



Millride Newsletter *Edition 1*

January 2009



Welcome to the first edition of the new Millride newsletter. We will be trying to let you know what's going on at the club, the latest results and league standings and also what's happening in the future (forthcoming events etc..).

If anybody has any ideas about what they would like to see in here.. , or maybe you fancy writing an article for the newsletter, then drop us a line. May we also take this opportunity to wish all our members & visitors a Happy & Prosperous New Year.

Club Subscriptions

Subscriptions are due this month please. Prices are as follows :-

Individual £15.00
Family £23.00

Saturday Shoot Prices

Members / Children £3.00
Visitors £3.50



Knock-Out Cup

This will begin in February (after club membership is known). It will run concurrent with the Club Aggregate.

Opponents will be selected for each round on a free draw involving at least 2 people.

Where no opponent is available the attending shooter will go through on a "bye".

All club members will be entered and invited to submit a score card. In the event of a "nil" return the round will be given to the attending shooter. In the event of a "double nil" return the result will go forward to the next round as a "bye".

Tied scores will be resolved by a "shoot off".

Any disputes will be resolved by D.J.Pitt. (Hopefully these will be minimal)



News in Brief

The Silhouette competition will run at the same time as the Club Agg / Head to Head (see Shaun, Ian, John, Darren or Greg).

As from 1st January 2009 all shooters should have their score card countersigned by another club member (preferably the person they shot round with). Unsigned cards will no longer be accepted.

It has been suggested that we should try "HFT" courses . We have decided that they can be incorporated into practice Saturdays with additional longer targets for FT shooters.



Christmas Shoot

Saturday 27th saw both the Millride Christmas Shoot combined with the Inaugural Pat Byrne Memorial Shield. Pat was a popular member at Millride and a regular at the other clubs in the region. He was taken from us suddenly recently and it was decided to introduce this annual event in his memory.

The members of Millride FTC are grateful to Pat's widow Maureen for agreeing to present the trophy, our deepest condolences are with her. Around 50 FTers, HFTers & Plinkers took on 40 quality targets in Millride's copse & neighbouring field in the face of a strong, tricky wind.

Conditions stayed dry but bitterly cold and a tough course stayed undefeated with the top score going to Millrider Darren Tomes with 36.



Daz receives the Pat Byrne Memorial Shield from Maureen

Scores were:-

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| 1 D. Tomes 36 | 4 C. Smith 32 |
| 2 L. Williamson 34 | 8 J. Harris 31 |
| 3 G. Radford 33 | 9 A. Gillott 30 |
| 4 M. Asbury 32 | 9 N. Murphy 30 |
| 4 M. Brown 32 | 9 P. Tetsall 30 |
| 4 J. Cox 32 | 12 D. Burfoot 29 |



Upcoming Competitions

- 7th February - Club Agg 3
- 8th February - Winter League 9
- 14th February - Head to Head 2
- 21st February - Club Agg 4
- 22nd February - Winter League 10
- 28th February - Head to Head 3



January Results

The year started with the first Club Aggregate, it was a cold but sunny day with light winds. Jonta started the year well dropping just one from twenty five targets

Results for Club Agg 1

Top Ten scores shown only

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| 1 J. Cox 245 | 5= P. Gee 210 |
| 2 D. Tomes 235 | 5= G. Ralph 210 |
| 3 I. Stoddart 230 | 8= S.Shore 205 |
| 4 M. Asbury 215 | 8= N. Stoddart 205 |
| 5= K. Clarke 210 | 8= M. Tomes 205 |

Next up was the first Head to Head of the year. Conditions were a little more trickier with a blustery wind playing havoc on the course. Jonta was again in fine form with top score (dropping just 2).



John Cox has started the year well, with top score in Club Agg 1, 2 & Head to Head 1

Last competition of the month was Club Aggregate 2. There was a good turnout on what turned out to be a nice sunny day with hardly any wind to worry about. Jonta was once again top score with a perfect round.

Results for Club Agg 2

Top Ten scores shown only

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| 1 J. Cox 250 | 6= M. Astbury 230 |
| 2 J. Harris 245 | 6= P. Gee 230 |
| 3= M. Charlton 240 | 6= I. Stoddart 230 |
| 3= D. Tomes 240 | 9= T.Irvine 225 |
| 5= P. Johansen 210 | 9= G. Ralph 225 |



Shooters enjoying the Winter sun at Club Agg 2

Well that's it for the first issue. Let us know what you think. See you all soon.