

VRA News 06th September 2024

It is with pleasure we announce the re-opening of the Wellsford rifle range. After months of protracted negotiations with a raft of organisations, we have finally received the signed Community lease between Parks Vic. and VRA.

Salient points:

1. 21 year lease expiring on 31st May 2045.
2. Rent \$104 + GST per annum
3. Hours of operation Mon-Sat 8am-6pm, Sunday 9am-5pm

To all the members who experienced delay after delay in having the re-opening announced, we thank you for your patience and trust in the VRA. There are many people who assisted the VRA in achieving the re-opening in particular:

1. Chairman Markus Gaebele and Councillors for having a single minded purpose to getting the range re-opened.
2. The Bendigo, Bendigo South, Marong and Wellsford clubs who collectively supplied information that allowed us to unravel the Commercial lease.

A Plea for Co-operation

The VRA via MMS and the weekly Newsletter have continually asked clubs to complete the 4 documents for upload to MMS being Lease Documents, RSO's, Incorporation number and VicPol approval number. At this point, only nine clubs have uploaded their Lease agreements yet VicPol have indicated earlier this year, they will require a list for their records. Two clubs are in discussion with VRA about lost documents which leaves 23 clubs who haven't communicated anything regarding their range lease. How long will your club wait before you receive a letter from VicPol announcing your range is closed?

Please don't delay this matter any further, get your documents sourced and email

vra@vra.asn.au if you require any assistance.

RO Course Wangaratta 15/09/24

<https://www.vra.asn.au/images/events-pdf/24ROcourse.pdf>

Wodonga OPM 21/09/24

<https://www.vra.asn.au/images/events-pdf/24Wodonga.pdf>

Wangaratta Charity shoot 22/09/24

<https://www.vra.asn.au/images/events-pdf/24CharityShoot.pdf>

RO course Geelong 05/10/24

<https://www.vra.asn.au/images/events-pdf/24ROcourse1.pdf>

Reminder: The VRA has appointed David Black as the Captain for the TR team to contest the Commonwealth matches at Bendigo in April 2026.

Nominations close 30th September 2024.



The NRAA are missing the Top Individual (F/TR) perpetual trophy awarded at the 2022 National F Class Team Matches held at Bendigo. If anyone knows of the whereabouts of this trophy, please contact jo@nraa.com.au

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