

2018 October 21 - Atlantic Highpower/ Fullbore Planning Meeting

In attendance:

NB - Ron Surette, Don Coleman, Ken Kyle, Adam McDonald, Dan Chisholm, Paul Bastarache

NS - John Marshall, Barry Langille, Bill Giles, Evangeline Colman-Sadd, Braden Colman-Sadd

PEI - Chuck Bachmanek, Tyler Nichol, Dave Hanson

Chair - Dan Chisholm, minutes - Evangeline Colman-Sadd

2017 Minutes

Approved as circulated - Chuck Bachmanek moved, Bill Giles seconded

Reports

2018 Mini PALMA

Discussed error in dates between Canadian and American team. Managed to get 7 team members with one person shooting twice for 8 scores.

Dan Chisholm provided an overview of the Mini-PALMA. Canadians did not have sufficient TR shooters. Both teams agreed to accept F-class shooters, firing on F-class targets, as equivalent to TR. Good to remember for the future if this should arise again.

PEI Sporter Class - Dave Hanson:

- Used Ontario rules which DCRA has
- Factory barrel and stock, can be bedded
- Any rest
- Shoot on TR target
- No restriction on bullets, any calibre

2019 Schedule

Inter-Maritime and British Team - June 15 & 16 Nova Scotia to host, Gord Holloway has trophies, NS to arrange with Gord to make sure the trophies are in NS for the matches

NS APM - June 21-23 Bull Meadows (moved from traditional date of third weekend of July due to number of NS shooters planning to travel to Bisley in July 2019)

Eastern F-Class - June 28-June 30 Batoche

NB APM - July 20-21

PEI APM - July 27-28

Ottawa Nationals: F-class August 14-16, TR August 16-24

Atlantics Aug 31-Sept 2: PEI to host, to be combined with Mini-PALMA (see below for further info)

Mini-PALMA:

- Each association contributes \$150 - \$450 in total
- It was noted there can be costs associated with hosting the mini-PALMA
- Possibility of co-hosting Atlantics and Mini-PALMA was discussed.
 - Decided to hold Atlantics Saturday/ Sunday (full-day both days rather than starting at noon on Saturday as in some years). Mini-PALMA on Monday. This will allow American shooters to shoot Atlantics if they wish.
 - The Canadian team is decided based on how shooters score at Atlantics. Since the Mini-PALMA will be the day after Atlantics, it was suggested any individuals who don't make Mini-PALMA team shoot on separate targets and be scored as individual shooters. The

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group discussed and agreed that the Mini-PALMA requires four targets - 2 for each team. One or more additional e-targets could easily be set up to permit individual shooters. This way, everyone can shoot all 3 days. As host province, PEI will decide whether to award prizes, outside of the Mini-PALMA prizes, for the highest scoring individual shooters.

- Not practical to do gift exchange with the American team because we won't know who is on the team until the night before.
- Mini-PALMA team captain - John Marshall: Barry Langille nominated, Paul Bastarache seconded

Appointment of DCRA Team Captain - Ottawa

- Captain of provincial match and London Merchant match
- Traditionally an 8-shooter match
- Past couple of years it was a 4-shooter match
- There was some discussion of how difficult it has been to put together a team. Whether to enter a team was also discussed.
- Decision - not appointing team captain at this time. If shooters in Ottawa at Nationals want to have a team, they can do so at that time.

Old Business

Costs of hosting Inter-Maritime match

- Item deferred from 2017 meeting
- Decision to leave as is. Hosting province bears costs.

2017 motion re viewing other competitor's plotting screen to be considered cheating

- No plotting feature on current e-target system so this is no longer an issue

E-targets - what should happen when a shot doesn't register

- Currently, the practice varies on an individual match basis.
- Discussed whether we should have a Maritime-wide rule.
- Decided not have a standard rule at this time.

Trophies

- Inter-Maritime - think Gordon Holloway has, Adam/ Evangeline to confirm
- Evangeline (NS) has Atlantics
- Mini-PALMA - Americans have and will bring to 2019 match
- Inter-Maritime and British Team Match, Atlantics trophies all to be passed along at APM, already engraved
 - All Provinces should take note of this and bring any trophies in their possession to the 2019 Highpower meeting.

New Business

None

Adjournment - Moved by Chuck Bachmanek