



“How wonderful it is that nobody need wait a single moment before starting to improve the world” (Anne Frank)



Great Britain Academy Programme (GBAP)

The programme is on-going with Welsh involvement in all three shooting disciplines, Ben Llewelin-Skeet, Coral Kennerley-Pistol events and Michael Bamsey, Rifle events involved.



Target Tokyo

We have a number of athletes currently going through selection process for British Shooting/UK Sport led “Target Tokyo”.

Phase One& Two of “Target Tokyo” is now completed:

- A number of Welsh athletes were participating in “Phase two” of the Rifle & Pistol events at Bisley on 24/25th January. All trained prior to the event with Welsh Rifle and pistol coaches Rob Riddett, Steve Pengelly and John Kelman

- Shotgun have completed “Phase two” after all the Welsh athletes having the opportunity of training prior to the selection weekends with Welsh coaches Richard Stepney and Mark Davies: All the Welsh Shotgun athletes involved, are currently awaiting results of selection to Phase three
- **Phase three** has more detailed involvement with an estimated small number that will still be in contention for further involvement with the British Shooting World Class system.

Welsh athletes involved in Target Tokyo

It’s expected that Phase three of the Rifle and Pistol will take place at the High Performance ranges in Cardiff over the Easter weekend with Shotgun at Nuthampstead. It is expected that all athletes still involved will use the opportunity to train with Welsh coaches prior to Phase three.

2015 World Cup selections. (to date)

Elena Allen

Women’s skeet, UAE and Cyprus

Paul Gumn

For the World Cup in Gabala Azerbaijan has been appointed on the “Jury of appeal”. He will be covering all the Rifle/Pistol/Shotgun events.





Latest on 2018 Commonwealth Games

New Nomination Criteria is currently being formulated by the WTSF Board for agreement by the Welsh Commonwealth Games selection committee and publication by November 2015 .

Shotgun training

During March Several members of the High Performance squad will attend a warm weather training camp in Lonato.

Richard Stepany currently contacting promising shotgun Juniors.

Disability matters Shotgun ISSF

4th Intl. Paralympic Clay Target Shooting Grand Prix conducted in Todi (ITA)

<http://www.issf-sports.org/news.ashx?newsid=2187>

ISSF Rifle and Pistol training and news

There are monthly weekend sessions, mainly at Cardiff with WSRA/WTSF

During March, the High Performance coaches are taking several of the HP Rifle and Pistol squad to train in Gibraltar.

John Kelman also held successful Air Pistol sessions at both Cardiff and Carmarthen and producing a steady stream of young pistol shooters

Fullbore

Regular Training at Long range at Bisley on alternate weekends with Martin Watkins.

British Air gun Championships Bisley Feb 20-22nd Feb.

Pleasing to see our WTSF/WAA Junior and Senior members attaining rostrum placing's and PB's during these championships. Special mention must be made to Owen Burke of Porthmadog. Winning the SH1 Air Rifle championship.

Updating WTSF Safeguarding, of Vulnerable persons & Child protection policy.

WTSF board, over the next few months, a new child protection (Safeguarding) policy, is required to be formulated at Board level.

Latest from Griffin Lloyd



New Range – Olympic Skeet: The concreting of the path/stations and High/Low tower area are all complete. The high/low towers are currently delayed due to adverse weather erected next month.

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