



NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION

INTRODUCTION TO TARGET SHOTGUN (BASIC SKILLS AND THEORY) COURSE

SUNDAY 23 APRIL 2017

AIM

The Target Shotgun (TS) Skills Development Course will provide the fundamental skills for taking part in TS events and competitions, and will include individual coaching of positional shooting techniques. The course is open to full NRA members and any other person over 14 years who is not a prohibited person under section 21 of the Firearms Act and pays the additional Non-NRA Member Fee of £6.60.

The course will involve both classroom and practical range work with expert coaching from national and international level shooters.

SHOOTER CERTIFICATION CARD (SCC) – NRA MEMBERS ONLY

This will be available if pre-booked - there is no additional fee for this however you will need to revise the NRA Target Shotgun Manual prior to attending the course as there is a written test to complete and pass.

COURSE FEE

The course fee is £71.50, which includes range fees, targets, individual coaching and lunch. Ammunition and firearms are not included and attendees are expected to bring their own.

Those not yet in possession of a firearm will be lent a suitable shotgun (not FAC rated) and purchase Section 2 ammunition.

CANCELLATION FEE

Courses cancelled within 5 working days of course date will be subject to a cancellation fee of £20.00

DRESS AND EQUIPMENT

Attendees should bring warm and weatherproof clothing and appropriate footwear in case of inclement weather. You will need:

- Safety glasses
- Ear defenders
- Firearm - a magazine fed shotgun (tube or box) either S1 or S2*
- Approximately 100 rounds of Birdshot (max size UK 4s, Fibre wads only) and 30 slug (if permitted to possess)
- Cartridge belt
- Normal shooting equipment
- Notebook and pencil

* note that under the Firearms Act you are NOT permitted to borrow or use a high capacity firearm or solid slug ammunition without possessing a FIREARMS licence that permits you to possess such items.

Please be advised that you will be shooting prone and the ground may be muddy. Assistance in resetting targets and clearing spent cases is mandatory.

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FOOD AND BEVERAGE

Tea and coffee will be available during the classroom sessions of the course at no extra charge.

ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation is available on-site - for further details and to book, visit our home page www.nra.org.uk under the heading of bookings.

CONTACT DETAILS

If you need to contact a member of the NRA team prior to the course beginning on Saturday please contact Sharon Baker on 01483 797777 Ext 208

PROGRAMME

The outline programme for the course is shown below:

Time	Activity	Location
08.00	Assemble at The NRA Training Room(back of the Main NRA Building) shown on the attached map. This will be signed from the entrance to Bisley Camp	NRA Training Room
08.15-09.00	TS Classes; types of firearms, competitive circuit, GRAW and Phoenix, Clubs, kit and equipment	NRA Training Room
09.00-09.30	Revise Principles of Marksmanship, positional techniques, dry firing/practice	NRA Training Room
09.30-09.45	Break, move to range	
09.45-12.30	Loading, unloading, showing clear, application of fire, Stoppage drills and weak shoulder shooting from Standing, Kneeling, Sitting and Prone positions.	Butt Zero
12.30-13.20	Lunch	Canada House
13.30-15.30	Speed shooting, practice of position changes, buckshot patterning, slug zeroing, man-v-man competition and team falling plates (Bargrave Deane)	Butt Zero
16.00-17.00	Written examination for those sitting SCC assessment	NRA Training Room
17:15	Depart	

Please ensure that you have read the NRA Shotgun Training Manual and also the Target Shotgun Rulebook before attending the course – both can be downloaded from the NRA website.

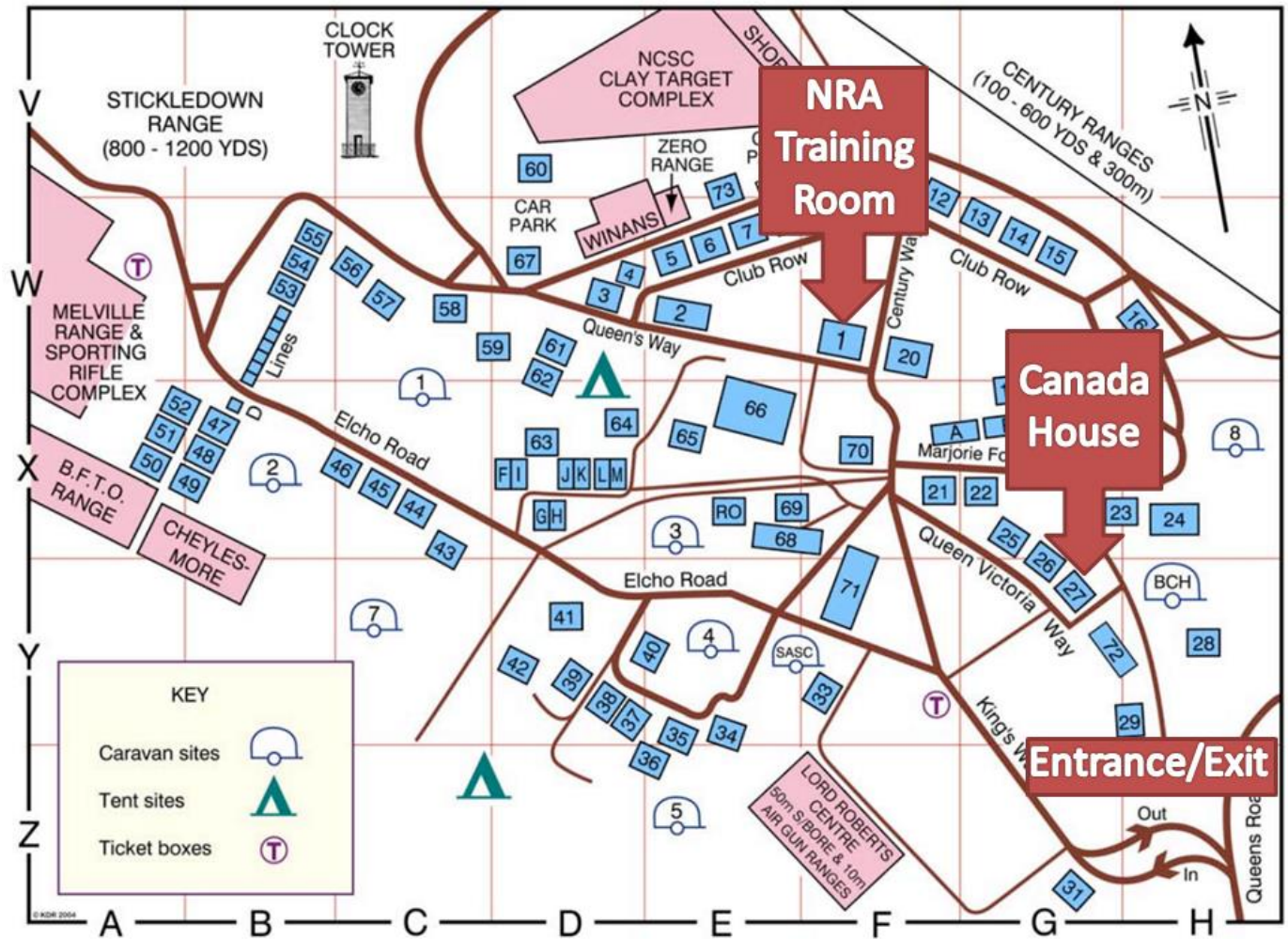
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HOW TO FIND US



The NRA Training Room is at the back of Building 1
Butt Zero is on Stickle-down Range (grid square AV)
Lunch will be provided at Canada House

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