



NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION

Methuen Cup Event Notes

Sunday 5th July 2026

Programme & Entry Fees:

 Sunday 5th July: Methuen Cup **£196/ Team** Under 25 Team* **£120**

***Under 25 Discount:** 40% discount off entry fee when all members of the team are under 25 years old, or in full time education on the day of the Event

Non-Member Fee: £17.00 per person – applicable to all members of the team. This will not be charged if the individual has already paid the fee as part of their Individual CSR Imperial entry

Entry Deadline: Monday 22nd June at midday

Cancellations: Cancellations must be received via email to competitions@nra.org.uk by **8am Friday 3rd July**. Entries will be fully refunded (or credited) before this time, after this point entries are non-refundable. Credits are valid for 12 months from the date of cancellation

Entry Requirement Summary (See Terms of Entry below for full details):

- ✓ **Membership:** This competition is open to NRA Members. Shooters from other Home Office Approved Clubs are welcome but are required to pay the Non-Member Fee
- ✓ **Shooter Certification Card (SCC):** In either Telescope Rifle or Iron Sighted Rifle (depending on which class of firearm you are competing in. If not in possession of a suitable SCC, shooters should email competitions@nra.org.uk before entering to apply for a temporary card
- ✓ **Age:** On the first day of the event, you must be aged 14 or over - please contact the event Competitions Team before entering if this is not the case

Classes:

- Historic Enfield: Any SMLE/ No.4/ No. 5 rifle, service pattern as issued, rest may not be used, trigger weight minimum 4.5lbs, sling as issued
- Practical Optic: Any rifle with optic sights, with no restriction on slings or rests, trigger weight minimum 1.5kg. If any rest is utilized it must remain fitted to the rifle at all times during the match

Making an entry: Entries can be made and paid for online via: online.nra.org.uk. A PDF copy of the entry form will also be available online which can be returned via email or post

Team Names: Please ensure you provide a team name upon entry. A list of team members must be provided to the competitions team no later than the start of shooting

Courses of Fire: Conditions and courses of fire are listed in the CSR Handbook which can be found [online](#) and in a FREE paperback book available from NRA Reception

Firing Positions: Prone, sitting, kneeling and standing. Para A3.2.22 of the CSR Handbook: A firer who has a physical disability (temporary or permanent) which prevents the use of a position specified in the match conditions may assume the next most difficult position instead. The CRO, RO and the MD must be informed before the start of the match. The following substitutions are among those permitted:

- a. The sitting position instead of the prone position
- b. The kneeling position instead of the sitting position
- c. The standing position instead of the kneeling position
- d. The kneeling unsupported position (either on two knees or on one knee without resting the elbow on the knee) instead of the standing position

Muzzle Energy: Ranges at Bisley use the Danger Area of Pirbright Range, which under MoD requirements state that all firearms used must either have a muzzle energy under 4,500 Joules (3,319 ft lbs), or else be zeroed at 200 yards or on the Bisley Zero Range prior to being used at a longer distance. If your ME exceeds the limit then you must zero your rifle, using the specially designed target, the day before the start of your particular Meeting

Results: Results will be collated on range on the day of the event, and displayed on the on range leaderboard. Following the event they will be available online via: www.nra.org.uk/liveresults

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Challenging Results: It is the competitor's responsibility on the day of the competition to ensure that the Wing Officer records their scores correctly. Any challenges of this nature must be made immediately on the day. Following the publishing of scores online competitors have until midday the following day to contact the NRA for errors relating to the digitising of the hand-recorded scores. Please email competitions@nra.org.uk with any challenges

Prizegiving: Prizegiving will take place on range on Sunday 5th July, following the completion of the match

Awards:

Practical Optic

- First Prize: The Mauser Trophy and seven NRA Gold Medals
- Second Prize: Seven NRA Silver Medals
- Third Prize: Seven NRA Bronze Medals
- Highest Individual: The Kukri Trophy

Historic Enfield

- First Prize: The Mons Trophy and seven NRA Gold Medals
- Second Prize: Seven NRA Silver Medals
- Highest Individual: The Bayonet Trophy

Firearms Usage: The NRA is required to keep a record of firearms used by competitors as required by the Firearms (Amendment) Acts 1997. Following a Competition please go to your online profile and update your firearms usage: online.nra.org.uk/customer/firearmusages

Terms of Entry:

- I agree I meet the entry requirements as stated in these Event Notes
- I confirm that the information given on the attached Entry form is true, complete and accurate

Access to firearms:

- I meet at least one of the following conditions that legitimises my access to firearms:
 - I am an individual member of the NRA (or temporary 'Meeting Member' by paying the Non-Member Fee)
 - I hold a Firearm Certificate or GB Visitor's Firearm Permit permitting me to use, for target shooting, the firearms that I shall fire in this event
 - I am a member of a Club Approved by the Home Office, the Scottish Ministers or the PSNI and will be shooting as a member of that club and will use any firearm for which I do not hold a Firearm Certificate only in accordance with the applicable exemptions to S1 Firearms Act 1968 (as amended)
- I am not a prohibited person within the meaning of Section 21 Firearms Act 1968 (as amended)
- I have never had a Firearm or Shotgun Certificate refused or revoked. (If you have, please enclose full details in a sealed envelope marked 'Confidential')

Warnings:

- I agree to abide by the rules of the National Rifle Association and I will accept the decisions of the Event Director or the NRA as final
- I agree that results of the Competition and classifications may be published on the internet or elsewhere containing my name, competitor number, country, class and score
- I agree that I have read the NSC Range Regulations in regards to the wearing of ear protection, and Appendix III of the NRA Handbook in regards to the wearing of eye protection, and shall not hold the organiser responsible for any injury resulting from non-compliance therewith. Any mandatory details will be contained within these Event Notes
- I understand that if I have debts to NRA or NSC Ltd over 90 days outstanding, entry to this event will be restricted until these have been settled in full
- As an event entrant of the NRA, I acknowledge and agree to my data being held by the Association in accordance with the published GDPR policy on the NRA website: nra.org.uk/nra-data-privacy-notice-gdpr