

BEDFORDSHIRE SMALLBORE SHOOTING ASSOCIATION COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIPS

TO BE HELD ON SUNDAY JUNE 12 2022 AT THE BEDFORD RANGE

CLOSING DATE FOR LONG-RANGE ENTRIES SATURDAY MAY 28 2022

Following the loss of Thorn Range and limited capacity at the Bedford Range the format of the competition has been revised, the Short-Range Championship will be shot on a postal basis.

The Long Range Championship (50m and 100yds) will continue as a shoulder-to-shoulder shoot.

These Championships are open only to those who reside in the County of Bedfordshire.

Will Club Secretaries please do their utmost to publicise these Championships and encourage all their members to participate remembering that the competitions are by class and so there is a chance for everyone.

The County Champion competition will remain the same, with the Chris Fryer Memorial Trophy being awarded to the County Champion who will be the person with the highest aggregate over the Short- and Long-Range Championships. The County Champion will also receive a Gold Wire Badge.

CHAMPION OF CHAMPIONS.

There will be a Champion of Champions competition at Bisley as usual on the Malcolm Cooper Range and counties are invited to send one person to complete in this. The BSSA Committee has decided to invite the winner of the Long-Range Championship to represent Bedfordshire in this competition on the last Sunday of Bisley week. If the winner is unable to go to Bisley then the runner-up will be invited.

If members are not shooting for any reason but are willing to come and help as range officers/scorers/refreshment helpers we will be very pleased to hear from them.

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Conditions

ENTRIES: Short-range targets sets will be provided to Club Match Secretary's by the

15th May for supply to their members. Sets issued are to be recorded on the

supplied form. Unused sets are to be returned to the County scorer.

Long range entries to be made on the attached form, it should be noted that

Competitors need not enter both Championships.

SQUADDING: All Long-Range shooting on the 12th June will be squadded.

AVERAGES: To be taken from published Beds Winter League Averages or

the last 10 25 yds Match Cards – no deletions.

CLASS A 96.5 and over CLASS B 94.6 TO 96.4 CLASS C 94.5 and under

JUNIORS: Under the age of 18 years at date of Championships. No coaching will be

allowed.

VETERANS: Over the age of 60 years at date of Championships- (all 25 yds cards and

first 2 at 50 and 100 yd).

SUPER-VETS: Over the age of 70 at date of Championships, conditions as for Veterans.

TIES: Short Range: ties will be decided on countback.

Long range: For County Championship only, ties will be decided by shoot off at 100 yds until a result is reached for first, second and third place. Other

placings will be decided on countback.

REFRESHMENTS: Light refreshments will be available on the range.

SHORT RANGE INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP (POSTAL) CLASSES A & B & C

Clubs will be issued with stickered cards. All cards (shot and unshot) MUST be returned to the County scorer no later than 12:00pm on the 7^{th} June 2022.

Short Range Championship cards may be shot concurrently with the Bedfordshire 25yd league. In this case the league card should be affixed back-to-back with the Championship card and shot with the Championship card face toward the shooter. The Championship card score will be transferred to the appropriate round of the Beds league.

Cards shot in this way must NOT be scored locally.

To be held in three sections: - ENTRY FEE

CLASSES A/B/C Course of fire – 40 shots at 25 yds £5.00

JUNIORS Concurrent with above LADIES Concurrent with above

SHORT RANGE TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP

Will be held concurrently with the above Championship and is Open to Club Teams of 4 (stickers will be provided).

£2.00 per team

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LONG RANGE INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP (AFTERNOON)

PROGRAMME

START 1.00 pm (Thereafter timing will depend on entry and the number of squads required.)

CLASSES A & B & C - 50 m A and B Classes shoot two details -C class shoot one detail

Range reset to 100 yd

CLASSES A & B & C - 100yd A and B Classes shoot two details - C class shoot one detail

To be held in three sections:-

CLASSES A/B Course of Fire 40 shots at 50M &

40 shots at 100 yds £7.00

CLASS C Course of Fire 20 shots at 50M &

20 shots at 100 yds £5.00

JUNIORS Course of Fire 20 shots at 50M &

20 shots at 100 yds. Concurrent With 1st cards at each range. (Class A/B or Class C)

LADIES Classes A & B only (Concurrent with above). Free

LONG RANGE TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP

Will be held concurrently with the above Championship And is open to Club Teams of 4 from Classes A & B only. Teams to be declared at time of entry.

£2.00 per team

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ENTRY FEE DISCOUNT – Competitors entering both Short & Long Range Championships:-

CLASS A & B COMBINED ENTRY FEE £11.00 CLASS C - COMBINED ENTRY FEE £9.00

GARRETT CUP TEAM CHALLENGE

Will be held concurrently with the above Championship

And is open to Club Teams of 3, one competitor from each of Class A, B & C.

Teams to be declared at time of entry.

£2.00 per team

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