

The County of Lancaster Rifle Association

(founded 1860)

President : The Lord Lieutenant of Lancashire, Lord Shuttleworth JP

135th All Comers Prize Meeting

August 21st & 22nd 2010

to take place at
The Altcar Rifle Ranges Hightown Liverpool

by kind permission of
Reserve Forces and Cadets Association
North West of England & the Isle of Man

ENTRIES CLOSE 12th August 2010

*Target Rifle
& Class
TR(F)
paid markers*

THE PROGRAMME

- (i) This is the County's 150th anniversary and every entrant will receive a commemorative mug.
- (ii) We have arranged the services of cadet markers therefore the programme format reverts to that of previous years.
- (iii) Entries for all classes in the Perry (1000yds) are limited to 96. Allocation will be on a first come first served basis, so competitors are advised to enter early. There are no capacity limits on the short range shoots. Any entries arriving in excess of capacity will be informed.
- (iv) When not shooting able bodied competitors must carry out any allocated duties such as assisting with target rigging, gate sentry or assistant range officer. Competitors are requested to have their lunch/refreshments in the butts or at duties.
- (v) Prize lists will be split into TR, F Class and TR(F)
- (vi) Acknowledgement of entries and of tent/caravan space will be by email (unless an SAE is provided)

ALTCAR RIFLE RANGE

Altcar Ranges are unique in that they are the only major ranges owned by a Territorial Association. The land was leased from Lord Sefton and first used for the Grand Lancashire Rifle Contest on Monday 29th October 1860. After a great deal of work including levelling and drainage the first training ground was instituted for the purposes of rifle practice, reviews and military evolutions. By Saturday 28th July 1860, one target and a firing point at 1100 yards was available. The first round, from an Enfield muzzle loader (.577 inch calibre) was fired by the Right Honourable the Earl of Sefton. During August and September the availability was increased to 30 targets with firing points from 100 yards to 1100 yards. Those who have visited Altcar will be familiar with the wide spectrum of range developments available today on what is acknowledged as one of, if not the, finest classification range complex in the country. The Chief Executive of the RFCA and the Range Control Staff offer you a warm welcome to Altcar and an enjoyable meeting.

SAFETY & SECURITY

Competitors must produce their Shooter Certification Card when collecting squadding cards and carry it with them at all times when they are shooting.

The RFCA operate range security procedures that control access to the Camp via vehicle barriers and a Guard House. The RFCA will be advised of the names of Competitors but you should have a means of identification with you. Gate procedures can cause some delay so allow a few extra minutes.

ACCOMMODATION

Space is available for tents and caravans within the range complex. For tent or caravan space please complete the box provided and note that RFCA are now charging for use of pitches.

RULES & CONDITIONS

Conditions: In general NRA rules will apply unless otherwise stated. The CLRA reserve the right to adjudicate on any matters concerned with this meeting.

Competitor Classification: CLASS X – Anyone who is NRA rules Target Rifle (TR) and not class T below. CLASS T - those who are not are not NRA rules Class X, A nor O and have not won a trophy or 1st place in a prize list at any Open Meeting up to the first day of the current meeting. CLASS F - those who are using a class F rifle as defined by the NRA.

Ammunition: Any ammunition permitted under NRA rules for 'TR', 'F' and TR(F).

Hand loaded & self-supplied ammunition is permitted in all classes but competitors MUST sign declaration on the entry form.

Rifles: Any rifle which complies with the current NRA definitions of 'Target Rifle' and 'F class rifle' and CLRA rules for TR(F) which is as F Class but calibres restricted to 308"/7.62mm or 223"/5.56mm and front support restricted to bipod.

Targets: Appropriate NRA targets will be used for all 'TR' and 'F' class competitions.

Marking & Special Duties: Able bodied will do competitor marking or other duties of maximum 3 details over the weekend. Failure to carry out the allocated duty will result in disqualification of scores.

Trigger testing: All triggers may be tested in accord with NRA rules. TR = 1.5kg, F class & TR(F) = Any safe trigger weight.

Sighting shots: Sighting shots will be convertible in all competitions. Competitors using ammunition supplied by CLRA for the meeting must hand in converted rounds to the duty RCO together with empty cases.

Score Register Cards: Competitors are reminded it is their responsibility to check the scores they have registered, to agree them with their shooting partner and to sign them for accuracy.

Challenges: Every effort will be made to ensure accurate marking and there will be no charge made for challenges. Competitors are requested not to abuse this privilege.

Ties: Ties for first place in competitions 1 - 4 will be decided by a shoot off. Other ties will be decided by count-back in accordance with NRA rules. To avoid long tie shoots CLRA reserves the right to introduce expedient measures.

Prize Lists: Prize lists will be displayed at the El Alamein hut asap after each competition and emailed in due course.

Challenge Trophies: Trophies must be returned in time for the next years meeting fully polished and engraved. CLRA will reimburse engraving costs.

Cancelled Entries: Where competitors notify cancellation before the Entries Close date a full refund will be given. Where cancellation is notified after Entries Close date but before competition a refund may be given subject to the deduction of any costs incurred by CLRA.

CLRA All Comers Meeting

21st & 22nd August 2010

Entry Form

Surname:..... 1st name:..... Tel:
 Address:..... Post Code:
 Unfit for special duties ? Serve/Ret'd HM Forces/Res? Y / N..... Right or Left hand?.....
 Qualified for Lancashire? Y / N..... Class TR (X or T) or F or F(TR) ? email.....

PLEASE ENSURE YOU HAVE COMPLETED ALL THE ABOVE SECTIONS

Saturday 08.30

1 The Leece Challenge Cup (1955) TR: Leece Cup; F: 101RC Trophy; TR(F): Award	2 sighters & 10 to count at 300 yds	£8.75
2 The Legh Challenge Cup (1861) TR: Legh Cup; F: PSSA Phoenix Trophy; TR(F): Award	2 sighters & 10 to count at 500 & 600 yds	£17.50
3 The Perry Cup (1955) TR: Perry Cup; F: The Angel S-A-A Trophy; TR(F): Award	2 sighters & 15 to count at 1000 yds	£12.50

Sunday 08.30

4 The Lord Derby Memorial Competition TR: Whowell Cup; F: Charles Young Trophy; TR(F): Award	2 sighters & 10 to count at 300, 500 & 600 yds	£26.25
5 The Final Detail 1 will be TR comprising 1 st 50% of competitors in the aggregate of Comps 2 and 3; Detail 2 will be all F, TR(F) and remaining TR.	2 sighters and 15 to count at 600 yds	£12.50

6 The McFarlane Grand Aggregate TR: Barlow Cup; F: Tilney Beaker. 10 McFarlane Badges to top scores in TR & F Class & TR(F) in proportion to respective class entries.	Aggregate of comps 1, 2, 3 & 4	£3.00
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7 The Arnold Memorial Trophy TR: The trophy	Aggregate of comps 2, 3, 4 and 5 detail 2		(Automatic)
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8 The Open Championship TR: All Comers Cup; Class T using CLRA issue ammo: Shield; F: The Trophy; TR(F): Award	Aggregate of comps 2, 3, 4 & 5 (detail 1 for TR or detail 2 for F & TR(F))		(Automatic)
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9 The County Championship TR: The Trophy & CLRA Gold badge; CLRA Silver badge; CLRA Bronze badge; F: Officers Cup; TR(F): Award	Concurrent with comp 8; open to full CLRA members qualified for County		(Automatic)
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10 The Centenary Aggregate Bowl TR: Centenary Bowl; F: Award; TR(F): Award	Aggregate of comps 1 and 2	£1.50
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11 The Battalion Challenge Cup TR: Battalion Cup; F: Award; TR(F): Award	Aggregate of comps 3 and 4	£1.50
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12 The Davison Cup TR: Davison Cup; F: Award; TR(F): Award	Aggregate of comps 1 and 4	£1.50
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13 The Snow Memorial Cup TR: Snow Cup; F: Award; TR(F): Award	Aggregate of comps 2 and 3	£1.50
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14 The Southport 1860 Aggregate TR: Southport Medal; F: Award; TR(F): Award	Aggregate of comp 3 & 600 yds of comp 2 & 4	£1.50
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Block entry comps 1 to 14	£88.00
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15 The 42nd Lancashire Division Cup TR: 42 Lincs Cup	Concurrent with comps 7 or 8 Open to serving/retired members of HM Forces (inc. TAVR)		(Automatic Forces/Res/Ret)
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16 The Lt Col Sir E.L.Fletcher CBE RM Memorial TR: Fletcher Cup & £5, then £4,£3,£2,£1,£1,£1,£1,£1,£1	Concurrent with 600 yds of comp 4. Open to CLRA members paid up by 31 July this year		(Automatic for CLRA)
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Under 21 on last day of comps may discount total by	50%
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17 The Devon Plate & Prince of Wales Cup TR: Devon Plate & 4 CLRA tankards.	Concurrent with comp 2 for teams of 4 from NRA affil. Club (£12 on the day)		
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Issue ammunition	rounds RUAG 7.62mm (as available) @ 83p each (106 rounds req'd) with full refund for unused rounds and 10p for each empty returned	
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Meeting membership (compulsory for non CLRA members)		£5.00
Sunday buffet		£10.00

TOTAL		
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I certify that the ammunition which I will use in the above competitions will comply with the specification parameters detailed in the RFCA Altcar Range orders namely, maximum muzzle energy 4500 joules.

..... competitor.....date

Entry forms to: David Young 37 Temple Drive Swinton Manchester M27 4EA (0161 793 0737) davidyoung7.62@ntlworld.com
 Cheques payable to: The County of Lancaster Rifle Association.

ACCOMMODATION ON CAMP

Please arrange the following requirements and enclose cheque payable to: RFCA.
 Caravan or Motor-home £12.00 per night.....Tent £7.50 per night.....Vehicle Registration

Names of personnel associated with above.....
 Date of arrival.....Approximate time..... Date of departure.....Approximate time.....

If you are not on email please enclose SAE for confirmation of accommodation acceptance.