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25m .22 BENCHREST COMPETITION

11 January

Ten members shot the 25 m .22r Bench Rest which was run after the main club session.

This competition is normally shot over the year with the competitors' best scoring cards being handed in. No cards were handed in so it was decided to run a shoulder to shoulder competition with just one card shot to count.

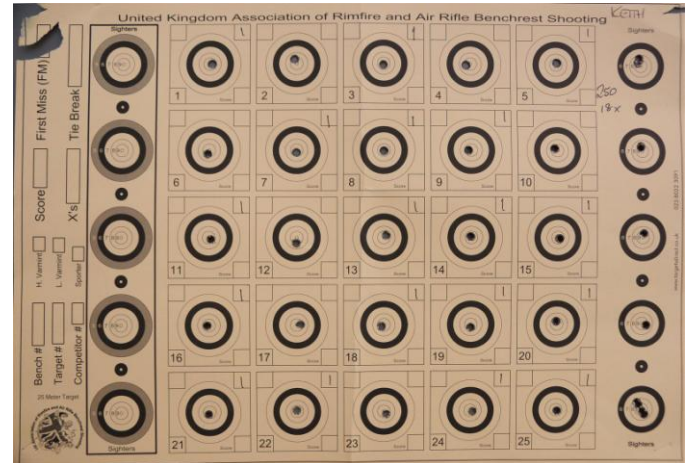
Steve J and Jim S shot the comp using .22 semi autos, Rupert did try using open sights but had to stop as the targets aren't designed for them so he couldn't get a sight picture. He did say something about sacrilege and putting a scope on his rifle!

Steve F came second using a standard CZ rifle with a lightweight barrel which shoots very well; so much so that he had already won the 100 yard bench rest with it.

Keith M did the scoring with some objectors, as he won. He did have some independent adjudicators to look at his card even if they did try to change their minds about his score when they found he was winning.

Keith M had a good look around to see if there were any torn up cards but as none were found everyone appears to have handed their cards in (Makes a change!)

If you haven't tried Bench Rest, have a go, Steve has proven you don't need an expensive target rifle to do well.



This is what an almost perfect target looks like: 25 bulls with 18 x's. Well done Keith.

Scoring is inwards, if you clip the inner small dot you get 10 points. If you completely cover the centre dot it's an X but it only normally counts when a max score is made.

The centre dot is 2mm diameter to the outside of the black lines.

Scores

	Score	X Count
Keith M	250	18
Steve F	249	12
Pete L	244	7
Nigel W	243	8
Gavin H	243	7
Peter K	241	6
Jim S	236	3
Jon J	234	3
Andy L	226	4
Steve J	212	1

Well done Keith.