



SECRETARYS REPORT FOR AGM JULY 2021.

To all Members, as it has only been a few Months since my last report due to the 2020 AGM held in February this year because of Covid, this report will be brief.

Search for new premises for the club.

The Land application for the new premises is looking promising. Even if they say no on the first attempt, we will still pursue it, just through a different door.

Lease

We are still in positive talks with the Racing Committee over our lease, there will be a bit of give and take on both sides. We must tread very carefully here as we don't want them offside, we will need their support in the future to get what we need.

Training – Range Officers for Ranges 1 and 2

We have now introduced a Training Manual for Range Officers in ranges 1 & 2, ISSF. All new RO's will need to read this and be very familiar with it before you can become an RO. The process will involve doing a "theory" training session and short test as well as the practical training. Current RO's already established will need to do a refresher by reading the manual to maintain their status & privileges that go with being an RO.

Range 3 will also be getting a similar manual as soon as Antonio finishes it, if you can offer any assistance, I am sure it would be appreciated.

Works.

I'm sure others will mention it, but we have approval to spend some of the grant money to for reroof the air pistol range, and toilets. The range will become our club room, training room, meeting room, which will make it far more comfortable to have a coffee or sandwich. The air pistol targets will be reconfigured as part of the works. The toilets will get a minor face lift which will include installation of a shower to go between the male and female toilets.

Grant Money

We got to use about half of it and we were lucky to do that considering we didn't have a lease. A current and valid lease was one of the stipulations for getting the grant in the first place.

Depending on the outcome of our current negotiations with Shooting Sports Facilities Program, we may have to return some of the money earmarked for range expansion to the Facilities Program. More to come on this as we progress.

But we are very wise now of what's required for future grants.

Single Action – Duke York Memorial Shoot

As far as we know the **Duke York** event will still go ahead on the 10th, 11th & 12th of September, we will keep you updated with this. Brian Hare has ear close to the ground and is doing the preparation and organisatoin of the shoot. If there are any changes, we will let you know.

Police Handgun Safety course.

As you may be aware we are now conducting the course at CDPC – currently being run by Dave Pickford. The next course should be on the Sunday the 1st of August.

Please book! For those that need to do it we don't know how many courses we will do this year if they keep snapping lockdowns on us. So, take advantage when you can. The same goes for getting matches recorded to meet the LRD requirements. All members not to leave it until the end of the year. If you need to apply for anything from **LRD**, do it **NOW and remember "if you have any questions that you want to put to LRD please check with the Secretary or SRSO – FIRST"**

LRD may not be so kind this year when it comes to the number of attendances so don't risk not meeting the requirements.

Thank You.

I would like to end this report by saying thank you to everybody at the club for your help and support and most of all your company throughout the year, for the most part we all get on pretty well, and as always if you have a concern, please bring it up with me or any Committee member and we will try to fix it.

Graham Griffiths

Secretary, CDPC.