



The Bullet



The Newsletter of The Holliston Sportsmen's Association, Inc.

January 2002

10 Meter Air Pistol Championship Goes to L.A. Jones

The 2001 10 Meter Air Pistol Championship Match was fired on December 5, 2001. Twelve members participated in the event. **L.A. Jones** fired the top score of 83. L.A. used a Baikal IHZ-46 pistol and Copperhead wad cutter pellets to take the top spot. One point back with an 82 was **Rich Girvin** taking second place. Rich shot a Daisy 747 and Dynamit Nobel Superpoint pellets. **Bruce Hastings** placed third with a score of 79.

National Gallery 300 Standard Pistol Every Tuesday Starting January 8, 2002

Don Hastings reports that he and fellow National Gallery enthusiasts will be meeting at the range each Tuesday at 7:00PM. The course of fire will include slow fire shooting on the B-2 target, and timed and rapid fire shooting on the B-3 target. All shooting is from the 50 foot line, using one hand to hold the pistol or revolver. Don will be collecting a range fee. Targets and .22 ammo will be available for the Tuesday night shoots. Come out and give National Gallery a try. Questions about this activity should be directed to Don at 508/429-5155.

Next Meeting Of The Association Wednesday January 2nd

The first meeting of the Association in the new year will be held on Wednesday January 2, 2002. A ten meter air pistol shoot will run from 7:00PM to 7:45 PM. Pistols, pellets, and targets will be available for those interested in trying this sport. The January meeting will be called to order at 8:00PM. Refreshments will follow the meeting. The prize will be \$20 for the Attendance drawing. Hope to see you all there.

The Champions Of 2001

Trap Shooting
Malcolm Gibson

Archery
Geoff Ribbe

Practical Pistol
Bruce Hastings

Target Pistol
Bruce Hastings

10 Meter Air Pistol
L.A. Jones

Light Rifle
Bruce Hastings

**Congratulations to the
Champs & Thanks to all those
who participated.**

2001 Light Rifle Champion Is Bruce Hastings

Nine members participated in the 2001 Light Rifle Championship Competition held on December 19th. Bruce Hastings took first place with a score of 185 out of a possible 200 points. In the second spot was **Malcolm Gibson** with a 182. **Jim Maxant** rounded out the top three with a 174. The first stage of the event was ten shots from the off hand position. **Geoff Ribbe** held the lead after the off hand shooting was completed. The second stage was 10 shots from the prone position. It was the prone position score that made the difference. The top three finishers overall also fired the top three scores in prone. Bruce, Malcolm, and Jim all used Ruger 10/22's with telescopic sights. The Light Rifle event was the last of six events used to determine the All Around Best Shooter for 2001. This win sealed up the ARBS title for Bruce. For the complete ARBS story see page three.

Retraction Notice:

The editors wish to inform the readers of the *Bullet* that an error occurred in the December 2001 issue. We strongly regret this incident and apologize for any inconvenience caused. See the correction on page two of this issue.

January 2002

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2 January Meeting	3 Firearm Safety Class	4	5
6 Trap Shoot	7	8 Target Pistol	9	10 Firearm Safety Class	11	12
13	14	15 Target Pistol	16	17 Firearm Safety Class	18	19
20	21	22 Target Pistol	23	24 Firearm Safety Class	25	26
27	28 Women With Guns	29 Target Pistol	30 Director's Meeting	31 Firearm Safety Class		

Up-Coming Events

January 2 7:00PM - 10 Meter Air Pistol
January 2 8:00PM - General Meeting
January 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 7:00PM - Firearm Safety Class
January 6 1:00PM - Trap Shoot
January 8, 15, 22, 29 7:00PM - Target Pistol
January 28 7:00PM - Women with Guns
January 30 7:30PM - Director's Meeting

Correction:

Lenny Stackpole is Not a Winner

It was reported in last months Bullet that Lenny Stackpole had won the Standard Pistol Championship. This report was unfortunately a little premature. On December 13th there was a make up session for shooters that had missed any of the pistol events in the All Around Best shooter series. Three members took this opportunity to make up the Standard Pistol competition. Following the make up shoot the final standings are:

1. Bruce Hastings
2. Don Hastings
3. Jim Maxant

And a distant:

4. Lenny Stackpole

Holiday Dinner and Concert Enjoyed by Sell Out Crowd

A sell out crowd of fifty to sixty members and guests turned out for the December 22nd Holiday Dinner and Concert. The shooting range was cleverly disguised as a performance stage and banquet hall. A gourmet meal was prepared by chefs Michael Price and Eric McWilliams. Following dinner singer / song writer Joel Cage performed. The show featured some incredible acoustic guitar playing that underscored great lyrics sung with a strong voice by Joel. After the show Cage hung out talking and selling and signing CDs for the audience. If you missed this event you really missed out. Do not let it happen again!

February 6

62nd Annual Meeting Of The Association

Election of Officers and Directors For 2002

6:00PM

Free Drinks

7:00PM

Free Ham & Bean Dinner

8:00PM

Annual Meeting

Trap Shooting News

Next Shoot:

1:00PM

Sunday January 6, 2002

See Bruce Hastings for additional information on trap.



Bruce Hastings All Around Best In 2001

Bruce Hastings won the All Around Best Shooter Title for 2001 in convincing fashion, winning three of the five events he entered. In the other two events he placed third. Bruce collected 89.375% of the points available in the events he entered. This placed him a full 3.71 points ahead of second place finisher **Jim Maxant** who tallied 85.665%. This may well be the largest margin of victory ever posted in the history of the competition. Third place went to **Malcolm Gibson** who garnered 83.3325% in his top four events which included first place in trap. The final standings for everyone competing in the minimum of four events are shown below

All Around Best Shooter Final Standings for 2001

Shooter's Name	Archery	Trap	Practical Pistol	Standard Pistol	Air Pistol	Light Rifle	Combined Average
B.Hastings	D.N.S.	74	100	86	79	92.5	89.375
J.Maxant	56	52	99.33	79.3	77	87	85.665
M.Gibson	58	84	95.33	54.33	63	91	83.3325
L.Stackpole	45	80	90	74.00	70	74	79.50
G.Ribbe	65	74	76	56.33	70	84	76.00
R.Girvin	17	64	D.N.S.	69.33	82	76.5	72.9575
B.Nathanson	D.N.S.	D.N.S.	90.66	33.33	56	79	64.7475
L.Perlmutter	57	38	73.33	56	53	D.N.S.	59.8325
M.Trum	D.N.S.	D.N.S.	83.33	46.33	35	50.5	53.79



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Meeting Reminder:
Wednesday January 2, 2002 at the HSA Clubhouse
10m Air Pistol at 7:00PM, Meeting Starts at 8:00PM
