



# News Shots

## Institute of Clay Shooting Instructors

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the Workshops*

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### WORKSHOPS AND CLINICS GO LIVE ON WEBSITE STORE

Dates and Venues have now been finalised and Workshops and Clinics may now be booked on the ICSI Website through the Shop.

Workshop or Clinic	Venue	Date
Coach and Instructors Development Workshop (Initial)	Kibworth	26th June 2023
Coach and Instructors Development Workshop (Follow On)	Kibworth	31st July 2023
Gunfit & Eye Dominance Clinics	Oakedge	3rd July 2023
Observation & Interpretation	Oakedge	17th July 2023
Anatomy of Shooting	Oakedge	19th June 2023

The Workshops and Clinics listed above are being offered to members over the summer period.

#### New Workshop:

We are pleased to offer a new workshop for members.

Anatomy and Shooting with Jim Farrell a qualified physiotherapist who is a shooter and Instructor. More details will be available on the web site.

To book a place on a workshop or clinic please visit the web site:

#### Courses – ICSI



#### NEW WORKSHOP

**JIM FARRELL A QUALIFIED PHYSIOTHERAPIST WILL LEAD A WORKSHOP BASED ON THE ANATOMY AND BIO-MECHANICS OF SHOOTING.**

**FULL OF FULLY RESEARCHED KNOWLEDGE, JIM WILL LEAD US THROUGH ALL THE BIO-MECHANICS OF THE SHOOTING PROCESS AND LINK THIS TO THE WORK OF THE COACH AND INSTRUCTOR.**

**BELOW WE CAN SEE JIM WITH HIS WILLING ASSISTANT!!**



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## WHATS ON IN 2023

As the spectre of Covid fades into the background the shooting world tries to regain some sense of normality and the 2023 season has started well.

The following events are planned for 2023:

### **JACK PYKE ENGLISH OPEN SPORTING**

Once again this popular event will be held at Sporting Targets in Bedfordshire. Running from the 14th until the 18th June. (telephone entries only 01234 708893)

### **Beretta World Championship (English Sporting)**

Held this year from at the picturesque Windwhistle Farm in Wiltshire just west of Salisbury. It will run from Friday 23rd June until Sunday 25th June.

[Berettaworld.co.uk](http://Berettaworld.co.uk)

### **THE GWCT SCOTTISH GAME FAIR**

30th June to 2 July at Scone Palace, Perth. All the usual attractions of a Game fair with shooting available on each day. Shotgun depository available and cartridges must be fibre wad <7 shot 28g

[Scottishfair.com](http://Scottishfair.com)

### **WORLD FITASC SPORTING**

13th to 16th July, Gant Hungary

Last year the GB Veterans took Gold over France and Sam Green 2nd overall. Hopefully GB shooters can improve upon their scores this year.

[Fitasc.com](http://Fitasc.com)

### **THE GAME FAIR**

Once again to be held at Ragley Hall, Warwickshire from the 28th to 30th July. This event provides an opportunity to see the extent of the shooting and country industries with stands and exhibitions of many products, and trades. The shooting will be organised by EJ Churchill with the Game Fair Challenge, 50 bird English sporting competition, The Game Fair Sportrap, the Game fFir Pool Shoot, a warm up competition plus all the usual have a go stands including our members manning the CPSA stand.

[thegamefair.com](http://thegamefair.com)

### **WESTON PARK COUNTRY FAIR.**

17th to 18th September. This event replaces the old Midland Game Fair and features many countryside attractions and demonstrations. Shooting is available, for details see,

[westonparkcountryfair.com](http://westonparkcountryfair.com)

## **MAJOR CPSA REGISTERED EVENTS**

### **ENGLISH OPEN SPORTRAP**

The Venue for this event is still to be decided. Scheduled for the 2nd to 4th June, time is running out.

### **DTL WEEKEND**

The DTL Weekend is a 3 day event traditionally run at the beginning of June each year. This year the event will be held at Bywell Shooting Ground, The first day is Sponsors Day, the second day is the Dougall Memorial Day and the third day is the English Open.

Running from the 9th to 11th July.

### **ENGLISH OPEN ABT**

Running on 24th and 25th June at the National Clay Shooting Centre.

### **THE WORLD ENGLISH SPORTING**

Returning to EJ Churchill's Ground from the 3rd to 8th July. This event over two days attracts competitors from around the world and includes a National Team competition. Prelim and Stortrap competitions and the latest competition Super Sporting.

### **BRITISH OPEN SKEET**

Running from 22nd to 23rd July at the East Yorkshire Target Centre

### **BRITISH OPEN SPORTING**

This will be held at Garlands Shooting Ground in Staffordshire and will be run by the Clay Shooting Company. Held over 120 target qualifier, then a 75 target final followed by a six way Super Final.

### **OTHER COUNTRY AND GAME FAIRS**

#### **WILTSHIRE GAME AND COUNTRY FAIR**

Sat & Sun 12th & 13th August  
Bowood House, Calne, Wiltshire  
SN11 0LZ

#### **CHESHIRE GAME & COUNTRY FAIR**

Bank Holiday Sunday & Monday  
27th and 28th August  
Cheshire County Showground  
Talbey, Knutsford, Cheshire  
WA16 0HJ

#### **SANDRINGHAM GAME AND COUN- TRY FAIR**

Sat & Sun 9th & 10th September  
Sandringham Estate, Kings Lynn  
Norfolk PE 35 6EN

#### **SANDRINGHAM CHRISTMAS CRAFT, FOOD AND GIFT FAIR**

Fri, Sat & Sun 17th, 18th & 19th  
November  
Sandringham Estate, Kings Lynn  
Norfolk PE 35 6EN

For more details go to:  
[www.livingheritaageevents.co.uk](http://www.livingheritaageevents.co.uk)

## CPSA COURSES AND WHITE GOLD CHALLENGE

The CPSA run a number of courses for members. Below is a list of their current offerings which may be of interest to you or to your clients.



**Are you interested in becoming a qualified referee, safety officer or want to start your instructor training ?**

**We have spaces on the following courses ...**

Safety Officers Course	22 May	Monday	Doveridge Clay Sports Centre
Coach Development Workshop (incl Common Element)	22 May	Monday - Wednesday	Northampton Shooting Ground
Referees English Sporting	26 May	Friday	East of England Shooting Ground
Referees English Sporting	27 May	Saturday	Southwest Shooting School
Referees English Sporting	30 May	Tuesday	E.J. Churchill Shooting Ground
Safety Officers Course	19 June	Monday	Nottingham & District GC
Safety Officers Course	8 July	Saturday	Bisley Gun Club
Referees English Skeet	22 Aug	Tuesday	Priory Clay Target Centre

**To book your place contact Cheryl at HQ on 01483 485403 or visit our website at <https://www.cpsa.co.uk/courses>**

## THE WHITE GOLD CHALLENGE

By popular demand, Gamebore are bringing back the White Gold Challenge

Formerly known as the White Gold Cup, televised on Sky Sports with the help of boxing promoter Barry Hearn, the competition series originally ran through the 1990's and was resurrected more recently as the White Gold Challenge in partnership with Steve Lovatt and The Clay Shooting Company. Now Gamebore are teaming up with Steve again to give competition shooters the chance to win a share of another big cash prize fund!

The White Gold Challenge will begin with a series of Qualifier Rounds, taking place at both Garlands Shooting Ground in Tamworth and Westfield Shooting Ground in Gloucester-

shire. The course is a 20 bird sequence shot in a Sportrap style formation, with competitors shooting at 10 random pairs from the 5 shooting positions.

Shot in 4 CPSA Classes; AA, A, B & C, with the two highest scores from each class at each Qualifier Round securing a place in the Grand Final, meaning 16 shooters from each class will compete for a share of the £4,800 cash prize fund!

There's no need to book on to the Qualifier Rounds, just turn up on one of the following dates;













### Qualifier Rounds

Westfield Shooting Ground; 30th April, 29th May, 11th June & 13th August.

Garlands Shooting Ground; 7th May, 18th June, 30th July & 6th August.



## ICSI MERCHANDISE—WEB SITE SHOP

 <b>Bullion Badge</b> £12.50	 <b>Cap</b> £15.00	 <b>Low Profile Cap</b> £15.00	 <b>Jack Pyke Gilet</b> £40.00
 <b>Polo Shirt</b> £25.00	 <b>Tie</b> £12.50	 <b>Loaders Pin</b> £10.00	 <b>Pin</b> £10.00
 <b>Round Badge</b> £5.00	 <b>Shield Badge</b> £5.00	 <b>Square Badge</b> £5.00	 <b>The Knowledge Book</b> £13.00

The items shown on the left may be purchased on the web site in the members area. If you attend a workshop or clinic Jason normally has a selection of shop items for sale on the day.

Now back in stock, the Jack Pyke Gilet sell out very quickly so don't delay in ordering..



## THE INSTITUTE OF CLAY SHOOTING INSTRUCTORS

Founded in 1987, The Institute of Clay Shooting Instructors is a formal, non-profit making organisation serving Clay Shooting Coaches and Instructors.

The 'Aim' of the Institute is to deliver 'Continuous Professional Development' for the membership at all levels, through a variety of channels.

The 'Objectives' of the Institute are set to provide resources and opportunities that allow individuals to progress their skillsets in coaching, within a mutually supportive network.

## SOMETHING TO WATCH

Some news from the Field Sports Channel

<https://youtu.be/4TP9GJeej08>

Its always interesting to hear other instructors take on eye dominance:

<https://youtu.be/wbUuLMMdU-k>

The history of shooting would not be complete without mention of John Moses Browning

<https://youtu.be/0oYJW8WbupQ>

## AND FINALLY.....

If you have anything related to your activities as a coach or shooter that you think might be of interest to other shooters and coaches please send it in. It may be a funny incident, a snippet picked up in a gun shop or from a Police Enquiry Officer or from a ground owner or client. It may be a funny picture and an unusual picture.

**Remember, this is your Institute.**

### ICSI Council

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