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Editorial

VPN Editor Cath Leask

It's September. And I don't have to nag about participation! Some good news from LRD today with the announcement that participation will be waived for the 2020 calendar year (see page 17). I am no doubt hearing a collective sigh of relief across the state. On top of an already distressing year, this is one less stressor for shooters.

I have been keeping an eye on the politicians (yes, sucker for punishment), and I see there has been relentless rumbling in the Upper House of the Parliament. My old boss, Shooters, Fishers and Farmers Party MP, Jeff Bourman, has been continuously pursuing the issues surrounding participation, the public health order restrictions and the impacts on licence holders. He's certainly kept up the fight for the fair treatment of shooters, that's for sure. If you're interested in his action, he's on [Facebook](#).

A rather shorter version of the VPN this month, which is to be expected. Our President has touched on some of the works being completed around our

many clubs with the call out for photos, updates, stories so that I can include in the VPN. I have stalked few of the club pages on Facebook, and pinched some photos of the rather spectacular upgrades—send me more photos people!! You'd be surprised the feedback I get when we have VPN editions that are chock full of comp and club photos.

Venue confirmation of 2021 state titles are in! Check out page 20 for more!

Something to take note of: VAPA Competition Controller, Neil, has provided the 2021 calendar. The VAPA Exec have proposed to "roll over" the 2020 calendar to 2021 - complete with Host Clubs for 2020. It's all in the usual spot at the end of the edition.

Almost there Victoria, the smell of cordite is so close.... So, stay well, stay home and stay sane—you'll be back on the range soon.

Until next time,





STOP THE PRESSES

An important message from the Secretary

Club secretaries, delegates, officials

Even though we are stuck under these severe COVID restrictions, we need to hold our 2020 VAPA AGM. We were granted a 3-month extension however, that falls due in October.

The Executive has accepted the recommended guidelines from Consumer Affairs and will hold the AGM as a Zoom meeting. I attended my first Zoom meeting recently and it was painless so, if I can, anyone can. All you need is a computer with a camera, or a phone, and the zoom program.

**The date will be at 7:30pm on
Friday 9th October.**

All currently financial VAPA members are eligible to 'attend' via video link.

Any member who wishes to attend **must** advise me of their email address and I will send the 'invitation to the meeting' as a link. Requests can be sent to email secretary@vapa.org.au or vapasecretary@gmail.com.

The only matters to be handled are the election of 3 executive officers, presentation of the financials and the presidents report. As there is only one nomination for each vacant position those will be accepted (as done in previous years). The financials are attached.

Formal documents were previously provided in the June VPN.

Thanks



Notice To Readers

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VAPA Management Matters

VAPA President Bob Maddocks

I can only hope that by the time this issue of the VPN is published, we will be coming out of this second lockdown and get back to some form of normality - as best we can - during this pandemic. Like everyone, I can't wait to get back to my club and see everyone again and clear the cobwebs out of the barrels of my pistols. There is only so many times I can dry fire down the hallway and shoot a perfect score.

On behalf of the association, I would like to thank the Victorian Government, from the start of the lockdowns they have been supporting clubs and organisations through various grants so they will be able to survive and continue running when this pandemic is over.

Due to hard work put in by Paul Jenner, VAPA was successful in obtaining a major grant to continue supporting members now and into the future. We will be able to let you know the exact amount in due time as we have been asked not to announce it till the government has officially released it to the media.

The Executive looked at ways it could immediately support members and so clubs were advised in April that both VAPA and PA capitation fees will be reduced by 50% for 2021. PA last week voted to reduce fees by \$20.00, so VAPA will now only need to cover the difference, it is a small token but hopefully it may make a difference between a member continuing or pulling out of the sport.

Roger has sent all club secretaries links to a number of grants on offer and over 33% of clubs have been successful in getting grants of \$1000.00. More grants are on offer, so I ask all clubs to at least apply for these grants as the Government has been very generous in handing out money to those who ask and every little bit helps.

Many of our clubs have not been idle during lockdown and have carried out improvements and refurbishments to their ranges. Clubs like Yarra are building a whole new range, which has required two major blasting events to clear rock from the range (see their Facebook page for a video of the blasts

and construction), Yackandandah is building a new Air Pistol Range and a new club house to replace the one riddled by termites, Mildura is also replacing its Air Pistol range, Beaconsfield has installed a new kitchen with stone bench tops and MISC has repainted the club house and installed all new lighting. ***If your club has been doing works please send a report to the Editor along with photo's so we can put them in the next issue.***

Depending on the new recovery rules and health regulations the executive will do all it can to support clubs getting back to normal. This will include the possibility of running Opens till the end of the year. The Competition Controller, Neil Stewart has put forward a proposal that the 2020 competition calendar be carried over to 2021.

In July, LRD finally advised VAPA that the Government had agreed to a 50% reduction in participation reporting for 2020 for the time we spent in the first lockdown. And finally, 21 September saw LRD waive participation for the entire 2020 calendar year. Roger will continue to pass on any info from LRD as it comes to hand.

The latest Junior Newsletter was circulated in August. It is another excellent publication from Graeme Harvey and the team and is full of information and support for juniors during this pandemic. I only got one question right in the quiz but I blamed it on brain fade do to the lockdown.

AGMs for both VAPA and PA are on hold. We will hold hours in October. Roger will advise members as soon as restrictions are lifted and regulations allow us to hold it.

Some good news last month, PA announced Geoff Horton is the new 2021 Action Pistol Team Manager, congratulation Geoff.

Lastly, these are trying times and stretching everyone to the limit, so please if you need support, you can contact us and we will listen and we will help where we can, as we do have numerous contacts within the sporting field to support and assist you or at least we can lend an ear to listen to your problems if that's all you need.

Keep safe and healthy and hopefully we will catch up soon.

Bob Maddocks





VAPA Secretary

Roger Wakelin

COVID Communications

It's been a while since we were able to enjoy our sport isn't it? We are all either in Stage 3 or Stage 4 restrictions so its not a great time for sport and pistol shooting in particular.

I was asked quite a few times about the implications of the government restrictions on our sport under the various stages imposed on us.

The explanations I give are based on a number of factors, not just one.

We have someone on our Executive who is also our Sport Development Officer. His job is to liaise with the necessary government bodies to help us, as needed in our sport, as it relates to restrictions and rules. In the case of the COVID-19 restrictions, he has been able to help us provide you, the clubs, with accurate information on which clubs can make decisions.

Like: whether they have to close or not.
Like: is a pistol range classed as indoor or outdoor?

The trouble we have in providing an emphatic answer, is there are a number of government bodies involved, Dept of Health, Sport and Recreation Vic plus LRD, and they have all been interpreting the regulations differently. To help clubs make decisions, we have always tried to err on the side of caution. Clubs decide whether they will open or not under Stage 3 and as some have open-fronted ranges, they would think that would be classed as outdoor – the answer came back 'yes' and 'no' (the three bodies couldn't agree).

At this stage, all we are concerned about is members' safety. As much as I love shooting, I don't want to be around people, let alone a group, no matter how much I like them. All we can say at this time, **clubs should think of the long term well being of their members.**

Let's hope this ends soon.

I wish you all good health so we can get back into it ASAP.

Closedown Opportunities

If your club has closed down, it does open up opportunities for maintenance or improvements. Even under Stage 4, construction is permitted with small groups – though it requires a work permit to travel outside your 5km area.

I wonder if your club has done or is doing anything in the way of changes?

If so, why not take some photos and send them into Cath, our VPN Editor on vicpistolnews@vapa.org.au for the December edition?

My own club is doing some improvements and hopefully those attending future Opens or State Titles will benefit. I'll take some photos.

Stay safe, and keep healthy.

Roger 



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Team Manager Report

Cherie Blake

Metallic Silhouette: The 100m Small Bore and Field Pistol Nationals were held in Canberra, 6- 8 March 2020. In hindsight, it was lucky this event was held. The VAPA Team consisted of Mick Arden and James Moore. The remaining Nationals (Big Bore) have been cancelled. Teams for 2021 National Championships will be reviewed with the Team Captain (Mick Arden), depending on the number of events preceding the National Events.

Action Match: As the Action Match Nationals for Aug 2020 (Yarra) were cancelled, the VAPA Team for 2021 will be selected on any open competitions from 2020 and 2021 through to the 2021 VAPA State Championships (depending on the dates and venues for the State and National Championships).

ISSF/PA: Due to the timing of COVID-19 restrictions and notification of the cancellation of the ISSF/PA National Championships, teams had been selected, travel arranged and uniforms issued. The 2021 ISSF/PA National Championships are scheduled for March/April 2021 in Brisbane. After considering the situation and consulting Team Captains of ISSF (Linda Ryan) and PA

Matches (Andy Miller), the 2020 VAPA ISSF/PA Team will remain selected for 2021 ISSF/PA Nationals. The decision considered, but was not limited to, the following:

- The uncertainty around when competition can recommence.
- The acknowledgement that some competitors may not want to (depending on their personal health and circumstances) or will not be allowed (depending on government restrictions) to attend competitions creating an unfair playing field for a new elimination.
- The current team was selected on merit and deserves to have their opportunity to represent VAPA at a Nationals event.
- Any nominations received for 2020 selection will carry over to 2021 selection period.
- Consistency with national policy of teams selected (PA National Teams and the Olympic Team are also being carried over to 2021 events).

The credits received for travel to the 2020 Nationals will be used for travel to the 2021 Nationals.





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Around the Clubs: Mildura

4° outside, feels like 2° junior training tonight compliant social distancing, sanitation, tick, tick.

Sighters plotting shot with no scope or returns.

Kathie: Competition card, winner with most accurate plot and highest acceptables.

Viona: 2nd competition card plotting shot, non-shooting arm.

Talia: 3rd competition card, shooting arm, most acceptable most accurate plot

Lincoln with 9: 4th competition card, 10 shots 5 minutes.

Good nights work in the cold.





The wheel is turning, target backstops done and lit up, bench now in its new location, bit more lighting, few less Covid restrictions and we are a go!





Around the Clubs: Yarra

We hit a spring and now have water flowing down the right hand side of the range. Oh well, it's a water feature!

We had to dig a huge trench to run the power to the range. We were quite pleased that we hadn't hit the storm water pipes.... until we did! All fixed now.

We found a buried pair of gumboots in the trench, do any of the old members have something they want to confess?

The lawn area and carparks are coming along, and we have a walking track and driving track from range 8 down to range 10.

A major focus will be the new lawn area, along with another sitting area down near the dam and another at the end of range 10. We will be undertaking a huge

planting program once we get out of COVID lockdowns.

*We have lost quite a few trees over the past couple of weeks due to the wind. These have been cleaned up and stacked in the firewood pile.

For the technical minded, I have attached some photos showing the brackets that hold down the containers.

We welded some support brackets under each of the truss supports.

We are building the baffles to install on range 10 under the roof. These will help to stop bullets leaving the range. Peter has converted range 8 to a construction area.

For photos and more, check out the [Yarra Pistol Club Facebook page](#).





The new lawn area is nearly done. We need a storm water pit to be installed, then some top soil and lawn seed.



The slab getting poured.



The classroom in place, and the roof going

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LRD Participation Update

In response to the COVID-19 pandemic of 2020, the Victorian Government had issued Stage 3 restrictions for Regional Victoria and Stage 4 restrictions for metropolitan Melbourne, meaning travel and movement throughout the state has been restricted. Under these circumstances, the Licensing and Regulation Division (LRD) are aware that licence holders have not been permitted to attend and participate at shooting clubs during this time.

Due to these restrictions, Victoria Police have made the b to waive all handgun participation requirements for the 2020 calendar year effective immediately. This means that all shoots or matches required to be completed per number of classes of handgun possessed, will be exempt for the **2020 calendar year**.

Attached is a signed Notice of Variation* of Licence Condition for your reference. The variation issued on 6 July 2020 will no longer apply.

Approved shooting clubs will still be required to submit an annual report for 2020 within 3 months after the end of the calendar year to the Chief Commissioner of Police in accordance with s.123C of the *Firearms Act 1996*.

Licence holders are not required to submit requests for exemption or modification, this variation applies to all affected licence holders.

If you have further questions, please email lrd@police.vic.gov.au or if you need more information about the current restriction levels in Victoria, please refer to the [Department of Health and Human Services](#) website.

We would like to thank you for your continued cooperation during this time and hope you are staying safe and well.

Regards,
Licensing and Regulation Division
Regulatory Services Department
Victoria Police

**Notice of Variation can be found on the Victoria Police [website](#).*





LRD Provisional Licences

With the impacts of COVID-19 on licenses, Geelong Pistol Club Vice President Julie Sleeth contacted LRD for advice on provisional licensing. This advice was circulated to clubs via the VAPA Secretary, however, not all members may have received the updated advice.

As per [police.vic.gov.au/firearms-industry-news](https://www.police.vic.gov.au/firearms-industry-news) advice: "All current 6 month provisional licences will be extended to 12 months at no cost"

My interpretation of this is, any current member who has a current 6 month provisional license is deemed extended to 12 months at no extra cost.

My question is, does the extension also apply to current provisional licenses who ticked the 8 or 10 month box? These licenses would also be deemed to extend to 12 months at no extra cost.

To be consistent in the approach and as to not discriminate, I would assume that regardless of "term" selected on the provisional license, all current provisional licenses are extended to 12 months at no cost.

The current COVID restrictions have had quite an impact of peoples situations (business and home) and hence time to meet requirements.

Where all provisional licenses are deemed extended to 12 months, this will allow clubs to do the responsible approach and ensure each member can move safely to a full license.

Can you please confirm the position?

Sergeant Paul Connor provided the following response:

I have run this matter past the Assessment team and they have come back with the following points:

- ***6 month expiry: can be extended to 12 months—members details must be submitted to LRD for action.***
- ***12 month expiry: the club will either need to sign off the member as competent or use remaining NORI's to satisfy club requirements.***
- ***8 or 10 month expiry: can be considered for 12 months and the club can sign off earlier if the member is deemed competent.***





Pistol Australia is pleased to announce the 2021 and 2022 National Championships Schedule as follows:

2021

PA National Championships
Metropolitan Pistol Club QLD
Dates TBC Easter Period 2021

ISSF National Championships
Brisbane International Shooting Complex
Dates TBC Easter Period 2021

Action Pistol National Championships
Yarra Pistol Club VIC
Dates TBC

Metallic Silhouette Big Bore National Championships
Sporting Shooters Pistol Club Majura ACT
Dates 5th to 7th March 2021

Metallic Silhouette Small Bore and Field Pistol National Championships
Toogoolawah Pistol Club QLD
Dates 17th to 19th September 2021

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Noel Harrod

Sport Administrator

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2022

PA/ISSF National Championships
Yarra Pistol Club VIC
Dates TBC Easter Period 2022.

Action Pistol National Championships
Blacktown Pistol Club NSW
Dates TBC

Metallic Silhouette Big Bore National Championships
Inverell RSM Pistol Club NSW
Dates 16th to 18th September 2022

Metallic Silhouette Small Bore and Field Pistol National Championships
Narrabri Pistol Club NSW
Dates 4th to 6th March 2022



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Victorian Final Top Ten 2019

Neil Stewart, Competition Controller



COMPETITIONS INCLUDED IN THIS ISSUE:

Castlemaine ISSF, Yarra Action Feb, Outtrim Service & WA1500, ISSF State Titles

50 Metre Pistol

State Record: 559.07x Daniel Repacholi (2016)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	Pilaniya, Gaurav	537.08x	Vic Titles	Mar
2	Griffo, Frank	520.03x	Vic Titles	Mar
3	Mullens, Gary	518.07x	Vic Titles	Mar
4	Finken, Lucas	515.04x	Vic Titles	Mar
5	Dastani, Alamdar	514.04x	Vic Titles	Mar
6	Boyle, Christian	506.04x	Vic Titles	Mar
7	Lindsay, Ian	499.07x	Vic Titles	Mar
8	Chng, Aik Pin	497.06x	Castlemaine	Feb
9	Boyle, Kevin	495.02x	Castlemaine	Feb
10	Eagle, Grant	493.05x	Castlemaine	Feb

Standard Pistol

State Record: 580 Bruce Quick (1999)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	Ryan, Linda	552.07x	Vic Titles	Mar
2	Mullens, Gary	551.09x	Vic Titles	Mar
3	Chng, Aik Pin	550.10x	Castlemaine	Feb
4	Stefanakos, Steve	538.09x	Vic Titles	Mar
5	Eagle, Grant	536.06x	Vic Titles	Mar
6	Colvin, David	524.05x	Vic Titles	Mar
7	Boyle, Kevin	524.03x	Castlemaine	Feb
8	Austin, Marianne	520.02x	Vic Titles	Mar
9	Lindsay, Ian	513.03x	Castlemaine	Feb
10	Pearce, Gregory	511.04x	Vic Titles	Mar

Rapid Fire

Qualification State Record: 582.19x, Sergei Evglevski (2018)

Final State Record: 30 Sergei Evglevski (2018)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	Mullens, Gary	555.13x	Vic Titles	Mar
2	Boyle, Christian	544.09x	Castlemaine	Feb
3	Finken, Lucas	536.08x	Vic Titles	Mar
4	Lees, Michael	523.02x	Vic Titles	Mar
5	Eagle, Grant	518.08x	Castlemaine	Feb
6	Griffo, Frank	515.05x	Vic Titles	Mar
7	Boyle, Kevin	509.08x	Vic Titles	Mar
8	Stefanakos, Steve	501.07x	Vic Titles	Mar
9	Eskaf, Paul	500.04x	Vic Titles	Mar
10	Murray, Peter	499.04x	Vic Titles	Mar

10 Metre Air Pistol Men

Qualification State Record: 583 David Moore (2003)

Final State Record: 237.6 Kerry Bell (2017)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	Pilaniya, Gaurav	571.12x	Vic Titles	Mar
2	Boyle, Christian	566.13x	Castlemaine	Feb
3	Chng, Aik Pin	559.14x	Castlemaine	Feb
4	Mullens, Gary	557.16x	Castlemaine	Feb
5	Miller, Andy	555.12x	Castlemaine	Feb
6	Dastani, Alamdar	552.05x	Vic Titles	Mar
7	Ma, Yifan	551.13x	Castlemaine	Feb
8	Finken, Lucas	551.10x	Castlemaine	Feb
9	Bish, Seth	551.09x	Vic Titles	Mar
10	Griffo, Frank	551.08x	Castlemaine	Feb

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State Record: 585 Bruce Quick (1996)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	Mullens, Gary	570.14x	Castlemaine	Feb
2	Chng, Aik Pin	565.11x	Vic Titles	Mar
3	Finken, Lucas	560.10x	Castlemaine	Feb
4	Eagle, Grant	556.05x	Vic Titles	Mar
5	Taranov, Viktor	552.10x	Vic Titles	Mar
6	Boyle, Christian	551.10x	Vic Titles	Mar
7	Eskaf, Paul	550.11x	Vic Titles	Mar
8	Stefanakos, Steve	545.14x	Castlemaine	Feb
9	Griffo, Frank	545.09x	Castlemaine	Feb
10	Colvin, David	542.11x	Vic Titles	Mar

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.

10 Metre Air Pistol Women

Qualification State Record: 570.17x Kristy Gillman (2019)
 Final State Record: 241.6 Lalita Yauhlevskaya (2017)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	Ryan, Linda	564.14x	Vic Titles	Mar
2	Galiabovitch, Elena	556.10x	Castlemaine	Feb
3	Woodroffe, Talia	551.10x	Vic Titles	Mar
4	Marcum, Fiona	547.08x	Castlemaine	Feb
5	Austin, Marianne	546.05x	Vic Titles	Mar
6	Janska, Renata	545.04x	Castlemaine	Feb
7	Kelly, Ainsley	540.04x	Vic Titles	Mar
8	Blake, Cherie	538.06x	Vic Titles	Mar
9	Leticq, Lisa	537.05x	Vic Titles	Mar
10	Sam, Thu	536.08x	Vic Titles	Mar

25 Metre Pistol Women

Qualification State Record: 583 Linda Ryan (2001)
 Final State Record: 32 Elena Galiabovitch (2017)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	Galiabovitch, Elena	573.23x	Castlemaine	Feb
2	Ryan, Linda	569.15x	Vic Titles	Mar
3	Kelly, Ainsley	556.12x	Vic Titles	Mar
4	Blake, Cherie	556.05x	Vic Titles	Mar
5	Austin, Marianne	545.12x	Vic Titles	Mar
6	Janska, Renata	541.06x	Vic Titles	Mar
7	Marcum, Fiona	541.05x	Castlemaine	Feb
8	Woodroffe, Talia	529.08x	Vic Titles	Mar
9	Mullens, Joy	529.06x	Vic Titles	Mar
10	Andre, Lee	528.05x	Vic Titles	Mar

25 Metre Pistol Junior

State Record: 578 Andrew Gonczol (1990)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	Bish, Seth	543.07x	Vic Titles	Mar
2	Woodroffe, Talia	529.08x	Vic Titles	Mar
3	Blachford, Erin	511.06x	Castlemaine	Feb
4	Quincey, Andrew	500.05x	Castlemaine	Feb
5	Healy, Aadyne	483.06x	Vic Titles	Mar
6	Sykes, Imogen	475.03x	Vic Titles	Mar
7	Parkins, Mikaylah	464.02x	Vic Titles	Mar
8	Matthews, Jack	457.01x	Vic Titles	Mar
9	Kelly, Brydie	416.03x	Vic Titles	Mar
10	McManus, Chloe	390.01x	Vic Titles	Mar

10 Metre Air Pistol Junior Men

State Record: 571 Daniel Repacholli (2000)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	Bish, Seth	551.09x	Vic Titles	Mar
2	Quincey, Andrew	529.07x	Castlemaine	Feb
3	Healy, Aadyne	503.07x	Vic Titles	Mar
4	Matthews, Jack	494.02x	Vic Titles	Mar
5	Quincey, Hayden	465.03x	Castlemaine	Feb
6	Kelly, Lincoln	451.01x	Vic Titles	Mar
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10 Metre Air Pistol Junior Women

State Record: 551.10x Talia Woodruffe (2020)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	Woodruffe, Talia	551.10x	Vic Titles	Mar
2	Kelly, Brydie	527.05x	Vic Titles	Mar
3	Blachford, Erin	522.02x	Vic Titles	Mar
4	Parkins, Mikaylah	517.03x	Vic Titles	Mar
5	Sykes, Imogen	509.08x	Vic Titles	Mar
6	McManus, Chloe	500.06x	Vic Titles	Mar
7	Hollow, Anastasia	491.03x	Vic Titles	Mar
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Action Match (Open)

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

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	Blake, Mark	916.171x	Yarra	Feb
2	Blake, Cherie	907.166x	Yarra	Feb
3	Cvetnic, Zeljko	906.161x	Yarra	Feb
4	Wilson, Don	887.127x	Yarra	Feb
5	Camerson, Hudson	857.124x	Yarra	Feb
6	Renzow, Samantha	596.075x	Yarra	Feb
7	Renzow, Peter	540.069x	Yarra	Feb
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Action Match (Metallic Sight)

State Record: 1893/123x Mark Blake (2016)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	Birchall, Thomas	845.026x	Yarra	Feb
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Your results are not in the Top Ten?

Here are some possible reasons:

The host club did not send the results to
 competitioncontroller@vapa.org.au
 or the results provided did not include the competitors club.

As the Top Ten is only for VAPA members, results MUST include the competitors club. Without this, results cannot be included in the Top Ten as I have no way of knowing if the competitor is a VAPA member or a member of an interstate club.

Neil Stewart,
 Competition Controller

Service

State Record: 887 Peter Muscat (1991)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	Clarke, Les	867	Outtrim	Feb
2	Parke, Craig	862	Outtrim	Feb
3	Lowe, Greg	856	Outtrim	Feb
4	Jensen, Paul	851	Outtrim	Feb
5	Sandman, Brett	841	Outtrim	Feb
6	Delic, Drago	841	Outtrim	Feb
7	Davis, Wayne	834	Outtrim	Feb
8	Sammartino, John	833	Outtrim	Feb
9	Miller, Andrew	823	Outtrim	Feb
10	Horton, Geoff	799	Outtrim	Feb

Service Unrestricted

State Record: 886 Peter Muscat (1989)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	Parke, Craig	876	Outtrim	Feb
2	Sandman, Brett	870	Outtrim	Feb
3	Jensen, Paul	867	Outtrim	Feb
4	Lowe, Greg	867	Outtrim	Feb
5	Parker, Terry	861	Outtrim	Feb
6	Davis, Wayne	859	Outtrim	Feb
7	Sammartino, John	859	Outtrim	Feb
8	Clarke, Les	856	Outtrim	Feb
9	Delic, Drago	853	Outtrim	Feb
10	Simpson, Jim	845	Outtrim	Feb

Service Pistol 25 Yard

State Record: 636 Paul Jensen (2016)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	Lowe, Greg	631	Outtrim	Feb
2	Clark, Les	627	Outtrim	Feb
3	Parke, Craig	619	Outtrim	Feb
4	Sandman, Brett	618	Outtrim	Feb
5	Delic, Drago	615	Outtrim	Feb
6	Jensen, Paul	612	Outtrim	Feb
7	Davis, Wayne	599	Outtrim	Feb
8	Motton, Ralph	597	Outtrim	Feb
9	Sammartino, John	589	Outtrim	Feb
10	Seddon, Scott	584	Outtrim	Feb

WA 1500 Revolver

State Record: 1487 97x Chris Banfield (2018)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	Sandman, Brett	1473.75x	Outtrim	Feb
2	Clark, Les	1471.79x	Outtrim	Feb
3	Lowe, Greg	1471.75x	Outtrim	Feb
4	Jensen, Paul	1464.76x	Outtrim	Feb
5	Wilkinson, Chris	1459.59x	Outtrim	Feb
6	Sammartino, John	1453.59x	Outtrim	Feb
7	Davis, Wayne	1445.65x	Outtrim	Feb
8	Lewis, Andrew	1444.55x	Outtrim	Feb
9	Delic, Drago	1439.58x	Outtrim	Feb
10	Wakelin, Roger	1432.58x	Outtrim	Feb

WA1500 Standard 4" Revolver (48 Shot)

State Record: Not yet set

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	Jensen, Paul	477.32x	Outtrim	Feb
2	Parke, Craig	477.32x	Outtrim	Feb
3	Clark, Les	475.25x	Outtrim	Feb
4	Sandman, Brett	474.30x	Outtrim	Feb
5	Parker, Terry	468.29x	Outtrim	Feb
6	Lewis, Andrew	467.12x	Outtrim	Feb
7	Wilkinson, Chris	466.16x	Outtrim	Feb
8	Motton, Ralph	464.18x	Outtrim	Feb
9	Delic, Drago	460.13x	Outtrim	Feb
10	Jaques, Craig	453.18x	Outtrim	Feb

WA1500 Distinguished Revolver (60 Shot)

State Record: Not yet set

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	Jensen, Paul	581.25x	Outtrim	Feb
2	Motton, Ralph	581.23x	Outtrim	Feb
3	Parke, Craig	577.23x	Outtrim	Feb
4	Clarke, Les	570.23x	Outtrim	Feb
5	Wilkinson, Chris	562.12x	Outtrim	Feb
6	Delic, Drago	558.15x	Outtrim	Feb
7	Seddon, Scott	533.17x	Outtrim	Feb
8	Wakelin, Roger	530.13x	Outtrim	Feb
9	Lewis, Andrew	513.12x	Outtrim	Feb
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WA 1500 Pistol

State Record: 1489 89x Donnal Pollard (2010)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date
1	Jensen, Paul	1468.71x	Outtrim	Feb
2	Motton, Ralph	1461.62x	Outtrim	Feb
3	Parke, Craig	1461.62x	Outtrim	Feb
4	Miller, Andrew	1456.77x	Outtrim	Feb
5	Wilkinson, Chris	1454.54x	Outtrim	Feb
6	Davis, Wayne	1452.70x	Outtrim	Feb
7	Sammartino, John	1447.56x	Outtrim	Feb
8	Clark, Les	1439.56x	Outtrim	Feb
9	Delic, Drago	1395.71x	Outtrim	Feb
10	Seddon, Gordon	1345.30x	Outtrim	Feb

Black Powder 25 Metre

State Record: 378 Noel Ryan (1980)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date

Black Powder 50 Metre

State Record: 374 Dennis Martin (1998)

Rank	Name	Score	Competition	Date



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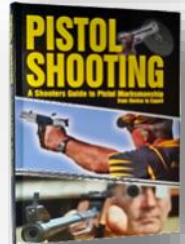
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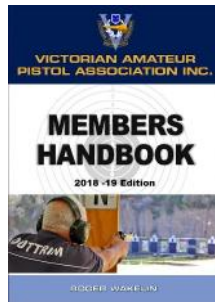
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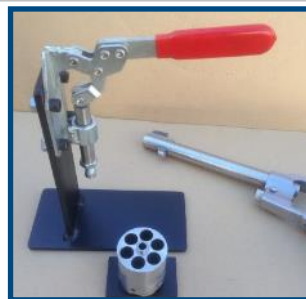
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2021 Opens & Events Calendar

Month	Date	Competition	Venue	
Feb	6-7	ISSF	Castlemaine	##
	13-14			
	20-21			
	21	Action Match	Yarra	C
	27-28	Service & WA1500	Outtrim	C
Mar	5-7	<u>PA MS Big Bore Nats</u>	<u>SSPC ACT</u>	<u>C</u>
	6-8	<u>ISSF State Titles</u>	<u>Yarra</u>	<u>C</u>
	13-14	Service	Horsham	C
	20-21	Black Powder	Beaconsfield	C
	27-28	ISSF	Ballarat	*
Mar/Apr	27-4	<u>PA/ISSF Nationals</u>	<u>Brisbane</u>	<u>*</u>
Apr	3-4			
	10-11			
	17	Action Match	Yarra	C
	18	Action Match	Geelong	C
	17-18			
	25-25			
May	1	Action Match	Yarra	C
	2	Action Match	Ballarat	C
	1-2			
	8-9			
	15-16	ISSF	Mildura	C
	22-23	ISSF	M.I.S.C.	C
	29-30	WA1500	Mt District	
June	5-6			C
	12-14	ISSF, Service & BP	Mid Murray	C
	19-20			
	26-27	Black Powder & Air	Castlemaine	C
	27	Service	Geelong	C

C= Confirmed by VAPA COM T= Traditional Club Weekend, not yet confirmed by VAPA COM
 Strikethrough denotes cancelled events



2021 Opens & Events Calendar

Month	Date	Competition	Venue	
Jul	3-4			
	10-11			
	10	Action Match	Yarra	C
	11	Action Match	Geelong	C
	17-18	Service & WA1500	Mildura	C
	24-25			C
Jul Aug	31-1	Postal Finals Prac & ICORE		C
Aug	7-8	Postal Finals ISSF		C
	14-15	Postal Finals Serv & WA1500		C
	<u>21-22</u>	<u>Action Match State Titles</u>	<u>Yarra</u>	<u>C</u>
	21-22	Postal Finals Black Powder		C
	<u>26-29</u>	<u>PA Action Match Nationals</u>	<u>Yarra</u>	<u>*</u>
	28-29			<u>-</u>
Sep	4-5	ISSF	Shepparton	C
	11-12			
	<u>18-19</u>	<u>WA1500 State Titles</u>	<u>Mt District</u>	<u>C</u>
	<u>17-19</u>	<u>PA MS Small Bore Nats</u>	<u>Toogoolawah</u>	<u>C</u>
	25	Action	Yarra	C
	25-26			
Oct	2-3	ISSF	Yarra	C
	<u>6-9</u>	<u>World Action Pistol Champs</u>	<u>Toowoomba #</u>	<u>*</u>
	9-10	ISSF	Horsham	C
	<u>16-17</u>	<u>Black Powder State Titles</u>	<u>Outtrim</u>	<u>C</u>
	23-24	ISSF	Yackandandah	C
	30-31	Service & Black Powder	Ballarat	C
Nov	6-7	ISSF	Oakleigh	C
	13-14	Service	Yarra	C
	<u>20-21</u>	<u>Service State Titles</u>	<u>Outtrim</u>	<u>C</u>
	27-28			

NOTE: any club wishing to apply to host a State Title or an Open should contact the Competition Controller Neil Stewart via email competitioncontroller@vapa.org.au



2020 VAPA Meetings Calendar

Month	VAPA Executive Mondays 1:30pm	Committee of Management (for club delegates) Fridays 8:00pm	Location
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September	14th	18th	DUE TO COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS TBA
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AGM

October

12th

**Friday 9 October at 7.30pm
via ZOOM**

November	16th	20th	DUE TO COVID-19 RESTRICTIONS TBA
December	14th		

**COM meets the third Friday of alternate months. VAPA Executive meets the Monday prior.
Clubs are encouraged to have a delegate (or proxy) attend COM meetings for their benefit.
Delegates must be registered with the VAPA Secretary.
Visitors (VAPA members) are welcome but cannot vote.*



Open Competition Contacts

Clubs must ensure details are correct—email any changes to editor

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Geelong	ISSF	The Organising Secretary PO Box 1022 GEELONG Vic 3020 e: gpcinc@dodo.com.au	
Melton	All	Neil Stewart PO Box 2193 MELTON SOUTH Vic 3338 e: openorganiser@meltonpistolclub.com	0417 121 378 www.meltonpistolclub.com
Mid Murray	ISSF	Geoff Scougall RSD SWAN HILL Vic 3585	(03) 5037 6420
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Mildura	Service	Wayne Davis	0417 300 602
	WA1500	PO Box 2065 MILDURA Vic 3502	
MISC	All	Club Captain 120 Todd Road, FISHERMANS BEND Vic 3207 e: comps@melbourneinternational.org.au	9646 3976 Fax 9646 9953
Mountain District	Service	John Sammartino	0403 069 089
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Oakleigh	ISSF	Club Captain PO Box 1446 CLAYTON SOUTH Vic 3169 e: clubcaptain@oakleighpistolclub.com.au	0411 149 630
Outtrim	WA1500	Ralph Motton	0417 554 876
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