



# Victorian Rifle Association Inc

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## MEDAL & SPOON COMPETITION 2023

The Medal & Spoon competition is an annual club-based competition open to all financial Rifle Club Members currently registered with the VRA. A separate Medal and Spoon can be awarded in each discipline i.e. Target Rifle, F/Class Standard, F/Class Open, FTR and Sporting/Hunter class.

### CONDITIONS

1. A person can only ever win one VRA medal. If a shooter wins a medal in one discipline, they are not eligible to win another medal in any other discipline.
2. The Medal and Spoon competition will be shot in accordance with the Standard Shooting Rules (SSR's).
3. The Medal and Spoon competition **MUST** be conducted during the period 1st July - 31st October each year.
4. Members must be given fourteen days' notice prior to the Medal and Spoon competition being held.
5. The competition must be shot under scratch conditions not coached or handicapped, with **two optional sighters and ten shots at 500yds and two optional sighters and ten shots at 600 yards on the same day**. Minimum number of shooters in each discipline is two before a medal or spoon can be awarded.
6. Ties to be decided by each competitor in the tie firing two optional sighters and five counting shots at the longest distance. If a result cannot be obtained by this method, then each competitor is to fire single shots until a decision is reached as per the SSR's.
7. A medal will be awarded to the top scoring non-medalist in each discipline on the day, provided that the shooter has achieved the qualifying score in the table below or better.
8. In the event of a previous Medal winner being the top scorer for that discipline, that shooter will be awarded a VRA spoon, provided that the shooter has achieved a qualifying score in the table below or better.

9. A Medal and a Spoon can be won on the same day in each discipline. However, not by the same person in each discipline. If the top scorer is the eligible medal winner, then no spoon will be awarded to any other shooter in that discipline.
10. Upon completion of the competition, names and scores must be entered on the attached form and forwarded to the VRA office by 30<sup>th</sup> January 2024.

Category	Medal Qualifying score	Spoon Qualifying score
Target Rifle	93	97
F Class Standard	107	113
F Class Open	114	117
FTR	109	114
Sporting/Hunter Class	93	95