



Target Rifle Victoria Inc.
PO Box 393
WARRNAMBOOL Vic 3280

10 April 2022

TRV Club Presidents and Secretaries

The TRV Annual Congress Meeting will be held at the Leongatha RSL Sub-Branch, Corner of Smith Street and Michael Place, Leongatha, Victoria , 3953 at 11.00am Sunday 9 July, 2023. Where distance is an issue, there will be the capacity for club representatives to attend the meeting via zoom.

Council Vacancies and EOI

Please find enclosed the Nomination Form for the Council positions of:

President
Secretary
Councillor - 2 vacancies

There is also an extraordinary vacancy for the role of Treasurer for a one-year term.

Expressions of Interest

Are sought for the positions of State Capitan, State Coach, Outdoor Convenor, Indoor Convenor, Trophy Steward, Judging Convenor, Ammunition Steward, Target Steward, Membership Grader, Webmaster and Newsletter Editor, Membership Officer, Grants Officer

Please note that Nominations for the positions on Council are to be with the TRV Secretary at the above address by mail or email (preferred) no later than the 25 May 2023 (45 days).

Notices of Motion for Congress must be with the TRV Secretary by 25 May 2023

Expressions of Interest for Convenor positions should be received by the Secretary by 25th May 2023 but will be determined by the incoming Council.

Clubs are reminded that the Club Affiliation Fee must be paid no later than 30 June 2023 and clubs may EFT to BSB 013755 Acc 451656834

Yours sincerely,

Janey Preston
Secretary on behalf of TRV
Email – secretary@trv.org.au



**Nomination for Election to
TRV Council under rule
31(a)1,2**

TRV Congress: 9 July 2023

I, (name) _____ being a

current financial TRV member (number if known) _____

Nominate (name) _____

a current financial TRV member (number if known) _____

For election to the following position.

Signed _____

I, (name) _____

registered TRV member Number _____

Second the above nomination(s).

Signed _____

I, _____

Accept nomination for election to the above position(s).

I have / have not attached a statement to be circulated to clubs.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Nominations to be delivered to the Secretary not less than forty-five days before the date fixed for the holding of Congress (25 May 2023)

Address to: Secretary, Target Rifle Victoria, **PO Box 393, Warrnambool Vic 3280**
Email: **secretary@trv.org.au**



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10 April 2023

Dear Club Secretary,

Please provide the name of the club delegate and observer who will be attending Congress on 9 July at 11.00am.

You may either post the slip below or simply email me at secretary@trv.org.au

Yours sincerely

Janey Preston
Secretary on behalf of TRV

NOTIFICATION OF CLUB DELEGATE TO CONGRESS 2023

CLUB NAME: _____

DELEGATE: _____

OBSERVER: _____

Please print clearly

Rule 24.(b) A delegate shall not represent more than one club at any Congress or special meetings.



EXPRESSION OF INTEREST for the
POSITIONS

of

- State Captain**
- State Coach**
- Outdoor Convenor**
- Indoor Convenor**
- Trophy Steward**
- Judging Convenor**
- Ammunition Steward**
- Target Steward**
- Webmaster**
- Membership Officer**
- Grants Officer**
- Membership Grader**
- Newsletter Editor**

I _____ am a member of

_____ Club and would like to undertake the

position of _____ for Target Rifle Victoria.

I have the following experience or specific interest related to the position:

Name _____

Signature _____

TARGET RIFLE VICTORIA

NOTICE OF MOTION.

MOVED BY:

MOTION:

Council may also propose a motion but a seconder must come from the floor. This form must be received by the TRV Secretary no later than **25 May 2023** by email secretary@trv.org.au or post at PO Box 393 Warrnambool 3280

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Absentee Vote at Congress

Written proxies from clubs unable to secure a delegate will be accepted for unamended business on notice. [Rule 24(e)]

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Signed

Position Date

Return to Secretary, Target Rifle Victoria, PO Box 393 Warrnambool 3280 or secretary@trv.org.au This form must be received by the TRV Secretary before 16 June, 2023.

Nomination for Life Membership [Ref: Life Membership Policy]

The members of (club) _____

recommend the following member be granted Life Membership of Target Rifle Victoria.

Name of the person being nominated: _____

Registered TRV Number: _____

Nominee's Member Club: _____

We believe this member deserves to be honoured as a life member for the following reasons (attach extra pages if necessary):

Signed _____
(Secretary of nominating Club)

Date _____



Dear Club Secretary

Could you please fill out your Club Details and return to the State Secretary after your Annual General Meeting for 2023

CLUB DETAILS	
Club Name	
Web site	
Club Email Address	
Shooting Day & times	
Club Postal Address	
Suburb	Postcode:
CLUB COMMITTEE, OFFICIALS AND COACHES	
<p>(Please fill in the table below for all club committee members, officials and coaches. TRV's Child Safety Policy requires ALL club committee members, officials (range officers) and coaches to have a valid Working With Children Check with TRV noted on their card)</p>	
President Name	
TRV No:	WWCC No:
Vice President Name	
TRV No:	WWCC No:
Secretary Name	
TRV No:	WWCC No:
Treasurer Name	
TRV No:	WWCC No:



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Club Captain Name	
TRV No:	WWCC No:
Committee Name	
TRV No:	WWCC No:
Committee Name	
TRV No:	WWCC No:
Committee Name	
TRV No:	WWCC No:
Official Name	
TRV No:	WWCC No:
Official Name	
TRV No:	WWCC No:
Official Name	
TRV No:	WWCC No:
Coach Name	
TRV No:	WWCC No
Coach Name	
TRV No:	WWCC No

Thank you for your co-operation

Janey Preston
 Secretary



2023/2024 AFFILIATION AGREEMENT

In consideration of the grant by Target Rifle Victoria (**TRV**) of rights and the benefits of affiliation (including but not limited to voting at meetings of congress, access to TRV funding, access to TRV equipment, advertising of club events and administrative services) we, the Executive of _____ Club (**the Club**) agree that the Club:

- (a) must observe, understand and comply with and agrees to be bound by the constitution, rules and policies of TRV as prescribed and amended from time to time, and any decision made by the Board of TRV or its delegate.
- (b) has and will continue to abide by its membership registration requirements. The Club will pro-actively ensure that each of its individual members are aware of their obligations to TRV, that they are familiar with and abide by the constitution, rules and policies of TRV.
- (c) will ensure that all membership fees due to TRV on behalf of all individual Club Members as and when they fall due are forwarded to TRV.
- (d) agrees to pay its annual club membership fee to TRV prior to the annual TRV congress in each year.
- (e) will comply with and enforce the visitors' protocol set by TRV.
- (f) will apply any funding provided to it by TRV strictly in accordance with any directions of TRV and provide an audited account of the utilisation of any such funds as and when requested by TRV.
- (g) will not lobby or seek to promote to State government bodies or private agencies or authorities any view inconsistent with that of TRV, without first seeking and obtaining the approval of TRV. TRV acknowledges that its approval shall be given in all cases and matters relating solely to the target rifle competitions directly under the control and jurisdiction of the Club.

In signing this Affiliation Agreement on behalf of the Club, we the Executive acknowledge that failing to adhere to the Affiliation Agreement, constitution, rules and policies of TRV as prescribed and amended from time to time, failing to abide by membership registration requirements or the visitors' provision set by TRV, may give rise to disciplinary action against the Club, which could in serious cases include disaffiliation from TRV.

_____ Club President (Name, please print)

_____ Signature

_____ Date

_____ Club Secretary (Name, please print)

_____ Signature

_____ Date

_____ Club Treasurer (Name, please print)

_____ Signature

_____ Date

This form is to be completed and returned to the TRV Secretary at or before annual congress along with the applicable club membership fee.



Target Rifle Victoria
Secretary
Janey Preston
PO Box 393
Warrnambool, 3280..

Invitation to Renew Club Affiliation

Council has set member Club Affiliation for the 2023/2024 year at \$60.00.

Member Club Affiliations must be in the hands of the Secretary by July 3.

- 7 (c) Membership of those Clubs and Members whose fees are unpaid on the first day of the membership year may be suspended. The membership of any Club or member who fails to pay all outstanding fees within thirty days of the commencement of the membership year shall be cancelled.

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Please return this portion with your payment for Affiliation Year 2023-2024

Club Re-affiliation for year 2023-2024 for: (club name)

\$60.00

Please forward payment / remittance advice to address above or EFT to
account 013755 - 451656834



Annual Congress Agenda

To be held at Leongatha RSL, 9th July 2022, 11am

1. PRESENT AND APOLOGIES

As delegates are admitted to the meeting, their name will be ticked off on a master sheet.

2. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF THE PREVIOUS CONGRESS

These can only be moved and seconded by members who were at the 2022 Congress or the zoom meeting.

3. REPORTS – ACCEPTED AS WRITTEN

3.1 Presidents Report- Julie Holcombe

Welcome to Congress 2023.

There has been lots of activity this year and firstly congratulations to those clubs, Shepparton, Oakleigh, Ballarat East, Frankston, MISC and Geelong on securing funding from the round 5 shooting grants from the state Government. TRV also received funding to increase our meyton numbers. Each club is still working through their grant progress and will have much improved facilities and equipment in the near future.

The Commonwealth Games has everyone excited however there is a long way to go to get the exact details of how and where it will be setup and how the legacy back to us will look after the games. Only Air rifle events are scheduled for us and although this is disappointing that we didn't get more events in, it is up to us and Shooting Australia to ensure we showcase our sport and make it the greatest show on earth!!!

There have been numerous meetings and discussions behind the scenes and will be interesting to see how the Government intends to deliver with under 3 years to go. It is a big event to manage with such a short time frame. Most countries get at least a 6 year lead up so the pressure is on.

I will leave Mike to deliver the progress on the State Range but I wish to acknowledge that Mike has been chasing the State Government and its relevant departments now for 11 years to be able to spend our grant to build a state range. It is time consuming and at times very frustrating to not be able to get everyone in agreeance on a suitable location. Mike won't like me saying this but he is pretty exhausted by it all. He desperately wants to see it through but would love to have some help and support from any like minded TRV members who wish to see this happen. Business skills in this area would be gratefully appreciated. It is getting to the point if we cannot get this nailed down soon it may be a case of returning the funding and walking away.

Please reach out if you think you can help.

To date we have had 2 ISSF shooters shoot in international events in Elise Collier and Michael Davis and Marise Maccora, Darren Morgan Scott Kiddle and Annette Rowe are heading to Pilsen next month for the World Rimfire Championships. Congratulations to all of you.



To the matter of Congress, there are vacancies this year for councillors(2), President, Treasurer and Secretary. 3 nominations have been received. None of these for the important and integral part of our council being Treasurer or Secretary.

I need to know from members why no one seems to be willing to help. The current group that we have is the best I have worked with, everyone is on the same page and willing to work. But the gaps are putting stress on those already doing roles and having to fill the void as well. This only succeeds in burning people out and not wanting to continue. So really what I am saying is we need a call to arms to help out. It can be on council, a convenor role, section officer and range officers. If you think you have some time to step up please let us know.

And finally a thank you to everyone that has contributed this year. John Hopkins, Janey Preston, Jim Hocking, Phil Green, Chris Preston (first time as indoor convenor and wondering what he has taken on !!!) Mike Jarrad, Dennis Peacock, Rob Spratt, Ken Hart, Julie-Ann Mills, Neil Davis and everyone else along the way that have helped in any way. Thank you, we cannot function without you all. Good Shooting for the rest of the year and beyond.

3.2 Treasurers Report

Financial report awaiting Auditors report. These will be distributed as soon as received

3.3 Vice Presidents Report – John Hopkins

During the past year I have attended Zoom Meetings with Vic Sport and S R V.

Most of the meetings with Vic Sport were information sessions on Working with Children and the new eleven modules which have been introduced.

Clubs and Association applying for Government grants will have to have a five-million-dollar insurance cover if the money is to be used for programmes for Children.

SRV and DELWP had a Ministerial direction to look for land to accommodate Target Rifle Victoria State facility. Mike Jarrad and I visited the eight locations picked by DELWP.

Unfortunately, most of the land was subjected to flood inundation ,other locations were too far out to allow the displaced Clubs to have a home.

Mike Jarrad has drafted a report with his thoughts and mine, see attached.

Target Rifle Victoria has taken delivery of 23 new Meyton targets ,bullet catches are to be delivered soon.

We also now have a new horse float which we are working on to fit out to accommodate all of the Meyton targets and target frames.

As Janey Preston steps down from the Secretary position I would like to thank her for her service, Janey has done a fantastic job.



TRV Report on Site
Profiles from Govern



3.4 Judging Convenors Report – Dennis Peacock

From a judging viewpoint it has been a quiet year. Since the level one range officials course was changed to an online first stage to be followed by a practical session there have not been enough people complete the online section of the course to warrant the running of a practical session.

The state records policy has been updated and the competitions policy has been reviewed during the past year.

Since the changes to the pennant scoring procedures reviews have been undertaken by the competition convenors of the targets from most clubs across a number of competitions. The scoring has mostly been of a high standard and Council has requested that I hold another session for club scorers to reinforce the process. If there is interest I would like to schedule a level two range official course in the coming year. The level two course is more about understanding the rules of competition as opposed to the level one focus on safety and range standards.

An approach has also been made to Shooting Australia to gain approval from the ISSF to hold a judges training course in Victoria in the new year. They intend to hold an ISSF “B” course in both Rifle and Pistol with a view to providing qualified officials for the 2026 Commonwealth Games. A pre-requisite to participate is to be the holder of a level two range official qualification.

3.5 Outdoor Convenors Report

During the last year, there has been no-one in the position of Outdoor Convenor.

Neil Davis agreed to organise the two State Championships.

We are still looking for someone to take on this role.

State Championships 2022 Part 2, were held at Warrnambool on 25th and 26th of June and included 20m and 90m Dual Range Prone and Bench and Champion of Champions.

Congratulations to

Darcie George	90m Bench
Chris Karamoshos	20m Bench
Colin Nunn	Two Match Bench Aggregate
Courtney Karamoshos	90m Prone
Ben Holko	20m Prone
Robert Howell	Two Match Prone Aggregate

State Championships 2023 Part 1, were held at MISC on 26th of February and included 3P, Air, 50m Prone and 50m Bench)

Congratulations to

James Daly	50m prone
Olivia Cartwright	10m Air Rifle Standing
Natalie Smith	10m Air Rifle Standing SH1
Annette Rowe	TRV RBA 25m Air
David Garrett	TRV RBA 50m Bench
Scott Kiddle	TRV 50m Bench
Brian Kent-Hughes	Air Supported (Decimal)

TRV would like to express their thanks to all who helped make these successful events.



3.6 Indoor Convenors Report – Chris Preston

Since taking over as indoor convenor, I have a new appreciation of the job that Julie Holcombe has done in the past. This is a role that is much more involved than I realised it would be and at times has been quite frustrating. Once I settled into what was required it has been more manageable.

In the last 12 months we completed prone and benchrest pennants at 20 and 50 metres. We adopted a new system of recording results and things seemed to go smoothly with clubs having designated scorers.

We also completed pennants in air standing and supported air. Numbers were down in these with only 6 teams in the 10m air standing and 5 teams in the air supported. Congratulations to MISC who won both the Air standing and supported air pennants

The 50m bench pennant started on 19th of September 2022. There were 21 clubs with 32 teams and 165 competitors spanning 5 sections. Some clubs were impacted by storms, which interrupted shooting at a few ranges. We worked through this and completed the pennant satisfactorily. Thanks go to Rob Spratt who took on the role of section officer for all sections.

Prone 50m pennant had 16 teams over 3 sections, 20m bench had 36 teams over 6 sections and 20m prone had 24 teams over 4 sections

Entries for 20m state postals and Captains 1500 were quite good, although not as good for the Presidents 1200.

We again conducted the Albert Harbert junior, NZ Goodwill Cup, the new, Lilydale Shield and the Commonwealth Ladies Competition. Entries were very limited in these and we will need to think about how we can attract more competitors next year.

Thanks go to the Hart family for their generous donation of the Lilydale Shield, which commemorates the Lilydale club.

Two state championships were held. One at the Warrnambool / Lake Gilleard range and the other at MISC. Both of these were well supported, and thanks go to Neil Davis for his work in organising these.

Unfortunately, we still have a problem with members being listed in pennant teams when they are yet to pay their members renewals. This causes a problem as the computer program will not recognise them. I cannot stress how important it is to ensure that all team members are financial and to carefully watch for the closing date as some members and clubs missed out.

This may have been impacted by the change of date to the membership year and hopefully this will not be a problem in the future.

4. ELECTION OF OFFICE BEARERS

The following nominations for Council have been received:

Position	Person Nominated	Nominator	Secunder
President	Julie Holcombe	Janey Preston	Chris Preston
Secretary	No nomination received		
Councillor	Janey Preston	Julie Holcombe	Chris Preston
Councillor	Paul Allinson	Neil Davis	Dennis Peacock

At the close of nominations, no nomination for secretary had been received. Nominations will be called for from the floor.

There also remains a casual one-year vacancy for the position of Treasurer

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5. AFFILIATIONS

Affiliate with TRA	Moved:	Seconded:	Carried:
Affiliate with Vic Sport	Moved:	Seconded:	Carried:

6. HONORARIUMS

Honorariums be paid to the below positions if they have served a full term at the rates approved at the 2021 Congress and include Councillors at the below rates;

President \$600	Vice President \$600
Secretary \$1000	Treasurer \$1000
Conveners x 3 \$264	Councillors x 3 \$264
Stewards x 2 \$264	Web Master \$264
Membership Grader \$264	Newsletter Editor \$264
Grants Officer \$1000	Membership Officer \$264

Moved:	Seconded:	Carried:
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7. LIFE MEMBER ASSESMENT COMMITTEE

7.1 Elect New Life Member Committee unless existing members are happy to continue, as per 2022

The current members of the Life Membership Assessment Committee, Graeme Forbes, Robert Spratt and Mike Jarrad, have agreed to continue.

There were no nominations for Life membership

8. EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST – TO BE CONFIRMED AT FIRST COUNCIL MEETING

The following expressions of interest have been received

Target Steward – Robert Spratt

Ammunition Steward– Julie Holcombe

Judging Convenor – Dennis Peacock

Membership Officer – Richard Manzin

Indoor Convenor – Chris Preston

9. MOTIONS ON NOTICE

The following Motion on Notice was received by the closing date

MOVED BY: Frankston Peninsula Target Rifle Club



MOTION: “that the competitions policy be updated to include electronic targets for all events where TRV Consecutive pre-numbered targets are used or TRA / WRABF is listed as the target type”

BACKGROUND: with many clubs using electronic targets or wiring up to be able to use Meytons, it would a progressive move to update the competitions policy to reflect the change in technology and allow clubs to it. This would (over time) also reduce the burden of managing and distributing paper targets.