

**HRC-Newsletter** 

"Inside the Safe"

October 2020

## <u>Michelle Pascoe Dinner</u> – Hahndorf Inn, Friday 16<sup>th</sup> October 6.30pm for 7pm start

We have booked the Hahndorf Inn on Friday night 16<sup>th</sup> October (6.30pm for a 7 pm start) to celebrate the winner of the Michelle Pascoe Trophy and our 156<sup>th</sup> year as a club.

There will be 2 meal courses and all are welcome to attend and mix with your fellow club members.

Please RSVP by Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> October by replying to the club email ( info@hahndorfrifleclub.org.au ) with numbers attending.

## New Safety Rules – AGM Motion Response

Following on from the motion moved at the recent AGM, the Committee has enacted the following rules for rifles and their use at the club for both Centrefire and Rimfire.

These new rules are to be followed in all situations (Competitions and Sighting in of rifles) whilst you are in attendance at the club and range.

## Centrefire & Rimfire Rifles

- All rifles transported to the club range are to have the bolts removed and stored out of the rifle action.
- Once you are at the range, the rifle is to be placed in the rifle bench racks.

- Once in the rifle bench racks, the rifle can have the bolt inserted into the rifle and a chamber flag inserted into the action chamber.
- At the commencement of the shooting detail, you will be instructed to take your rifle (with bolt open and chamber flag still in place) to the shooting booth with the muzzle pointed safely in the vertical position.
- When you are instructed, you will remove the chamber flag and be able to load your rifle and commence your firing sequence.
- At the conclusion of the firing sequence, you will remove any cartridge rounds from both the action and magazine and place the chamber flag into the action with the bolt open, ready for the rifle action and magazine to be inspected as being clear and safe.
- Once your rifle has been declared clear and safe, you will proceed back to the rifle bench area to store your rifle with the muzzle in the vertical position.

The Committee is organising for the sourcing of chamber flags for both Rimfire and Centrefire rifles for sale to members who do not have their own chamber flags.

These new rules are non-negotiable and will be strictly enforced. Non-compliance will see you asked to leave the range.

## Remembrance Day Shoot - Saturday 14th November

The club is holding a Remembrance Day shoot with sighting in at 9.30am and start at 10am.

A flyer will be emailed out regarding the event soon.

If you have any queries or comments please feel free to email them through to the Committee.

The HRC Committee