

**PORTSMOUTH & DISTRICT SMALLBORE RIFLE & PISTOL
ASSOCIATION
(NSRA Affiliation N0 4906)**

**MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE MEETING HELD
ON WEDNESDAY 16 MARCH 2016**

The Chairman welcomed those present and opened the meeting at 19:30.

1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE:

J Ring, S Sadler, G Stone

2. IN ATTENDANCE

W Dugan, P Gardner, G Hammond, M Nevatte, P Pearce A Perry, G Scruton, M Taylor,

3. MINUTES OF LAST MEETING

The minutes were read and agreed with no amendments.

4. MATTERS ARISING

a. Air Rifle League

Mark Taylor stated Wickham Club were running an internal 10 metre league and he would try to expand this within the Association. He will report again only if there is any success.

b. SH2 Shooters

The question of SH2 Shooters was brought up at previous meetings and deferred, as the latest NSRA position was unknown. The Association had already taken a decision that SH2 shooters would use smaller targets. The NSRA are contemplating separate leagues which is not feasible for the Association. Item closed.

c. Web Site

Now as up to date as feasible.

5. COMPETITIONS

Rifle Shoulder to Shoulder ended previous night, final results due as soon Stats Officer has all. Next season the entry forms will be sent out earlier to give clubs more chance to find extra support.

It is possible that within a few seasons there may not be enough teams to run two divisions. Should this happen it was suggested that a form of handicap be operated.

Two cards per round had been suggested but was rejected by the majority.

LSR and Air Pistol Shoulder to Shoulder has not taken place as entries were missed from the affiliation form. To gauge if feasible to run StoS next year each discipline to be offered a 5 round postal competition based on StoS rules. Treasurer agreed unhesitatingly to a £nil entry fee. Secretary to circulate member clubs.

6. ANY OTHER BUSINESS.

a. Thanks are recorded to the shooters who took part in the Potter Bailey against Worthing and the Woolgar against Southampton. The Potter Bailey, after two rounds was lost by only two points, The Woolgar was a greater margin.

b. The ladies team has shot the first half of the Old Friends match and are 20 points ahead. The Albion match against Southampton the ladies were 5 points behind after the first round but after the second the combined score they won by 11 points.

7. DATE OF NEXT MEETING.

The date of the next meeting will be 15 June 2016

At this point the Chairman closed the meeting at 20:45.