



2018 NSRA/ELEY NATIONAL POSTAL COMPETITION

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1st Stage: to be shot by 20th DEC 2017. Scores to be returned by 10th JANUARY 2018.
2nd Stage: Postal to be shot by 9th April 2018. Cards to be received by the appointed scorers by 14th April 2018

WHY NOT ENTER TWICE FOR £12 OR 3 TIMES FOR £15, BEST SCORE TO COUNT FOR STAGE ONE

Entries close on the 16th NOVEMBER 2017

ALL THE FOLLOWING EVENTS ARE OPEN TO ALL SHOOTERS WHETHER MEMBERS OR NOT.

Small-bore Rifle Prone 20yd Air Pistol 10m Air Rifle Lightweight Sport Rifle Timed
 Small-bore Rifle 3P 10m Air Pistol Bench-rest Lightweight Sport Rifle Precision Cartridge Pistol

Every shooter has the opportunity to take part in this 3 stage event with its special mementoes at each stage and attractive prizes at the Finals.

Souvenir stickers to all shooting in the first stage

AVERAGES, CLASSES AND COURSES OF FIRE

event letter

Averages and Classes

A 3 Position Rifle Classes: A – 540 and over B – under 540	F Air Rifle 10m Classes: A – 90 and over B – 84 and under 90 C – 75 and under 84 D – under 75
B Small-bore Rifle Classes: A – 98 and over B – 96.5 and under 97.9 C – 95.0 and under 96.4 D – 93 and under 94.9 E – 90 and under 92.9 F – under 89.9	G Air Pistol 10m Classes: A – 90 and over B – 87 and under 90 C – 83 and under 87 D – 79 and under 83 E – under 79
C 20 yard Air Pistol (.177 & .22) Classes: A – 87.5 and over B – 81 and under 87.5 C – under 81	H Benchrest, Any Sights Classes: A – 98.0 and over B – 95.0 and under 97.9 C – 92.1 and under 94.9 D – Under 92
D Lightweight Sport Rifle, Standing, Precision, Any Sights Classes: A – 92 and over B – 88 and under 92 C – 85 and under 88 D – under 85	I Cartridge Pistol Classes: A – 85 and over B – under 85
E Lightweight Sport Rifle, Standing, Timed, Any Sights Classes: A – 535 and over B – 510 and under 535 C – under 510	

Courses of Fire - Stages 1 and 2

3 Position Rifle: 60 shots, 20 prone, 20 standing and 20 kneeling on proportionate British Match BM/89 cards: 10 bull (prone), 5 bull (kneeling), 2 bull (standing) at 15, 20 or 25 yards.

Small-bore Rifle: 40 shots, 10 each at 4 proportionate British Match BM/89 cards at either 15, 20, 25 yards or 25 metres.

20 yard Air Pistol: .177" or .22" cal, 40 shots, 10 each on PL15 targets at 20 yards.

Lightweight Sport Rifle, Standing, Precision: Any sights, 40 shots, 5 each on PL14 targets or PL14 centres at 20 yards, PL19 at 25 metres or PL7 at 50 metres.

Lightweight Sport Rifle, Standing, Timed (Standard Pistol Course): Any sights, 60 shots, 4 strings of 5 shots each in 150

seconds, 20 seconds and 10 seconds on PL14 targets or PL14 centres at 20 yards or PL19 at 25 metres.

Air Rifle 10 metre: 40 shots, 5 each on 8 AIR2/89 or AIR3/89 targets at 10 metres or 1 each on 40 AIR1/89 targets.

Air Pistol 10 metre: 40 shots, 4 each on 10 AIR4/89 targets at 10 metres

Benchrest Any Sights: 40 shots, 10 each on 4 proportionate NSRA Benchrest Targets BR/15 cards at either 20, 25 yards or 25 metres. **Cartridge or air rifles allowed.**

Cartridge Pistol: 40 shots, 10 each on PL14 targets or PL14 centres at 20 yards, PL19 targets at 25 metres or PL7 at 50 metres.

Entries to be received by 16th NOVEMBER 2017

All entrants are eligible for a Free Prize Draw.

ENTRY FEE PER PERSON: £8.50 PER EVENT, 2 entries for £12 OR £15.00 FOR 3 ENTRIES BY AN INDIVIDUAL IN ANY ONE EVENT. (Juniors must be under 18 at 31 December 2017).

Individual Shoot fired in three stages. Competition starts on receipt of stickers etc.

1st Stage: Postal to be shot by 20th DEC 2017. Scores to be returned by 10th JANUARY 2018.

2nd Stage: Postal to be shot by 9th April 2018. Cards to be received by the appointed scorers by 14th April 2018.

Finals: SEE STAGE 3 FINAL DETAILS below.

Competitors are encouraged to use Eley ammunition in the qualifying stages
Eley Ammunition MUST be used in the Finals

Stage 1 to be shot by 20th DECEMBER 2017.

Stickers will be issued by NSRA. They must be attached to the front of the appropriate NSRA cards by an accredited club official before the targets are shot. **EACH SET OF TARGETS MUST BE SHOT ON A SINGLE DAY.**

Scoring: Once again we are asking club or match secretaries, or their nominees, to score the targets for the first stage in each club (a) to save clubs postage on a great number of targets and (b) to reduce pressure on appointed scorers.

The score sheets must then be filled in and sent to the NSRA. If making a multiple entry in any event, only the score for the best set should be returned. DO NOT SEND ANY TARGETS TO THE NSRA UNLESS REQUESTED TO DO SO.

Stage 2 to be shot by 9th April 2018. Qualifiers: **60%** of scores returned and equal lowest from Stage 1 shoot in Stage 2.

From 2018 the number of Competitors progressing forward to the 2nd Stage has increased to 60% so that we can increase the number of finalists in some of the Disciplines

Competitors who return exceptionally high scores will be reclassified to the appropriate class

Stage 2 will be the same course as Stage 1. **EACH SET OF TARGETS MUST BE SHOT ON A SINGLE DAY, AND MUST BE SIGNED, WITNESSED AND DATED AS PER N.S.R.A. POSTAL RULES.**

Shot targets have to be sent to the official scorers.

Top scorers in Stage 2, including equal lowest scores, will go through to the Final, but the number of prizes to be won will be limited as shown below.

Stage 3 – Final

ELEY AMMUNITION MUST BE USED IN ALL FINALS, EXCEPT AIRGUN

3 Position Rifle - Top 5 in each class A B - (3x20) at 50 metres on Sius Ascor – (12th August) **at the National Rifle Meeting 2018.**

Small-bore Rifle - Top 20 in each class A B C D E F - 40 shots at 50 metres – (12th August) **at the National Rifle Meeting 2018.**

Air Pistol (up to .22 cal) at 20 yards - Top 10 in classes A B C - course of fire as Stages 1 & 2 – at Bisley on **14th October.**

LSR Precision - Top 10 in each class A B C D - course of fire as Stages 1 & 2 on PL19 at 25 metres – at Bisley on **14th October**

LSR Timed – Top 10 in each class A B C – course of fire as Stages 1 & 2 on PL19 at 25 metres – at Bisley on **13th October.**

Air Rifle 10m - Top 15 in each class A B C D - 60 shot course on Sius Ascor - at Bisley on **13th October.**

Air Pistol 10m - Top 15 in each class A B C D E – 60 shot course on Sius Ascor – at Bisley on **14th October.**

Benchrest - Top 10 in each class A B C D - course of fire as Stages 1 & 2 at 25 yards – at Bisley on **14th October.**

Cartridge Pistol – Top 3 in each class A B – 60 shots at 50 metres on Sius Ascor – at Bisley on **13th October.**

Juniors - in all disciplines, must be under 18 at 31 December 2017.

FINALS PRIZES WILL BE AWARDED IN EACH CLASS AS FOLLOWS (SUBJECT TO ENTRY)

3 Position, classes A & B	1st - 3rd
Rifle, classes A, B, C, D, E & F	1st - 10th
Air Pistol 20 yards, classes A, B & C	1st - 4th
Lightweight Sport Rifle (precision), classes A, B, C & D	1st - 4th
Lightweight Sport Rifle (timed), classes A, B & C	1st - 4th
Air Rifle 10m, classes A, B, C & D	1st - 5th
Air Pistol 10m, classes A, B, C, D & E	1st - 5th
Bench-rest, classes A, B & C	1st - 3rd
Cartridge Pistol, classes A & B	1st - 3 rd

Competitors who reach the Finals but do not shoot will not be eligible for a prize.

Special medals will be awarded to all shooters who qualify for Stage 2. Silver and gold bars will be added to the medal dependant on advancement in each event – gold to finalists, silver for second stage. Only one medal, with appropriate event bar(s), will be awarded to any competitor.

The leading Junior in each class in each event in Stage 2 will receive an NSRA Plaque.

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Conditions: The NSRA reserves the right to amend the programme and the prizes.

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