

## **INFORMATION**

**FIRING POINTS** are all covered.

**AMMUNITION** will **not** be on sale.

**REFRESHMENTS.** A selection of snacks along with tea, coffee and squash will be available for purchase in the clubroom.

**SMOKING.** Long Ashton Range & Clubroom are non-smoking areas.

**SECURITY.** The Association will not accept responsibility for articles owned by competitors or others at the meeting that may be damaged, lost or stolen from the Range or its surroundings. Rifles and other equipment should be locked securely and out of sight in your vehicle when not competing.

**CAR PARKING** is available on site. Vehicles are parked at their owner's risk and the Association will not accept responsibility for loss, damage or theft of or from vehicles parked at the Range or its surroundings.

**DATA PROTECTION.** By entering this competition you are giving consent for the Somerset Small-Bore Shooting Association to keep and use information about you. Your details may be retained for a period of five years after the competition. Results will be retained indefinitely for the purposes of future reference and maintaining historical records, and as such may be distributed to interested parties. Results and scores showing competitors' surnames and initials only, plus club name where relevant, will be published on the SSBSA website. Names will be omitted only if requested on the application form.

**RESULTS.** All results will be published on the SSBSA website and will be emailed to competitors supplying an email address on their entry form.

**FURTHER INFORMATION** can be obtained from the "SSBSA Rifle and Airgun Competition Rules and Format" a copy of which is available upon request.

**DIRECTIONS.** The Long Ashton & District Rifle Range is located at Flax Bourton, North Somerset. Situated on the B3130, it is a quarter of a mile north of the A370 Junction. Bear left at the first double roundabout and immediately right before the second roundabout, then up the lane ahead of you through the set of green gates. For your satnav, the nearest postcode to the Range is BS48 1NJ.

A location map can be found on the SSBSA website ([www.ssbsa.com](http://www.ssbsa.com))

**Entry to the competition can be made online at [www.ssbsa.com](http://www.ssbsa.com) or by completing an entry form and posting it to the Long Range Organiser at the address on the front page.**

**Please make cheques payable to the SSBSA**

# SOMERSET SMALL-BORE SHOOTING ASSOCIATION



## **OPEN SHOOT**

Sunday, 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2017

at

**LONG ASHTON & DISTRICT  
RIFLE RANGE**

Entries to: -

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## COURSE

English Match (60 shots at 50 metres) using the 3 cards system.

## CLASSES

The meeting will be shot in 4 classes according to declared averages: -

Class X	97.5 and over	Class A	96.0 to 97.4
Class B	93.5 to 95.9	Class C	93.4 and below

The committee reserves the right to re-classify competitors.

If no average is given Class X will be allocated.

## SQUADDING NUMBERS & TIMES

Squad 1	09:30 – 10:50 hrs	
Squad 2	11:20 – 12:40 hrs	<i>PLEASE NOTE THESE TIMES THEY ARE DIFFERENT FROM LAST YEAR</i>
Squad 3	13:10 – 14:30 hrs	
Squad 4	15:00 – 16:20 hrs	<i>NO CROSS SQUADDING IS AVAILABLE</i>

The match will be shot over 3 details each of 20 minutes for unlimited sighters and 20 shots to count. A 10-minute period will be allowed between details for change of targets & a 30-minute period will be allowed between squads to allow sufficient time to prepare for the shoot.

## COMPETITIONS

### Open Competition

1. Aggregate – in 4 Classes: - X, A, B & C (60 Shots @ 50m)
2. Ladies Championship
3. Veterans Championship (Aged 60 or over on 31<sup>st</sup> December next)
4. Junior Championship (Aged under 21 on 31<sup>st</sup> December next)
5. Pairs Championship – in 2 Classes: - X/A and B/C
6. Open Team Championship (Club teams of four)

### Closed Competition

7. Team Handicap Championship - SSBSA Affiliated Club teams of 4  
X : Scratch    A : +12Pts.    B : +18Pts.    C : +30Pts.

All competitions will be shot concurrently.

## RULES

- NSRA rules and regulations will apply except for ties. These will be decided on the last card working backward, the bottom pair of diagrams being considered the last card. The Range Committee will settle any disputes and their decision will be final.
- Averages should be calculated from the best 5 of the last 6 officially scored cards. Competitors will be allocated to each class in accordance with averages submitted, except for previous years winners who will be allocated to a higher class. The Range Committee reserves the right to reclassify any competitor whose declared average appears to be incorrect.
- Teams must comprise four members of the same club.
- Recorded Scores. It is the responsibility of the competitor to ensure that their scores are correctly recorded on the exhibited lists. A score may be challenged on a deposit of £2.00, which will be returned if the challenge is upheld. The Association will not enter into any correspondence regarding missing or disputed scores after the close of the meeting.
- Disciplinary matters. The procedure for dealing with any disciplinary matters is fully documented within the "SSBSA Rifle & Airgun Competition Rules & Format", a copy of which is available upon request.
- Range Register. All competitors must sign the Range Register and visitors must sign the competition Clubroom Register available on the day.
- Squadding details, including squad time, competitor number & firing point, will be displayed in the clubhouse.
- Squads will commence promptly at the times stated. Competitors must allow sufficient preparation time so as to be ready to shoot at those times.
- Targets and backing cards will be available on the firing point prior to your squadding time. Competitor number, firing point number, and detail number will be found on all targets and backers - is the competitor's responsibility to check that this information is correct. Queries must be resolved with the range officer before shooting commences.  
Bulldog clips are required.
- Shot targets and backers are to be handed to the Range Officer at the end of each detail.
- Breech flags must be used when rifles are not in use but uncovered and with the bolt or action in place.
- Removal of equipment. Competitors should remove their equipment from the firing point at the end of their last detail before collecting their targets.
- Squadding. Every competitor whose entry is accepted and entry fee paid will be squadded at their chosen time. Should the chosen squad be filled, the competitor will be offered whatever squad is available.
- In the event of a competitor being unable to attend, any entry fees paid, less 20%, will be refunded if the meeting organiser is informed at least 2 days before the meeting.

**SOMERSET SMALL BORE SHOOTING ASSOCIATION**

**2017 OPEN SHOOT**

**SUNDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> APRIL**

**ENTRY FORM**

*PLEASE USE BLOCK CAPITALS THROUGHOUT*

Name: -	
Address: -	
County: -	Postcode: -
E-Mail: -	
Tel: -	
Club: -	
NSRA No. (Yours or your Club's) : -	

Average: -

Your average should be calculated from the best 5 of your last 6 officially scored cards

*IF NO AVERAGE IS SUBMITTED CLASS X WILL BE ASSUMED*

Please circle the class that you wish to enter: -

Classes: -	X	97.5 and over	A	96.0 to 97.4
	B	93.5 to 95.9	C	93.4 and below

*Note: - The committee reserves the right to reclassify competitors*

Are you left-handed? Yes / No

Competitor's Signature: .....

Club Secretary / Captain's Signature:.....

Print Name: .....

COMPETITION	PRICE	TOTAL
AGGREGATE (Excluding Juniors)	£15.00	
JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIP (under 21)(Incl. Aggregate)	£7.50	
OPEN LADIES CHAMPIONSHIP	£2.00	
VETERANS (60 or over)	£2.00	
PAIRS* (£2.00 each; £4.00 per pair) Partner's Name: -	£2.00	
OPEN TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP Club Team of 4 * (Price is for the team) Club Name: -	£4.00	
INTER CLUB TEAM HANDICAP COMPETITION SSBSA Affiliated Clubs Team of 4 * (Price is for the team) Club Name: -	£4.00	
SOMERSET SUPERDRAW <i>(Delete if not required)</i>	£1.00	£1.00
<b>TOTAL PAYABLE</b>		<b>£</b>

\* Pairs & Teams - Each competitor must have entered the aggregate competition. Team members must all be from the same club. Please use the reverse of this form to list your team members.

**Please state required squad number, not time: -**

**1<sup>st</sup> Choice ..... 2<sup>nd</sup> Choice ..... 3<sup>rd</sup> Choice .....**

Entries will be squadded strictly in order of receipt

**Return this entry form to: -**

**Alan Coomber**

**6 Longfield Close, Williton, Taunton, TA4 4PQ**

Tel: 01984 632766 E-mail: LongRangeOrganiser@SSBSA.com

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**ENTRIES ARE REQUESTED BY SATURDAY 15<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2017**

**LATE ENTRIES MAY BE ACCEPTED IF SPACE IS AVAILABLE**

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