



Shoot

Bury Rifle Club Newsletter

August 2023 - Issue 17

EDITORIAL

Dear Member

Welcome to the August edition of Shoot, Bury Rifle Clubs newsletter, which is packed full of updates, news and more. If there's something you want to know about and it isn't covered in this newsletter, please feel free to ask any member of the committee and they will be all to happy to help.

Happy reading.

With best wishes from not only myself but the rest of the committee

Wayne

Ps: If you do not wish to receive this or have any comments/suggestions or would like something included in the next issue, then please let me know.

CUMBRIA COMPETITIONS!

The 2023 Summer season is almost coming to an end, with only 2 rounds left to shoot. Good luck to all of those who have entered.

Round	Date Due	Round	Date Due
1	8 th May	6	17 th July
2	22 nd May	7	31 st July
3	5 th June	8	14 th August
4	19 th June	9	28 th August
5	3 rd July	10	11 th September

SPOT THE ERROR COMPETITION!

Yes folks it's back, there is an error in this issue – all you need to do it correctly identify it. And for this issue there's a change in how the winner will be picked. ALL correct entries received by 4pm on Thursday 28th September will be entered and a winner will be picked out by lucky dip by the range officer on Friday 29th September. Good luck to those who enter.

REMINDER OF CLUB OPENING TIMES!

Monday 19:00 – 22:00 .22 rimfire 19:00 – 21:00* Airguns 21:00 – 22:00*	Wednesday 18:30 – 20:30 Airguns only	Thursday 14:00 – 16:00 .22 rimfire	Friday 19:00 – 22:00 .22 rimfire 19:00 – 21:00* Airguns 21:00 – 22:00*
--	---	---	--

*These times are dependent on the number of members shooting.

Members are reminded that arriving early (in some cases up to nearly an hour before we officially open) does not necessarily mean guaranteed entrance to the club or an early start. Please be patient and allow the Range Officer time to complete all the steps required to safely open the club.

Fridays continue to remain less busy, but remember that as well as Wednesdays, airguns can also be shot on a Monday or Friday after the .22 has completed. We do however, permit air rifles to be shot at the same time as .22 rimfire as long as it is benchrest and single shot (not magazine fed) – but air pistols cannot be shot at the same time as the .22 rimfire, these must wait until all .22 rimfire shooting has completed.

Thank you.

MEMBERSHIP SUBSCRIPTIONS!

Quarterly payments for Quarter 4 should have now been paid. Those overdue have been informed. Quarterly payment dates are shown below, and we respectfully ask that all payments made quarterly are to be received within 30 days of being due.

Quarter 1	-	1 st October (start of new club year)
Quarter 2	-	1 st January
Quarter 3	-	1 st April
Quarter 4	-	1 st July

NB, late payments may result in shooting privileges being suspended and continuous late payments may result in membership being suspended until payment is received.

AGM AND CHRISTMAS FUN SHOOT!

Due to some of us having extended holidays later in the year, it has been proposed that the AGM and Christmas Fun Shoot be held on the same night – Tuesday December 12th. The night would consist of the AGM being held first and then moving swiftly into the Fun Shoot. This date is only a proposal at this moment in time, but we hope to have confirmation soon. All members will be updated when the date is confirmed.

LEASE!

The renewal of the lease is moving forward and is currently back the council. We have been assured that all amendment requested have been considered, and we have requested a draft copy for approval. Further updates will be made when we have more information.

PRESENTATION/SOCIAL EVENING 2024!

Yes, it's almost that time of the year when ideas will be thrown into the pot with regards to the content of the next presentation/social evening.

Would you believe that the next event will be the 10th and we thought it might be an idea to spice things up a little bit. Maybe hire the larger room and have a DJ – get those dancing shoes polished, or Karaoke. For those who like the fun side of the night - we will still have the fun/games – don't panic we won't bring out last years "Humming" game, although it did go down well 😊.

It's not just the content of the evening it's also the catering, do we continue with the choice of hot meals or maybe "up the ante" and have a sit-down plated meal – with it being the 10th event.

Do we spice things up with a more formal dress code? – don't know about you guys but I think it's nice to make the extra effort and dress up smart once in a while. Anyone for fancy dress 😊?

Lots of things to think about. This year is passing us by quickly and before we know it, we will be hurtling headfirst into the new year. So, get your thinking caps on and get the ideas rolling in.

All ideas can be emailed to me at wjtaylor5414@gmail.com

NEXT COMMITTEE MEETING!

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday 12st September, so if there's anything you would like to be discussed, please feel free to pass the details to the club secretary and he will ensure that they are discussed and reported back on.



facebook

It is recommended that members who have an active Facebook account find and join our group. It's another way of keeping up to date of all news/events and non-urgent notifications. Feel free to make/share posts. It's a live forum related to the club, but to be honest anything shooting related is acceptable as long as it's legal.

Simply find the group "BURY RIFLE CLUB" and hit the join button. A great place to catch up with what's going on and keep in touch.

Note: sales of firearms, airguns & ammunition is not permitted on the group due to Facebook policy. If unsure then please check with the groups Admins.