

## CANADIAN SHOTGUN CHAMPIONSHIP

September 4, 5 & 6, 2009

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Fri. Sept.04: Sporting Clays 200 targets

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Sat. Sept.05: American Shoot 25 targets

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Sat. Sept.05: Olympic: Trench Trap 25 targets

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Sun. Sept.06: FITASC 50 targets

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### WE THOUGH YOU SHOULD HEAR...

I just received the final cash report from finance with a grand total of \$20,150 donated from the Canadian Shotgun Championship!!! That's amazing, thanks again to you and everyone involved for all your hard work and dedication to the Society! We can't thank you enough!

Warm Regards,  
Louise Daly  
Revenue Development Coordinator, Reach For A Cure  
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## REMOVING the MYSTERY

Obtaining lead by way of the subconscious mind is still a mystery for many shotgunners. Presented here is a personal view and that of others as to what obtaining lead "instinctively" actually involves.

Many sporting clay shooters think obtaining lead instinctively is to focus on the target, see the muzzle in their periphery, establish a picture and pull the trigger when the picture seems right. Unfortunately, people in the know, such as Gil and Vicki Ash, top level III National Sporting Clays Association certified shooting instructors view things differently. Here is their slant on the matter.

"The unfortunate thing about sight pictures is they reside in the conscious mind. It takes as much as 200-300 milliseconds for the conscious part of the brain to see the sight picture and pull the trigger. The reality is what you think you saw when you pulled the trigger really occurred 200-300 milliseconds ago. Although the lead looks right, the target will not break." As Gil Ash says "Is it any wonder longer range shots are missed behind?"

This is how I sum it up. Sight pictures can only be viewed by way of a conscious lead. If used in combination, the lead you think you see when pulling the trigger is no longer relevant by two to three tenths of a second. During that lost interval, a target can change line or travel entirely out of what appears to be the right lead. Now I don't know about you, but I can miss enough targets without using a deck already stacked against me.

Here is the flip side. The subconscious side of the brain lives and breathes in real time. An instinctively obtained lead allows trigger pull to occur in real time, eliminating the 200-300 milliseconds lost time disadvantage. That in itself is worth at least a ten target per hundred gain for most competitors up to and including intermediate shooters. Here are a few key ways to help obtain lead instinctively.

1. Obtain firm focus and maintain firm focus on the leading edge or ridges and edges of the target, from mount start through trigger pull.
2. It is helpful that gun and bird speed are matched before the trigger is pulled. This along with firm focus slows the apparent speed of the target, making the shot more manageable.
3. Ideally, the method used should keep muzzle and target separate throughout the shot, be it vertically, horizontally or both.
4. Pull the trigger as close to mount completion as is reasonable. Any attempt to see a relationship between muzzle and target immediately turns the process into a conscious lead activity. Instinct knows best where the muzzle should be for any given shot. When you sense or feel the time is right, pull the trigger without hesitation.

These key techniques will go a long way to helping you obtain lead by instinct, eliminating awareness of the muzzle through trigger pull.

Submitted by Steve Lockham Sr.  
N.S.C.A. Level II certified shooting instructor.

## ASSOCIATION 2009 - president message

### To All ASCA Members

New football coaches never want to take over from a winning coach because if the team is successful it is a result of the previous coach and if it is not it is the new guys fault. I'll take that chance because Doug is still close, and keen and involved and we have a great team of new and 'seasoned' directors to 'get on with it!'

What a banner couple of years the ASCA just had under Doug Harvey's direction and I will highlight his major achievement in a host of smaller ones. He introduced Make-A-Break and FITASC to Alberta shooters and established the 'Canadian Shotgun Championship', a personal dream of his.

The 'CSC' attracted shooters from across Canada with \$23,000 in cash prizes and associated bragging rights. Eleven shotgun shooting events were held over the Aug. 29 - 31 weekend at both Silver Willow and deWinton (AHEIA).

Doug and the CSC organizing had a lot of sleepless nights concerning the budget BUT absolutely tremendous financial support for the CSC was forthcoming from corporate sponsors, government agencies and personal donations. When the dust settled the CSC was \$10,000 in the black and the ASCA recognizing Doug's recommendation directed over \$20,000 toward the Canadian Cancer Society, Alberta and NWT, research program. The residual \$10,000 will go toward junior programs and instructor/shooter training.

**SPECIAL THANKS....TO YOU, THE ASCA MEMBERS,  
WHO VOLUNTEERED YOUR TIME AND EFFORT TO MAKE THIS  
SUCH A SUCCESS.**

AND...on a special note, the young university student from Assiniboia, SK., Jessie Rasmussen, who has been coached and mentored by Doug in Sporting Clays, won the Ladies Top Gun award. Jessie calls herself the adopted granddaughter to Beth and Doug and to show her love for them she proceeded to donate her \$1000.00 prize money to Cancer Research. In the words of one of our directors, Paul Trummer, on hearing about this said "I can't express in words what this says about the character of some of our shooters."

## ASSOCIATION 2009 - president message

In it's 14 years of existence as a non profit, volunteer non organization in Alberta the ASCA has certainly met it's objective of promoting Sporting Clays in Alberta.

The ASCA has;

Grown to over 700 members in the province.

Organized and coordinated, throughout the province and Western Canada, over 40 competitive and social shooting events every year.

Provided safety and shooting instruction courses with special emphasis on junior and ladies programs. Examples: Brooks - 70 junior members and 6 training sessions held for 40 students per session. Grande Prairie - 80 junior members and 5 training sessions held for 30 students per session. Carstairs/Calgary - 150 students and 40 ladies through instruction programs.

Brought into the province some of the best instructors and course setters in the world to "train our trainers."

Introduced to Alberta shooters international clay venues like FITASC, a European originated format which is gaining in popularity.

Introduced Alberta shooters to shotgun side games similar to Make-A-Break.

Supported Alberta shooters attending international events.

SO.....our objective is to promote the sport of Sporting Clays.

*Let's get on with it!*

George Squires  
ASCA Pres.



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## CANADIAN SHOTGUN CHAMPIONSHIP

### Ontario Based Shot gunner Earns title "Canadian Shotgun Champion"

Fifty-one competitors from six provinces competed in ten individual events plus a Super Final tackling five hundred and fifty targets to find the best all round shotgun competitor in Canada.

The course targets were set by Mike McAlpine from Texas, ably assisted by Graham Perry from Alberta.

Calgary, AB- Canadian Shotgun Champion Matt Vianello only placed first in two events over the three day competition, but like a true champion he picked the right two. His first top placing was the last event in the competition. European style sporting clays otherwise known as FTI-ASC, saw Matt beat the field by two targets. The Super Final, the deciding event in the competition was the right time to shine as Matt crushed the competition by five targets, a whopping 30% more than his closest competitor. Matt took home \$5000.00 and the title Canadian Shotgun Champion for his efforts.

Runner up was another Ontario competitor, Ian Kullhay. Mr Kullhay finished the competition with a total score only two targets behind the Champion. Alberta shooters Josh Day took third, Don Day and Steve Lockham Jr tied for fourth and Stu Carter took sixth. Seventh place went to Tim Putnam of Manitoba, and eighth place in the open competition went to Peter Chiefari of Ontario.

The Ladies concurrent champion was Jessie Rasmussen from Saskatchewan with Anne Labrecque of Montreal runner up. The Canadian Junior Champion was Ryan Reiss of Alberta with runner up Jessie Putnam from Manitoba. Sub Junior Champion was Jayden Beland with runner up Dexter Harvey both from Alberta.

The organising committee is proud to announce that this event was able to raise and donate a grand total of \$20,150.00 to the Canadian Cancer Society dedicated to Prostate Cancer research. They also raised \$4500.00 for junior programs and \$4500.00 for ASCA athlete development.

"a good time was had by all".

Montreal Skeet Club has made arrangements to hold the event in 2009.

Dear Members:

First I would like to thank the board of directors, the clubs and the membership for allowing me the honour of being the Alberta Sporting Clays Assoc. president for the last couple of years.

I sincerely hope that I have contributed to the well being of sporting clays in Alberta.

Speaking of contributing I would like to specifically thank members George Squires (hotline and sponsorships), Cory McConnell (web site and e-mails), Pat Wabk (mailings), Jason Philp, Donn Holmes, Graham Perry, Vic Thomas, Val Carter and Beth Harvey (Canadian Shotgun Championship) and many others that have contributed to the sport.

It is because of these types of people that contribute to the sport and/or association, that it remains healthy and growing.

We have had a lot of members do just that and that is the reason our Alberta Sporting Clays Association is the envy of every other province in Canada and most of the states south of the border. This just didn't happen; people made it happen.

Alberta shot gunners also enjoy what are probably the best and most numerous sporting clays clubs in the country. To keep them viable and in business for our shooting pleasure we must support them or like any business, if they don't have support and/or customers, they go away.

We have had great friendships made through our association, whether on the course, sharing a meal, around a campfire, or discussing a target that got away.

We are very fortunate to have the capabilities of our new president George Squires and the current board. I am confident they will take the A.S.C.A. to the next level for the memberships benefit.

So let's keep our association and clubs healthy and growing by pitching in and/or contributing where ever we can.

See you at the next shoot! And bring a friend.

*Zepp Henry*  
Past President

PS Thanks to our members, volunteers, competitors and sponsors the Canadian Shotgun Championship raised and donated \$20,150.00 for prostate cancer research, \$4500.00 to the ASCA for junior programs and \$4500.00 to the ASCA for athlete development.



ALBERTA SPORTING CLAYS ASSOCIATION

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# Brooks Clays and Feathers Club 2009 Shoot Dates

February 20 & 21	Brooks Ringneck Classic 2 <sup>nd</sup> Annual Pheasant Shoot	NR
April 5	Membership Shoot- 100 sporting clays and 50 trap Come out and support the club	NR
April 18	Oilmen's Spring Challenge Brooks and Med Hat at Med Hat	NR
May 2 & 3	Sporting Clays Shoot - 400 targets total	REG
May 2	250 targets, May 3 - 150 targets	
May 6	Wednesday, start of Spring League (100 targets/week for 7 weeks)	
May 9	Ducks Unlimited - 100 targets	NR
June 6 & 7	Wild Rose Sporting Clays- 2 day event with 400 targets total, First 200 targets will be the Combined with Silver Willow July 11	REG
June 21	Father's Day Sporting Clays and Trap Shoot - 100 targets	NR
July 7	Tuesday, start of Youth League	
July 11	Sporting Clays Shoot - 200 targets @ Silver Willow (combined REG with BCFC June 6 <sup>th</sup> Wild Rose Shoot)	
August 12	Wednesday, start of Super League (5 person teams - 6 weeks)	
Sept 11, 12 & 13	Friday, Sept. 11- A.T.A. Doubles Marathon starting 3:00 PM. Saturday, Sept. 12- 100 Singles, 100 Handicap, 100 Handicap Sunday, Sept. 13- 100 Singles, 100 Handicap \$5000 added monies. Event #8 and event #10 scores-combined All 1000 targets are registered.	REG
September 26	Brooks Oilmen's Fall Shoot - 100 Sporting Clays-50 Trap	NR
October 4	Turkey Shoot @ noon	
October 9 & 10	Winchester Challenge -Sporting Clays Shoot	NR
October 11	MLA (Arno Doerksen) First Time Hunter Shoot	
October 18	Turkey Shoot @ noon	

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## 2009 Shoot Dates

February 21	PITA Shoot
February 22	Sporting Clay 100 Targets
March 21	PITA Shoot
March 22	Sporting Clay 120 Targets
April 26	Sporting Clay Gun Show Shoot 120 Targets
May 24	Sporting Clay Fun Shoot 100 Targets
June 7	Club Championship
July 24, 25, 26	WESTERN CANADIAN SPORTING CLAY CHALLENGE Main Event 350 Targets Preliminary Shoot 100 Targets Five Bird Partner Shoot
August 23	PITA Shoot - tentative
October 31	Sporting Clay Shoot 100 Targets
November 1	

## Practice Shoots

Sundays starting at 10:00am until April 26

Tuesdays starting April 21, 2009 at 5:00pm

## WINTER SHOOTING

## 2009 SPRING/SUMMER SHOOTING

There will be some Sunday shooting through Spring and Summer. The Club will also be open on Saturdays before Sporting Clay events.

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## OFFICIAL RULES & REGULATIONS

### ORGANIZATION OF THE ALBERTA SPORTING CLAYS ASSOCIATION

(RULE CHANGES FOR 2009 ARE UNDERLINED>

The ALBERTA SPORTING CLAYS ASSOCIATION, (ASCA) was formed in February of 1994 to promote sporting clays in Alberta.

The ASCA is a nonprofit organization operated by and for its members. The primary objective of the ASCA is to promote the growth of sporting clays in a way that is beneficial to all who enjoy and participate in the game. The ASCA is guided by a Board of Directors comprised of range owners, and both competitive and recreational shooters.

The following is an informative summary of the organization of the ASCA. The Official Alberta Sporting Clays Rules govern the shooting of registered targets, the conduct of shooters and the duties of shoot management. The ASCA has the responsibility for the formulation, regulation and enforcement of these sporting clays rules. These rules are contained in this booklet.

The ASCA executive reserves the right to make alteration in, or amendments to these rules at any time, whenever it deems it to be in the best interest of the ASCA and its members.

## GENERAL INFORMATION

### A. PURPOSE OF ASCA

The purpose of the ASCA is to promote and govern the sport of sporting clays throughout Alberta. The ASCA is dedicated to the development of the sport at all levels of participation. We vow to create an atmosphere of healthy and safe competition and meaningful fellowship within its membership.

## B. MEMBERSHIP

Membership is available at \$25.00, payable at full amount. Application for membership may be made at any registered shoot by filling out an application or by contacting the ASCA for an application. Annual dues may be assessed from time to time.

## C. BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Board of Directors is comprised of ASCA members - range owners, and shooters. Their primary function is to promote and guide the association.

## 1 - CLASSIFICATION

### A. 2009 CLASSIFICATION PROCEDURES

There are seven classes that a shooter can classify into:

**MASTERS - AA - A - B - C - D - E.**

1. Classification is based on the following:

MASTERS 77.00% and above	10%
AA - 71.00 - 75.99	15%
A - 68.00 - 71.79	15%
B - 62.40 - 67.99	15%
C - 58.20 - 62.39	15%
D - 54.00 - 58.19	15%
E - 53.99 and below	15%

Classifications are subject to change throughout the year dependant on scores posted at registered shoots primarily prior to the Provincial Championship.

2. A shooter who is assigned to a lower class may reject the class if the shooter wishes to remain in a higher class, however the shooter must compete in that class or higher for the remainder of the year. To reject the assigned class, the shooter must contact a member of the board of directors.

3. All new shooters will be assigned a class.

To determine your assigned class:

- a: A shooter who has never shot any registered ASCA clay targets will be assigned a class by their current known ability, or Class C whichever is greater.
- b: A shooter from another sporting clays organization, (i.e. NSCA) will shoot their earned class.
- c: A shooter who has shot registered targets in any clay target organization other than a Sporting Clays Association will be assigned into Class B or one class lower than their highest class attained in that clay target organization whichever is greater.
- d: A shooter will have a rolling average based on starting the season by applying the last calendar years average to 400 targets then adding the current year targets and then re-averaging.



**ALWAYS** carry your gun **OPEN AT ALL TIMES** when not shooting.

**NEVER** point your gun at **ANYONE**.

**OPEN YOUR GUN BEFORE YOU MOVE YOUR FEET.**

**TREAT** every gun as if it were **LOADED**.

**EYE & EAR** protection is mandatory for Shooters, Spectators, Pullers and Trappers.

If using **AUTOS** or **PUMP ACTIONS** - when not shooting **KEEP ACTIONS OPEN** and **REMEMBER MUZZLE AWARENESS**.

**ALWAYS** keep ammunition of different gauges in **SEPARATE** bags.

If you have a **MISFIRE** or **MALFUNCTION**, keep your gun pointing down range, **OPEN GUN AND CHECK FOR OBSTRUCTION**.

**NO** gun shall be loaded until the shooter is on the Shooting Station.

**REMEMBER: ALCOHOL AND GUNS DON'T MIX.**

**SAFETY IS EVERYONE'S RESPONSIBILITY**

**GOOD SHOOTING IS NO ACCIDENT**



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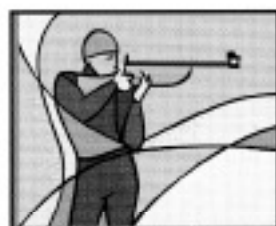


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4. It is the shooter's responsibility to follow these rules and declare them self up in class at the appropriate time. Failure to do so will result in disqualification and return of all moneys and prizes and/or suspension.

5. Classification carries over from one year to the next, however, the shooter can be reclassified UPWARD or DOWNWARD during the shooting year based on ASCA classification system.

6. The shooter is responsible for entering registered shoots in their assigned class.

7. A classified shooter who wishes to voluntarily declare them self up in class may do so and must notify the ASCA statistician. He/she must shoot in the self-assigned class or higher for the remainder of the year.

8. Reclassification for medical reasons shall be entertained on an individual basis by the ASCA Board of Directors.

9. Classification Review - The Board of Directors, club or shooter has the right to request a review of a shooter's record if it appears that the shooter is unfairly competing in a class other than their true level of ability. Upon review by the committee, the shooter may be assigned a different class.

## H. RULES OF CONDUCT OF ASCA SHOOTER

Each member will be furnished a copy of these Official ASCA rules by mail and/or on the ASCA web site, with the understanding that the member will read and understand each rule. Members are strongly encouraged to know these rules and abide by them, both for their own benefit and for the benefit of other shooters and safety.

- By entering the competition, every person agrees to accept all official decisions and to abide by these rules.
- Failure to accurately record scores or the fabrication of scores, can lead to suspension from the ASCA.
- Pets are not allowed on the course while a shoot is in progress.
- Coaching of an individual in the station during a registered shoot is not permitted.

## C. SPECIAL CLASSES

A shooter's eligibility for special classes which are based on age will be determined by their age on January 1 of the shooting year.

Special classes may be offered in:

Lady	
Sub-Junior:	Ages 12 to 14.
Junior:	Ages 15 to 18
Veteran:	Ages 60 to 66
Super-Vet	Age 67 and over.

See Sec. IV D, #2, #3 & #4

Lady, Junior and Sub-Junior shooters shall be given a reduction of 1/2 of the entry fee for all registered events.

#### D. CONCURRENT EVENTS

These are events which are offered in concurrence with the seven (7) classes of shooters (MASTERS, AA, A, B, C, D, E) that allow the participating shooters to compete and receive prizes or awards in these separate events in addition to their class. These events are based on age (Sub-Junior, Junior, Veteran and Super-Vet) or gender (Lady).

All ASCA Registered shoots must offer all Concurrent Events and offer some type of award. A shooter winning an award in class will be eliminated from winning an award in a concurrent event.

#### E. TOURNAMENTS

Only clubs affiliated with ASCA shall be eligible to conduct registered shoots. See Section IV on regulations for holding registered shoots.

Types of Tournaments:

- **Registered Shoot-** A shoot where targets shot by ASCA members must be registered. Membership in ASCA is mandatory for both club and shooters.
- **Non-Registered Shoot-** A shoot where none of the targets are ASCA registered. Non-members may participate. There are no membership restrictions to receiving awards, prizes or prizes.
- **Registered/Fun Shoot-** A shoot where targets shot by ASCA members must be registered, non-members may participate. The ASCA strongly suggest that these fun shoots be run utilizing Lewis Class for awards.
- **Provincial Tournament -** An annual registered shoot held within the Province. ASCA membership is mandatory. See Sec. IV, E for further requirements.

### II. SAFETY SECTION

#### 1. GENERAL

**A. SAFETY IS THE NUMBER ONE CONSIDERATION FOR ALL SPORTING CLAYS RANGES.**

**B. Safety is everyone's responsibility.**

**C. It is the shooter's responsibility to report any unsafe shooting condition immediately to Shoot Officials. The shoot will not proceed until the safety issue is corrected.**

**D. Mandatory Eye and Ear Protection. All persons, spectators, shooters, referees and trap personnel, must wear eye and ear protection on the course at a tournament sanctioned by the ASCA.**

**E. Trap Personnel Protection. All trap personnel in front of the line of fire must be out of sight with screen protection able to withstand the charge of shot at the given distance.**

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F. Shooters must have the direct permission of a Field Judge to test fire any gun. Other than on such permitted test firings, guns will be discharged only in attempt at competition targets.

### 2. ALCOHOL POLICY

It is the policy of the ASCA that no alcoholic beverages are to be consumed by participants before or during a shoot. Any participant who consumes alcoholic beverages prior to or during a shoot will be disqualified from further participation in the shoot including shoot offs to break ties.

### III. DEFINITION OF TERMS

#### A. SHOOT PROMOTER

Individual(s) or entity that provide the facilities and organization of the competition. Shoot Promoters may also act as Shoot Officials.

#### B. SHOOT OFFICIALS

Individual(s) appointed by the Shoot Promoter and responsible for course layout, target selection, and appointment of Field Judges. Shoot Officials shall be responsible for both layout and testing of the course for safety. Shoot Officials are responsible for ensuring that competitors are not allowed to test or preview the course prior to the competition.

#### C. CHIEF REFEREE

Person who may be appointed by the shoot management who is responsible for the general supervision over all other referees or field judges at a tournament, and who shall be present throughout the shoot competition.

#### D. FIELD JUDGE

Person of known ability assigned by the Shoot Officials to score targets and enforce the rules.

#### E. STATION

A shooting position from which one or more targets are attempted.

#### F. REPORT PAIR

Two sequential targets where the second target is launched at the sound of the gun firing at the first target. Targets may be launched from one or more traps. In the case of "Report Pairs", where the first target is a good (fair) target and the second target is not a good target for whatever reason, the first target shall be ruled as an established hit or miss and the shooter shall be presented with another pair of targets. The shooter must again attempt the first target but only the second target shall be scored on this presentation.

#### G. FOLLOWING PAIR

Two sequential targets where the second target is launched at the officials discretion after the first target. Targets may be launched from one or more traps. Two good targets must be presented for a score to be established.

#### H. SIMULTANEOUS PAIR (TRUE PAIR)

Two targets launched simultaneously. Targets may be launched from one or more traps. Two good targets must be presented for a score to be established.

### IV. EQUIPMENT

#### A. TARGETS

Targets thrown in any event may include any or all of the following:

1. Standard, mini, midi, hottie, rocket, or rabbit targets as specified by ASCA.
2. Any sporting clays target approved by ASCA.
3. Target number and selection for any competition shall be at the discretion of the Shoot Officials. Target number and selection shall be the same for all shooters. It is recommended that 30% to 40% of targets for tournaments be specialty.
4. Poison bird targets of a separate and clearly discernible appearance may be included with accompanying targets. A shooter breaking a poison bird target will lose any other "good" birds broken on that presentation attempt.
5. Launching devices which provide for targets traveling at various angles and distances to the competitors (i.e. wobble or oscillating traps) may not be used in registered tournaments.

#### B. SHOTGUNS

1. Shotguns of 12 gauge or smaller, in safe working order, and capable of firing two shots are to be used in attempting all targets. Registered shoots require that a maximum of two shells be loaded.
2. Shotguns fitted for multiple barrels (of various chokes and/or lengths) are permitted. The shooter is allowed to change barrels only before shooting the next station.
3. Shotguns with interchangeable or adjustable chokes are permitted at the shooter's discretion. Chokes shall be changed or adjusted only before shooting the next station.
4. Competitors may enter a shoot with various guns and attempt targets at various stations with different guns, or the gun of another competitor. Guns may be changed only before shooting the next station except in case of malfunction.



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### 83 Shooters

HOA CHAMPION		STU CARTER	165
RU		JAYDON BELAND	162
MASTER	1ST	STEVE LOCKHAM JR	150
	2ND	JOSHUA DAY	150
	3RD	DOUG HARVEY	157
AA	1ST	JIM CARMODY	152
	2ND	DAVE MCKAY	150
	3RD	DONN HOLMES	148
A	1ST	PAUL BELAND	157
	2ND	BRIAN SHEPARD	156
	3RD	BRUCE LYNN	154
B	1ST	JEREMY MERTA	148
	2ND	DEXTER HARVEY	130
	3RD	AUBREY SUCLIN	137
C	1ST	LANE MERTA	135
	2ND	ROBIN BISHOP	115
	3RD	GREG REYNAR	113
D	1ST	LYLE BRAMLEY	128
	2ND	COLTON CARTER	122
	3RD	DON TERRIO	121
E	1ST	NAN BITZ	102
	2ND	LEN BOGEN	100
	3RD	PAUL HAGEL	81
LADY	1ST	ANDREA DAY-LYGAS	133
	2ND	MICHELINE THIBERGE	131
	3RD	TEDDI PERRY	118
SUB JR	1ST	JAYDON BELAND	162
	2ND	DEXTER HARVEY	130
VET	1ST	BOB COUCH	155
	2ND	ED BOWMAN	145
	3RD	FRED WHITE	129
SUPER-VET	1ST	RICK PINSKE	152
	2ND	BART COOPER	137
	3RD	GORDON LUDLOW	138
HIGH HANDICAP		GRANT KIRKJIP	150
HIGH OUT of PROV		DAVE CLEM	153
RAJ OOP		BOB LARUE	145

(section VIII-A-1-b).

5. Guns with release type triggers are allowed but must be clearly marked and shoot officials and squad participants notified of their presence. Safety stickers designating "release trigger" must be displayed on any gun so equipped.

#### C. AMMUNITION

1. All shot shell ammunition including reloads may be used. Shoot Officials may, however, require the ammunition to be commercially manufactured at any given shoot. The ASCA assumes no responsibility in connection with the use of ammunition.

#### 2. Maximum loads:

Gauge	Ounce Load (max.)
12	1 1/8
20	7/8
28	3/4
.410	1/2

However any load up to 1 1/8 oz. may be used in any gauge during 12 gauge events.

3. Shot size shall not exceed U.S. #7 1/2 (diameter 0.095").

4. Shot shall be normal production spherical shot. Plated shot is permitted.

#### D. THE COURSE

1. The course will provide for a predetermined number of shooting stations from which each competitor will attempt various targets. The number of stations and the number and characteristics of targets from each station, on each course, will be determined by the Shoot Officials, and will be the same for all shooters. Changes in target trajectory, distance and/or velocity due to wind, rain, time of day or any other natural cause does not constitute a violation of this rule.

2. Targets will be propelled by, and launched from, any of a number of commercially produced, modified, or handmade devices that will propel an approved target in a manner to approach the characteristics (in the opinion of the Shoot Officials) of a game bird or animal typically taken by a sporting shotgun.

3. Launching devices that provide for targets traveling at varying angles and distances to the competitors are not acceptable at a registered shoot (i.e. wobble traps). All targets in a registered shoot shall be presented with a reasonably consistent trajectory, distance and velocity to all shooters.

4. Devices propelling targets of more than one type, and devices capable of providing targets at varying angles and distances, shall be employed only as the

varying aspects of these devices will be the same for all shooters and will be free of all human element selection.

5. Field Judges may be required at each station in sufficient number to competently enforce all "rules for the shooter," as well as, to score the attempts accurately. Numbers and positions for Field Judges shall be determined by the Shoot Officials. Where it is impractical to assign Field Judges, squad members may share scoring duties.

## V. REGULATIONS FOR REGISTERED SHOOTS

### A. CHEQUES - PAYMENTS - OVERPAYMENTS

Anyone who presents a cheque at any shoot that is returned for insufficient funds, or other causes, may not compete in any registered shoot until full payment, plus penalty, has been made to the individual or club to which it was presented. Any club receiving such a cheque shall report name and address of the shooter issuing the cheque to the ASCA.

Any competitor at a registered shoot who, through error, has been overpaid on any purse, added money, optional or other prize money and who is notified of the overpayment by registered mail, must return the overpayment by registered mail within fifteen days. Failure to do so shall result in that shooter being barred from all registered shoots until repayment is made.

### B. CLUB QUALIFICATIONS & RESPONSIBILITIES

Only clubs affiliated with ASCA shall be eligible to conduct registered shoots.

1. It shall be the responsibility of the management of the club to see that each shoot is conducted in accordance with the official rules of the ASCA.

2. The club sponsoring the shoot shall check the ASCA membership of each shooter before accepting their entry and shall be responsible for the dues if they allow a participant to shoot when that participant is not an ASCA member.

a. All individual shooters in all registered shoots must be members in good standing with the ASCA.

**IT SHALL BE THE RESPONSIBILITY OF THE CLUB HOLDING A REGISTERED SHOOT TO CHECK THE MEMBERS LIST, PROVIDED BY THE ASCA, OF ALL PARTICIPANTS AND ENFORCE THIS RULE.**

b. Management will be billed by ASCA in all cases where non-members are allowed to shoot. Management may seek reimbursement from the non-member shooters, but must first abide by IV-B-2 above.

3. Management shall check the shooter's classification on the members list to ascertain the proper classification for the event.

## 2008 STATISTICS

312 ACTIVE SHOOTERS  
211 SHOOTERS ATTEMPTED 300 OR MORE TARGETS  
226,000 REGISTERED TARGETS THROWN

### MOST REGISTERED TARGETS ATTEMPTED

1	DOUG HARVEY	3800
2	STU CARTER	3800
3	DEXTER HARVEY	3400
4	GEORGE SQUIRES	3100
5	TOM STENGER	2700

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1	STU CARTER	85.85%
2	BOB FERGUSON	84.29%
3	VIC VICKERS	83.77%
4	JIM RHYNO	83.51%
5	STEVE LOCKHAM JR	82.85%

### TOP CLASS TEAMS

MASTER	1 STU CARTER	85.85%
	2 BOB FERGUSON	84.29%
"AA"	1 WAYNE MORROW	78.40%
	2 ALAN DAY	78.12%
"A"	1 SCOTT SELLEN	72.00%
	2 JAYDON BELAND	71.84%
"B"	1 BRUCE MUNRO	68.19%
	2 JOHN BARKEMEYER	67.83%
"C"	1 SCOTT SMITH	62.25%
	2 GREG REYNAR	61.88%
"D"	1 KEN SMITH	57.87%
	2 JAY MOODIE	57.87%
"E"	1 KARIN SETTER	52.54%
	2 PAUL HAGEL	52.29%
LADY	1 MICHELINE THIBERGE	63.79%
	2 TERRY REYNAR	58.59%
SUB JR	1 JAYDON BELAND	71.84%
	2 DEXTER HARVEY	68.09%
JR 1	NO JUNIORS THAT SHOT 700 TARGETS	
VET	1 BOB COUCH	81.17%
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SPR-VET	1 JIM RHYNO	83.51%
	2 RICK PINSKE	80.38%



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4. It is the shoot official's responsibility to appoint a chief referee. Shoot officials shall determine the number of targets to be shot on a course. (see II,B for definition)

**C. SHOOT OFFS**

In all registered ASCA tournaments, all ties shall be shot off unless otherwise specified by shoot management.

When a shoot off is conducted to break a tie, the shoot officials will set the shoot off course and will advise all participants in the shoot off how the shoot off will proceed.

When all participants in the shoot off understand the shoot off procedure and agree to its format then the shoot off will proceed. Shooting order will be determined by a lottery draw among the shoot off participants.

Targets are to be set as pairs and will be crossing, one left to right and one right to left. A minimum of five pair to be attempted.

**D. INDIVIDUAL QUALIFICATIONS & RESPONSIBILITIES**

1. It shall be the sole responsibility of the shooters to see that they are entered into all the events desired. The official cashier sheet/entry form must be used. Once entered, clerical errors are the responsibility of shoot management.

2. It shall be the shooter's responsibility to enter an event in the proper class.

3. A Junior, Lady, Veteran or Super-Vet shooter will shoot in their appointed class and their appropriate concurrent class. These concurrent classes will be available at all registered tournaments.

4. A shooter can qualify for only one "Class" or event prize. (see I, D)

5. A shooter who shoots in a lower class than the one in which the record places them shall forfeit any winnings earned while shooting in the wrong class for the first offense, and for the second offense shall forfeit all winnings and also be barred from registered competition for one year.

- a. A shooter who enters, or allows themselves to be entered into an event in a class lower than the class in which the shooter was entitled to shoot forfeits all rights to any trophies or purses they would have earned shooting in the proper class unless the mistake is corrected prior to the distribution of such trophies or purse money.

- b. A shooter accepting trophies or money by shooting in a lower class than the one in which they were entitled to shoot must return their winnings within 15 days after notification by ASCA. Failure to comply within this 15-day period shall subject the shooter to suspension as an ASCA member and PERMANENT disbarment from registered competition.

6. It is the responsibility of the shooter to ensure that the safety is off and the gun is properly loaded with unfired shells of proper size (and load) before calling for a target otherwise the target/s will be scored as "lost".

7. During a registered event, each shooter must verify their score before leaving the station. Once the shooter has left the station, the score will be considered final.

#### **E. RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS**

An individual must be a bonafide resident (permanent abode) of Alberta to be eligible for provincial championships or to shoot as a provincial team member. Where Residency is in question, an Alberta Health Care Card shall be the only acceptable proof. A resident shooter must have shot a minimum of 300 ASCA registered targets in the current year prior to the Provincial Tournament to qualify for awards, moneys or prizes at the Provincial Tournament. A resident shooter who does not qualify by this criteria will be entered into "Masters" class and may only qualify for awards, moneys, or prizes in that class.

A prize for out of province shooters may be offered by shoot management.

#### **F. ALL STAR CRITERIA**

To have attempted a minimum of 700 registered targets in any combination at a minimum of two different clubs.

#### **G. DISQUALIFICATION AND EXPULSION**

1. The shoot management shall upon proper evidence:

- a. Disqualify any shooter for the remainder of the shoot program for willful or repeated violation of gun safety precautions that endanger the safety of shooters, field personnel and/or spectators.
- b. Elect to refuse the entry or cause the withdrawal of any contestant whose conduct in the opinion of the shoot management is ungentleman like or whose participation is in any way detrimental to the best interests of the shoot.
- c. Disqualify any shooter from a shoot for misrepresentation of their status under the eligibility rules (SANDRAGGING).
- d. Expel any shooter resulting or using abusive language to a referee, shoot official, shoot promoter, judge, shoot volunteer or other shooter upon sufficient evidence presented by the chief referee.

2. The shoot management shall report to ASCA all cases of disqualification and expulsion and the reasons for it. Subsequent action by the Board of Directors could result in the shooter being expelled and barred from further membership in the ASCA, after the shooter has had the opportunity to appear before the Board of Directors and present their case.

#### **H. OFFICIAL SCORES**

1. All scores or records, to be recognized as official, must be shot under the official ASCA rules.



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2. Only the scores shot on scheduled dates, approved by ASCA, shall be registered. Scores made in shoot off's shall not be registered, however, all ASCA rules shall apply in shoot off's.

3. A maximum of 200 registered targets may be shot on one course in a single day without a change of target presentation.

4. The scores of any shooter who takes part in a registered shoot shall be considered official, and shall be registered with the ASCA even though the shooter had given notice that it was not their intention to have the score recorded.

5. In the event of extreme weather conditions, power failure, trap failure, or unusually early darkness, the shoot management may elect to continue the event some other time (i.e. the next morning or the following weekend) but must immediately notify ASCA, with a full explanation, who will sanction the change, provided it is deemed in the best interest of sporting clays.

6. When a contestant stops or withdraws from an event, without just cause, in which they have started, their partial score shall be reported to the ASCA along with the other scores of the event, based on the total number of targets in the event.

7. If a competitor withdraws as the result of sickness or injury, the shooter withdrawing shall be scored with the targets actually fired upon in reporting their score.

8. If a competitor does a voluntary withdrawal, or if disqualified by the management, the partial score for the course which the shooter has completed shall be entered as the score of targets broken for that course.

### 1. REGISTERED SHOOT REPORTS

1. Reporting Requirements. It is the duty of each club holding a registered shoot to fulfill the following obligations.

- Payments and reports must be mailed to the ASCA, postmarked no more than seven days after the last day of the shoot.
- Make payments of all money, purse and options to the shooters.

2. Penalties. Failure to fulfill the reporting requirements shall carry the following penalties:

- Cancellation of all subsequent shoot dates for the offending club.
- Denial of right to apply or reapply for any further registered shoot dates for a period of thirty (30) days in case of first offense, or ninety (90) days in case of second or subsequent offense or until obligations have been met.
- Officers of any delinquent club shall be barred from shooting registered targets until all required obligations of said club are met to the shooters and to

## ASCA

3. A financial report, ASCA dues collected, remittance and original copies of registration form for all ASCA memberships sold at a registered shoot must be forwarded to the ASCA immediately following each shoot. Membership applications must be completely and legibly filled out with name and address of the new member.

4. **Shoot Report.** An individual entry form/cashier sheet must be submitted on every shooter. These individual reports must include:

- a. Member's full name
- b. Number of targets shot at
- c. Number of targets broken
- d. Class in which member was entered
- e. Awards won.

5. Clubs are required to retain copies of scoreboard and/or shoot score sheets on file for 90 days after the end of the shooting year.

## J. PRE-SHOOTING A COURSE

Pre-shooting of all or any portion of a course set for a registered shoot is not permitted. Any shooter who pre-shoots all or any part of the course set for a registered shoot may shoot in the event but will not be eligible for prizes and will not have their score recorded.

## VI. CONDUCT OF THE SHOOT

### A. SHOOTING ORDER

Contestants shall proceed through the course and competition in one of the following formats:

1. **Squadding:** At the discretion of the ASCA shoot officials, groups of maximum of 5 shooters will be formed to proceed from station to station in a fixed sequence. **NOTE: SQUADDING AT PROVINCIALS.** Squads of participants in the ASCA Provincial Shoots will be determined on a random basis by the shoot officials. Pre-set squads are not permitted.

2. In squadding sequence, squads will be assigned a start time and it is the responsibility of each shooter to be ready on time, or within no more than 5 minutes of that time.

3. Shots not attempted by the shooter joining their squad after they have begun will be scored as "lost." The Shoot Officials shall have the right to provide for make up targets if sufficient justification can be presented. Make up targets are provided solely at the discretion of the Shoot Officials.

4. **Rotation of Order.** In squads of shooters, rotation of shooting order is permitted between stations. Rotation may be formatted by Shoot Officials, to be followed.



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by all squads. If not prescribed by Shoot Officials, order will be determined by the shooters.

5. Shooters Viewing Targets: only one set of "View Targets" shall be presented in normal circumstances. The first shooter is permitted to view these targets while in the stand.

6. All ASCA sanctioned shoots will advertise an opening and closing time for registration. Individuals registering for the shoot after the closing time will be allowed to participate in the tournament, after paying the regular entry fee, but will not be eligible for awards, prizes or moneys. It is the responsibility of the individual shooter to be on time for registration.

## B. ATTEMPTING TARGETS

Targets will be presented for attempt at each station in one or more of the following formats.

1. Single Target/Two Shots: - unless otherwise specified.

The target will be scored "hit" or "dead" if successfully attempted on either shot.

2. Pairs/Two Shots: - Pairs may be presented as report, following, or simultaneous. In simultaneous pairs the shooter has the right to shoot either of the targets first. If the shooter has missed the first target he/she may fire the second cartridge at the same target. When shooting report or following pairs, the shooter will have the right if missing the first target to fire the second cartridge at the same target (the result being scored on the first target and the second target being scored as lost). Should the shooter break both targets with either the first or the second shot then the result will be scored as two "dead."

3. Multiple Target/Two Shots: - Two hits or dead birds maximum.

4. Timed Reloads: Targets presented with set time periods for the shooter to reload prior to the presentation of the subsequent targets are permitted. Five seconds is the normal reload time but other intervals may be used at the discretion of the Shoot Official(s).

## VII RULES FOR THE SHOOTER

### A. GUN MOUNT & POSITION

As of the 2005 AGM there was approved the "free gun mount" rule. This rule allows the shooter to start with a low gun or a pre-mounted gun when calling for a target.

### B. CALL FOR TARGET

The normal call by the shooter is "pull" at which time the target can be launched immediately or delayed up to 3 seconds.

### C. SHOOTER'S RESPONSIBILITY

1. It will be the responsibility of each shooter to be familiar with these rules. Ignorance of the rules will not be a cause to "re-attempt" targets lost because of rule violations.

2. It is the sole responsibility of the shooter to begin any event, station, and/or field with sufficient equipment, including safety equipment and ammunition. Failure to do so, which in the opinion of the Field Judges will delay the shoot, will result in the loss of all targets as required to keep the shoot moving. Make up targets will be provided only at the discretion of the Shoot Official(s).

#### VIII. SCORING

A. Targets shall be scored as "hit" or "dead" and designated on score cards by an (X) when in the opinion of the Field Judge, a visible piece has been broken from the target. Targets not struck and broken by the shooters shot shall be called "lost" or "missed" and designated on score cards by a (O).

B. The call of "lost" or "dead," "hit" or "miss" shall be announced by the Field Judge prior to recording the score on every target.

C. Scoring Pairs.- In the event of a "no hit" on any Simultaneous or Following Pair, nothing can be established. Two good targets must be presented to record the score. This will also apply for gun/ammunition malfunctions while shooting pairs.

D. If the shooter disagrees with the Field Judge's call, the contestant must protest before firing at another set of targets or before leaving that station. The Field Judge may pull the spectators and may reverse the original call. In all cases the final decision of the Field Judge will stand.

E. Each shooter will be assigned a scorecard to be presented to the Field Judges, if used, at the various stations or fields. Field Judges will score each shooter's attempts on the individual's scorecard. The total shall be tallied and the scores written in ink and initialed by the Field Judge.

F. Each shooter is responsible for their scorecard from assignment at the start of the shoot, until the card is returned to the Shoot Officials at the end of each round.

G. Shooters are responsible for checking the Field Judge's totals of "hits and misses" at each station and/or field. (See IV-D-7)

#### IX. MALFUNCTIONS

##### GUNS AND AMMO

The shooter shall be allowed a combined total of three malfunctions per day attributed to either the shooter's gun or ammo. Targets not attempted due to the fourth or further malfunctions shall be scored as "lost." Targets not attempted on the

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#### A. GUN MALFUNCTIONS

1. In the case of a gun malfunction, the shooter must remain in place, the gun pointed safely down range and must not open the gun or tamper with trigger, safety or barrel selector, until the field judge has determined the cause and made a ruling.
2. In the case of a broken gun, the shooter has the option to use another gun, if one is available, or he/she may drop out of competition until the gun is repaired. The shooter must however finish the event during the allotted schedule shooting time.
3. Targets shall be scored as "lost" if the shooter is unable to fire because of the following. Examples include but are not limited to:
  - a). Shooter has left the safety on.
  - b). Shooter has forgotten to load or properly rack the gun.
  - c). Shooter has forgotten to disengage the locking device from the magazine of a semi-automatic weapon.
  - d). Shooter has not sufficiently released the trigger of a single trigger gun having fired the first shot.
4. If the shooter fails to comply with item VIII-A-1-(a), the target or targets will be scored as "lost" or "missed."

#### AMMO MALFUNCTIONS

- 1). In the case of ammunition malfunction, the shooter must remain in place, the gun pointing safely down range and must not open the gun or tamper with the trigger, safety or barrel selector, until the Field Judge has determined the cause and made a ruling.
- 2). Examples include, but are not limited to:
  - a). Failure to fire, providing firing pin indentation is clearly noticeable.
  - b). One in which the primer fires, but through failure of the shell or lack of components, and which, consequently leaves part of or all of the charge of shot or wad in the gun. A soft load, in which the shot and wad leave the barrel, is not a misfire.
  - c). Brass pulling off of the hull between shots on pairs.
  - d). Separation of the brass from the casing when the gun is fired (usually accompanied by a "whistling" sound as the plastic leaves the barrel).
  - e). If the shooter fails to comply with item VIII-A-2-(a), the target or targets will be scored as "lost" or "missed."

## B. TARGET MALFUNCTION

1. A target that breaks at launching or on its flight path, prior to being fired upon, shall be called a "no bird" and the shooter will be provided a new target.
2. A target that is launched in an obviously different trajectory shall be called a "no bird" and the shooter will be provided a new target.
3. If a bad target or "no bird" is thrown during a timed reload sequence, the shooter will repeat the sequence beginning with the last target established. The shooter must make an attempt at the last established target before proceeding with the remaining sequence. If the last established target occurred before the timed reload, the shooter shall begin the sequence accordingly and proceed through the reloading again. The Field Judge shall enforce a judgment (either by implementing a suitable penalty or allowing a repeat of the reloading sequence) to prevent a "no bird" or "bad target" thrown after either a successful or an unsuccessful reloading attempt from changing the results of the initial sequence.
4. At a station of multiple targets (two or more - simultaneously launched), at least two good targets must be presented simultaneously or a "no bird" will be called and the multiple targets will be attempted again. Multiple targets shall be shot as "fair pair in the air," if not, two new shots will be attempted and scored, no scores from previous "no bird" attempts will stand.
5. In the case of 'Repeat Pairs', where the first target is a good (fair) target and the second target is not a good target for whatever reason, the first target shall be ruled as an established hit or miss and the shooter shall be presented with another pair of targets. The shooter must again attempt the first target but only the second target shall be scored on this presentation.
6. If a station becomes unshootable during a registered shoot for any reason deemed by the shoot officials, then all contestants shall be awarded hits for all targets that were to be presented at that station.

## X. PROTESTS

- A. A shooter may protest if in his/her opinion the rules as stated herein are improperly applied.
- B. There will be no protests concerning calls or scoring of hits or misses. The Field Judge's final decision will stand.
- C. Protests shall be made immediately upon completion of the shooting at a given station. Protest shall be made to the Shoot Official(s).
- D. The Shoot Officials shall convene a "jury" of 3-5 field judges or competitors who are known to be representative of the shooters present and knowledgeable about these rules. They shall decide on the validity of the protest and the resolution of the case.



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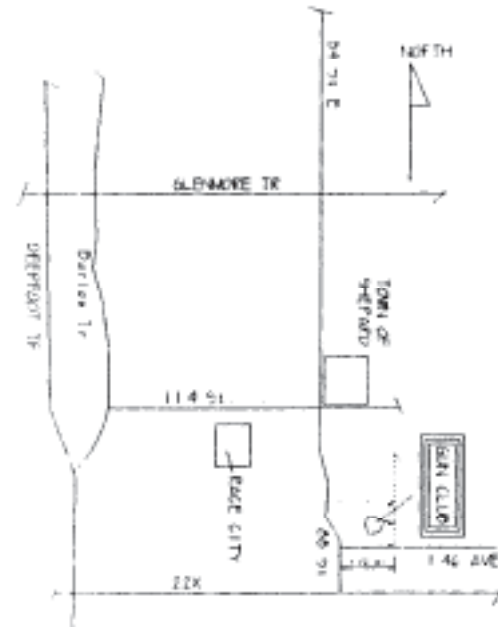
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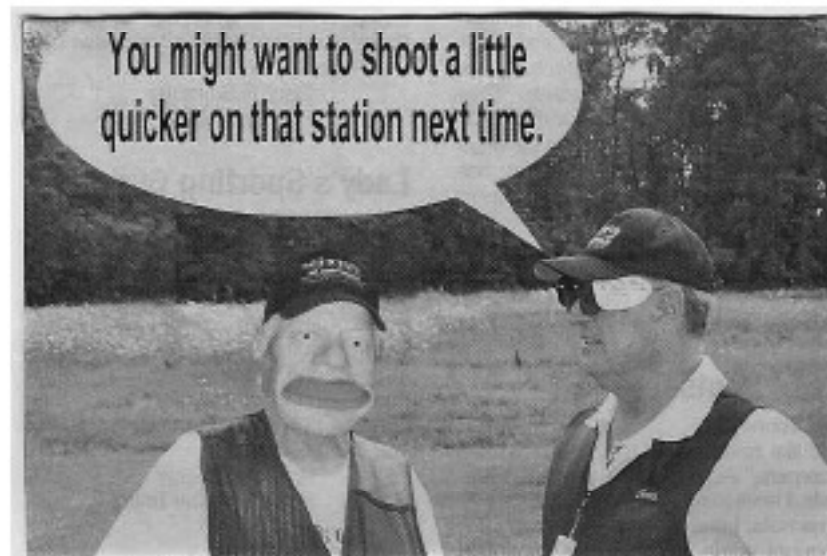
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1	7-Feb	SM	VALENTINE	REG	200	
2	7-Mar	SM	SPRING OPENER	REG	200	
3	4-Apr	SM	SILVER WILLOW	REG	200	
	5-Apr	EMBS	MEMBER SHOOT	WFL		
	18-Apr	SM	LORNE HOMES & FUN	WFL		MEMORIAL AND FUND RAISER
4	19-Apr	MOBS	MOSSLEIGH	REG	200	
	25-Apr	EMSC	DU	WFL	120	PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED
	25-Apr	SM	CAL CLUMPS	WFL		IMITATIONAL
	2-May	SM	SHOOT FOR CLARE	WFL		CYSTIC FIBROSIS FUND RAISER
5	2-May	EMBS	CLAYS & FEATHERS	REG	250	
6	3-May	EMBS	CLAYS & FEATHERS	REG	150	
	2-May	GP	GP OILMANS	WFL		
	3-May	WFL	D.U. SHOOT	WFL	150	
	9-May	EMBS	D.U. SHOOT	WFL	100	
	9-May	EMSC	EDM OILMANS	WFL	200	IMITATIONAL
7	9-May	GP	CASH	REG	200	
8	10-May	GP	FEMER	REG	200	
	22-May	SM	FLTA S.C.		100	PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED
9	23-May	SM	FED 400	REG	250	
10	24-May	SM	FED 400	REG	150	
11	30-May	EMSC	P & D CUP	REG	200	PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED
12	6-Jun	EMBS	WILD ROSE SHOOT	REG	200	COMBINED SHOOT WITH SILVER WILLOW
13	7-Jun	EMBS	WILD ROSE SHOOT	REG	200	
14	13-Jun	WFL	CLAY BIRDS	REG	200	
	13-Jun	EMSC	SAFARI CLUB	WFL	200	PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED
	21-Jun	EMBS	FATHERS DAY SHOOT	WFL	100	50 SP. CLAY 50 TRAP
15	28-Jun	CMP	BLAIRMORE	REG	200	
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16	27-Jun	EMSC	SUMMER GASH SHOOT	REG	200	PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED
17	11-Jul	SM	SILVER WILLOW	REG	200	COMBINED SHOOT WITH BROOKS
18	18-Jul	GP	WAPITI	REG	250	HILL BRIMLEY CHALLENGE
19	19-Jul	GP	WAPITI	REG	150	HILL BRIMLEY CHALLENGE
20	18-Jul	MOBS	BROWNING OPEN	REG	200	WESTERN CANADIAN SPORTING CLAYS CHALLENGE
	24-Jul	KOM	WCC PRELIM	WFL	100	
21	25-Jul	KOM	WCC	REG	200	
22	26-Jul	KOM	WCC	REG	150	
	1-Aug	SM	200M TEAM	WFL	200	
23	15-Aug	WR	FRONTRUNNERS	REG	200	
24	16-Aug	WR	AFRICA PRIDE	REG	100	
	22-Aug	EMSC	MUDGY SHOOT	WFL	200 TEAM	PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED
	28-Aug	RANDM	FUN SHOOT	WFL		
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	28-Sep	EMBS	BROOKS OILMANS	WFL	150	
25	28-Sep	SM	BUSTERS LP	REG	200	
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