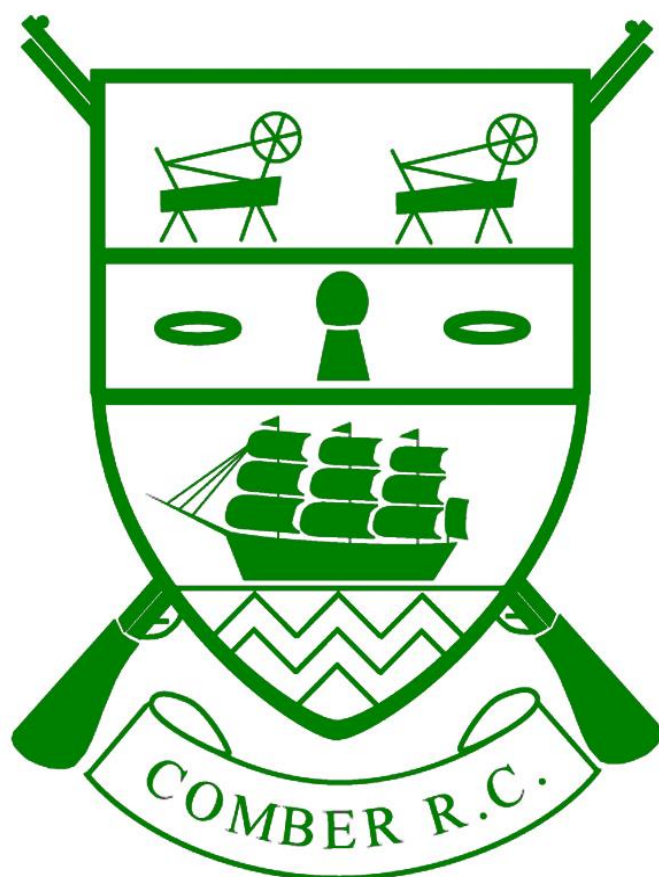


NORTHERN IRELAND OPEN MEETING 2016

50<sup>th</sup>

Northern Ireland  
Target Rifle  
Championships



At

Ballykinlar Ranges

On

15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> October 2016

Rules, Conditions, Programme and Entry Form

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## Rules & Conditions

<b>Rules and Targets</b>	As per NRA of UK unless otherwise stated.
<b>Ammunition</b>	Any ammo, including handloads, provided the bullet does not weigh more than 156g. Random samples of ammo may be checked and dismantled.
<b>Trophies</b>	All trophies to be returned at least one month before the following year's meeting.
<b>Marking duties</b>	Competitor marking is required. Anyone shooting both TR and F Class must provide a marker for all details. Anyone leaving early may forfeit some or all of their scores and prizes.
<b>Challenges</b>	£1.00 fee for losing a challenge.
<b>Ties</b>	All ties will be decided on the count back system.
<b>Range hire</b>	All competitors must contribute £10.00 towards range hire per day.
<b>Membership</b>	All non-Northern Ireland club members must pay £2.00 temporary membership. Competitors <u>from GB</u> wishing to bring firearms, must apply for a Certificate of Approval, Form 30/15 from the PSNI; those <u>from the Republic of Ireland</u> need a 30/38. Both forms can be found on the PSNI website, <a href="http://www.psni.police.uk/index/advice-and-legislation/firearms/advice_firearms_forms.htm">http://www.psni.police.uk/index/advice-and-legislation/firearms/advice_firearms_forms.htm</a>
<b>Deductions</b>	Any competitor undergoing full-time education can claim 25% reduction in entry fees only.
<b>Blow Off shots</b>	There will be no blow off shots for any class
<b>FTR class</b>	The rules for FTR class are as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Sights: Scopes allowed (FTR Optic category only)</li><li>• Front Rests: Bipod and/or sling only</li><li>• Rear Rests: Bag only (no mechanical rests)</li><li>• Ammo: 156g max, .308 or .223 (or metric equivalents) ONLY</li><li>• Ammo samples may be taken from the ammo in use for dismantling and weighing and may not be returned.</li></ul>
<b>Scoring</b>	ALL competitors from ALL classes are to use the V-Bull system. (i.e. a 48 with 7 v bulls should be recorded as a total of 48.7)
<b>Late Entries</b>	Unfortunately due to the requirements placed on us by Ballykinlar in regards to security and having a competitor list handed in ahead of the event, we cannot accept any late or "on the day" entries. If you wish to take part you must have your entry submitted by the closing date of 27 <sup>th</sup> September 2016. We apologise for any inconvenience.

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## **Certificate of Competence and Safety.**

All UK competitors must produce a valid Certificate of Competency signed by their Club Chairman otherwise they will not be allowed to shoot. Republic of Ireland competitors must produce a letter from their club Chairperson confirming their competence.

## **Changes to programme, prizes or final**

The Range Committee reserves the right to amend the programme or prizes, particularly where there are small numbers of competitors in any class. The number of shooters in the Final may also be varied due to the number of competitors in each class or other relevant circumstances.

**HME Testing** Any competitor using ammo that has a muzzle energy higher than 4,500 joules must complete a special zeroing procedure at 200 yards before being allowed to fire again. Testing will be on Saturday morning at 9am and on Sunday at 9am if needed. You must indicate on your entry form if you require HME testing otherwise you will not be permitted to compete with HME ammo. (NRA Rules of Shooting, Appendix 18)

## **Data Protection**

The information we collect about competitors will be used to aid the running of the competition. Sometimes it is necessary for us to share this information with 3<sup>rd</sup> parties, specifically with Ballykinlar security office to facilitate access to the ranges on the dates of the competition. By entering the competition you agree that we may use your information for the purposes of running a smooth competition.

**All competitors must be at the range shelter by 8.45am to pick up their entry.**

**See notice in range shelter to find out timings and marking details.**

**Ammo will be available for purchase for the competition only on the Saturday morning. Ammo must be paid for at time of purchase on the range, and cannot be paid for with the entry.**

**Prize giving will be at 1630hrs on Sunday, or earlier if possible.**

**The range committee reserves the right to alter conditions, rules and prizes as it thinks fit.**

## **Range Committee**

**Andrew Collins  
Colin Napier  
Simon Carson**

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## Programme

<b><u>Saturday</u></b>	[HME Test (if needed)]	200x	09.00]	
<b>Competition</b>	<b>Rounds</b>	<b>Range</b>	<b>Detail 1</b>	<b>Detail 2</b>
Donegal Tankard	2+7	300x	09.30 - 09.55	Butts
Champ. Stage 1	2+10	300x	10.05 - 10.40	Butts
Donegal Tankard	2+7	300x	Butts	10.50 -11.15
Champ. Stage 1	2+10	300x	Butts	11.25 – 12.00

### ***LUNCH***

Champ. Stage 1	2+10	500x	12.30 - 13.05	Butts
Champ. Stage 1	2+10	600x	13.15 - 13.50	Butts
Champ. Stage 1	2+10	500x	Butts	14.05 -14.40
Champ. Stage 1	2+10	600x	Butts	14.50 – 15.25

## **Sunday**

Champ. Stage 2

Bass Trophy	2+10	300x	09.30 – 10.05	Butts
Stein Tankard	2+10	500x	10.15 – 10.50	Butts
Bass Trophy	2+10	300x	Butts	11.00 -11.35
Stein Tankard	2+10	500x	Butts	11.45 -12.20

### ***LUNCH***

McFarland Rose Bowl	2+10	600x	12.50 -13.25	Butts
McFarland Rose Bowl	2+10	600x	Butts	13.40 -14.15
Champ. Stage 3 - Final	2+15	600x	14.50 -15.35	

The organisers request that shooters move to and from the butts as quickly as possible when given permission by the Range/Butts Officers. Range Officers will try to make up time throughout the day by starting details as soon as the shooters are ready.

(This number of shooters in the final will be determined by the range committee depending on the number of entrants and markers, the number of shooters in contention and any other circumstances at the time.)

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## 1. Northern Ireland TR Championship:

Aggregate of competition 2, 5, 6 and 7.

The final will consist of 2+15 at 600 yards

1<sup>st</sup>: DAP Cup, £25.00 and Gold Badge

2<sup>nd</sup>: Silver Badge and £15.00

3<sup>rd</sup>: Championship Badge and £10.00

Other finalists Championship badge

1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> FTR Class: Championship badge

1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Classic: Championship badge

(Top U18 £10\*)

## 2. Championship Stage 1

2+10 at 300,500 and 600 yards.

300 yards: 1<sup>st</sup> £7, 2<sup>nd</sup> £5, 3<sup>rd</sup> £3

500 yards: 1<sup>st</sup> £7, 2<sup>nd</sup> £5, 3<sup>rd</sup> £3

600 yards: 1<sup>st</sup> £7, 2<sup>nd</sup> £5, 3<sup>rd</sup> £3

## 3. Donegal Tankard

2+7 at 300 yards

1<sup>st</sup>: Donegal Tankard and £5.00

2<sup>nd</sup>: £4.00

3<sup>rd</sup>: £3.00

(Top U18 £10\*)

## 4. Saturday Aggregate

Aggregate of competitions 2 and 3.

1<sup>st</sup>: Gourley Tankard and £10.00

2<sup>nd</sup>: £5.00

3<sup>rd</sup>: £3.00

## 5. McFarland Rose Bowl

2+10 at 600 yards.

1<sup>st</sup>: McFarland Rose Bowl and £7.00

2<sup>nd</sup>: £5.00

3<sup>rd</sup>: £3.00

## 6. Bass Trophy

2+10 at 300 yards.

1<sup>st</sup>: Bass Trophy and £7.00

2<sup>nd</sup>: £5.00

3<sup>rd</sup>: £3.00

## 7. Stein Tankard

2+10 at 500 yards

1<sup>st</sup>: Stein Tankard and £7.00

2<sup>nd</sup>: £5.00

3<sup>rd</sup>: £3.00

## 8. Sunday aggregate

Aggregate of competitions 5, 6 and 7.

1<sup>st</sup>: Murray Homes Tankard and £10.00

2<sup>nd</sup>: £5.00

3<sup>rd</sup>: £3.00

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## 9. Molloy Cup

Confined to Comber Rifle Club members only.

Concurrent with the Grand Aggregate.

## 10. Presidents Cup (Grand Aggregate)

Aggregate of competitions 2, 3, 5, 6, and 7.

1<sup>st</sup>: Presidents Cup plus a replica cup and £20.00

2<sup>nd</sup>: £15.00

3<sup>rd</sup>: £12.00

## 11. Owen Catchpole Trophy (Under 21s)

Aggregate of competitions 2, 3, 5, 6, and 7.

1<sup>st</sup>: Owen Catchpole Trophy and £10

## 12. Jimmy Watson Tankard (FTR Class)

Aggregate of competitions 2, 3, 5, 6 and 7.

1<sup>st</sup>: Jimmy Watson Tankard and £10

2<sup>nd</sup>: £5

## 13. Blair Mayne Trophy (Classic)

Aggregate of competitions 2, 3, 5, 6 and 7.

1<sup>st</sup>: Blair Mayne Trophy and £10

2<sup>nd</sup>: £5

**\*Under 18s - a cash prize of £10 will be awarded to the top under 18 in competitions 1 and 3 if they have not won a similar prize in these competitions.**

## Team Events

### 1. Pol Rogers Cup

Team of six concurrent with the Grand Aggregate

1<sup>st</sup>: Pol Rogers Bucket plus champagne and £12.00

### 2. Hopkins Cup

Teams of four concurrent with Championship Stage 1.

1<sup>st</sup>: Hopkins Cup and £8.00

### 3. Johnston Silver Salver

Teams of four concurrent with Championship Stage 2.

1<sup>st</sup>: Silver Salver and £8.00

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NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CLUB \_\_\_\_\_  
SHARING RIFLE WITH ? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

LEFT HANDED ? YES\NO

UNDER 21 ? YES\NO

TELEPHONE \_\_\_\_\_

UNDER 18 ? YES\NO

HME Test required? YES\NO

RCO qualified? YES\NO

Are you an up to date, qualified First Aider? YES/NO

EMAIL ADDRESS (required) \_\_\_\_\_

## **TR**

Target Rifle Full Entry (Full time education £42.50)  
(includes Range Hire @ £20)

£50.00

## **FTR or F Open Class** (please circle which class)

Jimmy Watson Tankard Full Entry (FTE £29)  
(includes Range Hire @ £20)

£32.00

## **Classic or Classic Optics** (please circle which class)

Blair Mayne Trophy Full Entry (FTE £29)  
(includes Range Hire @ £20)

£32.00

**If you wish to only shoot one of the days, please divide your entry fee by 2 and indicate below which day you wish to attend.**

## **Temporary Membership**

(non NI Club Members only)

£2.00 \_\_\_\_\_

**Overall Total** \_\_\_\_\_

## **Cheques should be made payable to Comber Rifle Club**

Please return to:

Andrew Collins  
65 Gilnahirk Park  
Belfast  
BT5 7DY  
Telephone +44 (0)28 9091 3674 / +44 (0)7754 884 785  
Email andytcollins@googlemail.com

Entries should be in no later than **Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> September.**  
**LATE ENTRIES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED. IF YOU HAVE NOT ENTERED  
BY 27<sup>th</sup> SEPTEMBER YOU WILL NOT BE ABLE TO COMPETE.**

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## Team Entry Form

Team selection sheets and entry fees and should be handed in BEFORE any shots have been fired on Saturday morning or later by agreement.

Competition	No. of teams	Price per team	Total
Hopkins Cup		£6.00	
Johnston Salver		£6.00	
Pol Rogers		£8.00	

I enclose payment of  
on behalf of Club

**TOTAL** \_\_\_\_\_  
**Club Name** \_\_\_\_\_

### Hopkins – Stage I

Name of shooter
1.
2.
3.
4.

### Johnston Salver – Stage II

Name of shooter
1.
2.
3.
4.

### Pol Rogers – Grand Agg

Name of Shooter
1.
2.
3.
4.
5.
6.