

NOTTINGHAMSHIRE RIFLE ASSOCIATION  
BLACK POWDER SECTION

THORPE CLOUD 2017

The annual black powder shoot

at

THORPE CLOUD RIFLE RANGE

Derbyshire

FRIDAY 16th JUNE to SUNDAY 18th JUNE

**Programme of events**

FRIDAY pm	200yds	Patched ball
SATURDAY	400, 300 and 200yds	Free Rifle
SUNDAY am	200, 300 and 400yds	Minie

**Cost of entry**

ONE DAY    £21.00    TWO or THREE DAYS    £45.00

**PLEASE BOOK EARLY, as the number of shooters will be limited.**

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**Location:**

Thorpe Cloud rifle range is situated near to Thorpe village, Dovedale, Derbyshire. Full details of the arrangements for meeting up will be advised to participants on receipt of competition entry form and payment. Please note that no unofficial cars are allowed on the range. Official transport will be provided for those requiring assistance. All others will proceed to the range on foot.

**Programme:**

**Friday 16th June:** competitors will meet for 11am for a **Patched Ball shoot at 200yds plus a spare target for practice, any rifle 10 shots from a rest standing and 10 shots off hand.**

**Saturday 17th June:** a three range **Free Rifle competition of 1 warmer and 3 sighters plus 10 to count per range at each of 400, 300 and 200yds in that order.**

Saturday evening we will gather at the "Coach & Horses", Fenny Bentley, 7.30pm for 8pm to partake of a meal and presentations. **PLEASE NOTE- If you are attending the evening meal and presentations you must let me know by the 31st May (see the booking form).**

**Sunday 18th June:** a three range **Minié competition at 200, 300 and 400yds. Enfield .577 rifles (NO slings to be used) shooting at reproduction targets of the type used at the first Notts. R.A. meeting in 1861. 1 warmer, 1 sighter and 5 to count at 200yds. 1 sighter and 5 to count at each of 300 and 400yds.**

**Shooting starts on Saturday and Sunday at 9.30 am and continues until completed. You will be advised of squadding and butt duties on the day.**

**There will be a prize for each aggregate, open to all, and the much sought after Volunteer Cup for the highest scoring competitor in the Minié competition who is also a member of a Nottinghamshire Rifle Association affiliated club.**

This is a relaxed and enjoyable weekend with no pressure.

**Please enjoy yourself !!**

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**BOOKING FORM**

Please complete and return this form to me by **31st May 2017**.

One day entry fee **£21.00**. Weekend entry fee **£45.00**.

All cheques payable to the " **NOTTINGHAMSHIRE RIFLE ASSOCIATION**"

Saturday night meal - **Pay on the night**.

Please delete as appropriate:

**FRIDAY**      **I WILL BE SHOOTING PATCHED BALL or OTHER /  
I WILL NOT BE SHOOTING**

**SATURDAY**   **I WILL / I WILL NOT BE SHOOTING**

**SUNDAY**      **I WILL / I WILL NOT BE SHOOTING**

**SATURDAY EVENING MEAL**   **I WILL / I WILL NOT BE ATTENDING:  
VEGETARIAN OPTION ?:**

**Number  
Number**

**ALL COMPETITORS MUST COMPLY FULLY WITH THE CURRENT FIREARMS ACT IN ALL RESPECTS  
AND SHOW A VALID COMPETENCY CERTIFICATE TO MR A RUSSELL AS THE NOTTS RA  
REPRESENTATIVE BEFORE SHOOTING STARTS.**

**ALL COMPETITORS MUST PROVIDE THEIR OWN PERSONAL INSURANCE.  
NOTTS. R.A WILL ONLY PROVIDE PUBLIC LIABILITY INSURANCE.  
NO PERSONAL CLAIMS WILL BE ACCEPTED AGAINST NOTTS. R.A.**

**Signed**

**Name**

**Address**

**Post Code**

**Telephone Number**

**E-mail address**

**To avoid disappointment please return by 31st May 2017 to:**

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