

# THE BLACK POWDER SHOOTING UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA

*Formerly The Historical Firearms Shooting Union Founded in 1958*



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## NEWSFLASH NO 4 OF 2016 BPSU NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS 2016 – FOLLOW UP INFO

Dear BPSU members

The information about the 2016 BPSU Nationals had been communicated to our members repeatedly.

### Dates and range information:

Long Range - Atlantis, 8/4/2016

Short Range Western Province - Atlantis, 9/4/2016

Shotgun - TML Shotgun Range 9/4/2016

Short Range Gauteng - Mariette 16/4/2016

It was initially agreed on the Exco meeting that the Gauteng leg of the Nationals will be hosted by Mariette Black Powder Club on 2/4/2016 and it was communicated as such. However, Mariette later had a problem with the date and the event was moved to 16/4/2016.

We only became aware of some members that planned their activities for the 2<sup>nd</sup> who will thus not be able to compete on the 16<sup>th</sup>. For that reason, we will allow a limited number of events to be shot at the **Alberton Range on 2/4/2016** on the following conditions:

- Your entry form indicating the events that you will shoot at Alberton on 2/4/2016 must reach the secretary **not later than Wednesday, 30 March 2016**. Please mark your form clearly "**Alberton Range**" so that we can arrange for an Exco member to be present at this shoot.
- **Only 25m and 50m** events will be shot at the Alberton Range.
- **No one will be allowed to compete at both Alberton and Mariette ranges** – all the events will be catered for at the Mariette range on 16/4/2016.

As you can imagine, the implication of this compromise is extra travel and time spent on the nationals and due to this, and the date changes last year, this will be the last time that we will allow

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a postal National Championships, as it seems that when bending back to accommodate shooters the requirements for the venues and dates must be set to accommodate as they see fit. Going forward our National Championship will be a single venue single date event for short range details.

Remember, the **AGM will be held on 9 April 2016 at the Good Hope Shooting Range**. If you can not attend, please complete a Proxy Vote and forward it to the secretary so that your vote can be heard.

Kind regards

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<p><b>Proxy Vote:</b></p> <p>I, ....., with SABU number ....., is a paid up member of the ..... Shooting Club and the Black Powder Shooting Union.</p> <p>I hereby nominate:</p> <p>.....</p> <p>to vote on my behalf for the election of the Management Committee, changes in the Constitution and any other matters on the agenda at the BPSU AGM to be held at the Good Hope Shooting Range, Atlantis, on 9 April 2016.</p> <p>.....</p> <p>.....</p> <p>Signed <span style="float: right;">Date</span></p>
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