of Open events at the tail end of the year it seemed a shame to leave all the news and results until the next edition—normally February. With that in mind we reviewed the dates to give an even spread over the year while ensuring we have the best opportunity to report on recent matches and events.

I would like to introduce some new areas into the VPN. One is the “Members Buy & Sell”. As the name suggests it is a place where VAPA members can place an advert for free. The size will usually be between 1/8 and 1/4 page and must include a good picture. Send your copy in text file (Word etc) format, not pdf which does not reproduce well at that size. Just remember, if you are selling a firearm you must provide a) the serial number and b) your licence number.

The other area I would like to develop is “Letters To The Editor”. We had one

letter but would like a regular input. This allows you, VAPA members, to have a say on anything you like pertaining to the sport. If it requires an answer I will do my best to provide the right response (which may include finding the best person to answer the question.)

It was pleasing to receive one clubs entire members’ email list. This means those members will receive the VPN directly to their in box.

As I attend various Opens I have been printing a few copies and spreading them around the club houses. I hope this is of help.

As usual this edition of VPN is being sent via email to club secretaries who can forward it to individual members, or direct to members who have sent me their email.

I wish all our members and readers a very Happy Christmas and New Year.

See you on the range. Roger

*Cover pictures: Mark Blake National Action Match champion. Victorian Action Match team.*

Murphy says to Paddy, "What ya talkin into an envelope for?"  
"I'm sending a voicemail"

# Management Matters

by VAPA President Graeme Roberts



Welcome to our new members, hope you are settling in before Christmas where you can get a lot of practice in over the break period.

Some good news from the Dept of Sport & Rec is that a couple of clubs that requested funding have, I believe, had their requests granted.

I would remind secretaries of our clubs get the committee together and round up your members with expertise in building and management of projects to look at your clubs needs and apply for loans in the short term and long term. For details contact the Grants information line on

1300 366 356 or email [information@dtpli.vic.gov.au](mailto:information@dtpli.vic.gov.au) as the guidelines have not been announced as yet - probably Jan or Feb.

And if you have any problems contact me and I will speak with one of the shooting 2 representatives on the committee, Clive and Russell.

State Titles at Ballarat for Black Powder were held in October and a good weekend was had by all, to hear from every shooter the scores were ok. The

weather was good and generally not too cold.

News from the exec is that the legislation aimed at improving our lot has not been passed, so that the juniors still have to comply with 3 instructions instead of 10 as expected, all non-licensed shooters and long arm licence holders still have to complete the NORI form when receiving instruction for and including shooting as a requirement for obtaining a Licence.

Some clubs have not been complying with legislation regarding the above and just because a person joins the club does not mean they are not required to fill out a NORI, in fact every member who is not licensed must fill one out.

While we are on this train of thought some clubs are not checking safes of our new members, it is a requirement to do so under the Secretary's notes and must use a Form 3 for acquisition and change of address to do so. The form is handed to the secretary for their records and to help keep track of members firearms, a small tip, when filling

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out the back of the form 3 ask the member how many firearms do they have including long arms and write, for example, 8 firearms stored in safe. This will give you an indication that the member may need an alarm if over 15 and over firearms are stored.

In answer to a question from an open and viewing ID's around the range there are a lot of 16 year olds now touching 40 still shooting. It is going to be a long process to re issue ID's voluntary but in the interests of security we believe it needs to be done. If you have an ID say 10 year old send a recent passport photograph to the secretary John Scott and he will issue another ID

at no cost to our members.

The state service titles were held at Mountain District Pistol Club and it was a very successful shoot with Les Clarke the state Champion in Service Match and Service Match Unrestricted. The weather held up pretty well for the good crowd of competitors. A good weekend was had by all. Congratulations to our winners and better luck next time for the non-winners, good experience for coming year.

To all our Members, Christmas Greeting to all and your families and a Safe and Prosperous New Year

GRR

### **Attention Junior shooters**

**A junior-only competition will be held at MISC on the 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> of February 2015, the events will be junior sport pistol and both junior women's and men's air pistol with finals to be run in all events.**

**Alan Watts**

*"The mind is the limit. As long as the mind can envision the fact that you can do something, you can do it, as long as you really believe 100 percent." – Arnold Schwarzenegger*

# Judges Corners

By Peter Davis, National Judge A



## When may an athlete train at competitions?

For World Cups, World Championships, Olympic Games and Commonwealth Games it is easy 'Pre-event training is allowed for in the program and is usually the day before the match, there may also be unofficial training scheduled. (Rule 6.6.2.2 and 6.6.2.3 page 238).



For our National Championships ranges will be available for training prior to the first day of competition and then it will depend on what ranges are in use as to what training can take place.

For State Championships and club Opens training is not available, this is

largely due to the fact that it is impossible to allow each and every competitor at these events to have a training session. It is to be noted here that even at the World events, training for the matches being shot on any given day will not take place on that day it will be the day before.

Hence if you as an athlete are at a local competition you will not be granted the right to train for your event the day before. It should also be noted here that even with the World Cups etc Pre-event training does not take place on a range where a competition is in progress. That is to say if there is a men's Air match in progress and only half the range is in use the women are not permitted to set up and train on the other half of the range.

Peter Davis  
National Judge A



*"When you reach the end of your rope, tie a knot and hang on." Abraham Lincoln*

*"Why worry when you've done the very best you can, worrying wont make it any better"*  
Walt Disney

*"Opportunities don't happen, you create them" Chris Grosser*



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# Distractions – Just For Fun



## Getting Ready For Broadband / NBN in the Bush!

LOGON: Adding wood to make the barbie hotter.

LOG OFF: Not adding any more wood to the barbie.

MONITOR: Keeping an eye on the barbie.

UPLOAD: Loading the firewood onto the ute.

DOWNLOAD: Getting the firewood off the ute.

HARD DRIVE: Making the trip back home without any cold tinnies.

KEYBOARD: Where you hang the ute keys.

WINDOWS: What you shut when the weather's cold.

SCREEN: What you shut in the mozzie season.

BYTE: What mozzies do.

MEGABYTE: What Townsville mozzies do.

CHIP: A pub snack.

MICROCHIP: What's left in the bag after you've eaten the chips.

MODEM: What you did to the lawns.

LAPTOP: Where the cat sleeps.

SOFTWARE: Plastic knives and forks you get at Red Rooster.

HARDWARE: Stainless steel knives and forks - from K-Mart.

MOUSE: The small rodent that eats the grain in the shed.

MAINFRAME: What holds the shed up.

WEB: What spiders make.

WEBSITE: Usually in the shed or under the veranda.

SEARCH ENGINE: What you do when the ute won't go.

CURSOR: What you say when the ute won't go.

YAHOO: What you say when the ute does go.

UPGRADE: A steep hill.

SERVER: The person at the pub who brings out the counter lunch.

MAIL SERVER: The bloke at the pub who brings out the counter lunch.

USER: The neighbour who keeps borrowing things.

NETWORK: What you do when you need to repair the fishing net.

INTERNET: Where you want the fish to go.

NETSCAPE: What the fish do when they discover a hole in the net.

ONLINE: Where you hang the washing.

OFFLINE: Where the washing ends up when the pegs aren't strong enough.

*(thanks to Neil Davis)*



# Service State Titles at Mountain District

Mountain District Pistol Club, in Victoria's Yarra Valley, hosted the State Titles for Service and Service Unrestricted on 15-16th November. Side matches of Service 25 and WA1500 48-shot match were included which attracted competitors from around the state.

The club had recently developed an area on the property for additional parking which proved helpful (on Saturday anyway). Also, areas have been developed for camping; caravan or tents and one group put this to good use.

The weather started great on Saturday and everyone enjoyed some good shooting. Unfortunately Saturday night brought change with lots of rain. One member who lives nearby and billeted several members overnight suffered the

brunt of it when a roof flashing failed. Ask Les what its like waking up in a wet bed.

Sunday was a different story with mud and cold but

there still was some great shooting with club president Les Clark taking out the two top prizes; State Champion for Service and Service Unrestricted.

A highlight was the shoot-off for the Service title between Les and Greg Lowe: 7 yards unsighted, 12 shots, 15sec.

1. Greg 58, 58. Les 56, 60.
2. Greg 58, 60. Les 58, 60.
3. Greg 59, 59. Les 59, 59.
4. Greg 57, 56. Les 59, 58 winner.



Pauline, Jan and Sue provided great service in the kitchen



Graeme Roberts presents Les with state title 1



Graeme Roberts presents Les with state title 2



Shooting Service 25 in the wet (should have seen it Saturday)



Scoring and patching



During the weekend shooters were well catered for with club members doing their part especially in the kitchen. Shooters like to be well fed and they were.

By 3pm Sunday there was fine weather

and sunshine; so we started in fine weather and finished in sunshine.

A good couple of days enjoyed by all I spoke with. Editor

**VAPA State Championships - Service Pistol & Unrestricted**

Date: 15-16th Nov at Mountain District Pistol Club (top 3 places only)

GRADER	CLUB	Service	PLACE	GRADER	CLUB	Unrestricted	PLACE	GRADER	CLUB	Service 25	PLACE	GRADER	WA1500 48 Shot Match
Les Clark #	M MDPC	860	1	Les Clark	A MDPC	877	1	Paul Jensen	M WDPC	626	1	P. Jensen	HM WDPC 477 30x
Brett Sandman	M MDPC	855	2	Drago Delic	A Spri	871	2	Ralph Motton	M Outt	624	2	B. Sandman	HM MDPC 477 27x
Ralph Motton	M Outt	845	3	Brett Sandman	A MDPC	869	3	Greg Lowe	M MDPC	623	3	R. Motton	HM Outt 476 37x
Greg Lowe	A MDPC	860	1	Les Moncrieff	B Mild	859	1	Peter Scott	A Yarra	617	1	I. Relichki	M MDPC 476 29x
Chris Wilkinson	A Warr	853	2	Paul Bishop	B Mild	846	2	Brett Sandman	A MDPC	611	2	A. Lewis	M WDPC 472 27x
Wayne Davis	A Mild	824	3	Michael Andrews	B MDPC	842	3	Wayne Davis	A Mild	610	3	F. Tait	M Ball 471 24x
Les Moncrieff	B Mild	848	1	Jim Simpson	C Warr	826	1	Gary Pask	B Yarra	590	1	J. Wills *	Ex Horsh 468 29x
Jamie Carney	B Geel	829	2	Jamie Wills	C Horsh	815	2=	George Plessey	B Euora	586	2	C. Whelan	Ex Yarra 457 19x
Peter Renzow	B Spri	801	3	Peter Renzow	C Spri	815	2=	Frank Tait	B Balla	563	3	J. Simpson	Ex WDPC 447 14x
Tony Davey	C MDPC	750	1	Daryl Law	D MDPC	793	1	Ricky McKay	C Yarra	563	1	T. Davey	SS MDPC 434 14x
Werner Haack	C Yarra	742	2	Neil Davis	D MDPC	766	2	John Sammartino	C MDPC	550	2	W. Leticq	SS Yarra 413 3x
Robert Gellatly	C Yarra	732	3	John Sammartino	D MDPC	741	3	Al Ilian	C Shepp	540	3	J. Sammartino	MM MDPC 455 14x
Neil Davis	D MDPC	689	1					Roger Wakelin *	D MDPC	550	1	A. Ilian	MM Shepp 444 14x
Karen Probst ^	D Horsh	624	2					Wayne Leticq	D Yarra	502	2	N. Davis	MM MDPC 443 11x
Ian Antonoff	D Horsh	596	3					Lisa Leticq	D Yarra	464	3		

\* Grade Break. # won shoot-off ^ DQ - power factor

# Letters To The Editor

From an email received from Peninsula Pistol Club regarding progress since the fire.

*Dear Roger,*

*Attached are some of the many photographs that I took over those few days, from the initial call-out with emergency services on site to the huge effort put in by members to clear the site totally.*

*I arranged for the Mornington Peninsula Leader to come down to the club and I've attached their article which I hope you'll find useful.*

*Andrew Morse*

*Secretary*

*Peninsula Pistol Club Inc.*

Andrew,

Thank you providing some more information about the fire at your club. I have added some pictures John Scott provided to help readers appreciate the damage you sustained. I'm sure all clubs are compassionate towards your situation and know some have offered shooting rights at their clubs for your members, at no charge.

We wish you well in rebuilding and hope you will keep us all informed of progress. Editor



*Fire trucks on scene*



# Gun club loses it all in fire

## POLICE ON HUNT FOR THIEVES

Benn Dorrington

POLICE are hunting for the reckless crooks who burnt down a 40-year-old sporting clubhouse, razing decades of shooting history and awards to ash.

The Peninsula Pistol Club rooms at Citation Reserve was burnt down during the early hours of September 30 after burglars broke in through a toilet window and tried unsuccessfully to crack their safe.

No firearms or ammunition were kept on site after hours, as is standard practice with gun clubs.

Two nights before the fire, the Mornington Clay Target Club was also broken into but nothing was stolen.

Senior Detective Harry Simpson said it was highly likely the two break-ins were connected.

"Police believe the premises have been set on fire," he said.

"They forced entry cutting the grills on the toilet window, possibly looking for firearms.

"It's highly likely it would be the same offenders looking for firearms, which is a concern for police and the community."

Peninsula Pistol Club president David Snelgrove said he was devastated.

"Most of the members are very upset by it," he said.

"We have 148 members and a lot of them are concerned that anyone would be so reckless and thoughtless.

"The fire was that ferocious that everything went. "All the shields and



awards from virtually when the club started some 40 odd years ago were burnt."

Mr Snelgrove said the damages were valued at more than \$100,000.

One of the longest serving club members, Hank Vanetten said it was more than just a clubhouse, it was somewhere for people to socialise.

Club members cleared the rubble from the site recently but the future for a new clubhouse is unclear.

The clubhouse had been built on the back of generous donations and work by club members.

It wasn't insured due to a bushfire overlay that made it too expensive for the club.

Mornington Peninsula Shire Mayor Cr Antonella Celi said the council had worked closely with the club to provide fencing and a temporary building after the loss of facilities and would continue to work with the club to explore future options.

Mornington Clay Target Club president Bryce McCall said their club was broken into but nothing was stolen.

Anyone with information about either of the break-ins should call Crimestoppers on 1800 333 000.



Surveying the damage ... What now?



Some of the damage, above and below



Over page for their cleanup .....



*Excavator clears away the damage*

If anyone is able to offer support to PPC in any form please contact their secretary Andrew Morse.



*All that remains here; the concrete slab*

# ISSF Opens: Sep. - Nov. 2014

At this time of the year we have concluded a run of ISSF Opens which started with Shepparton in September and finished with Oakleigh in November. We covered Shepparton last time in the VPN but have included the results with this summary.

## Yarra Pistol Club 4-5th Oct.

The first weekend of October was Yarra Pistol Club's turn for their Open. The weather was good, as was the turnout of shooters. A few were missing as the NSW state titles were also being held that weekend.

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*Air Pistol was well supported*



*Peter Rivers & Nicholas Rudd from Beaconsfield*



*Even the new president needed some food*



*Coach Vladimir Galiabovitch watches his students*



*Long-time members Elizabeth and Alex Ligeti*



*Two Peter's relaxing*



*Kitchen helpers Bob, Albert and Wilma did a great job*

*VP Gary Pask always ready to serve*

## ISSF Open at Yarra PC 4-5th October 2014

(results only show top 3 places)

25m Standard Pistol				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Linda Ryan	Outtr.	M	550 12x	1
Grant Eagle	Outtr.	A	528 8x	1
David Colvin	S'val	B	537 5x	1
Aik Pin Ching	MISC	B	534 7x	2
Simon Kelly	MISC	B	530 6x	3
Rick McKay	Yarra	C	510 4x	1
Margaret Kennedy	GPC	C	483 1x	2
Stuart Dunbar	Becon	C	474 3x	3
Peter Murray	Yarra	D	494 2x	1
Barry Matthews	Oakl	D	482 5x	2 <sup>A</sup>
Darren Barling	Penin	D	482 5x	3

<sup>A</sup>won shoot-off

25m Rapid Fire				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Gary Mullins	Castl	A	532 5x	1
Bailey Groves	Van D	B	542 7x	1
John Kennedy	GPC	B	512 3x	2
Norm Edwards	Yarra	B	487 3x	3
Steve Stefanakos	Oakl	C	519 9x	1
David Colvin	S'val	C	481 6x	2
Damien Morris	Yarra	C	475 4x	3
Roger Wakelin	MDPC	D	441 0x	1
Gary Pask	Yarra	D	406 2x	2
Rick Mead	BPC	D	403 2x	3

50m Pistol				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Norm Edwards	Yarra	A	480 2x	1
Aik Pin Ching	MISC	B	517 4x	1
Bailey Groves	Van D	B	510 6x	2
Mark Gleeson	MISC	B	499 3x	3
Stuart Dunbar	Becon	C	490 3x	1
Tim Birchmore	Becon	C	484 4x	2
Peter Murray	Yarra	C	474 3x	3
Damien Morris	Yarra	D	441 0x	1
Peter Davis	MISC	D	413 3x	2
Rick Mead	BPC	D	411 1x	3

25m Centre Fire				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Dalla Coote	Outtr.	A	554 10x	1
Grany Eagle	Outtr.	A	553 13x	2
John Kennedy	GPC	A	548 7x	3
Damien Morris	Yarra	B	527 7x	1
Stuart Dunbar	Becon	B	525 9x	2
David Colvin	S'val	B	525 6x	3
Victor Taranov *	Yarra	C	548 13x	1
Anthony Dench	MISC	C	533 5x	2
Roger Wakelin	MDPC	C	502 5x	3
Ricky McKay *	Yarra	D	533 5x	1
Peter Rivers	Becon	D	485 5x	2
Darren Barling	Penin	D	470 4x	3

\*grade break

10m Mens Air				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Gary Mullins	Castl	A	560 14x	1
Bailey Groves	Van D	A	559 14x	2
Aik Pin Ching	MISC	A	555 11x	3
Anthony Dench	MISC	B	558 12x	1
Grant Eagle	Outtr	B	554 6x	2
Steve Stefanakos	Oakl	B	549 7x	3
Nicholas Rudd	Becon	C	515 5x	1
Barry Matthews	Oakl	C	510 4x	2
Peter Rivers	Becon	C	508 2x	3
Peter Davis	MISC	D	441 0x	1
Jeffrey Ord	MISC	D	376 0x	2

10m Womens Air				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Emily Esposito	SISC	M	386 12x	1
Elena Galiabovitch	Oakl	A	377 8x	1
Renata Janska	Oakl	A	365 1x	2
Sally Mortimer	A	A	360 5x	3
Angelina Taranov	Yarra	B	341 5x	1
Margaret Kennedy	GPC	B	312 2x	2
Belinda Douthat	Trar	C	319 3x	1
Ionela Manescu	Becon	C	319 0x	2
Rachael Rudd	Becon	C	311 2x	3
Giulia Oppedisano	Yarra	D	298 1x	1
Kerry Waghorne	Melbo	D	272 1x	2

25m Womens Sport				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Linda Ryan	Outtr	M	580 18x	1
Elena Galiabovitch	Oakl	A	567 13x	1
Marianne Austin	Oakl	A	562 12x	2
Emily Esposito	SISC	A	549 14x	3
Lisa Leticq	Yarra	B	524 6x	1
Margaret Kennedy	GPC	B	472 3x	2
Kerry Waghorne	Melbo	C	435 2x	1
Angelina Taranov	Yarra	C	393 2x	2
Belinda Douthat	Trar	D	322 0x	1

Junior Sport				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Brenton Barling	Penin	A	555 9x	1
Nicholas Rudd	Becon	B	527 7x	1
<b>Junior Air 60</b>				
Brenton Barling	Penin	A	545 7x	1
Nicholas Rudd *	Becon	B	553 12x	1
<b>Junior Air 40</b>				
Kristina Fantenberg	MISC	C	307 0x	1
Rachael Rudd	Becon	C	282 1x	2

\*grade break

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## **Melton Pistol Club 11-12th Oct**

The following weekend was Melton Pistol Club's turn. Again fine warm weather was welcome for my first visit

to this north-eastern Melbourne club. Melton's range is mostly indoors with overhead baffles for safety and skylights for natural light. It does take a

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*Shooters watching the scoring at Melton*



*25m range setup ready for Rapid Fire*

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bit of getting used to but the layout is fine and the members made us all feel welcome.



John Kennedy's hat was a hit

We thought John and Margaret Kennedy had found new hair stylists but soon discovered it was all in the headgear. Looked good though.



Hard working scorers were kept busy

### ISSF Open "Newton Memorial" at Melton PC 11-12th October 2014

(results only show top 3 places)

25m Standard Pistol				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
David Colvin	S'val	B	519 4x	1
Peter Bowron	W'bool	B	516 6x	2
Viktor Taranov	Yarra	B	514 7x	3
Ricky McKay	Yarra	C	496 7x	1
Steven Ketelaars	Yarra	C	464 2x	2
Russell Finney	Meltn	C	458 0x	3
Tim Birchmore *	Becon	D	511 0x	1
Peter Murray	Yarra	D	492 2x	2
Larissa Ketelaars	Yarra	D	462 3x	3

25m Rapid Fire				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Gary Mullens	C'main	A	533 9x	1
Steven Ketelaars	Yarra	B	517 5x	1
John Kennedy	GPC	B	504 8x	2
Will Crossman	Mildu	B	429 1x	3
Rick Mead	Ball	D	436 3x	1
Roger Wakelin	MDPC	D	434 2x	2
Larissa Ketelaars	Yarra	D	424 1x	3

50m Pistol				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Peter Bowron	W'bool	B	509 3x	1
Steven Ketelaars	Yarra	B	499 5x	2
John Kennedy	GPC	B	485 5x	3
Will Crossman	Mildu	C	481 4x	1
Tim Birchmore	Becon	C	480 3x	2
Doreen Bowron	W'bool	C	480 3x	3
Ryan Birchmore	Becon	D	463 7x	1
Robert Gray	Mildu	D	367 0x	2
Rick Mead	Ball	D	362 1x	3

25m Centre Fire				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Peter Bowron	W'bool	A	556 11x	1
Grany Eagle	Outtr.	A	543 7x	2
John Kennedy	GPC	A	538 10x	3
David Colvin	S'val	B	541 6x	1
Simon Keyyy	MISC	B	526 7x	2
David Rowan	Ball	B	493 4x	3
Victor Taranov	Yarra	C	539 8x	1
Ricky McKay	Yarra	C	510	5x
Tony Dench	MISC	C	496 6x	3
Peter Rivers	Becon	D	458 4x	1
Wes Hines	Ball	D	369 1x	2
Kerry Waghorne	MAPC	D	341 2x	3

10m Mens Air				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Tim Birchmore	Becon	A	562 10x	1
Gary Mullens	C'main	A	557 9x	2
Peter Bowron	W'bool	A	536 6x	3
Yifan Ma	Oakl	B	556 10x	1
Tony Dench	MISC	B	556 7x	2
David Colvin	S'val	B	555 11x	3
Nicholas Rudd	Becon	C	523 6x	1
Peter Rivers	Becon	C	520 6x	2
Russell Finney	Meltn	C	511 9x	3
Robert Gray	Mildu	D	461 0x	1
Jeffrey Ord	MISC	D	390 3x	2
William Gobbett	GPC	D	389 1x	3

10m Womens Air				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Marianne Austin	Oakl	A	365 4x	1
Ainsley Alexander	Meltn	A	363 7x	2
Lisa Leticq	Yarra	A	356 3x	3
Irene Gobbett	GPC	B	349 2x	1
Doreen Bowron	W'bool	B	336 7x	2
Larissa Ketelaars	Yarra	B	335 0x	3

10m Air Pistol Junior Women				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Chloe Sewell	Becon	A	354 6x	1

Tom Newton Memorial Trophy: Mens 5 Match Aggregate				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
John Kennedy	GPC			1
Rick Mead	Ball			2

Pat Newton Memorial Trophy: Womens 3 Match Aggregate				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Larissa Ketelaars	Yarr			1
Margaret Kennedy	GPC			2
Doreen Bowron	W'bool			3

Junior 2 Match Aggregate (25m Junior & first 40 shots Jnr Air)				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Nicholas Rudd	Becon	A	545 6x	1
Brody Wons	Becon	A	537 8x	2
Brody Wons	Becon	A	515 5x	3
David Rouke	Meltn	C	438 2x	1

25m Womens Sport				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Marianne Austin	Oakl	A	543 3x	1
Lisa Leticq	Yarra	B	529 5x	1
Larissa Ketelaars	Yarra	B	517 5x	2
Margaret Kennedy	GPC	B	472 5x	3
Irene Gobbett	GPC	C	444 3x	1
Kerry Waghorne	MAPC	C	417 2x	2
Angelina Taranova	Yarra	C	377 1x	3

Junior Sport				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Nicholas Rudd	Becon	B	497 2x	1
Brody Wons	GPC	B	494 4x	2
Chloe Sewell	Becon	C	437 1x	1
David Rouke	Meltn	D	153 0x	1

Note: Melton is within easy driving distance of all metro clubs so why not take a trip and see them sometime. Give their secretary a call and arrange a visit.

### **Yackandandah Pistol Club**

The next Open was Yackandandah in the north of the state. I came down with an illness and pulled out but fortunately a volunteer recorded some of the atmosphere and took a few 'snaps'.

"On October 25-26<sup>th</sup> it was on again; the Yackandandah Shoot. We all look forward to this shoot as it is a great break away from everyday pressure. The organisers had about 40 entries which are a few lower than usual as several other clubs held their Open shoots in recent weeks. Even so competitors travelled from all over Victoria (and also NSW) to be there.

With camping available on site and hot showers it was most appealing. We have always enjoyed the friendly atmosphere and the beautiful surroundings; looking across the paddocks and dams helps one relax and refocus for the next detail.

Ian Hill always cooks a good bar-be-que lunch which we all like to indulge in.

On Saturday night the ladies of the club set up their club rooms for BBQ tea with seven different salads followed by desert. We had a choice of sticky date pudding or pavlova and fruit salad.

Everyone was spoilt again.

Sunday afternoon brought the pleasant weekend event to a close with the presentation of trophies. Ernie Smith of Peninsula Pistol Club winning the aggregate trophy; 'Swaggie'. Thank you to Yack members for a great time.

Margaret Edwards. Yarra PC "

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*A great place to relax after the shooting*



*Like a big family; enjoying Saturday nights dinner*

## ISSF Open at Yackandandah PC 4-5th October 2014

(results only show top 3 places)

25m Standard Pistol				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Neil Smith	Colea	M	531	1
Anthony Ralph	Wagga	A	537	1
Ern Smith	Penin	A	528	2
Peter Bowron	Warrn	B	533	1
Simon Kelly	MISC	B	528	2
Russell King	Oakl	B	519	3
Danny Koreny	Oakl	C	512	1
Peter Smith	Colea	C	485	2
Alby De Simone	Shepp	C	479	3
Johan Fantenberg	MISC	D	468 <sup>A</sup>	1
Ian Hill	Yack	D	468	2
Garry Dunlop	Oakl	D	434	3

<sup>A</sup> won shoot-off

25m Rapid Fire				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Neil Smith	Colea	B	526	1
Peter Smith	Colea	B	510	2
Dannt Koreny	Oakl	B	499	3
Alby Be Simone	Shepp	C	466	1
Johan Fantenberg	MISC	C	464	2
Keith Roe	Finley	C	450	3
Russell Finney	Meltn	D	440	1
Robert Sinclair	Shepp	D	433	2
Garry Dunlop	Oakl	D	404	3

50m Pistol				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Norm Edwards	Yarra	A	470	1
Peter Bowron	Warrn	B	515	1
John Sammartino	MDPC	B	466	2
Ern Smith	Penin	B	452	3
Neil Smith	Colea	C	507	1
Peter Smith	Colea	C	468	2
Doreen Bowron	Warrn	C	463	3
Johan Fantenberg	MISC	D	425	1
Noel Cook	Shepp	D	335	1
M Cevaal-Hewitt	Hume	D	232	3

25m Centre Fire				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Anthony Ralph	Wagga	A	564	1
Ern Smith	Penin	A	544	2
Peter Bowron	Warrn	A	543	3
Simon Kelly	MISC	B	533	1
Danny Koreny	Oakl	B	529	2
Alby De Simone	Shepp	B	508	3
Johan Fantenberg	MISC	C	487	1
John Payne	Oakl	C	476	2
Brendan Rayner	Melt	C	465	3
Darryl Smith	Echu	D	476	1
Garry Dunlop	Oakl	D	373	2
Zac Tuari	Cohun	D	280	3

10m Mens Air				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Anthony Ralph	Wagga	A	554	1
Peter Bowron	Warrn	A	543	2
Ern Smith	Penin	A	536	3
Neil Smith	Colea	B	552	1
Russell King	Oakl	B	536	2
Darryl Smith	Echuc	B	523	3
Peter Smith	Colea	C	542	1
Brendon Rayner	Melt	C	504	2
Ian Hill	Yack	C	502	3
Zac Tuari	Cohun	D	480	1
M Cevaal-Hewitt	Hume	D	457	2
Gary Jones	Melt	D	369	3

10m Womens Air				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Allyson Smith	Colea	B	343	1
Deb De Vries	Yack	B	339	2
Doreen Bowron	Warrn	B	330	3
Martha Jones	Hume	C	330	1
Alison Payne	Oakl	C	299	2
Kerry Allen	Yack	D	346*	1
Tracey Dunlop	Shepp	D	291	2
Jodie Judd	Hume	D	258	3

25m Pistol				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Allyson Smith	Colea	B	490	1
Deb De Vries	Yack	B	490	2
Doreen Bowron	Warrn	B	473	3
Alison Payne	Oakl	C	472	1
Tracey Dunlop	Shepp	D	363	1
Jodie Judd	Hume	D	308	2
Ruth Rennick	Yack	D	264	3



*Relaxing in the pleasant surroundings*

*The food was great and lots of it*



*Yackandandah has a great outlook*



*Norm Edwards at Air Pistol*



*The Yackandandah aggregate trophy*

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Margaret's photos certainly indicate it was a family oriented occasion in a relaxing setting with some good shooting thrown in.

Note: Yackandandah is a relaxing 3 1/2 hours drive north of Melbourne and the members would welcome visiting VAPA shooters. Give Annette Holden a call (contact details on page 43).



### **Oakleigh Pistol Club 7-9th Nov**

Oakleigh Pistol Club hosted the last round of Opens with a good turnout and again, good weather.

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We are spoilt when we only have to travel 40 minutes to a competition but it still meant an early start to get there for Equipment Control by 7am. This left a bit of time to get familiar with surroundings again before Standard Pistol at 8am. It was also good to catch up with friends again.

As I mentioned once before; going to

Opens is a great way to meet new friends who all share our love of the sport.

If you check the Top Ten on pages 38-40 you see a few results from Oakleigh



All set for Standard Pistol preparation time

### ISSF Open at Oakleigh PC 7-9th November 2014

(results only show top 3 places)

#### 25m Standard Pistol

	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Linda Ryan	Outtr.	M	540 6x	1
Grant Eagle	Outtr.	A	541 6x	1
Geoff Horton	Yarra	A	522 2x	2
Simon Kelly	MISC	B	554 10x	1
Russell King	OPC	B	531 12x	2
Marianne Austin	Oakl	B	528 5x	3
Alberto DeSimone	SAPC	C	510 6x	1
Steve Ketelaars	Yarra	C	508 4x	2
Russell Finney	MPC	C	504 3x	3
Barry Matthews	OPC	D	492 1x	1
Peter Rivers	Beac	D	488 5x	2
Larissa Ketelaars	Yarra	D	484 5x	3

#### 25m Rapid Fire

	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
John Kennedy	GPC	B	540 5x	1
Grant Eagle	Outtr	B	538 6x	2
Vahid Sherafati	MISC	B	532 5x	3
Alberto DeSimone	SAPC	C	491 5x	1
Stuart Dunbar	Beac	C	427 1x	2
Noel Cook	SAPC	C	316 2x	3
Larissa Ketelaars	Yarra	D	465 3x	1
Roger Wakelin	MDPC	D	452 3x	2
Rick Mead	Balla	D	417 5x	3

#### 50m Pistol

	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Dallas Coote	Outtr	A	504 4x	1
Norm Edwards	Yarra	A	456 3x	2
Aik Pin Chng	MISC	B	512 6x	1
Vahid Sherafati	MISC	B	507 2x	2
John Kennedy	GPC	B	505 3x	3
Simon Kelly	MISC	C	492 2x	1
Tim Birchmore	Beac	C	487 2x	2
Larissa Ketelaars	Yarra	C	474 4x	3
Rick Mead	Balla	D	449 2x	1
Peter Stefanakos	Oakl	D	428 1x	2
Noel Cook	SAPC	D	392	3

#### 25m Centre Fire

	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
John Kennedy	GPC	A	557 12x	1
Grant Eagle	Outtr	A	550 8x	2
Geoff Horton	Yarra	A	542 10x	3
David Colvin	SPC	B	552 10x	1
Vahid Sherafati	MISC	B	548 8x	2
Alberto DeSimone	SAPC	B	529 4x	3
Johan Fantenberg	MISC	C	528 5x	1
Rick Mead	Balla	C	509 7x	2
Tony Dench	MISC	C	483 4x	3
Peter Rivers *	Beac	D	501 5x*	1
Darren Barling	PPC	D	396 2x	2
Bud Martin	SPC	D	395 5x	3

\*grade break

#### 10m Mens Air

	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Aik Pin Chng	MISC	A	554 7x	1
Tim Birchmore	A	A	548 10x	2
Mark Gleeson	MISC	A	548 7x	3
Grant Eagle	Outtr	B	548 6x	1
Tony Dench	MISC	B	547 9x	2
Steve Stefanakos	OPC	B	546 10x	3
Nicholas Rudd	Beac	C	538 4x	1
Russell Finney	MPC	C	528 8x	2
Graeme Calway	OPC	C	528 7x	3
Ryan Leggo	TPC	D	487 4x	1
Vlad Maksoutov	OPC	D	477 2x	2
Yuri Chiorny	OPC	D	477 1x	3

#### 10m Womens Air

	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Linda Ryan	Outtr	M	364 2x	1
Renata Janska	OPC	A	370 5x	1
Lisa Leticq	Yarra	A	354 4x	2
Marianne Austin	OPC	A	353 4x	3
Larissa Ketelaars	Yarra	B	348 4x	1
Caroline Calway	B	B	347 4x	2
Irene Gobbett	GPC	B	346 3x	3
Belinda Douthat	C	C	320 2x	1
Kerry Waghone	MAPC	D	303 2x	1
Janine Dwyer	OPC	D	275	2
Lisa Giovanetti	D	D	272	3

#### 25m Womens Sport

	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Marianne Austin	OPC	A	553 5x	1
Renata Janska	OPC	A	537 6x	2
Margaret Kennedy	GPC	B	520 6x	1
Larissa Ketelaars	Yarra	B	518 3x	2
Lisa Leticq	Yarra	B	488 6x	3
Kerry Waghone	MAPC	C	502 6x	1
Irene Gobbett	GPC	C	492 4x	2

#### Junior Sport

	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Sergei Yauhlenki	Yarra	A	557 11x	1
Brenton Barling	PPC	A	550 14x	2
Peter Stefanakos	OPC	B	535 7x	1
Brody Wons	GPC	B	475 6x	2
Nicholas Rudd #	Beac	B	250 3x	3
Chloe Sewell	Beac	C	435 1x	1
# withdrawn				

#### Junior Air 60

	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Nicholas Rudd	Beac	A	546 7x	1
Sergei Yauhlenki	Yarra	A	545 9x	2
Brenton Barling	PPC	A	526 3x	3
Peter Stefanakos	OPC	B	512 4x	1
<b>Junior Air 40</b>				
Cloe Sewell	Beac	A	336 4x	1
Kristiana Fantenberg	MISC	C	295	1

5 Match Aggregate won by John Kennedy of GPC and 3 Match Aggregate won by Marianne Austin of OPC

indicating some shooters brought their 'a' game. It was another enjoyable two days of well run competitions.

## Shepparton PC 12-14th Sep

Shepparton Pistol Club hosted the ISSF Open in September which was reported

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*Steve Stefanakos of Oakleigh and Norm Edwards from Yarra*



*Shooters on the 50m range*



*Checking targets in 50m Pistol*



*Steve helps on the BBQ which is always popular - join the queue for a steak sandwich*



*Sharon does a gun check for a later arrival*



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on in the last edition of VPN. At that stage we didn't report on the scores and as there are 13 results that made the Top Ten these scores are included below, indicating the high level of

scoring achieved.

So this ends the 2014 ISSF Opens.

Check the calendar on pages 41-42 and make plans to join us next year.

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## ISSF Open at Shepparton PC 12-14th September 2014

(results only show top 3 places)

25m Standard Pistol				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Bruce Quick	Shep	M	566 14x	1
Linda Ryan	Outtr.	M	562 14x	2
Neil Smith	Coll	M	559 9x	3
Anthony Ralph	Wagga	A	552 11x	1
Grant Eagle	Outtr.	A	537 6x	2
Geoff Horton	Yarra	A	516 8x	3
Peter Bowron	Warrn	B	535 11x	1
Ray Grant	Benal	B	528 5x	2
Aik Pin Chng	MISC	B	521 10x	3
Peter Smith	Coll	C	501 3x	1^
Brian O'Meara	Cast	C	501 3x	2
Steve Ketelaars	Yarra	C	489 2x	3
Andrew Wilmot *	Finle	D	524 5x	1
Sofie Hollow	Beac	D	496 2x	2
Peter Murray	Yarra	D	486 2x	3

25m Rapid Fire				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Bruce Quick	Shep	M	564 16x	1
Anthony Ralph	Wagga	A	536 15x	1
Neil Smith	Coll	B	550 8x	1
Grant Eagle	Outt	B	539 8x	2
Troy Griffiths	Coll	B	528 9x	3
Steve Stefanakos	Oakl	C	506 3x	1
Johan Fantenberg	MISC	C	481 8x	2
Peter Stefanakos	Oakl	C	468 1x	3
Larissa Ketelaars	Yarra	D	434 4x	1
Roger Whakelin	MDPC	D	419 2x	2
Robert Sinclair	Shep	D	417 3x	3

50m Pistol				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Bruce Quick	Shep	M	555 9x	1
Aik Pin Ching	MISC	B	517 6x	1
Peter Bowron	Warr	B	513 4x	2
Geoff Horton	Yarra	B	504 6x	3
Stuart Dunbar	Becon	C	495 6x	1
Neil Smith	Coll	C	480 5x	2
Will Crossman	Mild	C	478 4x	3
Paul McKendrick *	Shep	D	475 3x	1
Ryan Birchmore	Beac	D	448 1x	2
Troy Griffiths	Coll	D	427 1x	3

^ won shoot-off

\* Grade break

25m Centre Fire				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Bruce Quick	Shep	M	577 19x	1
Anthony Ralph	Wagga	A	573 14x	1
Geoff Horton	Yarra	A	551 8x	2
Grant Eagle	Outt	A	549 8x	3
Brian O'Meara	Cast	B	517 4x	1
Stuart Dunbar	Becon	B	517 2x	2
Steve Stefanakos	Oak	B	514 7x	3
Dave Allen	Ech	C	525 6x	1
Johan Fantenberg	MISC	C	510 4x	2
Troy Griffiths	Coll	C	500 6x	3
Darryl Smith	Ech	D	494 0x	1
Peter Rivers	Becon	D	493 5x	2
Neil Plumridge	Benal	D	458 3x	3

10m Mens Air				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Bruce Quick	Shep	M	567 7x	1
Anthony Ralph	Wagga	A	564 8x	1
Tim Birchmore	Becon	A	556 6x	2
Peter Bowron	Warr	A	547 4x	3
Grant Eagle	Outtr	B	546 6x	1
Stuart Dunbar	Becon	B	544 10x	2
Steve Stefanakos	Oakl	B	543 6x	3
Peter Smith	Coll	C	537 6x	1
Nicholas Rudd	Becon	C	533 4x	2
Troy Griffiths	Coll	C	526 8x	3
Hamish McMillan*	Yarra	D	509 5x	1
Vibhoy Raykar	Shep	D	467 2x	2
Geoff Hollow	Becon	D	444 2x	3

Junior Sport				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Mitchell Wisely	Shep	B	529 3x	1
Peter Stefanakos	Oakl	B	518 6x	2
Hannah Quick	Shep	B	514 1x	3
Hamish McMillan	Yarra	C	493 3x	1
Chloe Sewell	Becon	C	473 1x	2
Nicholas Rudd *	Becon	D	512 7x	1
Ryan Birchmore	Becon	D	252 0x	2
Junior Air 60				
Mitchell Wisely	Shep	A	503 3x	1
Ryan Birchmore *	Becon	B	546 8x	1
Nicholas Rudd	Becon	B	529 7x	2
Peter Stefanakos	Oakl	B	494 1x	3
Hamish McMillan *	Yarra	C	520 5x	1
Junior Air 40				
Chloe Sewell	Becon	B	350 4x	1

25m Womens Sport				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Linda Ryan	Outtr	M	579 17x	1
Marianne Austin	Oakl	A	554 8x	1
Ainsley Alexander	Melt	A	543 9x	2
Lasissa Ketelaars	Yarra	B	539 7x	1
Allyson Smith	Coll	B	532 3x	2
Sofie Hollow	Becon	B	506 4x	3
Jan Scougall	Mmur	C	467 2x	1
Kerry Waghorne	Mapt	C	463 2x	2
Bette Scougall	Mmur	C	427 3x	2
Chloe Sewell	Becon	D	456 6x	1
Tracey Dunlop	Shep	D	414 1x	2
Susan Muir	Mmur	D	369 0x	3

10m Womens Air				
	CLUB	GRADE	SCORE	PLACE
Linda Ryan	Outt	M	372 8x	1
Ainsley Alexander	Melt	A	357 5x	1
Marianne Austin	Oak	A	356 3x	2
Lasissa Ketelaars	Yarra	B	350 3x	1
Doreen Bowron	Warr	B	350 2x	2
Chloe Sewell	Becon	B	349 4x	3
Allyson Smith	Coll	C	342 2x	1
Sofie Hollow	Becon	C	328 0x	2
Jan Scougall	Mmur	C	326 2x	3
Tracey Dunlop	Shep	D	277 2x	1
Kerry Waghorne	Mapt	D	266 0x	2



## Buy and Sell

This is new column where VAPA members can advertise for free; whether you want to sell or buy something this is the place to do it. Adverts must be in text or Doc format (preferably not PDF for quality reasons) with at least one good picture. To list a firearm for sale it must also include the serial number and your licence number.

### **FOR SALE: Marlin 1894 CBC Lever**

#### **Action Rifle .38 Spl. \$1700**

Built 2002 prior to Remington takeover with JM proof mark. Fired approx 100 rounds only. Shoots well and accurate. Still in excellent condition.

CBC model was designed for Western Action shooting – with factory worked smooth lever and trigger action. 20" blued octagonal barrel, case hardened action and beautifully finished woodwork. Serial No 98209606. Contact Roger Wakelin mobile 0406 515 243. L/A Licence No 838 158 61B



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#### **air pistol .177cal**

Very good condition. Both left and right hand grips.

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Mobile phone 0408 387 095 Licence No 812-789-50H



### **FOR SALE: RCBS Hand Priming Tool # 90200.**

Comes with 38spl shell holder

Purchased 4 months ago and primed about 20 cases. \$60.00

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# Action Match Nationals: A Competitor's View

St Ives Pistol Club 20-25th October

By Cherie Blake



The 2014 Action National Championships were held over 22 – 25 Oct at the St Ives Pistol Club in Northern Sydney. This was the 26th National Championships and it was fitting to have the event at St Ives, which was the ‘spiritual’ home of Action Shooting in Australia.

In 1988, several Service match shooters were looking for a way in which they could take their sport internationally. They had read about the Action Pistol event that was run in the USA. This match had their National Championships once a year that was known as the Bianchi Cup.

A demonstration shoot by a St Ives member of the time, Ray Gray, supported by the late Ken Carter and Adrian Hunter, put on a demonstration shoot to see if there was any interest in making Action Pistol a part of pistol shooting in Australia. They were obviously successful, as in just a few months, the first Australian Action Cup

was held at St Ives in Feb 1989.

This was also a selection shoot for the first team for the Bianchi Cup with Max Wray and Errol Thomas selected for P.A. and Ray Gray and Adrian Hunter also travelled as Tasco Aust members and came home as winners.

St Ives Club instituted the Australian Action Cup as an annual event which ran for many years and was attended by both national and internationals alike.

At this year's Nationals the VAPA team was a smaller than usual as the Ladies team members rounded out the Open Team. Team members were:

## Open Team

Mark Blake, Anita Mackiewicz and Richard Siebert (Cherie Blake as reserve)

## Metallic Team

Mark Blake and Richard Siebert

## Ladies

Anita Mackiewicz and Cherie Blake

## Junior

Corbin Quick

We may have been small but we were mighty!

The St Ives Pistol club was a nice range to shoot Action Match on, and the club members had done a power of work to get the range ready including improvements to the barricades.

The Practical range saw 15 and 25 yards being shot off grassed areas, not the usual concrete or hard packed dirt and this actually hurt a few of the top shooters at the event.

Typically, with Action Match, the Metallic Division was shot on the first two

days with Open overlapping Metallic for one day and finishing up on the last two days for the Nationals. It was great conditions for Metallic, although the Plates range proved more difficult for the metallic sighted pistols and really challenged some of the shooters.

Mark Blake had shown dominance and consistency this year, winning the VAPA, NSWAPA and Pistol Shooting Queensland State Titles this year and was in form going into the Nationals. Heading into the last event the field was tight with a few shooters, including Mark being clean but a raft of shooters only 2 or 4 points down. Mark

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*Vic. team: Cherie Blake, Richard Siebert, Anita Mackiewicz, Corbin Quick and Mark Blake*

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went into the mover with perfect scores in Plates, Barricade and Practical and was the only one to shoot a 480/480 on the mover and therefore won the National Championships with a perfect score of 1920 – at only his third Nationals.

Mark also won the Iron Man Championship and came second in the Metallic Division.

Anita won the Ladies Championship, and with teammate Cherie Blake coming second, the pair easily won the Ladies Team Championship.

Anita's solid score of 1914, saw the Victorian Open Team, with Mark and Richard Siebert, take out the Teams

Championships. While Mark and Richard teamed up to come third in the Metallic Team event.

Corbin Quick, from Mildura won the Junior Championships as well. So the small team of 5 shooters came away with four of the five individual National Titles on offer and two of the three team events.

As Action Match is also an SSAA match, the SSAA National Titles were held at Blacktown following the PA Nationals.

Mark Blake showed amazing consistency to shoot another perfect score, 1920, in terribly hot and difficult conditions to win that Championship as well.



*Victorian members display their rewards—congratulations*

Cherie Blake won the Ladies Championship at this event.

Next years' Nationals are being held in Adelaide in Oct 15, Ray Andrews, PA President, announced at the presentation dinner that there would be more focus on the Metallic Division for next year's nationals; including Top 10 awards for each event in Metallic. This would really be a great opportunity for fellow Victorians, who currently shoot

Service or WA1500 to venture into the world of Action Shooting – it's a real challenge guys and girls – give it a go!

It is also possible that there might be a Production division introduced as well. See the link below for details regarding production. <http://compete.nra.org/documents/pdf/compete/rulebooks/action/act-book.pdf> (section3).

Cherie Blake.

### P.A. Nationals - ACTION PISTOL

Date: 20-25th Oct at St Ives Pistol Club (top 3 places only)

#### BY CLASS - OUTRIGHT - AGGREGATE

PLACE	GRADE	BAR	BARX	PRIC	PRICX	MDV	MDX	FP	FPX	TOTAL	TOTALX	LONGX	
1	Mark Blake	SHM	480	46	480	39	480	27	480	48	1920	160	21
2	Nigel Gordon	SHM	480	43	480	34	478	33	480	63	1918	158	27
3	Darryl Camicelli	SHM	480	46	478	40	476	36	480	48	1914	170	25

#### OPEN - OUTRIGHT - AGGREGATE

PLACE	GRADE	BAR	BARX	PRIC	PRICX	MDV	MDX	FP	FPX	TOTAL	TOTALX	LONGX	
1	Bruce Dickey	HM	478	40	0	0	470	22	480	48	1428	110	21
2	Iain Buchanan	HM	480	44	0	0	465	31	480	48	1425	123	27
3	Bob Perry	HM	470	44	0	0	468	23	480	59	1418	115	25

#### METALLIC - OUTRIGHT - AGGREGATE

PLACE	GRADE	BAR	BARX	PRIC	PRICX	MDV	MDX	FP	FPX	TOTAL	TOTALX	LONGX	
1	Tony Drabsch	HM	478	35	470	24	474	19	470	47	1892	125	26
2	Mark Blake	HM	472	22	470	27	458	13	480	49	1880	110	22
3	Craig Ginger	HM	457	25	468	27	458	23	480	48	1863	123	26

#### PRIMARY GUN - OUTRIGHT - AGGREGATE - LADY

PLACE	GRADE	BAR	BARX	PRIC	PRICX	MDV	MDX	FP	FPX	TOTAL	TOTALX	LONGX	
1	Anita Mackiewicz	SHM	480	43	478	35	476	34	480	96	1914	160	Revolver
2	Cherie Blake	HM	480	41	480	26	459	23	480	48	1899	138	Semi Auto
3	Robyn Ginger	HM	474	31	471	27	468	24	480	48	1893	130	Semi Auto

#### PRIMARY GUN - OUTRIGHT - AGGREGATE - JUNIOR

PLACE	GRADE	BAR	BARX	PRIC	PRICX	MDV	MDX	FP	FPX	TOTAL	TOTALX	LONGX	
1	Corben Quick	M	464	25	407	19	419	10	450	45	1740	99	Revolver

#### TEAMS

PLACE	TEAMS - OPEN	TOTAL	TOTALX	LONGX	TEAMS - PRIMARY GUN	TOTAL	TOTALX	LONGX
1	Victoria	5724	472	136	1 Vic. Ladies	3813	298	75
2	Sth Aust.	5699	448	127	2 NSW Ladies	3706	236	43
3	WA	5696	482	146	3			

PLACE	TEAMS - METALLIC	TOTAL	TOTALX	LONGX
1	NSW	3701	250	58
2	QLD	3689	228	40
3	Victoria	3600	199	34

# Action Match Nationals: The Team Manager's View

By Geoff Horton



The Victorian Action Match Team travelled to St. Ives, NSW for



and 10m ranges along with modest club rooms. The first Action Pistol



the 2014 Action Pistol National Championships.

St. Ives is situated about 30 minutes north of Sydney on the fringe of the Kuring-Gai National Park.

The Club has been established for a little over 50 years and has 50m, 25m

Nationals were held at this range.

Accommodation for the Team was arranged at a venue approximately one kilometre from the range making access and travel very reasonable.

Weather during the Nationals was pleasant, mid to low 20's most days,



*Some of St Ives PC ranges*



*St Ives PC club house*

with a few light showers during the day. Occasional rain overnight caused some humidity for part of the time.

On arrival, the ranges were well set up and our Team members took the opportunity to get acclimatised to the range and conditions prior to the commencement of the competition.

### The Metallic Sight

The Metallic Sight Event contested over two days, and 31 shooters competed, and Victorians placed as follows:

#### Team—

- ◆ Victoria 3rd

#### Individual—

- ◆ Mark Blake 2nd,
- ◆ Richard Siebert 17th

### Open Event

The competition then moved to the Open Event with 64 competitors, and I am pleased to report that our team members were successful, winning

individual and team placings as follows:

#### Team—

- ◆ Victoria 1st

#### Individual—

- ◆ Mark Blake 1st,
- ◆ Anita Mackiewicz 5th,
- ◆ Richard Siebert 24th

### Ladies event:

#### Team—

- ◆ Victoria 1st

#### Individual—

- ◆ Anita Mackiewicz 1st
- ◆ Cherie Blake 2nd

### Junior Event:

#### Individual—

- ◆ Corben Quick 1st

Next year the Nationals will be conducted at the Adelaide Pistol Club.

I would like to thank the Team members for their efforts at the Nationals and during the year prior.

Geoff Horton Team Manager.



Ready for 7 yards 'Practical' series



Cherie in the Open event



More pictures over page



*Corben Quick wins the junior title*



*Anita Mackiewicz wins Ladies event*



*Cherie and Anita win the Ladies teams title*



*Local resident came to look*



*Victoria won the teams title*



*Mark shooting Metallic Sights 'Practical' event*



*Anita and Cherie shooting Open 'Practical'*



*Mark shooting Open 'Barricades' event*



*Mark Blake won the Open title with Anita fifth—well done!*



## **Member's Long Service Recognised**

At the VAPA Management meeting on the 21st November at Oakleigh Pistol Club two members were presented with medals for 50 years of service to VAPA. Alex Eagle of Outtrim Pistol Club and Sandor (Alex) Ligeti of Yarra Pistol Club. We congratulate you both for your long and valuable service.



*Alex Eagle and Graeme Roberts*



*Alex Ligeti and Graeme Roberts*

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Rule books for the 3 Service Matches (all in one book) 2014 edition with new rules for shooters with physical disabilities. Still \$8.80

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panels and pale blue

centrepiece. Navy blue

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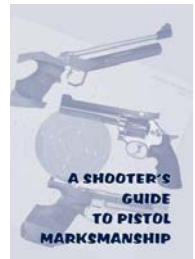
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An easy to read guide to Pistol Shooting from the Basics up, which should benefit both

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# Victorian Action Match State Championships

By Cherie Blake



The Victorian Action State Championships were hosted by Echuca Pistol Club on 16 – 17 August.

There was a pre match Production Action Match shot on Friday 15 August designed to introduce the Production Division of Action Match to new shooters in VAPA.

There are three divisions of pistol types for Action Match; traditionally in Australia the competition has been limited to **Open Division** (where optics and many modifications are allowed) and **Metallic Division** (metallic sighted weapons with limited modifications).

**Production Division** is for pistols that are more or less 'straight from the box'. The most popular production handguns being used in Australia currently are S&W M&P Pro, Glock 17A and CZ SP01. Stock revolvers are also allowed in this division, e.g. S&W 686. For more information on the Production division visit <http://compete.nra.org/documents/pdf/compete/rulebooks/action/act-book.pdf> (section3).

Production division has seen great growth in the US and Australian Action shooters are getting behind this division. Production Division provides a cheaper avenue to get into Action Match, which is a really challenging, but rewarding match – testing speed and accuracy.

The pre match was proudly supported by Impact Trading



([www.impacttrading.com.au](http://www.impacttrading.com.au)) and 5.11 Tactical and it was great to see that of the competitors four were shooting their very first action match.

The Championships started in earnest on Saturday morning in great weather. Along with Victorian competitors vying for the Championships, shooters from NSW and SA attended. The Metallic Division was shot completely on Saturday and Mark Blake showed his dominance in this division this year, missing out on Ian Rehlecki's State Record by only 2 points.

Mark's good form continued the next

day to win the Open State Championships and equalling the State Record of 1918.169X.

The weekend and range obviously proved a good place for the Blake's as Cherie Blake set a new Ladies record of 1914.153X to win the Ladies Championship.

Another noteworthy performance was Corbin Quick from Mildura, winning the Junior Championships. Corbin has been working hard and recently had a grade break. He is part of the VAPA Team for the 2014 Pistol Australia National Championships to be held at St Ives PC, Sydney, over 22 – 25 Oct 14. The remaining VAPA team members are:

**Open Team** – Mark Blake, Anita Mackiewicz, Richard Siebert and Cherie Blake as reserve

**Metallic Team** - Mark Blake and Richard Siebert

**Ladies** - Anita Mackiewicz and Cherie Blake

**Junior** – Corbin Quick

The results of the weekend were:

**Metallic Victorian State Championship:**

1<sup>st</sup> Mark Blake - 1896/140X

2<sup>nd</sup> Steve Schrader - 1836/110X



*Mark Blake (State Champion for Open and Metallic) and Geoff Horton from VAPA*



*Cherie Blake (Ladies State Champion), Mark Blake (State Champion for Open and Metallic), Anita Mackiewicz (third overall)*

3<sup>rd</sup> Brenton Hayes - 1798/104X

**Open Victorian State Championship:**

1<sup>st</sup> Mark Blake - 1918/169X

2<sup>nd</sup> Cherie Blake - 1914/153X

3<sup>rd</sup> Anita Mackiewicz – 1907/160X

**Production:**

1<sup>st</sup> Mark Blake - 1780

2<sup>nd</sup> Richard Siebert - 1650

3<sup>rd</sup> Cherie Blake - 1493



# Victorian Top Ten 2014

By Neil Stewart

## Competitions included:

- Castlemaine ISSF,
- Melton Service and WA1500,
- Geelong Action,
- Peninsula Black Powder,
- ISSF Vic Titles,
- PA/ISSF Nationals
- Sale Service
- Warrnambool ISSF
- Outtrim Service and WA15000
- Warragul-Drouin Service
- MISC ISSF
- Mildura ISSF
- Mt District WA1500
- Castlemaine Black Powder
- Mid Murray ISSF, Black Powder & Service
- Echuca Action
- Mildura Action
- Vic Titles Action
- Mildura Service & WA1500
- Yarra Service
- Shepparton ISSF
- State Titles; WA1500 & Service 25
- Melton ISSF
- Yarra ISSF
- Vic Black Powder titles
- Oakleigh ISSF



## 25m Centrefire

State Record 585 Bruce Quick (1996)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	QUICK, Bruce	577	Shepparton	Sep
2	MULLENS, Gary	573	M.I.S.C.	May
3	BOWRON, Peter	565	Vic Titles	Mar
4	COLVIN, David	563	M.I.S.C.	May
5	COOTE, Dallas	562	Vic Titles	Mar
6	EAGLE, Grant	561	Nationals	Apr
7	DAVIS, Wayne	557	Nationals	Apr
8	KENNEDY, John	557	Oakleigh	Nov
9	FINKEN, Lucas	551	Castlemaine	Feb
10	HORTON, Geoff	551	Shepparton	Sep

## Standard Pistol

State Record 580 Bruce Quick (1999)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	QUICK, Bruce	566	Shepparton	Sep
2	RYAN, Linda	562	Shepparton	Sep
3	KELLY, Simon	554	Oakleigh	Nov
4	MULLENS, Gary	552	Castlemaine	Feb
5	MONCRIEFF, Les	551	Mildura	May
6	FINKEN, Lucas	545	Vic Titles	Mar
7	SHERAFATI, Vahid	544	Nationals	Apr
8	CHNG, Aik Pin	543	M.I.S.C.	May
9	DAVIS, Wayne	543	Mid Murray	Jun
10	AUSTIN, Marianne	541	Vic Titles	Mar

## 50m Pistol

State Record 556 Bruce Quick (2014)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	QUICK, Bruce	556	Vic Titles	Mar
2	FINKEN, Lucas	525	Nationals	Apr
3	BOWRON, Peter	523	Mid Murray	Jun
4	GILLMAN, Kristy	522	M.I.S.C.	May
5	COOTE, Dallas	519	Castlemaine	Feb
6	SHERAFATI, Vahid	519	Aust Cup	Jul
7	CHNG, Aik Pin	517	Shepparton	Sep
8	TARANOV, Viktor	514	M.I.S.C.	May
9	MULLENS, Gary	513	Nationals	Apr
10	MONCRIEFF, Les	511	Nationals	Apr

## 25 Metre Pistol Women

State Record 583 Linda Ryan (2001)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	YAUHLEUSKAYA, Lalita	585	M.I.S.C.	May
2	RYAN, Linda	580	Yarra	Oct
3	GALIABOVITCH, Elena	572	Castlemaine	Feb
4	GILLMAN, Kristy	569	Nationals	Apr
5	AUSTIN, Marianne	564	Nationals	Apr
6	MULLENS, Joy	547	M.I.S.C.	May
7	ALEXANDER, Ainsley	543	Shepparton	Sep
8	JANSKA, Renata	539	Nationals	Apr
9	KETELAARS, Larissa	539	Shepparton	Sep
10	HOOKER, Piet	535	M.I.S.C.	May

## Rapid Fire

State Record 570 Lucas Finken (2010)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	QUICK, Bruce	572	Comm Games	Jul
2	FINKEN, Lucas	555	Castlemaine	Feb
3	MULLENS, Gary	551	Vic Titles	Mar
4	SHERAFATI, Vahid	542	Aust Cup	Aug
5	KENNEDY, John	540	Oakleigh	Nov
6	EAGLE, Grant	539	Shepparton	Sep
7	DAVIS, Wayne	537	Nationals	Apr
8	HORTON, Geoff	536	Warrnambool	May
9	CROSSMAN, Wil	535	Vic Titles	Mar
10	MONCRIEFF, Les	533	Vic Titles	Mar

## 25 Metre Pistol Junior

State Record 578 Andrew Gonczol (1990)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	YAUHLEUSKI, Serg	572	M.I.S.C.	May
2	BARLING, Brenton	555	Yarra	Oct
3	STEFANAKOS, Peter	535	Oakleigh	Nov
4	DENT, Hayden	533	Vic Titles	Mar
5	WISELY, Mitchell	529	Shepparton	Sep
6	RUDD, Nicholas	527	Yarra	Oct
7	QUICK, Hannah	514	Shepparton	Sep
8	WONS, Brody	494	Melton	Oct
9	MCMILLAN, Hamish	493	Shepparton	Sep
10	SEWELL, Chloe	473	Shepparton	Sep

**10 Metre Air Pistol Men**

State Record 577 B Sandstrom (1999)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	QUICK, Bruce	568	Nationals	Apr
2	MULLENS, Gary	565	Nationals	Apr
3	SHERAFATI, Vahid	563	Aust Cup	Jul
4	BIRCHMORE, Tim	562	Melton	Oct
5	DENCH, Anthony	558	Yarra	Oct
6	CHNG, Aik Pin	557	M.I.S.C.	May
7	COOTE, Dallas	556	Castlemaine	Feb
8	MA, Yifan	556	Melton	Oct
9	TARANOV, Viktor	556	Vic Titles	Mar
10	COLVIN, David	555	Melton	Oct

**10 Metre Air Pistol Women**

State Record 387 Lalita Yauhlevskaya (2002)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	GILLMAN, Kristy	382	Nationals	Apr
2	YAUHLEUSKAYA, Lalita	380	M.I.S.C.	May
3	GALIABOVITCH, Elena	378	Castlemaine	Feb
4	JANSKA, Renata	373	M.I.S.C.	May
5	RYAN, Linda	372	Shepparton	Sep
6	AUSTIN, Marianne	369	M.I.S.C.	May
7	ALEXANDER, Ainsley	367	M.I.S.C.	May
8	BURDETT, Caroline	364	Vic Titles	Mar
9	MORTIMER, Sally	363	Castlemaine	Feb
10	SEWELL, Chloe	362	M.I.S.C.	May

**10 Metre Air Pistol Junior Men**

State Record 571 Daniel Repacholli (2000)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	YAUHLEUSKI, Serg	558	Vic Titles	Mar
2	RUDD, Nicholas	553	Yarra	Oct
3	BIRCHMORE, Ryan	546	Shepparton	Sep
4	BARLING, Brenton	545	Yarra	Oct
5	WONS, Brody	542	Vic Titles	Mar
6	WISELY, Mitchell	527	Vic Titles	Mar
7	MCMILLAN, Hamish	520	Shepparton	Sep
8	STEFANAKOS, Peter	512	Oakleigh	Nov
9	ROURKE, David	438	Melton	Oct
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**10 Metre Air Pistol Junior Women**

State Record 385 Annemarie Forder (1998)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	SEWELL, Chloe	354	Melton	Oct
2	QUICK, Hannah	315	Nationals	Apr
5	FANTENBERG, Kristina	307	Yarra	Oct
4	SAVOIA, Kailee	291	Castlemaine	Feb
5	RUDD, Rachael	282	Yarra	Oct
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**Black Powder 25 Metre**

State Record 378 Noel Ryan (1980)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	DAVIS, Wayne	374	Nationals	Apr
2	MCMILLAN, Ross	369	Peninsula	Feb
3	MONCRIEFF, Les	365	Nationals	Apr
4	SAMMARTINO, John	360	Nationals	Apr
5	SMITH, Ern	358	Peninsula	Feb
6	KENNEDY, Brynley	357	Vic Titles	Oct
7	HASTIE, David	354	Vic Titles	Oct
8	PREWETT, Rex	353	Peninsula	Feb
9	TAIT, Peter	353	Castlemaine	Jun
10	DUNBAR, Stuart	346	Vic Titles	Oct

**Black Powder 50 Metre**

State Record 374 Dennis Martin (1998)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	DAVIS, Wayne	356	Nationals	Apr
2	MONCRIEFF, Les	352	Nationals	Apr
3	SAMMARTINO, John	350	Peninsula	Feb
4	KENNEDY, Brynley	344	Castlemaine	Jun
5	SMITH, Ern	344	Nationals	Apr
6	HASTIE, David	342	Mid Murray	Jun
7	OLSEN, Stuart	326	Vic Titles	Oct
8	PREWETT, Rex	324	Peninsula	Feb
9	ROWAN, David	317	Vic Titles	Oct
10	MCMILLAN, Ross	316	Peninsula	Feb

**Action Match (Open)**

State Record 1918/169x Zeljko Cvetnic 2008 Mark Blake 2014

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	BLAKE, Mark	1920.161X	Canberra	Sep
2	CVETNIC, Zeljko	1914.166X	Geelong	Feb
3	MACKIEWICZ, Anita	1914.160X	Nationals	Oct
4	BLAKE, Cherie	1914.153X	Vic Champs	Aug
5	BANNISTER, Roy	1912.171X	Echuca	Mar
6	SEIBERT, Richard	1910.153X	Geelong	Jul
7	MONCRIEFF, Les	1899.157X	Mildura	Jun
8	DAJCZER, Henry	1897.154X	Echuca	Mar
9	WHITEHEAD, Tom	1893.150X	Geelong	Jul
10	TRETIKOV, Mikhail	1885.141X	Echuca	Mar

**Action Match (Metallic Sight)**

State Record 1890/118x Ivan Rehlicki 2009

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	BLAKE, Mark	1900.125X	Mildura	Jun
2	SEIBERT, Richard	1806.97X	Echuca	Mar
3	BLAKE, Cherie	1788.98X	NSW Champs	Jul
4	CVETNIC, Zeljko	1736.100X	Echuca	Mar
5	MONCRIEFF, Les	1694.88X	Mildura	Jun
6	RENZOW, David	1618.67X	Echuca	Mar
7	WOODS, Les	1462.57X	Mildura	Jun
8	LOCKYER, Nick	1269.33X	Vic Champs	Aug
9	BRERETON, John	1222.40X	Echuca	Mar
10	RENZOW, Sam	1185.39X	Echuca	Mar

### Service Pistol

State Record 887 Peter Muscat (1991)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	CLARK, Les	866	Mildura	Jul
2	JENSEN, Paul	863	Melton	Mar
3	TAIT, Frank	858	Mildura	Jul
4	DAVIS, Wayne	857	Mildura	Jul
5	REHLECKI, Ivan	856	Outtrim	May
6	MOTTON, Ralph	851	Warragul	May
7	NEAL, Luke	851	Outtrim	May
8	LOWE, Greg	847	Outtrim	May
9	DELIC, Dragutin	846	Melton	Mar
10	ANASTASI, Ercole	844	Outtrim	May

### Service Unrestricted

State Record 886 Peter Muscat (1989)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	JENSEN, Paul	880	Mildura	Sep
2	SANDMAN, Brett	880	Outtrim	May
3	CLARK, Les	878	Outtrim	May
4	MOTTON, Ralph	878	Outtrim	May
5	LOWE, Greg	877	Outtrim	May
6	SCOTT, Peter	874	Yarra	Jul
7	REHLECKI, Ivan	873	Outtrim	May
8	HALL, Andrew	871	Sale	Apr
9	TAIT, Frank	871	Mildura	Jul
10	OLSEN, Stuart	869	Warragul	May

### Service 25

State Record 635 Dean Brus (2010)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	JENSEN, Paul	636	Nationals	Apr
2	OLSEN, Stuart	630	Warragul	May
3	HALL, Andrew	627	Sale	Apr
4	REHLECKI, Ivan	627	Outtrim	May
5	MOTTON, Ralph	624	Vic Titles	Sep
6	LOWE, Greg	621	Vic Titles	Sep
7	SANDMAN, Brett	621	Nationals	Apr
8	CLARK, Les	616	Warragul	May
9	LEWIS, Andrew	612	Outtrim	May
10	SCOTT, Peter	611	Yarra	Jul

### WA 1500 Revolver

State Record 1487 92x Donnal Pollard (2010)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	MOTTON, Ralph	1483.84x	Mt District	Jun
2	SANDMAN, Brett	1476.92x	Mt District	Jun
3	JENSEN, Paul	1472.77x	Melton	Mar
4	CLARK, Les	1472.72x	Mildura	Jul
5	DELIC, Drago	1463.61x	Mt District	Jun
6	LOWE, Greg	1459.71x	Vic Titles	Sep
7	DAVIS, Wayne	1459.66x	Vic Titles	Sep
8	MONCRIEFF, Les	1457.67x	Vic Titles	Sep
9	OLSEN, Stuart	1447.61x	Outtrim	May
10	ANASTASI, Ercole	1440.50x	Outtrim	May

## What Gets in the Top Ten?

The Top Ten is open to all VAPA Members. Scores are taken from results from Open Competitions that have been approved by the VAPA Committee of Management. Scores shot at interstate Opens are also included, provided the Open was conducted by a Pistol Australia affiliated Club and sanctioned by the State Association. International competitions can also be included, provided Pistol Australia or Australian International Shooting Ltd sent an Australian Team to the event.

Of course for scores to be included, I need a copy of the results! No results, no score in the Top Ten. If you shoot at an interstate or international competition and want your score in the Top Ten please send me a full copy of the results or a link to the website that has the results.

Neil Stewart,  
Competition Controller



### WA 1500 Pistol

State Record 1489 89x Donnal Pollard (2010)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	MOTTON, Ralph	1477.86x	Outtrim	May
2	JENSEN, Paul	1473.76x	Melton	Mar
3	CLARK, Les	1457.59x	Mildura	Jul
4	DELIC, Dragutin	1452.68x	Outtrim	May
5	DAVIS, Wayne	1451.54x	Mildura	Jul
6	MONCRIEFF, Les	1435.43x	Mildura	Jul
7	TAIT, Frank	1433.44x	Mildura	Jul
8	LOWE, Greg	1430.44x	Mt District	Jun
9	BISHOPP, Paul	1410.35x	Vic Titles	Sep
10	PARKER, Terry	1393.44x	Melton	Mar



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Month	Date	Competition	Venue
Jan	3-4		
	10-11		
	17-18		
	24-25		
	31-1 Feb	ISSF	Castlemaine
Feb	7-8		
	14-15		
	21-22	Black Powder	Peninsula
	22	Action Pistol	Geelong
	28-1 Mar	Service & WA1500	Outtrim
Mar	7-9	<b>ISSF State Titles</b>	<b>Mildura</b>
	15	Action Pistol	Geelong
	21-22		
	28-29	<b>PA &amp; ISSF Nationals</b>	Adelaide
Apr	4-5	PA & ISSF Nationals	Adelaide
	11-12		
	18-19	ISSF	Ballarat
	18-19	Action Pistol	Echuca
	25-26	Service	Sale
May	2-3		
	9-10		
	16-17	Service	Warragul-Drouin
	23-24		
	30-31		
Jun	6-8	ISSF, Service & Black Powder	Mid Murray
	13-14		
	20-21		
	27-28	Black Powder	Castlemaine
Jul	4-5		
	11-12		
	18-19	ISSF	Melton
	19	Action Pistol	Geelong
	25-26		
Aug	1-2		
	8-9		
	15-16	<b>Action Pistol State Titles</b>	<b>Mildura</b>
	22-23		
	29-30		

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Month	Date	Competition	Venue
Sep	5-6		
	12-13	ISSF	Shepparton
	19-20	<b>WA1500 &amp; Service 25 State Titles</b>	
	26-27	Action Pistol	Geelong
Oct	3-4		
	10-11		
	17-18	<b>Black Powder State Titles</b>	
	24-25		
	31-1 Nov		
Nov	7-8		
	14-15		
	21-22	<b>Service State Titles</b>	
	28-29		
Dec	5-6		
	12-13		
	19-20		
	26-27		

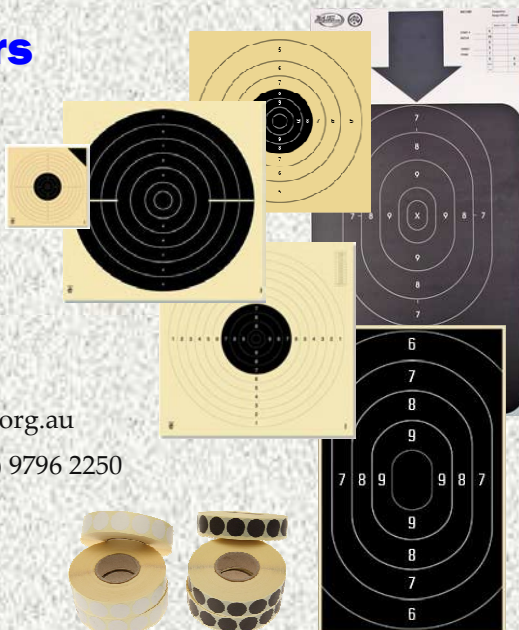
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