



NEWS FROM THE BOARD

24th September 2015

Your board has met again since the last newsletter. The planning and allocation of task etc is well underway, as well as the "business as usual".

We are pleased to report:-

- **Roles and Responsibilities.** The following board members will be responsible for matters relating to:-

Reg Cunningham (1) Chairman of the Board
 (2) Environment, Public & Government relations
 (3) Electronic Target evaluation & introduction
 (4) Lower Light & country range development & protection
 (5) Lower Light range maintenance & facility improvement

Richard Braund (1) communication & Publicity
 (2) SARA shop & evaluation of E-store sales introduction

Brad Semmler (1) Membership & Club forums
 (2) SARA employment & remuneration
 (3) SARA staff job descriptions, KPIs & succession planning

Jim Caspers (1) Honorary Treasurer
 (2) Finance & Business opportunities

Gordon Harrison (1) Training & Development
 (2) Competition, control, conditions & By-Laws
 (3) Strategic plans, long & short range strategies

- **By-Laws.** Gordon Harrison has started the process to set up a sub-committee to work on revising our By-Laws. Graham Hancock and Malcolm Flavel have been invited on to this sub-committee.



- State Team Funding. The board has decided to adopt the following funding model for all of our State Teams:-

Target Rifle	\$4,000
Under 25	\$2,000
Ladies	\$2,000
F-Class Open	\$2,000
F-Class Standard	\$2,000
F/TR	\$2,000
Match Rifle	Team entry paid
Veterans	Team entry paid

These grants were conditional on the fact that the individual teams actually formed and entered the appropriate national teams event. They are on a per team basis, not annual grants.

- State Team (TR) conditions. The sub-committee responsible for preparing the new team manual recommended that in future:-
 - 12 shooters should be selected with all to travel
 - all to practice
 - all entitled to a blazer and be in the team photograph
 - The final 11 shooters to be nominated by the travelling selectors prior to the match.

The Board ADOPTED this proposal.

- Queens squadding. There was discussion on squadding all f-class shooter together and all TR shooters together, also to reorder the shooting on the last day so that all of the top shooters (from each discipline) shoot at the same time.

We will investigate doing this at our next Queens.

- SARA representatives to the NRAA Prize Meeting software workshop. We are pleased confirm that both Alison Hansen and Don Flynn have agreed to represent SARA at the upcoming workshop.
- Newsletters. The board has decided that it will continue to publish a newsletter on a monthly basis.

Reg Cunningham
Chairman