



**CLUB
NEWSLETTER
NOVEMBER 2018**

Hello Member, at long last another newsletter packed full of important stuff. May I also remind you that the current newsletter together with the current calendar and other information is available on demand at our website www.landsendshootingclub.co.uk.

DATES FOR DECEMBER 2018

2nd - Annual General Meeting - at the range 2.00pm for 2.15pm start (after the PSG).

9th - .22 Rifle and Pistol shoot (two gun) mixture of practical and general target

16th - Long Gun Shoot - any type of rifle - mixture of styles of shoot

23rd - Christmas Shoot - A fun novelty shoot, no range fee but you may bring a wrapped gift (food or drink preferable), if you bring a gift you will go home with one.

30th - To be decided at the AGM

BULLET HEADS

The club still has a stock of .38/.44/.45 lead heads in stock.

TARGETS AND BACKINGS: There are plastic boards for practice targets and hardboard/plywood backings should **never** be used for practice unless the range officer has given permission. Knock down plates should be on the tubular metal stands for shotgun and the wooden block stands for everything else, the wooden block stands are being destroyed by shotgun pellets - **THIS MUST STOP**. The new steel cabinets contain .22 and shotgun plates in the silver one and centre-fire plates in the yellow one. All types of plate can be used for shotgun but **ONLY** those painted **YELLOW** on the back can be used for centre-fire. Whilst on the subject, make sure items are always put away in the correct place (if you don't know, ASK) and if you have some spare time then make up some targets or wooden block stands to replace damaged ones.

SAFETY - SAFETY - SAFETY!

The need to be a safe shooter on the range cannot be over-stressed. The resultant problems for the club if there was ever any kind of incident where someone was injured does not bear contemplating. It is **EVERY** members responsibility to ensure they, and other range users, are safe at all times.

1) Always be aware of where your firearm muzzle is pointing, loaded or not, until they are cleared by the range officer they are assumed to be loaded and should always remain pointing at the sand backstop. When cleared they should be carried, actions open, any magazine should have been removed and they **should be carried muzzle up (LBR and LBP can be also carried muzzle down) SWIFTLY** to the racks so the range can be cleared. The only exception is a .22 rifle which is only clear **AFTER** a breach flag has been inserted.

2) Movement with firearms during a course of fire should be carefully controlled and follow current club guidelines (which all members should know), if in doubt ask.

3) Remember Guns are not dangerous, only the user can be, so remain vigilant and if you see anything you are not happy with bring it to the attention of the range officer or other club official.

Lets keep the sport as safe as it has always been.

RANGE APPEARANCE: There is an ever increasing amount of waste and general rubbish appearing on the range, the club house has much of it together with bits and pieces of discarded packaging, clothes, food items, drinks bottles etc. This is to remind all members that the club is not a refuse disposal outlet,

***IF YOU BRING IT TAKE IT HOME AND
DISPOSE OF IT!!!!***

The range, particularly the clubhouse and garage store is also looking very untidy, please try to replace equipment where it came from and stack things away tidily, we are all there to shoot. not housekeep.