

Marlborough Autumn Championship
23rd April 2016

Marlborough turned on a nice warm day with a gusty nor'westerly wind which tested the shooters all day. Jono Phillipps from Petone proved the master of the conditions, shooting 169.13, for a 2 point win from John Snowden, Ashburton. The 900 yard 15 shot match proved decisive in most grades with only 3 TR grade winners breaking the 70 point barrier, Jono in A grade, B grade winner David Dick and the C grade winner Megan Snowden. Murray Cook, Ashburton won FTR and Rod Fairlie, Malvern, FO. Possibles proved difficult to come by with only 5 being shot during the day. One very notable possible was shot by Chris Burgess, who feeling very unwell was nearly not going to shoot, shot a 50.9 at 300 yards.

The NZ F Open and FTR teams going to Australia in June were also using the weekend as a training camp shooting alongside the championship competitors. There were 45 shooters on the range.

A Grade	300	600	900	Aggregate
Jon Phillipps Petone	50.5	48.4	71.4	169.13
John Snowden Ashburton	49.4	50.2	68.4	167.10
Richard rowlands Malvern	49.2	47.3	69.4	165.9
Helen Frieman Petone	47.5	50.7	67.1	164.13
Andre Doyle Petone	49.4	48.6	66.6	163.16
John McLaren Masterton	49.4	49.6	65.2	163.12
Malcolm Dodson Kaituna	48.3	48.3	67.3	163.9
Chris Kershaw Malvern	47.6	46.1	68.5	161.12
Casey Goldsmith Trentham	49.4	45.3	67.2	161.9
Kevein Win Trentham	44.2	49.3	61.3	154.8
Charlotte Flanagan Kaituna	46.1	47.1	57.2	150.4
B Grade				
David Dick Kaituna	47.2	46.1	71.3	164.6
John Fleming Ashburton	50.6	44	67.3	161.9
Clinton Whyte Kaituna	47.3	47.3	65.2	159.8
Chris Burgess Kaituna	50.9	48	60.1	158.10
Anita Benbrook Petone	45.1	47.2	64.1	156.4
Charlie Ledbrook Malvern	43.1	44.1	67.7	154.9
Coby Snowden Ashburton	47.5	39.1	67.4	153.10
John Miller Ashburton	47.4	46.3	60.2	153.9
Herman Jansen van Vuuren Kaituna	47.6	46.2	57.1	150.9
Barry Scott Petone	38.2	46.4	65.5	149.11
Sam Kershaw Malvern	43.1	41	60.4	144.7
C Grade				
Megan Snowden Ashburton	45.2	49.3	70.7	164.12
Alex Dent Petone	46.2	44.2	60	150.4
Kieran Crickmar Trentham	44.1	47.1	55.1	146.3
Brian Hawksby Ashburton	40.3	41.2	64.5	145.10
FTR				
Murray Cook Ashburton	53.3	52	76	181.3
Geoff Smith Malvern	58.2	53	64	175.2
Carole Crawford Kaituna	52.3	47.1	68.1	167.5
Kim Saunders- Singer Kaituna	52	50.1	63	165.1
Brian Graystone Malvern	55.2	51	38	144.2

F Open

Rod Fairlie	Malvern	59.6	55.2	82.2	193.10
Noel Patterson	Malvern	56.2	48	71	175.2