



Darwin Rifle Club Inc.

2025 Competition Calendar

January	4th	Break							
	11th	Practice							
	18th	300m							
	25th	Australia Day Comp. 2 x 500m , 2 x 600m, 2 sighters & 10 to count.							
February	1st		400m						
	8th			500m					
	15th				600m				
	22nd					700m			
March	1st						800m		
	8th							900m	
	15th	300m							
	22nd		400m						
April	29th			500m					
	5th				600m				
	12th					700m			
	19th	Non Comp Easter Long Weekend							
May	26th						800m		
	3rd							900m	
	10th	300m							
	17th		400m						
June	24th			500m					
	31st				600m				
	7th					700m			
	14th	Open Prize Meeting 14th & 15th June : see notes on rear page							
July	21st						800m		
	28th							900m	
	5th	Long Range Comp. 900M , 2 x 2 sighters & 10 to count and 2 x 2 sighters & 15 to count							
	12th	300m							
August	19th		400m						
	26th			500m					
	2nd				600m				
	9th					700m			
September	16th						800m		
	23rd							900m	
	30th	300m							
	6th		400m						
October	13th			500m					
	20th				600m				
	27th					700m			
	4th						800m		
November	11th							900m	
	18th	300m							
	25th		400m						
	1st			500m					
December	8th				600m				
	15th					700m			
	22nd						800m		
	29th							900m	
December	6th	Turkey Shoot. 1000M , 2 x 2 sighters & 15 to count : see notes on rear page							
	13th	BAP-TAP. 1000M , 2 sighters & 15 to count: see notes on rear page							

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Club competition shoots

Be at the range by 1pm, 12.30 if you need to arrange to borrow club gear.

Draw for shooting positions takes place at 1.20pm, so that shooting can commence at 1.30pm.

2 applications of 2 sighters and 10 counting shots.

At the end of the year, the Club Championships are awarded based on each members aggregate of the best 2 scores at each range distance over the year.

Procedure for rain affected shoots

If a Club Competition shoot is cancelled, or terminated prior to all shooters completing the required number of applications:

Club competition shoots - shoot twice the next time up the range at the same distance with first draw at 10.20am, first shoot to commence at 10.30am.

Other shoots - may be reconvened or cancelled at the Captain's discretion.

If to be reconvened, Captain will advise details at the time.

Australia Day Prize Meeting

Held on a Saturday before the Australia Day public holiday, as part of the NT Australia Day Sports Carnival. Grading is Club Grades.

Be at the range by 12noon, 11.30 if you need to arrange to borrow club gear.

Draw for shooting positions takes place at 12.20pm, so that shooting can commence at 12.30pm.

2 sighters and 10 counting shots, 2 applications at 500m and 2 applications at 600m ranges.

Darwin Open Prize Meeting

Held on alternate years to the NTRA NT Kings Prize Series

Programmed for 14th and 15th June 2025. Grading is National NRAA Grades.

Be at the range by 8:30am, 8am if you need to arrange to use Club gear.

A Draw takes place at 8:50 so that shooting can commence at 9am

Day 1: One application of 2 sighters and 10 counting shots at each of the 300m, 400m, 500m and 600m ranges

Day 2: One application of 2 sighters and 10 counting shots at each of the 700m, 800m and 900m ranges

Long Range Championship

Held once a year generally in late June or July.

Grading is on Club Grades.

Be at the range by 12noon, 11.30 if you need to arrange to borrow club gear.

Draw for shooting positions takes place at 12.20pm, so that shooting can commence at 12.30pm.

Two fifteen shot matches (2 optional sighters) at 900m, two ten shot matches (2 optional sighters) at 900 metres

Turkey Shoot

Second-last shoot of the year.

Be at the range by 1pm, 12.30 if you need to arrange to borrow club gear.

Draw for shooting positions takes place at 1.20pm, so that shooting can commence at 1.30pm.

Two fifteen shot matches (2 optional sighters) at 1000m

BAPTAP - "bring a prize, take a prize"

Last shoot of the year. Everybody wishing to compete brings a prize to the value of \$10-15.

Be at the range by 1pm, 12.30 if you need to arrange to borrow club gear.

Draw for shooting positions takes place at 1.20pm, so that shooting can commence at 1.30pm.

Two fifteen shot matches (2 optional sighters) at 1000m

This event is a 'self-handicap'. Each shooter must nominate a handicap before they commence shooting.

However, be warned! You will be penalised by 2 points for every one you over-shoot.

For example, your total score will be out of 75 (15 shots).

If you think you will shoot a 70, you may nominate a handicap of 5.

However, if you shoot a 73, your final score would be $73+5=78$, over-shooting by 3 shots.

After applying the penalty, this would leave you with a final score of $75-(3 \times 2)=69$.

Members select a prize from the table in order of their final scores.