



# Redhill Revolvers Field Pistol Club



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## Craig Mawby Memorial Shoot – Mon 13<sup>th</sup> April:

This Monday nights shoot was the 2<sup>nd</sup> annual memorial shoot for a former club member, Craig Mawby. It was also the 2014 Winter League Presentation Night so as you can imagine it was a packed evening with 36 in total attendees all donating to charity and shooting which also happened to be the 1<sup>st</sup> appearance of the new Pistol Bell Targets.

All the proceeds from the shoot which was at £5 per head, and all the money collected up from the Raffle plus any additional donations are going to a local charity which offers counselling for bereaved parents as Lynne mawby request. We raised a grand total of **£275 Which beat last years total by around £88**

So on with the shoot, as mentioned above tonight shoot was the 1<sup>st</sup> time we got to use our new Bell Targets which have been specially made for Pistols, and are the only ones of their kind in existence, so we pioneering and leading the way in pistol shooting. No one knew just how well they would work until someone actually hit the “bell” to see if pistols would set them off and I’m glad that we didn’t have to wait long and they worked a treat when Bernard Harris got the very 1<sup>st</sup> bell of the night with his trusty BSA Magnum. This was soon followed up by more giving a total of 10 bells by the likes of Mike Woodhouse, Andy Chesterton, Keval, Joe Ruddock, Ken Glover Senior, Paul Clarke, and Callum Halford.

Overall on the night, it was a very close competition but in the end 1<sup>st</sup> place went to Andy Chesterton with a score of 59, Then the scores were all tied at 57 points, so we had to go off bell rings and highest individual rounds meaning Mike Woodhouse took 2<sup>nd</sup> place & Keval took 3<sup>rd</sup>. Craig’s Mum Lynne was on hand on the night to help with presentations for the shoot and even participated in the shoot herself on all 3 rounds.



Well done to all 3 winners and everyone else who took part and helped in raising the money for a worthwhile cause.

**HFT League :** This year we started a new league for the monthly HFT shoots at the LOPC, The first of which started back in March 2015, running through until the end of the year. To try and give a fair and equal chance for everyone, the league has been split into 2 sections. These are “RECOIL League” and “NON RECOIL League”.

To qualify for either league you must shoot all rounds with the same type of pistol, either recoil or non recoil, you can switch pistols as long as they are of the same type i.e. HW40 and Crosman 2240 (both being non recoil). You must also shoot un-aided (no scopes, lasers, red dots) and have you cards verified by another shooter/person.

As always a hit counts as 1 point, a knockdown as 2. If for any reason you need your to amend a score on your card, this must be witnessed and signed my a marshall.

So far we have done 3 shoots towards the league (March, April and June) so there is still chance to start if you have not been to the LOPC monthly shoot so far.

**Maintenance at the LOPC –** At the end of March/Early April a few volunteers helped out in some maintenance works to our ranges at the LOPC and a general tidy up. Part of these improvements were cut back the foliage and create more permanent stands to the bottom range so you can come down with your own targets for plinking purposes. Along with this, we also made new stands and also fixed / re-sprayed the HFT targets for the monthly Saturday shoots. Thanks to all for your help to those who attended.

Furthermore, the range has been and will continue to be improved / maintained through the coming months so look out for emails for volunteers, you help is appreciated.

## Puzzle Time:

On Monday 13<sup>th</sup> July, I will be handing out a wordsearch puzzle for all those who would like to have a go. All the words are shooting / Redhill Revolvers related and as well as the listed words, there are also some extra hidden words which need to be located. Hopefully this will help pass the time whilst waiting for your turn to shoot or keep the kids entertained for a while, or at the very least give Dave BG / Pete something else to complete over. haha  
The 1<sup>st</sup> person to hand me the correctly completed form with **ALL** the words found (including the hidden ones) wins a tin of pellets. Depending on how busy the night goes and how many people are going to participate, the winner will be announced either on the night, or the following Monday (20<sup>th</sup> July)... Oh, bring a pen with you to prevent all out war for the few they will be on hand !

## NO SHOTS : (MONDAY NIGHTS – QUEEN VIC)

Please all note that there will be **NO SHOTS** in the month of **September**, this is due to the Queen Vic being refurbished. This also means that the 2015 Summer League will end in August, but as we started in April (1 month early), you will not actually miss out on any rounds.

**FOR SALE!**

Daystate X2 in .22 for sale. Rifle has had very little use from new. It comes complete with Hawk Eva scope, moderator, single shot tray and 10 shot mag. Also includes 3ltr bottle serviced in 2015 and approx 2000 pellets. Perfect for HFT or hunting. Very good condition £550.  
Contact Andy Chesterton for photos