



UPPINGHAM VETERANS RIFLE CLUB

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Uppingham Veterans Rifle Club Executive Committee (2014/2015)

PRESIDENT: D Mathieson

PAST PRESIDENTS:

J S Knox (1976-78)

H G T P Doyne-Ditmas CB (1979-81)

C W Brown (1982-84)

C T S Belk (SC) (1985-87)

K C Meldrum CB (1988-90)

Dr R Pizer (1991-93)

S J Pattinson (1994-96)

T R C Adams (1997-99)

J C B Humphrey (2000-02)

S Belither (GC2, SM) (2003-05)

P N Hinchliffe (2006-08)

S A Merton Jones (2009-11)

J G M Webster (2011-14)

CAPTAIN: Jon Hull

HON SECRETARY (& SCHOOL LIAISON):

H Ives

HON TREASURER:

(& Report Editor) J A Watson

FIREARMS SECRETARY:

B E Bullard

UNDER 25 CAPTAIN:

Harriett Walker

ELECTED MEMBERS:

C J Watson

Emma Cannings

SCHOOL STAFF:

Kevin Gladding (Master-in-charge)

Graham Scott (RSM)

HON ACCOUNTANT:

J Mumby

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Review of 2014 by Jonathan Hull

The Club had a good showing at the annual match against the school early in the year. A full report of the match appears later in the report.

Schools meeting

The school were able to field a full team for the Ashburton. The team's scores are shown below.

	300x	500x	600x	Total
Riddle H	31.1	34.3	29.1	94.05
Abraham A	29.2	30.1	32.3	91.06
Crane G	31.0	30.1	28.0	89.07
Masson A	28.0	28.0	30.0	86.00
Stroude T	29.0	29.1	25.0	83.01
Howard-Vyse	27.1	24.0	31.2	82.03
De Wet L	24.1	27.1	26.0	77.02
Lithgow H	24.0	26.0	19.0	69.00
Total	223.05	228.07	220.06	671.19

The school were placed 21st out of 38 schools shooting. Top of the pile was Wellington College with a score of 755.42

So, I take up the dialogue (and the UVRC captaincy) from Gaz from the date of the Veteran's match in July. Gaz had assured me that the match ran itself and sure enough it more or less did, with some extremely valuable help from Henry Ives. We had enough shooters to enter 3 full teams of five with one shooting reserve. The A team did not quite match its usual performance and finished in a disappointing 7th place. The B and C teams came 8th and 6th respectively in their groups but everyone enjoyed the fine evening sunshine and the way the experienced shooters supported the OU 'visitors' was good to see.

Detailed results of the Veteran's match are as follows:

A team		B team		C team	
GE Morris	50.6	JB Hull	50.4	D Mathieson	50.5
CJ Watson	49.8	CTS Belk	48.6	JE Dickson	48.6
TA Ringer	49.8	H Walker	47.5	P Mayne	48.4
JA Watson	48.6	B Bullard	46.4	M Horrell	46.2
S Belither	48.6	SJ Pattinson	46.2	JCB Humphrey	42.0
	244.34		237.22		234.17
Placed 7th of 47		Placed 8th of 28		Placed 6th of 21	
Trouble shooters A	248.34	Old Epsomians B	247.34	Old Guildfordians C	241.24

Reserve: P Taylor 44.2

In The Lucas, which is the aggregate of the Ashburton and the Veterans A Team scores, Uppingham came 8th.

The Donegall Badge was awarded to **Jo Dickson** (nee Harris) and the Pattinson Trophy was won by **David Mathieson**.

The TR Meeting was good for UVRC members across the board. Of the various UVRC teams entering aggregate matches, the only top ten place was 3rd in the Marlingham, but a number of individuals did very well. In the Grand Aggregate we had four in the top 100 (**Ant Ringer** 19th, **Simon Belither** 37th, **James Watson** 71st, **Jonathan Hull** 88th) and nine in the top 200. In the final stages of the big competitions we were represented in the St George's Challenge Vase by **Simon**

Osmond (22nd), **Ant Ringer** (42nd) and **Chris Belk** (61st); in the HM Queens Final we had **Ant Ringer** (11th), **Simon Osmond** (31st) and **Simon Belither** (33rd).

Other notable OU individual results included:

Simon Osmond: 1st in the Donegall, 7th in the Conan Doyle,
Ant Ringer: 1st in the Queens 1st stage, 3rd in the Alexandra and the Wimbledon, 5th in the Donegall, 8th in the British Open TR Championship,
Gaz Morris: 3rd in the Lovell, 2nd in the Saturday Aggregate,
Simon Belither: 3rd in the Corporation,
James Watson: 1st in the Volunteer Force, 2nd in the Telegraph,
Chris Watson: 4th in the Telegraph,
Chris Belk: 3rd in the Queens Consolation.
John Webster: 5th in the 500 yard Aggregate.
James & Chris Watson: 5th in the Families.

In the major competitions, OUs were placed as follows:

	Grand Aggregate	HM the Queen's Prize	St George's Vase
Ant Ringer	19th	11th	42nd
Simon Belither	37th	33rd	
James Watson	71st		
Jonathan Hull	88th		
Chris Watson	101st		
Chris Belk	114th		61st
Simon Osmond	148th	31st	22nd
Gaz Morris	160th		
John Webster	172nd		

The club championship was won by **Ant Ringer** (pictured here) as the only OU to have completed all 6 elements.



International matches involving OUs included the National (**Ant Ringer**, **Simon Osmond** – England (captained by **Nick Hinchliffe** with **John Webster** as a target coach); **Chris Watson***, **Gaz Morris** - Wales), the MacKinnon (**Ant Ringer***- England), and The Kolapore (**Ant Ringer*** - GB) (* top score). After the meeting, **Chris Watson** and **Gaz Morris** went off to Glasgow to represent Wales in the Commonwealth Games, where they were placed a very respectable 7th in the pairs and 13th and 14th respectively in the individuals. Quite something to have the entire Welsh full-bore team made up of OUs!



The following OU shooters obtained HPSs during the meeting:

Ant Ringer 10, **James Watson** 6, **Chris Watson** 5, **Simon Osmond** 5, **Gaz Morris** 4, **Simon Belither** 4, **Jonathan Hull** 2, **Chris Belk** 2, **John Webster** 2, **Harriet Walker** 2, **Emma Cannings** 1.



Looking forward to 2015, many congratulations to **James** and **Chris Watson** who have been selected for the GB Palma Team competing in the World Championships at Camp Perry, Ohio in August. The very best of luck to them both.

Left: A happy **Ant Ringer** and **Simon Osmond** at prize giving pictured with the Donegall trophy which **Simon** won

Hall of Fame

The table below details the past records of HPS recorded by Club members in the Imperial Meeting over the last years.

	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	Total
J Watson	4	5	3	4	2	3	3	9	8	11	8	14	10	6	90
A Ringer	13	8	7	5	3	5	4	1	6	1	7	5	6	10	81
G Morris	3	6	5	4	1	2	5	-	3	9	9	15	13	4	79
C Watson	1	1	2	3	3	6	4	5	3	6	9	7	4	5	59
S Belither	11	7	6	3	7	3	3	-	2	1	4	5	3	4	59
J Webster	5	10	6	-	2	3	3	3	3	4	8	2	2	2	53
C Belk	5	3	3	2	3	-	2	-	-	8	5	8	2	2	43
A Williams	4	1	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	4	1	-	-	-	15
S Osmond	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2	5	5	15
J Hull	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	5	1	2	11
A Grounds	1	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	3	-	-	-	9
RE Clarke	-	2	-	-	-	-	2	1	-	-	2	-	-	-	7
S Pattinson	2	-	-	-	-	3	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	7
I Stevenson	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	5	-	-	-	-	-	6
B Bullard	-	-	-	-	1	1	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6
N Hinchliffe	1	-	-	1	2	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5
N Harvey	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
A Scattergood	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3
JE Dickson (Harris)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	2
J Dorrington Ward	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	2
S Merton-Jones	-	-	-	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
A Lakhani	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	2
F Hinson	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	2
H Walker	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	2
A Fyfe	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
E Cannings	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Total	50	53	32	24	24	27	33	25	37	44	62	65	46	43	565

UVRC vs. The School – Smallbore Match

Report by Harriet Walker



The UVRC match day against the school is always a very important fixture in everyone's calendar, with the excellent dinner in the Kendal Room ranking a close second to the match itself! It was great to see so many OUs back for the friendly match once again, though we were sorry not to see Simon Pattinson and his wife Jeanie at the school this year, but we wish them all the best and hope to see them at Bisley in the summer.

Once more the veterans had a successful day, but the school team put up a very good fight, losing by only 9 points overall against a team which includes international and commonwealth games medallists.

The School Team, led by Aaron Abraham, included a number of new members who have shot well this year. Particular mention goes to Anna, who as a 4th former at present looks to have a very promising future in shooting.

Thanks go to Aaron, who as the captain made it a particularly enjoyable afternoon, and of course to Kevin Gladding, without whom none of this would be possible. This year the school is pleased to welcome Rupert Clarke who with his experience in the RAF will help to train the team, and to welcome back David Mathieson who has agreed to help prepare the team for Bisley in the summer.

School		UVRC	
A. Lithgow	96	C. Watson	98
E. So	95	H. Walker	97
R. Clarke	95	H. Ives	97
A. Abraham	94	J. Watson	96
R. Raeburn	94	B. Bullard	95
Total	474	Total	483

The headmaster joined us for drinks prior to dinner in the Kendall room and a good evening was had by all.



The Veterans Match

Those who have shot in the Veterans Match for Uppingham since 1998. Shading denotes A Team.

					Shading denotes A team									
		1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Stevenson I												50 8		50 4
Morris GE			49 8			50 4		49 4	49 4	50 5	50 5	48 2	49 2	50 5
Ringer TA		50 7	50 9	49 7	49 8	50 6	50 6	49 6	50 6	50 8	50 8	49 6	50 7	46 5
Watson JA		50 9	49 9	50 7	50 6	49 8	50 6	49 7	49 4	50 9	50 8	50 6	50 7	49 6
Webster JGM		50 5	49 5	49 5	49 5	49 8	50 4		49 6	50 6	48 4	50 7	50 7	50 4
Hull J														49 7
Lakhani A														49 7
Watson CJ		48 4	50 7	49 7	49 6	48 4	49 7	49 7	46 2	48 3	49 7	50 2	50 8	49 5
Scattergood A						50 8	50 4	48 5		49 8	47 4			
Belither S		49 6	50 4	49 7	49 5	49 5	50 7	49 6	49 6		47 4			49 7
Belk CTS			49 6	46 4		50 5	49 7	48 4	49 6		50 8	49 5		47 6
Williams AA		49 4	48 5	50 8	47 3	48 5			47 4	49 5	49 8	50 9	49 4	48 7
Harvey NE		50 7							47 4					
Adams TRC		50 6	48 6	49 5	46 3		50 5	47 4						
Pattinson SJ		50 6	48 6	48 5	47 3	50 4		47 3	46 2	46 3	46 3	48 5		50 3
Mathieson D		50 6	48 6		47 5	44 2	48 4	46 4	50 6	50 3	48 5	47 6		46 5
Hinchliffe PN		49 5	48 5		40 3	50 4	49 5	49 3	49 9	48 4	48 5			
Bullard B						48 5	46 3	42 3	48 3	49 7	49 6	47 4		50 8
Ives H												50 5		46 4
Grounds ADE		44 2	49 4	49 6	47 5	50 6	47 6	46 6						
Yates B									48 6	49 7	48 3	46 3		
Clarke RE							46 4	48 5	49 4	47 4				47 5
Hinson F									47 4	46 5	47 5	49 5		
Cannings EJ		48 4	44 1			44 3					49 9	49 6		
Catchpole G														49 5
Clark ASJ		46 3	47 0	48 5										
Fyfe A						49 4	45 1			47 4				
Walker H														
Kelsey CP		46 7	49 6	46 4	45 2	48 4	44 2			47 3	50 6			
Merton Jones SA		48 3	46 2		44 0		48 2	45 3	47 5	49 6	44 3	47 2		
Symington DI					45 3			48 4						
Brown CW		45 1		48 3	46 3	46 3	45 1	47 4	47 4		46 1	47 1		44 4
Dorrington-Ward J								44 1	48 5	49 7		45 3		
Bramwell R												46 3		
Griffiths N												46 2		
Horrell M														
Dickson JE											47 4	44 1		45 2
Humphrey JCB		43 2	48 3	47 3	48 3	47 3	45 3	43 1	42 0	46 1	49 5	47 4	43 2	47 1
Mayne P												41 1		44 3
Pizer R		45 3	48 6	45 3	45 2	45 3	45 3		45 1	45 1	46 4	43 1		
Haywood G												45 2		
Taylor P														
Clarke LMH			42 0			47 2								
Fry W							43 1	46 4						
Wertheimer JS			43 2				43 2							
Hayne P														
Callingham W											43 2			
Royle JAC				44 2			41 1							
Hinson B						44 2			38 1	40 0	44 1			42 4
Doyne-Ditmas HG			40 1			45 1		41 2						
Alliston N									42 2					
Williams CC			39 2	43 2		45 4	43 0	42 0	40 2	40 1				
Asplin G														39 2
Reffell MC														39 3
Witt R														39 1
Prideau A						36 0			33 0					
Shooters		20	23	17	17	25	23	22	25	22	24	25	7	25

Shading denotes A team									
	2011	2012	2013	2014	# scores	Avg. Score	Max	Min	
Stevenson I					2	50.00	50	50	
Morris GE	50 8	50 8	50 6	50 6	13	49.54	50	48	
Ringer TA	50 6	50 8	50 9	49 8	17	49.47	50	46	
Watson JA	50 6	49 5	48 7	48 6	17	49.41	50	48	
Webster JGM	50 7	50 6	48 2		15	49.40	50	48	
Hull J	48 5	48 5	50 5	50 4	5	49.00	50	48	
Lakhani A		49 6			2	49.00	49	49	
Watson CJ	49 6	50 6	50 8	49 8	17	48.94	50	46	
Scattergood A					5	48.80	50	47	
Belither S	48 2	46 5	50 9	48 6	14	48.71	50	46	
Belk CTS	48 1	49 6	49 7	48 6	13	48.54	50	46	
Williams AA	48 5				12	48.50	50	47	
Harvey NE					2	48.50	50	47	
Adams TRC					6	48.33	50	46	
Pattinson SJ	50 7	47 3	50 7	46 2	15	47.93	50	46	
Mathieson D	48 4			50 5	13	47.85	50	44	
Hinchliffe PN					9	47.78	50	40	
Bullard B	48 3	49 7	50 9	46 4	12	47.67	50	42	
Ives H	45 1	49 3			4	47.50	50	45	
Grounds ADE					7	47.43	50	44	
Yates B	46 2				5	47.40	49	46	
Clarke RE					5	47.40	49	46	
Hinson F					4	47.25	49	46	
Cannings EJ		50 3	46 2		7	47.14	50	44	
Catchpole G	46 3		46 2		3	47.00	49	46	
Clark ASJ					3	47.00	48	46	
Fyfe A					3	47.00	49	45	
Walker H				47 5	1	47.00	47	47	
Kelsey CP					8	46.88	50	44	
Merton Jones SA					9	46.44	49	44	
Symington DI			46 5		3	46.33	48	45	
Brown CW					10	46.10	48	44	
Dorrington-Ward J		44 4			5	46.00	49	44	
Bramwell R					1	46.00	46	46	
Griffiths N					1	46.00	46	46	
Horrell M				46 2	1	46.00	46	46	
Dickson JE	46 2	48 4	41 2	48 6	7	45.57	48	41	
Humphrey JCB	44 2		43 0	42 0	16	45.25	49	42	
Mayne P			48 3	48 4	4	45.25	48	41	
Pizer R					10	45.20	48	43	
Haywood G					1	45.00	45	45	
Taylor P			45 3	44 2	2	44.50	45	44	
Clarke LMH					2	44.50	47	42	
Fry W					2	44.50	46	43	
Wertheimer JS					2	43.00	43	43	
Hayne P	43 2				1	43.00	43	43	
Callingham W					1	43.00	43	43	
Royle JAC					2	42.50	44	41	
Hinson B	44 4				6	42.00	44	38	
Doyne-Ditmas HG					3	42.00	45	40	
Alliston N					1	42.00	42	42	
Williams CC					7	41.71	45	39	
Asplin G					1	39.00	39	39	
Reffell MC					1	39.00	39	39	
Witt R					1	39.00	39	39	
Prideau A					2	34.50	36	33	
Shooters	19	15	17	16					

UVRC Accounts for the year ended 31 December 2014

Income and Expenditure Account

		Notes	2014	2013
			£	£
Income	Subscriptions		933	743
	Donations		103	118
	Club BBQ		555	435
	Club ties		30	-
	Refund of NRA entry fees		57	-
	National Savings interest		101	100
			<u>1,779</u>	<u>1,396</u>
Expenditure	Bisley entry fees		535	466
	Refund of Bisley entry fees to eligible members		147	-
	NRA Affiliation fee (includes insurance)		488	342
	Club BBQ & room hire		348	377
	Cost of ties sold in year		17	-
	President's tankards presented		25	25
	Printing of club report	1	-	-
	Rifle service		45	-
	Home Office approval		14	14
			<u>1,619</u>	<u>1,224</u>
Surplus of Income over Expenditure			<u>160</u>	<u>172</u>

Balance Sheet

			2014	2013
			£	£
Assets	Rifles (3 at £1 nominal value)		3	3
	Stock of club ties at cost (26)		145	162
	Stock of President's Tankards		-	25
	Club trophy		12	12
	Debtor: Uppingham School re BBQ	2	210	-
	Prepaid NRA affiliation, insurance and HOA	3	116	127
	Cash at bank		990	1,088
	National Savings Investment Account		13,554	13,453
			<u>15,030</u>	<u>14,870</u>
Creditors	Sundry creditors		-	-
Net Assets			<u>15,030</u>	<u>14,870</u>
Accumulated Reserve	Balance as at 1st January 2014		14,870	14,698
	Surplus of Income over Expenditure for year		160	172
	Balance as at 31st December 2014		<u>15,030</u>	<u>14,870</u>

We approve the above accounts and confirm that we have made available all relevant records and information necessary for their preparation

Chairman:

Hon. Treasurer:

Approved on:

Accountant's Report

In accordance with instructions given to me, I have reviewed, without carrying out an audit, the balance sheet and foregoing statement of income and expenditure for the year ended 31 December 2014 prepared from the accounting records maintained by the Treasurer and certify that they are in accordance therewith.

J A D Mumby FCA

25 May 2015

Annual General Meeting, 2014

Minutes of the Annual General Meeting of the Uppingham Veterans Rifle Club Held At The Old Sergeants' Mess, Bisley Camp On 10th July at 9.30pm

Present:

JGM Webster (President), JA Watson (Hon. Treasurer), GE Morris (Captain), H Ives (Secretary), D Mathieson (FAC Officer), H Walker (Under 25s Captain), C Watson (Elected Member), EJ Cannings (Elected Member), B Bullard (Elected Member), J Hull (Captain)
K Gladding (Shooting Master), J Dickson, M Horrel, C Howe (CCF Contingent Commander), G Scott (School RSM), J Humphrey, Rupert Clarke (Assistant Shooting Master), Chris Belk, Phil Taylor, S Pattinson, S Merton – Jones, S Belither, PN Hinchliffe, P Mayne, A Ringer.

Apologies:

N Royle, AA Williams, W Cazalet, J Szemerey, K Swinfen, S Osmond, R Kenward, S Kemp, C Jewitt, H Wade, R Boston, G Catchpole, B Buckell (Hinson), F Hinson, R Winter, A Lakhani

1. MINUTES OF THE LAST AGM

The minutes were proposed by S Belither, seconded by E Cannings.

2. TREASURER'S REPORT

The Treasurer reported that the accounts were in good shape, with a small profit. J Webster asked if there were any questions for the treasurer, none were asked. Donations were received by: Whittington, P Mayne x 2, S Osmond x 2, H Wade, J Humphrey.

A vote of thanks was passed to those individuals, and to the Hon Treasurer J Watson. The Accounts were proposed for adoption by J Humphrey and seconded by P Mayne.

3. CLUB REPORT

J Webster passed his congratulations to all shooters over the last year, but especially to C Watson and G Morris, and wished them the best of luck in the Commonwealth Games. J Webster also pointed out that since the conception of the Commonwealth games, there has only ever been 1 games to not have a member of the Uppingham Veterans competing for any of the nations.

K Gladding gave a verbal report of the school's efforts over this year. The school currently has 5 under 16s in the team. Success includes victory in Division 2 of this year's Northants/Rutland/Leicester .22 postal. The school posted a score of 671.24 in this year's Ashburton. K Gladding pointed out that Oundle School were due thanks for the use of their outdoor range. J Webster proposed his thanks to Oundle School on behalf of the Uppingham Veterans.

4. MATCH AGAINST THE SCHOOL

J Webster proposed that the match against the school be held in early March, on 7th March. All family are welcome to the event, which will include lunch, and dinner in the Kendal Room. This year's event was very well attended. Next year's Committee Meeting will be held on the morning of the 7th in the OSR at 11am.

5. LAPSED MEMBERS

After 3 years of non – payment of subscriptions it is proposed that the following be struck off: F Hinson, R Bramwell, James Lee. It is believed F Hinson is willing to stay in the club.

6. ELECTION OF OFFICERS 2014 – 15

D Mathieson proposed the election of a new FAC Officer, Ben Bullard. Seconded by J Webster.

J Webster proposed that before the election of a new President, the current members of the committee are re-elected en-bloc. Proposed by S Merton – Jones, seconded by S Belither.

J Webster proposed that D Mathieson become the next Club President. Seconded by A Ringer.

7. AWARDS

This year's awards were presented by John Webster, the Watson Rose Bowl was presented by JA Watson and the Pattinson Trophy by John Webster:

President's Tankard:	Aaron Abraham
Donegall Badge	Jo Dickson
Club Championship Trophy	Gaz Morris
Watson Rose Bowl	Alistair Masson
Simon Pattinson Trophy	Dave Mathieson
Ferrend Cup	Oliver Howard-Vyse

8. ANY OTHER BUSINESS

There was no further business and the meeting closed at 9.52pm

Special Notice – Peter Warren

It is with great sorrow that we have to report the death of Peter Warren. Peter was the RSM at Uppingham school from 1989 until 2006 and played an instrumental role in the shooting team and activities at the school. We hope to include an obituary in the next report.

General Notices

PAST UVRC REPORTS

The editor has scanned all the club reports from previous years onto a CD in PDF format. If there are any photos or other memorabilia that members think would be good to include, you can send them to James Watson. The CD is available now. If you would like a copy please contact James. The CD will include a copy of individual scores from all the Veterans matches, there are some detailed results missing from certain years. If anyone has results for 1981, 1985, 1987, 1988, 1989, 2009 or the C team results from 1975 please could they make them available for inclusion?

All previous reports are available as a single indexed PDF file. Anyone interested in obtaining a copy should contact James Watson (07787 154 671 or james@watsonhome.co.uk)

MISCELLANY

Four-year honorary members, and members still in full-time education, should note that, if they wish to shoot in the Bisley Meeting, the Club will help by paying half their entry fees to all competitions in the Club Championship.

The Club has a number of excellent 7.62mm rifles available for members to borrow. It is suggested that those who do so, and who can afford it, make an appropriate donation to Club funds. The rifles are normally kept in the NRA Armoury at Bisley, and members wishing to borrow them will need to obtain a permit from the Hon Secretary to produce at the Armoury.

Club ties are available from the Hon Treasurer. The ties are in the OU colours, with 6mm red and green stripes on 30mm pale blue stripes and cost £10.00.

ENCOURAGEMENT OF YOUTH

As we are all aware, the club will only continue to exist if we are successful in encouraging the school leavers to join and continue shooting. The committee has taken the decision to pursue this with the introduction of training weekends where those who are still honorary 4 year members are subsidised. The generous donation by Simon Wall a few years ago has enabled this as we are able to spend the interest earned on the capital sum without reducing the capital itself. These weekends are a good opportunity to come out and shoot with the club as well as passing on experience to the younger members. If you are interested and are not on email, please let the Club Secretary know so you can be informed of upcoming dates.

THE 2015 BISLEY MEETING

The 2014 meeting will be held in the first two full weeks of July. The Match Rifle weekend commences 4th July and members should note that the Veterans match will be on Thursday 9th July and the Queen's Final on the 18th July.

THIS REPORT

As agreed at the AGM, this report will in future be distributed by email. If you wish to receive a paper copy, please let the Hon Secretary know. It would greatly help the club if members could choose to receive an electronic copy and provide us with an email address to communicate with you and keep costs down.

Dates for 2014/15

OU AND UPPINGHAM DINNER

This year's report has been published too late to give notice of the OU dinner however the date appears now to be in March rather than the traditional February. Please keep your eyes open for OU announcements from the OU Association and if interested in attending, do ask if there is a UVRC table.

Please contact the OU Office for further information on 01572 820 616.

UVRC vs. UPPINGHAM SCHOOL MATCH

Following successful OU and School Shoot at Uppingham we will be planning a repeat. The date will be proposed at the AGM and checked with the school. Please contact Henry Ives or James Watson to book your place.

Executive Committee Meeting – 1st June in London, time and venue to be confirmed

Purples Match. Not entered this year.

Ashburton and Veterans Match. Thursday 9th July at Bisley. The final range of the Ashburton (500 yards) will be shot in the afternoon so if any veterans want to come along and support, they would be very welcome. The Veterans will begin at the usual time of around 5 pm.

AGM. To be held after the Veterans match at Bisley, at the Old Sergeants' Mess Clubhouse.

Club Barbecue. The AGM will be followed by a Club Barbecue/Dinner.

COMPETITIONS DURING THE IMPERIAL MEETING

UVRC teams are entered in the following competitions during the NRA Imperial Meeting at Bisley each year:

The **Public School Veterans** - open to any number of teams of five former pupils. One team must be nominated as the A team; the team making the highest score of the remainder shall be the B team and eligible to win the **Dulwich** Challenge Cup for the best second team; the next shall be the C team and eligible to win the **Whitgift** Challenge Cup for the best third team. Two convertible sighting shots and ten to count at 500 yards. Five or more UVRC teams will be entered.

The **Public Schools Veterans Aggregate** - awarded to the School whose A, B and C teams together make the highest aggregate.

The **Public Schools Veterans Individual Tankard** - open to any number of representatives from each school and awarded to the person who makes the highest score in the Veterans. Entries to be made by individuals on the range.

The **Lucas** - awarded to the School whose Veterans A team and Ashburton team together make the highest aggregate score.

The **Marlingham Trophy** - open to any number of teams of five former or present pupils shooting the NRA Grand Aggregate of the current year.

The **Belgian, Steward, Rifle Clubs** and the **Bank of England** - open to teams from clubs affiliated to the NRA, and shot concurrently with individual events in the Imperial meeting.

In recent years, the Club has entered teams in the **Opening Shot**, the **Parting Shot** as well as representing the County in the **Astor**. If anyone is interested in shooting any of these competitions, please notify the Club Captain.

Principal Competitions At Bisley Won By Uppingham And Old Uppinghamians

Competition	Year(s)	Winner
Her Majesty the Queen's Prize	1992,97,2001	TA Ringer
2 nd Place (Silver Badge) HM Queen's Prize	1969	KC Meldrum
	1975	JS Spaight
	1986	PN Hinchliffe
	1993	TA Ringer
The 'Grand Aggregate'	1954	JA Slocock
	1973,75,76,78	JS Spaight
	1987	NC Crawshaw
	1988,89	S Belither
	2008 (F Class RG)	PN Hinchliffe
The 'St George's Challenge Vase'	1965	JS Spaight
	1967	SJ Pattinson
	1974	CTS Belk
	1982	S Belither
	1990,91	TA Ringer
The 'Admiral Hutton'	1994	S Belither
	2003	A Ringer
	2008 (F Class RG)	PN Hinchliffe
The 'Aiden Reece Aggregate'	2012, 13	GE Morris
The 'Alexandra'	1978	JS Spaight
	1985, 2006	S Belither
	2007, 08 (F Class RG)	PN Hinchliffe
The 'All Comers Aggregate'	1973	JS Spaight
	1983	S Belither
	1985	NC Crawshaw
	2010	GE Morris
The 'Anglo-American Small Arms Aggregate'	2000	JGM Webster
The 'Anstey'	1996	Uppingham
The 'Ashburton'	1957,69,76,78,81,82,95,	Uppingham
	2001	
The 'Ashburton Supporters'	1959	UVRC
The Baldwin Aggregate	2013	GE Morris
The 'Bank of England'	1997	UVRC
The 'Barker Shoes Aggregate'	1985,88	S Belither
The 'Barlow'	2010	JGM Webster
The 'Belgian'	1995,97,99	UVRC
The 'Bermuda Cup'	2010	Uppingham
The Berryman Aggregate	2010	GE Morris
	2012	JA Watson
The 'Bisley Centenary Aggregate'	1997	TA Ringer
The 'British Open Target Rifle Championship'	2001	TA Ringer
The 'BUSF Championship'	1985	NC Crawshaw
The 'Cadets'	1898	Uppingham
The 'Cadet Pairs'	1972,75,82	Uppingham
The 'Cadet Fours'	1982,2002, 2010	Uppingham
The 'Cadets Pistol'	1978	NC Crawshaw
The 'Cadet's Rifle Aggregate'	1983	TA Ringer
	1986	JD Lee
The 'Century'	1989	S Belither
	2004	C Belk
	2010	AA Williams

The Century Range Aggregate	2013	GE Morris
The 'Champion of Champions'	2001	TA Ringer
The 'Cheltenham Cup'	2001,02	Uppingham
The 'Clementi Smith Aggregate'	1976	JS Spaight
	1985,2001	S Belither
	2006	TA Ringer
	2013	GE Morris
The 'Conan Doyle'	1976	CTS Belk
	2005	JA Watson
The 'Conway Fenton Memorial Cup'	1980	NC Crawshaw
The 'Corporation'	1983	RJS Curtis
	2007, 08 (F Class RG)	PN Hinchliffe
The 'Cottesloe'	1962	S J Pattinson
	1979	R Pizer
The 'Country Life'	1956,57,76,81,95,2001	Uppingham
The 'Daily Mail'	1987	TA Ringer
The 'Daily Telegraph'	1982	SJ Pattinson
	2001	S Belither
	2013	GE Morris
The 'Devon'	1968,75,77,81,86,97	Uppingham
The 'Donaldson Aggregate'	1990,2000	S Belither
	2002	TA Ringer
	2012	GE Morris
The 'Donegall'	1962	S J Pattinson
	1985	S Belither
	2007 (F Class RG)	PN Hinchliffe
	2009	TA Ringer
	2014	SJV Osmond
The 'Duke of Cambridge'	1975, 2002	C T S Belk
	1976	JS Spaight
	1990	TA Ringer
	2004	S Belither
	2009	AA Williams
The 'Dulwich Challenge Cup'	1956,60,72,74,78,84,92, 2003, 2010	UVRC B Team
	2005	UVRC C Team
The 'Edge'	1962	SJ Pattinson
The 'Elkington Aggregate'	1954	JA Slocock
	1975,76	JS Spaight
	1988	S Belither
The 'English XX Club Championship'	1973	JS Spaight
	1984	S Belither
	1985	NC Crawshaw
The 'Families'	1976	Mr and Mrs* T Kelsey
	2008	JA and CJ Watson
The 'Financial Times'	2003	W Fry
The 'Foster'	1987,88	NC Crawshaw
The 'Fry'	1906	D Featherstone
The 'Fulton' Aggregate	1996	S Belither
	2012	GE Morris
The 'Fulton Pairs' Class X	1986-90	S Belither & ANO
	1994, 2002, 03, 08,11	TA Ringer & ANO
	2010	JA Watson & ANO
The 'Fulton Pairs' Class A	2000	JA Watson & ANO
The 'Gale and Polden'	1912	L Horne
The 'Garry'	2001	Uppingham
The 'Gary Jones'	1981	Uppingham
The 'Gurka Appeal'	1984	TA Ringer
	2011	JGM Webster

	2012	CJ Watson
The 'Halford'	1984	R Pizer
The 'Hobson Aggregate'	2012	JA Watson
The 'Hopton' (MR Championship)	1980	R Pizer
The 'Howard Wilkinson'	2007	JGM Webster
The 'Howcroft Newspaper Aggregate'	1997	NE Harvey
The 'Iveagh'	1970	CJD Jewitt
	1975	SG Scott
The 'Kinder'	1969,70,76,78,79,2001,02	Uppingham
The 'Lord Tedder Aggregate'	1975,76	JS Spaight
	1983,84	S Belither
	1987	NC Crawshaw
	2013	GE Morris
The 'Lovell'	1999	TA Ringer
	2011	CTS Belk
The 'Lucas'	1948,54,59,69-71,75,76, 78-80,82,83,95, 2004	Uppingham and UVRC
The 'McQueen A'	1992	NE Harvey
The 'Marlborough Cup'	1982	RJH Fiske
	1996	CJ Watson
	2003	W Fry
The 'Marling'	1948,52,54,81,2001	Uppingham
The 'Marlingham'	1959,68,69,72,74-76,78, 79,81,97, 2002-4, 07,10	UVRC
The 'Martin Parr Aggregate'	1990	KC Meldrum
The 'Monday Aggregate'	1973	JS Spaight
	1987	NC Crawshaw
	2007	JA Watson
	2010	GE Morris
The 'Montague Jones Trophy'	1954,64,79,80,83	Uppingham
The 'New Zealand Aggregate'	1976	JS Spaight
	1985	S Belither
	1999	TA Ringer
The 'Ninth Man' or 'Reserve'	1969	JVW Hough
	1973	IK Southall
	1981	RJH Fiske
	1987	CJW Boston
	1996	LHM Clarke
The 'NLRC Championship'	1966,83	KC Meldrum
	1979	JS Spaight
	1985	NC Crawshaw
The 'Northland'	1984,86,87,89,2000,03	S Belither
	2011	CJ Watson
	2012, 13	GE Morris
The 'NRA Bronze Medal' (Queen's I)	1993,94	TA Ringer
	2011	CJ Watson
	2012	GE Morris
	2014	TA Ringer
The 'NRA Silver Cross' (Grand Agg)	1962	CTS Belk
	1997	TA Ringer
The 'NRA Silver Medal' (Queen's II)	1985	S Belither
	1999,2009	TA Ringer
	2012	GE Morris
The 'Ogden'	1979	R Pizer
The 'OTF Short Range'	1976	C T S Belk
	1993,94	TA Ringer
	2011	CJ Watson
	2012	GE Morris
The 'OTF Long Range'	1988	S Belither

	2009, 2012	JA Watson
The 'Palma Aggregate'	1975	JS Spaight
	1988	S Belither
The 'Prince of Wales's Prize'	1987	S Belither
	2006	CJ Watson
	2011	JGM Webster
The 'Public Schools Aggregate'	1948,54,68,74,80,2001	Uppingham
The 'Public Schools Snap Shooting'	1968,69,80,94,96	Uppingham
The 'Public Schools Veterans'	1954,76,80,83,88,	UVRC A Team
	2003,11	
The 'Public Schools Vets Aggregate'	1954,56,60,66,70,75,76,	UVRC
	78,84-86,2005,06	
The 'Queen's Veterans'	2011	CTS Belk
The 'Ranken'	1981	R Pizer
The 'P W Richardson'	1965	J Szemerey
The 'Rifle Clubs'	1982,96-98, 2004	UVRC
The 'Rutland'	1969,71,76,78,80,82,	Uppingham
	2001, 02	
The 'St Georges' (1 st Stage)	1984	TA Ringer
	1988	S Belither
	2000	NE Harvey
	2004	JA Watson
The 'St Georges' (2 nd stage)	1988	S Belither
The 'Saturday Aggregate'	1954	HGTP Doyne-Ditmas
	1976	CTS Belk
	1985	S Belither
	1999,2001	TA Ringer
The 'Schools Hundred'	1957	J Szemerey
	1995	CP Kelsey (tied)
	2002	W Fry
The 'Schools Staff'	1982,97,2000,03,04,06,11	TRC Adams
	1983	TC Swinfen*
The 'Schools Veterans Individual Tankard'	2002	A Scattergood
	2003	S Belither
The 'Short Range Aggregate'	1976	C T S Belk
	1978	PN Hinchliffe
	1985,88,98	S Belither
	2011	JGM Webster
	2012	GE Morris
The 'Snap Unlimited'	1978	D Mathieson
The 'Special Tyros Challenge Trophy'	1980	NC Crawshaw
The 'Spencer Mellish'	1892	SP Bell
	1893	FH Sheppee
	1906	D Featherstone
	1965	TW Forsyth
	1977	WB Doyle
	1978	D Mathieson
The 'Steward'	1987, 2002, 2009	UVRC
The 'Stickledown'	2002	CTS Belk
The 'Stock Exchange Aggregate'	1967,73	JS Spaight
	1981	SJ Pattinson
	1984	NE Harvey
	1985,87	NC Crawshaw
	1990	S Belither
The 'Sunday Aggregate'	1975,76	JS Spaight
	1996, 2007	GE Morris
The 'Sunday Times Gold Medal'	1923	TH Kelsey
	1969	R Carr
	1973	PA Whittington

	1974	JGM Webster
The 'Surrey Open Championship'	1982	S Belither
	2006, 2007	JA Watson
The 'Times'	1970	JS Spaight
	1983	PN Hinchliffe
	1985	S Belither
	2001	JA Watson
	2002	NE Harvey
The '1200 Yards Aggregate'	1980,81	R Pizer
The Volunteer Force	2010, 13, 14	JA Watson
The 'Wednesday Aggregate'	1954	J A Slocock
	1958	CTS Belk
The 'Weekend Aggregate'	1999,2001	TA Ringer
The 'Wellington'	1980	NMV Doyne-Ditmas
	1997	AA Williams
The 'Whitehead'	1980	PN Hinchliffe
The 'Whitgift Challenge Cup'	1948,56,62,70,72,74,75,78,84-86, 2006	UVRC C Team
	2005	UVRC B Team
The 'Wimbledon SR/TR'	1952	HGTP Doyne-Ditmas
	1958	KC Meldrum
	1967,73	JS Spaight
	1984	S Belither
	1993	TA Ringer
	2008 (F Class RG)	PN Hinchliffe
The 'Young Rifleman's'	1971	TRC Adams
	1974	JFR Ballantine
	1980	NC Crawshaw
*Honorary member		

Old Uppinghamians Who Have Won Major Overseas Competitions

The Governor-General's Prize (Canada)	1958	C T S Belk
	1993	T A Ringer
The Commonwealth Games Full Bore Rifle (European Section)	1980	C T S Belk
	1987	S Belither
The Grand Aggregate (Canada)	1983	N C Crawshaw
	1992	T A Ringer
The World Long Range Championship	1992,95	T A Ringer

Old Uppinghamians Who Have Shot Or Captained International Matches

Match	Name	Country	Year(s)
ELCHO MATCH	AR Ballantine	Scotland	1937,48
	CTS Belk	England	1959
	PN Hinchliffe	England	2002
	KC Meldrum	Scotland	1962,63,66,88,91,94
	R Pizer	England	1980-82,85,87,88
	SD Whitehead	England	1914
PALMA MATCH	S Belither	Gt Britain	1982,85,92,03 (Captain)
	CTS Belk	Gt Britain	1976
	NC Crawshaw	Gt Britain	1988
	PN Hinchliffe	Gt Britain	1985,88
	KC Meldrum	Gt Britain	1971
	GE Morris	Gt Britain	2011
	TA Ringer	Gt Britain	1992,95,99,2003
	JA Slocock	Gt Britain	1970
	JS Spaight	Gt Britain	1970,71
	CJ Watson	Gt Britain	2011
	JA Watson	Gt Britain	2007,11
KOLAPORE MATCH	JGM Webster	Gt Britain	1999,03,11 (Captain)
	S Belither	Great Britain	1982-92,94,97,98,2000 (Captain),01,04
	CTS Belk	Mother Country	1960,62,76,80
	NC Crawshaw	Great Britain	1985,87
	PN Hinchliffe	Great Britain	2003 (Captain)
	KC Meldrum	Mother Country	1966,69,70
	GE Morris	Great Britain	2011,13
	SJ Pattinson	Great Britain	1982
	R Pizer	Great Britain	2009 (Captain)
	TA Ringer	Great Britain	1993,95-97,2000,01,03,09,11,14
	JA Slocock	Mother Country	1954
	JS Spaight	Mother Country	1964,66,68,73-79
	CJ Watson	Great Britain	2011
	JA Watson	Great Britain	2008,12,13
	JGM Webster	Great Britain	2000, 06 (Captain)
MACKINNON MATCH	S Belither	England	1979,86-90,95,97, 2008 (Captain)
	CTS Belk	England	1960,62,63,76,80,82
	NC Crawshaw	England	1984,87
	HGTP Doyne-Ditmas	England	1961
	PN Hinchliffe	England	1983-85,2000 (Captain)
	KC Meldrum	Scotland	1963,65,66,68-74,76-78,81,84
	GE Morris	Wales	2000-07, 10,11,13
	R Pizer	England	1991 (Captain)
	TA Ringer	England	1992-97,99,2000,01,03-07,09-14
	JA Slocock	England	1954,55,58-60,70
	JS Spaight	England	1968-80,82-84
	CJ Watson	Wales	2001-13
	JA Watson	England	2007, 08,10-12
	JGM Webster	England	1984,88,89,98,99,2013(Captain)
	HD Welch	Ireland	1938,39

NATIONAL MATCH	S Belither	England	1978,80-94,97,2001
	CTS Belk	England	1960,62,64,66,74,76,80
	NC Crawshaw	England	1984-88
	HGTP Doyne-Ditmas	England	1951,54
	NE Harvey	England	1997
	PN Hinchliffe	England	1978,79, 2014 (Captain)
	J Hull	England	2011
	T Kelsey	England	1974
	JD Lee	England	1996
	KC Meldrum	Scotland	1958,60,63-74,76,77,79,80,85
	SA Merton-Jones	England	2004
	GE Morris	Wales	2000-02,2005-14
	SJV Osmond	England	2014
	SJ Pattinson	England	1961,67,82,2007 (Captain)
	R Pizer	England	1990 (Captain)
	TA Ringer	England	1993,95,97,98,2001,02,08,09,10, 14
	JA Slocock	England	1951,54,55,59,64
	JS Spaight	England	1961,64,66,69,72-78,84
	Miss IRJD Stephenson	England	2009
	CJ Watson	Wales	2001-14
	JA Watson	England	1996,2004,06,10,12,13
	JGM Webster	England	1989,2000,02,11
	HD Welch	Ireland	1937-39
EMPIRE or AUSTRALIA MATCH	S Belither	Gt Britain	1982,84,85,96
	CTS Belk	Gt Britain	1976
	NC Crawshaw	Gt Britain	1984,87
	HGTP Doyne-Ditmas	Gt Britain	1958
	PN Hinchliffe	Gt Britain	1997 (Captain)
	GE Morris	Gt Britain	2010,11
	TA Ringer	Gt Britain	1992,94,95,96,97,99,2003
	JS Spaight	Gt Britain	,11
	CJ Watson	Gt Britain	1964,74(2),76,78
EMPIRE GAMES COMMONWEALTH GAMES	JGM Webster	Gt Britain	2010,11
			1987,2001,11 (Captain)
	JS Spaight	England	1974 (Bronze)
	JS Spaight	England	1978 (Silver)
	NC Crawshaw	England	1986
	S Belither	England	1990 (Gold in Pairs)
	TA Ringer	England	1994 (Silver in Pairs),1998
AMERICA MATCH	GE Morris	Wales	2006, 10, 14
	CJ Watson	Wales	2014
	CTS Belk	England	2013 (Captain)
	GE Morris	Gt Britain	2006
	TA Ringer	England	2013
	JGM Webster	Gt Britain	2002,04 (Captain)
		England	2008 (Captain)
UNDER 25 TEAM MATCH	JA Watson	Gt Britain	2004,06
		England	2008, 13
	NC Crawshaw	Great Britain	1983,84 (Captain)
	NE Harvey	Great Britain	1984,85,87
	TA Ringer	Great Britain	1986,87,90,91
	Miss IRJD Stephenson	Great Britain	2009
	JA Watson	Great Britain	1996,98 (Captain)

UNIVERSITIES NATIONAL MATCH	PN Hinchliffe	English Unis	1977,78,79
	Miss FM Hinson	English Unis	2008 (Captain)
	GE Morris	English Unis	1996,99,2008
	TA Ringer	English Unis	1996
	Miss IRJD Stephenson	English Unis	2008,10
	JA Watson	English Unis	1997,98 (Captain)
	JGM Webster	English Unis	1981,82 (Captain)
	AA Williams	English Unis	1999
CADETS NATIONAL MATCH	C Carter Shaw	England	1988
	JA Watson	England	1991,93 (Captain)
	AA Williams	England	1996
JUNIOR KOLAPORE	DW King	Nyasaland	1959
	C Carter Shaw	Belgium	1991
JUNIOR OVERSEAS AND MACKINNON	CTS Belk	East Africa	1973
	JGM Webster	USA	1992
	WL Whyte	F Malay States	1932
	WL Whyte	Uganda	1939
	WL Whyte	Singapore	1949

NOTE FROM THE EDITOR

Thanks to Gareth Morris for collating the touring information. We hope to be able to add the information for coaches, reserves and match officials in time.

Old Uppinghamians Who Have Toured With GB Teams

Name	Tour	Year
S. Belither	Canada	1980
	Canada	1982
	Australia & New Zealand	1984
	West Indies & USA	1991
	Canada & USA	1992
CTS Belk	Canada	1958
	Canada & USA	1976
HGPT Doyne-Ditmas	Canada	1952
	Australia & New Zealand	1958
NE Harvey	Canada	1991
PN Hinchliffe	Canada	1979
	Canada	1985
	Canada	1986
	Canada	1987
	Australia	1988
	Canada	1988
	Canada	1989
	West Indies & USA	1991
	New Zealand	1992
	Canada & USA	1992
	Australia & New Zealand	1994
	Canada	1994
	New Zealand	1995
	Australia	1997 (Captain)
	Zimbabwe & South Africa	1998
	South Africa	1999
	Australia	2001
	Canada & USA	2004 (Vice Captain)
	Canada	2006
	Canada	2007
J Hull	West Indies	2013
T Kelsey	West Indies	1978
K Meldrum	Canada	1967
	Canada	1970
	Canada & USA	1971
GE Morris	Canada	2006
	Canada	2007
	Australia	2011
	West Indies	2013
TA Ringer	Canada	1988
	Canada	1991
	Canada & USA	1992
	Australia & New Zealand	1995
	New Zealand	1995
	Australia	1997
	Zimbabwe & South Africa	1998
	South Africa	1999
	Australia	2011

JS Spaight	Canada Australia & New Zealand Canada & USA Australia & New Zealand	1966 1968 1971 1974
CJ Watson	South Africa New Zealand Australia USA and Canada West Indies	2008 2010 2011 2012 2013
JA Watson	Australia Canada & USA South Africa Canada Canada New Zealand Australia USA and Canada	2001 2004 (Adjutant) 2006 2006 2007 2010 2011 (Adjutant) 2012
JGM Webster	Canada Canada Australia Zimbabwe & South Africa South Africa Australia Canada Canada & USA Australia	1987 1990 1997 1998 1999 2001 2002 (Vice Captain) 2004 (Captain) 2011 (Captain)

Old Uppinghamians Who Have Toured With Home Country Teams

CTS Belk (England)	South Africa	2013
EJ Cannings (England)	South Africa	2013 (Adjutant)
PN Hinchliffe (England)	Canada Canada USA	1995 1999 2008
TA Ringer (England)	South Africa	2013
CJ Watson (Wales)	South Africa South Africa	2003 2009
JA Watson (England)	Canada Canada USA South Africa South Africa	1995 1999 2008 (Vice Captain) 2009 2013 (Captain)
JGM Webster (England)	USA South Africa	2008 (Captain) 2009
AA Williams (England)	USA South Africa South Africa	2008 2009 2013

Old Uppinghamians Who Have Qualified To Shoot In The Final Stage Of HM The King's Prize (1901-1951) And HM The Queen's Prize (1952-Present)

Name	No. of Times	Year(s) in Final
S Belither	29	1978-88,90-94,96-2005,11,12,14
TA Ringer	20	1988,91-99,2001-04,06,08,09,11,13,14
CTS Belk	16	1958-62,66,74,80,91,92,98,2000,01,05,10,11
JGM Webster	11	1979,87-89,97,99,2002,03,06,08,11
NE Harvey	11	1984,87,90,91,93,95-97,99,2002,05
SJ Pattinson	11	1958,62,67,71,76,81,82,86,87,93,95
JS Spaight	11	1960,62,64-66,68,71,73-76
CJ Watson	10	2000,01,04,06-11,13
JA Watson	9	1999-2002,04,09-12
KC Meldrum	8	1963-66,68,69,71,76
PN Hinchliffe	7	1980,83,86,87,90,93,96
JA Slocock	7	1948,49,51,52,58,63,70
NC Crawshaw	6	1985,87-90,92
RJS Curtis	4	1983,87,89,97
HGT P Doyne-Ditmas	4	1951,52,55,57
SJV Osmond	3	1994,96,98
CW Brown	3	1958,60,73
GE Morris	3	2011-13
SA Merton Jones	2	1972,2006
JD Lee	2	1996,98
T Kelsey	2	1975,76
BDA Etches	2	1937,47
K Nicholson	2	1922,23
SJV Osmond	1	2014
EJ Cannings	1	2013
A Scattergood	1	2002
Joanne Martin	1	1979
JCB Humphrey	1	1978
AS Everett	1	1963
RL Pilling	1	1957
JG Bannister	1	1955
PJM Smith	1	1955
TMH Satterthwaite	1	1949
Sir Ian J Wallace	1	1935
WL Whyte	1	1924

Individual Club Competitions

The Club Championship (UVRC and School)

This competition, instituted in 1977, is designed to try to discover the best and most consistent shot in the Club or School in each year. The Championship is decided on the aggregate of scores in:

The Grand Aggregate
The Donegall and Lovell
St Georges Stages II and III
HM the Queen's Prize Stages II and III or the Queen's Consolation
The Veterans Match or the Ashburton

This gives the pupils a marginal advantage, since their HPS is 55 points more than that for a past pupil. The winner will receive the Keith Leighton Trophy for that year. Previous winners are:

1977	CTS Belk	1990	S Belither	2003	TA Ringer
1978	S Belither	1991	TA Ringer	2004	JA Watson
1979	S Belither	1992	TA Ringer	2005	S Belither
1980	CTS Belk	1993	SJ Pattinson	2006	CJ Watson
1981	S Belither	1994	TA Ringer	2007	CJ Watson
1982	S Belither	1995	TA Ringer	2008	TA Ringer
1983	S Belither	1996	TA Ringer	2009	TA Ringer
1984	S Belither	1997	S Belither	2010	CJ Watson
1985	S Belither	1998	TA Ringer	2011	CJ Watson
1986	S Belither	1999	S Belither	2012	GE Morris
1987	NC Crawshaw	2000	S Belither	2013	GE Morris
1988	S Belither	2001	TA Ringer	2014	TA Ringer
1989	JGM Webster	2002	JGM Webster		

The President's Medal/ Tankard (School only)

Awarded annually by the President, on the recommendation of the Master in Charge of Shooting, to the member of the School Team who has produced the most meritorious performance during the year. Past winners are:

1961	WFN Harpham	1979	NMV Doyne-Ditmas	1997	AA Williams
1962	WDG Handyside	1980	NC Crawshaw	1998	JS Wertheimer
1963	AR Welply	1981	R Curtis	1999	F Medlycott
1964	PJ Taylor	1982	NC Crawshaw	2000	A Scattergood
1965	TW Forsyth	1983	NE Harvey	2001	B Bullard
1966	GS Wright	1984	TA Ringer	2002	N Jenkins
1967	PJ Hotson	1985	CL Dunlop	2003	W Fry
1968	EDM Dowden	1986	JD Lee	2004	N Alliston
1969	PA Bellamy	1987	NJM Royle	2005	A Bolton-King
1970	JD Middleton-Walker	1988	RFJ Brown	2006	H Smeedon
1971	SA Merton Jones	1989	C Carter Shaw	2007	I Stevenson
1972	AP Ashworth	1990	SJV Osmond	2008	J Rowley
1973	PA Whittington	1991	WND Clifton	2009	A Lakhani
1974	JFR Ballantine	1992	JA Watson	2010	O Kember
1975	PN Hinchliffe	1993	ADE Grounds	2011	S Hunting
1976	S Belither	1994	GE Morris	2012	M Horrell
1977	D Mathieson	1995	AM Wilkinson	2013	H Walker
1978	J Dorrington-Ward	1996	CP Kelsey	2014	A Abraham

The Donegall Bronze Badge (UVRC only)

Being affiliated to the NRA entitles the Club to a Donegall Bronze Badge, to be competed for by its members. The badge will be awarded to the member who has not previously won a Badge, and who makes the highest score in the Veterans Match. The names of those who are recorded as already having won a Badge are marked with an asterisk in the list of members. The winner in 2013 was Peter Mayne with a score of 48.3.

The Simon Pattinson Trophy (UVRC only)

Simon Pattinson donated a trophy for competition among OUs concurrent with the Schools Veterans Match. Although Simon has allowed the conditions to be changed at the discretion of the Exec Committee, he proposed that the trophy is awarded to the highest handicap scorer in the match: members of the B team receive one point, C team 2 points, D team 3 points and E team 4 points. This handicap score is then added to the gun score. When scores are tied on Vs, the lowest gun score will win. Remarkably, Simon was the inaugural winner having shot a 50.7 in the C team and hence achieving a 52.7.

2011	SJ Pattinson	52.7 (C team)	2013	SJ Pattinson	52.7 (C team)
2012	EJ Cannings	52.3 (C team)	2014	D Mathieson	53.5 (C team)

The Watson Cup (School only)

This Cup, presented in 2000 by the Watson Family, is awarded annually on the recommendation of the Master-in-Charge of Shooting to the most improved shooter in the School. Past winners are:

2000	J Corry	2005	J Rowley	2010	G Parker
2001	J Dixon	2006	I Stevenson	2011	M Horrell
2002	N Alliston	2007	R Austen	2012	H Walker
2003	G Asplin	2008	T Mullis	2013	H Riddle
2004	L Schuller and H Ives	2009	S Hunting	2014	A Masson

The Ferrand Cup (School only)

The cup donated by Jamie Ferrand in 2011 is awarded annually to the pupil deemed by the master-in-charge to have contributed most towards the School team.

2011	M Horrell	2013	H Lifter
2012	M Hallam	2014	O Howard-Vyse

NRA 'X' and 'A' Class, for 2012

The NRA operates a handicapping system for most competitions in the Imperial Meeting. Despite its disadvantages in reducing the likelihood of appearing in a prize list, the top class of 'X' is eagerly sought, the second is class 'A'. Beginners are class 'T' and all others class 'O'.

The NRA 'X' class is earned by any competitor who, in any of the previous three years, has been placed in the top 50 in HM the Queen's Prize, the St George's Challenge Vase, or the NRA Grand Aggregate. The NRA 'A' class is earned by any competitor who, in any of the previous three years, has been placed in the second 50 in HM the Queen's Prize or the St George's Challenge Vase, or placed between 51st and 200th in the NRA Grand Aggregate. The members of UVRC who are qualified to shoot in Class 'X' or Class 'A' for 2015 are listed below, together with the number of competitions in which they qualified:

	Name:	2012	2013	2014
X:	S Belither	X2,A1	A2	X2
	CTS Belk	X1	A1	A1
	EJ Cannings		X1	
	GE Morris	X3	X2,A1	A1
	S Osmond		A1	X2, A1
	TA Ringer	A2	X1,A2	X3
	CJ Watson	X1,A1	A3	A1
	JA Watson	X1,A2	X2	A1
A:	JGM Webster	A1	A1	A1

List of Members of Uppingham Veterans Rifle Club

Key

Life Member,
b Annual Members who pay by Banker's Order,
* Members who have won a Donegall Badge

	Name	Address
#*	TRC Adams	
#*	DAR Ballantine	
#	JFR Ballantine	
*b	S Belither (GC2, SM)	
#*	CTS Belk (SC)	
#	PA Bellamy	
*b	CW Brown	
b	Miss B Buckell	
*b	BE Bullard	
b	GC Burton	
b	W Callingham	
*b	Miss EJ Cannings	
*b	C Carter Shaw	
	GRE Catchpole	
*b	WStG Cazalet	
b	GHC Christopherson	
*	RE Clarke	
	Mrs JE Dickson	
*b	J Dorrington Ward	
*b	HGTP Doyne-Ditmas CB	
*	CL Dunlop	
b	TEF Frankland	
b	AGM Fyfe	
#	NR Griffiths	
*	ADE Grounds	
#	RL Haes	
*b	WFN Harpham	
*b	NE Harvey	
b	G Haywood	
*	PN Hinchliffe QC	
*b	JVW Hough	
	H Hudson	
b	JB Hull	
*b	JCB Humphrey	
*	HCG Ives	
#	CJ Jewitt	
*b	CP Kelsey	
#	PA Kelsey	
	Dr T Kelsey	
	SRE Kemp	
b	Prof RE Kenward	
#*	JS Knox	

*	A Lakhani	
b	RAC Laville	
*b	D Mathieson	
*b	P Mayne	
#	Major AMD McKechnie	
*b	KC Meldrum CB	
*b	SA Merton Jones	
*b	GE Morris (SM)	
#	HM Neal CBE	
b	S Noble	
*b	SJV Osmond	
#	NR Page	
**	SJ Pattinson	
#	RL Pilling	
*b	Dr R Pizer	
b	C Raeder	
*	TA Ringer (GM3, SM2, SC)	
	J Rowley	
b	JAC Royle	
	NJM Royle	
	TJH Rushworth	
**	GCP Shea-Simonds	
#	GSE Shea-Simonds	
**	RAB Shea-Simonds	
	H Smeeden	
*	DI Symington	
**	J Szemerey	
b	DRJ Taylor	
#	Dr PJ Taylor	
#	Major AM Tippet	
	HF Wade	
#	SM Wall	
**	JC Wardale	
*b	CJ Watson	
*b	JA Watson	
*b	JGM Webster	
	JS Wertheimer	
*b	AA Williams	
#	BM Wilson	
b	RHB Winter	
*	BH Yates	

Honorary Members

s	Name	Address
	EGC Allanby	
	NR Bomford	
	RAS Boston	
	H Colton	
	SG Dewhurst	
	Prof PDH Godfrey CBE	
	Mrs F Kelsey	
	Mrs J Pattinson	
	JP Rudman	
	TC Swinfen	
	PJ Willmott	

4 Year Honorary Members

2011-2014 (inclusive)

No Members proposed

2012-2015 (inclusive)

J Ferrand

2013-2016 (inclusive)

M Horrell

2014-2017 (inclusive)

Miss H Walker

2015-2019 (inclusive)

No Members proposed

We encourage all members to join the NRA as it reduces the club's affiliation fee. Please let the secretary know if you are a member of the NRA and what your membership number is.

For ease of administration, we would prefer members set up standing orders (payable during the second half of the month of January). The current membership rate is £15.

Email Addresses of Members

Name	Email
Tom Adams	
Edward Allanby	
David Ballantine	
Fiona Barker	
Simon Belither	
Chris Belk	
Paul Bellamy	
Nick Bomford	
Richard Boston	
Robert Bramwell	
Ben Bullard	
Willy Callingham	
Emma Cannings	
Chris Carter Shaw	
Giles Catchpole	
William Cazalet	
Robert Clarke	
Sam Dewhurst	
Jo Dickson	
John Dorrington Ward	
Hal Doyne-Ditmas	
Lindsay Dunlop	
Jamie Ferrand	
Tom Frankland	
Gus Fyfe	
Freddie Grounds	
Neil Harpham	
Nick Harvey	
Gavin Haywood	
Nick Hinchliffe	
Briony Hinson	
Michael Horrell	
James Hough	
Harry Hudson	
Jonathan Hull	
John Humphrey	
Henry Ives	
Christopher Jewitt	
Chris Kelsey	
Peter Kelsey	
Tom Kelsey	
Steve Kemp	
Robert Kenward	
Adam Lakhani	
Roger Laville	
James Lee	
David Mathieson	
Peter Mayne	
Keith Meldrum	
Stephen Merton Jones	

Gareth Morris	
Jeremy Mumby	
Simon Noble	
Simon Osmond	
Jeanie Pattinson	
Simon Pattinson	
Robin Pizer	
Christopher Raeder	
Antony Ringer	
Josh Rowley	
Julian Royle	
Nick Royle	
Jerry Rudman	
Tim Rushworth	
Kit Swinfen	
John Szemerey	
David Taylor	
Harry Wade	
Harriet Walker	
Simon Wall	
Wardale	
Chris Watson	
James Watson	
John Webster	
Jeremy Wertheimer	
Alex Williams	
Bruce Wilson	
Richard Winter	
Ben Yates	

Data Protection

Members' information (contact details etc.) are held on a database that is shared with some members. Any member can request to view the information we hold about them by contacting the Hon Sec or Hon Treasurer.

Principal UVRC Officials

(The Club was founded in 1959, and the first AGM held in 1960 to elect officials for 1961)

Year(s)	President	Captain	Secretary	Treasurer
1961-62	P R Allen	J A Slocock	J S Knox	C T S Belk
1963	P R Allen	H G T P Doyne-Ditmas	J S Knox	C T S Belk
1964	C B Brown	H G T P Doyne-Ditmas	J S Knox	C T S Belk
1965	C B Brown	K C Meldrum	J S Knox	S J Pattinson
1966	C B Brown	K C Meldrum	C W Brown	S J Pattinson
1967-69	Sir Ian J Wallace	J S Knox	C W Brown	S J Pattinson
1970-71	G P La T Shea-Simonds	A S Everett	C W Brown	S J Pattinson
1972	G P La T Shea-Simonds	A S Everett	Dr R Pizer	S J Pattinson
1973	M P Henderson	K C Meldrum	Dr R Pizer	P R Allen
1974-75	M P Henderson	C W Brown	Dr R Pizer	P R Allen
1976	J S Knox	C W Brown	Dr R Pizer	J C B Humphrey
1977-78	J S Knox	Dr R Pizer	T R C Adams	J C B Humphrey
1979	H G T P Doyne-Ditmas	Dr R Pizer	T R C Adams	J C B Humphrey
1980	H G T P Doyne-Ditmas	J S Spaight	T R C Adams	J C B Humphrey
1981	H G T P Doyne-Ditmas	S Belither	T R C Adams	J G M Webster
1982-83	C W Brown	S Belither	P N Hinchliffe	J G M Webster
1984	C W Brown	S Belither	J S Knox	J G M Webster
1985	C T S Belk	J C B Humphrey	J S Knox	J G M Webster
1986	C T S Belk	J C B Humphrey	J S Knox	J G M Webster
1987	C T S Belk	J C B Humphrey	S Belither	E G C Allanby
1988	K C Meldrum	J G M Webster	S Belither	E G C Allanby
1989	K C Meldrum	S A Merton Jones	S Belither	E G C Allanby
1990	K C Meldrum	S A Merton Jones	E G C Allanby	E G C Allanby
1991	Dr R Pizer	S A Merton Jones	E G C Allanby	E G C Allanby
1992	Dr R Pizer	(C W Brown)	E G C Allanby	E G C Allanby
1993	Dr R Pizer	P N Hinchliffe	E G C Allanby	E G C Allanby
1994-95	S J Pattinson	P N Hinchliffe	E G C Allanby	E G C Allanby
1996	S J Pattinson	J A Watson	E G C Allanby	E G C Allanby
1997-98	T R C Adams	J A Watson	E G C Allanby	E G C Allanby
1999	T R C Adams	T A Ringer	E G C Allanby	E G C Allanby
2000-01	J C B Humphrey	T A Ringer	D Mathieson	E G C Allanby
2002	J C B Humphrey	A D E Grounds	D Mathieson	E G C Allanby
2003	S Belither	A D E Grounds	D Mathieson	E J Cannings
2004	S Belither	A D E Grounds	D Mathieson	J A Watson
2005	S Belither	Miss A Scattergood	D Mathieson	J A Watson
2006-07	P N Hinchliffe	Miss A Scattergood	C P Kelsey	J A Watson
2008	P N Hinchliffe	C J Watson	C P Kelsey	J A Watson
2009	S A Merton Jones	C J Watson	C P Kelsey	J A Watson
2010	S A Merton Jones	C J Watson	B Hinson	J A Watson
2011	S A Merton Jones	G E Morris	B Hinson	J A Watson
2012	J G M Webster	G E Morris	B Hinson	J A Watson
2013	J G M Webster	G E Morris	H C G Ives	J A Watson
2014	J G M Webster	J Hull	H C G Ives	J A Watson
2015	D Mathieson	J Hull	H C G Ives	J A Watson

Please remember to inform the Honorary Secretary of any change of address

Please notify the editor of any errors or omissions as well as any changes of details so that they can be corrected for the next publication. As the information held is used only for production of the Annual Report, the Club is not required to register under the Data Protection Act. The report is now also published in pdf format on the OU section of the school website – the member list, addresses and contact details of members are not included in that version.

Rules of The Uppingham Veterans Rifle Club

1. **THE CLUB** shall be called the Uppingham Veterans Rifle Club.
 2. **THE OBJECTS** of the Club shall be the promotion and encouragement of target shooting with rifles, and the training of Old Uppinghamians and pupils of Uppingham School in marksmanship and the use of rifles, in the interest of the better defence of the United Kingdom.
 3. **MEMBERSHIP.** Any Uppinghamian, being a member of the Uppingham Association, shall be eligible for election as a member:
 - (A) Probationary Member: Before attaining full membership members must undergo a probationary period of six months and satisfy the Executive Committee as to their suitability with particular regard to safety and security in the handling of firearms and ammunition. Applicants shall be proposed by a current ordinary member and by one other person who knows the applicant personally. Usually this will be the master in charge of shooting during the time they were at school and who gave them proper instruction on safety of firearms. Probationary members may not vote at the Annual General Meeting. A probationary member will not pay a subscription until he or she becomes an ordinary member.
 - (B) Ordinary Member: A person who has satisfactorily completed a period of probationary membership may become an ordinary member. So too may a person who is already a member of a Home Office Approved Club or holds a Firearm Certificate authorising possession of a rifle, subject to satisfactory references from a current club member and one other person who knows the applicant personally. Usually this will be an official of the applicant's previous rifle club. All ordinary members will be approved at a meeting of the Executive Committee.
 - (C) Honorary Member: Any person who has rendered service to shooting either at Uppingham or among Uppinghamians may be proposed to the Annual General meeting as an honorary member by the Executive Committee. Such persons may only participate in the Club's shooting events if they fulfil the requirement for ordinary membership in (B) above. The Executive Committee may also elect to 4-year honorary membership pupils who have recently left Uppingham School and have satisfactorily completed six months' probationary membership.
 - (D) Non-Shooting Member: Any Old Uppinghamian who wishes to join the club but does not fulfill the requirement set out in (B).

Any person who has ever been refused the grant of a firearm certificate shall be ineligible for election to any class of membership of the Club.
 4. **SUBSCRIPTIONS.** Ordinary members shall pay £15 a year (£20 from 2014), which shall be due on March 1st in each year, or in the case of a new member after the date of his or her election. Any member whose subscription is still unpaid by December 1st of the current year shall be sent a reminder to his or her last known address; if payment is still not made by March 1st following, the person concerned shall cease to be a member of the club, whether or not he or she had received this reminder. The Honorary Secretary shall report to the next Annual General Meeting which members have been removed from the Roll under this clause. A member so removed from the Roll may rejoin on payment of one years' back subscription. A member who resigns may rejoin subsequently without back payment provided his or her subscription is paid up at the time of his or her resignation. Life members shall pay a single payment of fifty times the current annual subscription rate (i.e. £750).
 5. **THE INCOME** and property of the Club whencesoever derived shall be applied solely towards the aforesaid objects of the Club and if on a winding up or dissolution of the Club there remains after satisfaction of all its debts and liabilities any property whatsoever the same shall not be paid or distributed among the members of the Club but shall be given or transferred to some charitable association or object, such association or object to be determined by the members of the Club at or before the time of dissolution.
 6. **PROPER BOOKS** of account with respect to the affairs of the Club shall be kept. Accounts inspected by a qualified independent accountant shall be published annually before the Annual General Meeting for agreement of the members.
 7. **THE OFFICERS** of the Club shall consist of a President, Captain, Under 25 Captain, Honorary Secretary and Honorary Treasurer. The President, Captain, Under 25 Captain, Schools Liaison Officer, Honorary Secretary and Honorary Treasurer with three elected members, the Master in charge of shooting at the School, and any Past Presidents still living shall collectively form the Executive Committee, by whom the Club and its property shall be managed. The Executive Committee shall have the power to co-opt from the full members of the Club not more than two such members to serve on the Committee until the next Annual General Meeting. The Executive Committee shall be responsible for the running of the club and have unrestricted power of investment of any financial surplus for the Club's benefit. The Executive Committee has power to deal with anything not provided for in these rules.
- There shall be an Annual General Meeting of the members of the Club after the Veterans Match at Bisley each year, at which the officers and members of the above Committee shall be elected to hold office until the next Annual General Meeting. At the same meeting the year's accounts of the Club shall be submitted, and also any report which the Executive Committee may desire to present to the Meeting.
8. **THE PRESIDENT** of the Club shall be elected for a period not exceeding three years after which time he or she shall be ineligible to hold that office for the next three years. The President shall be elected in recognition of long and outstanding service to the Club.
 9. **MEMBERS** will be entitled to wear the Club's colours.
 10. **THE RULES** of the Club may be added to, altered or amended by a clear majority of those voting at any Annual or other General Meeting of members of the Club.