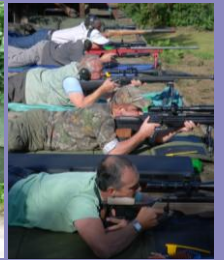




2013



## GALLERY RIFLE NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS 24<sup>TH</sup> 25<sup>TH</sup> August

These are held on the bank Holiday weekend at Bisley and it's when everyone hopes all their practice and preparation comes together – Yea, dream on.

### 25m SB Precision



Glenn beat Joy by a very important 5 points and she did not fair too well in the 50m event.

### Timed & Precision 1 SB

Jim was having a bad day and would rather forget about his score.

In A class Simon was about half way but only a couple of points off his PB.

### Timed & Precision 1 CF

Both Dave and Jim were in poor form.



However Simon started off well with an excellent 10 X's but finished in 2<sup>nd</sup> place after dropping points at the closer stages. He will be pleased to have the highest X count in A class.

### Timed & Precision 1 Classic

Dave was our only representative here and came 6<sup>th</sup>.

### Timed & Precision 1 SB

Simon's 274 was just below his PB but not good enough.

### Timed & Precision 1 Shotgun Events

Glen was busy on the shotgun range and in the various classes he was placed

SGM 3<sup>rd</sup> at his first attempt in this event.

SGSA 2<sup>nd</sup> with a PB

Classic 3<sup>rd</sup>

A very successful morning!!

### Multi-Target SB

Simon shot a PB of 102 to come 5<sup>th</sup>.

Glenn finished with 18 shots on one target and 6 on the other, so his 6 top scores were discounted which is why he only finished with 65 ex 120, and in last place.

### Multi-Target CF and LBP

Nothing worth mentioning here as everyone was crap!

### Multi-Target Shotgun

In SGM Glen was 3<sup>rd</sup> with 109 but could only manage a 100 in SGSA for 9<sup>th</sup>

### 1500 SB

Jim's 1464 was only ordinary – at least he was not bottom of X class for a change.



In A class Dave was about half way.

### 1500 CF

A poor 50m stage spoilt the match for Jim finishing with 1482.

Dave also had problems at 50 and scored 1475.



### 1500 LBP and LBR



Bob entered these and would prefer to forget both.

### Bianchi LBP

Bob did much better here and won A class.

### Bianchi LBR

Unfortunately Bob was the only shooter in this class.

### Advancing Target SB

Glen was way off his BP but still beat both Simon and Joy.

### Advancing Target CF

In X class Dave came 3<sup>rd</sup> and beat Jim by one point. Simon was half way up B class.

### Advancing Target Classic

Second place for Dave

### Advancing Target LBP

It was very close in B class and Simon did well coming 3<sup>rd</sup>.

### Speed Steel Challenge SB

A bit better than normal for Dave, finishing 2<sup>nd</sup>.

### NRA Embassy Cup Shot gun

Glenn came 3<sup>rd</sup> in both classes he entered, achieving a PB with his SA

### 200m SB

It was the first time Glenn had entered this and he did very well but panicked in the last stage when he had a jam. He still finished 2<sup>nd</sup>.

### 200m CF



This class is for Marlins etc and Pete thought he would have a go... and came 2<sup>nd</sup>! (yes only two entered)

### 200 Any Rifle

Both Dave and Jim have won this in the past, and now Jim has put a new scope on top of his red (some say pink) Meccano rifle this gave him the edge. He won the event crushing Dave by a massive 21 points.

Pete had entered but was unsure if his bad back would allow him to do the kneeling stage.

He scored a maximum in both prone stages then attempted to kneel and got some in the scoring zone, then withdrew... and did not come last!

### McQueen

Jim was not able to repeat his maximum but a 50/4 placed him 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Dave with 50/3 was 7<sup>th</sup> and Pete's 50/2 placed him 10<sup>th</sup>.



### Home Countries Match



Jim was picked to shoot for England in the small-bore team and even managed to keep smiling when it all went wrong.

### Summary

Of the seven members shooting, five picked up medals: Jim a 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup>, Bob a 1<sup>st</sup>, Dave two 2<sup>nd</sup> & a 3<sup>rd</sup> with Simon and Glenn having a 2<sup>nd</sup> each.

In all it was a good weekend with a mixture of success and disappointment. And only a few showers.

Glenn is determined to do better with his 22 at 200m, and Joy is determined to beat him at something.

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