

Police Athletic Association

Indoor Rifle and Pistol Championships 1981

THIS YEAR the Championships were presented by the Lothian and Borders Police Sporting and Recreational Association, at the Balerno and Currie Rifle Club, Edinburgh on Wednesday and Thursday 1st and 2nd April 1981.

50 rifle shooters and 26 pistol shooters competed, representing all the Regions of the Police Athletic Association.

Accommodation for the competitors and officials, was provided at the Riccarton Campus, of the Heriot-Watt University, conveniently situated near to the range.

At the Presentation Dinner on Thursday, 2nd April, held within the University, the guests and competitors were welcomed by Assistant Chief Constable William Rogers, of Lothian and Borders Police. The prizes and trophies were presented by Mr. William Rankine, J.P., Chairman of Lothian and Borders Police Board.

A toast to the Police Athletic Association was given by Major David Crichton Alexander, C.B., Comandant of the Scottish Police College, and President of the Scottish Police Small Bore Rifle Association, and replied to by Chief Superintendent Alistair Hood, Lothian and Borders Police, Member of the Police Athletic Council.

Other guests included Superintendent James Newell, Strathclyde Police, Chairman of the Scottish Police Pistol Association, and Inspector Douglas Mottram, Cambridgeshire Constabulary, General Secretary of the Police Athletic Association Shooting Committee.

RIFLE RESULTS

Individual Placings

	<i>Pts.</i>
x 300	
1 R. HILLMAN (South Wales)	297
2 R. V. ANDERSON (Hampshire)	295
3 F. JENNINGS (W. Midlands)	294
4 B. SHUTTLEWORTH (Leicestershire)	292
5 P. A. HATTON (Lancashire)	291
6 R. S. WEST (West Yorks)	289
6 G. WALKER (Devon & Cornwall)	289
6 A. B. McCONNELL (Lothian & Borders)	289
9 J. CHIVERS (Metropolitan)	288
9 J. W. ADDIS (R.U.C.)	288

Team Placings

	<i>Pts.</i>
x 500	
1 LEICESTERSHIRE	778
2 GREATER MANCHESTER	777
3 METROPOLITAN No. 1 AREA (766)	772
4 SOUTH WALES (763)	772
5 AVON & SOMERSET	771
6 WEST YORKSHIRE	770
6 WEST MIDLANDS	770
8 SUSSEX	764
9 FIFE	763
10 ROYAL ULSTER CONSTABULARY	762

CADET CHAMPIONSHIP

	<i>Pts.</i>
1 A. GERMAIN (South Wales)	279
2 RICHARD BILBOE (West Mercia)	276

3 D. BUTTERFIELD (City of London)	268
4 J. ELCOCK (West Mercia)	228

PISTOL RESULTS

Individual Placings

	<i>Pts.</i>
x 300	
1 N. GARRATT (Metro)	261
2 G. HARVEY (Essex)	256
3 I. PALMER (Cambridge)	254
4 R. HOPPER (Devon & Cornwall)	248
5 R. DUCKWORTH (Gtr. Manchester)	245
6 A. HOWLS (West Mercia)	241
7 M. GRAY (West Yorks)	233
8 J. TOLLAN (Strathclyde)	232
9 A. McCANN (R.U.C.)	227

Team Placings

	<i>Pts.</i>
x 800	
1 METROPOLITAN AREA 1	488
2 ESSEX	482
3 CAMBRIDGESHIRE	479
4 STRATHCLYDE	477
5 WEST MIDLANDS	470
6 DEVON & CORNWALL	465
7 R.U.C.	464
8 WEST YORKSHIRE	459

Forthcoming Events

15th APRIL 1982

SHORT RANGE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Strathclyde, Glasgow

14th/15th/16th SEPTEMBER 1982

P.A.A. RIFLE & PISTOL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Bisley, Surrey

APRIL 1983

SHORT RANGE CHAMPIONSHIPS

Whitby, Yorkshire

1984

SHORT RANGE CHAMPIONSHIPS

R.U.C.