



## 6.2. State Shooting Championship

There were 4 Clubs/Regions Qualifying Shooting Competitions held recently.

Results were conveyed to PFA following the Victorian State Shooting Championship finals held at Camberwell Petanque Club on Saturday 25 March. The full set of results were conveyed to PFA are attached as Appendix 1. The awards for the best shooters across Australia are to be made at the Australian National Championships to be held at Novar Gardens on 6-10 April.

## 6.3. Victorian Championship Doubles

This tournament was held on Sunday 26 February and attracted 14 Teams into the Men's 60+ Event, 17 into Men's Open Event and a combined Women's Open and Women's 60+ field of 9 Teams. The full results are on the MyPetanque website. VPCI thanks the Weird Entertainers & Petanque Club for hosting this Tournament.

## 6.4. Victorian Championship Singles

This tournament was held on Sunday 26 March and attracted 17 Players into the Men's 60+ Event, 16 into Men's Open Event and a combined Women's Open and Women's 60+ field of 11 Players. The full results are on the MyPetanque website. VPCI thanks the Camberwell Petanque Club for hosting this Tournament.

## 6.5. Payment of Player Fees

Over the period that many Calendar Events were not able to take place due to the COVID-19 pandemic, VPCI waived the fees on Clubs hosting Calendar Events previously used to pay Umpires, and other expenses. However, as more normal conditions have prevailed for around 6 months now, it was Minuted at the VPCI Committee Meeting on Monday 26 February that VPCI will now be reintroducing a fee at all Calendar Events based on Player numbers in order to fund the payment of Umpires and other expenses: as of 1 March 2023, the Host Club at a Calendar Events will be charged \$2.00 per adult player.

We would ask all Clubs to forward the appropriate amount to the VPCI bank account (details on the VPCI website home page) as soon as possible after their Event has closed. A number of Clubs have done this very promptly, a couple have not. Please pay this modest amount each time you run a Club-hosted Calendar Event.

## 7. Other Business

### 7.1. Current Umpires

The full list of accredited Umpires is found on the VPCI website on the Umpires page. Again, VPCI thanks Guy and David for their efforts in this regard, and all the players who have stepped up into this role.

### 7.2. VPCI Documents Review

The following documents on the VPCI website on the Documents page have been reviewed and updated:

(a) **VPCI Policy Championship Events:** The status of Players eligible to play has been clarified.

(b) **VPCI Extreme Weather Guidelines:** The temperature at which games will cease was clarified.

Other VPCI policy documents will be reviewed in future VPCI Committee Meetings.

### 7.3. Any Other Business

(a) **Added Tournament:** Following a request from WHRPC, it was agreed to add a "Spring has Sprung" Tournament to the Victorian Calendar for the 4 Thursdays in September, 7, 14, 21 & 28.

(b) **Reserve Teams:** It was agreed that a Team registered in MyPetanque for a Victorian Club-Hosted Event, including Championship Tournaments, that is 'incomplete' by having a Player noted as "To Be Advised" will be changed to a Reserve Team when and if the Event is oversubscribed. This will take place from 1 June this year.

**7.4. Authorised Expenditure**

There were no future expenses authorised.

**8. Date of Next Committee Meeting**

The next VPCI Meeting will be held on a date to be decided upon in early June 2023

The meeting closed at 8.15 pm.

Signed:

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Aileen Hebblethwaite  
President

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Peter Wells  
Secretary

(Date) -----

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## Appendix 1

### **Victorian Shooting Championships – Results**

VPCI recently ran the 2023 Victoria Shooting Championships. This Event was run as 2 Qualifying Rounds on a Club or Regional basis, followed by a Finals series conducted on Saturday 25 March 2023 at Camberwell Petanque Club. The full results are as follows:

#### **MEN – OPEN**

##### **Qualifying**

1st	Denis Masson	39 pts (but unable to play in the finals due to work commitments)
2nd	Frederic Vencatasamy	37 pts
3rd	Guillaume Ramond	32 pts (placed 3rd on a countback with 3 x 5 point shoots)
4th	Jessen Soomary	32 pts (placed 4th on a countback with 1 x 5 point shoots)

##### **Semi-Finals (1st vs 4th, and 2nd vs 3rd following Qualifying)**

1st	Jessen Soomary	18 pts
2nd	Frederic Vencatasamy	30 pts
3rd	Guillaume Ramond	11 pts
4th	Denis Masson	(unable to play, see above)

##### **Final (1st vs 2nd following the Semi-Finals)**

1st	Frederic Vencatasamy	24 pts
2nd	Jessen Soomary	14 pts

#### **MEN – 60+**

##### **Qualifying**

1st	Sary In	36 pts
2nd	Pierrot Lubin	32 pts
3rd	Richard Robinson	30 pts

##### **Semi-Finals (2nd vs 3rd)**

1st	Pierrot Lubin	23 pts
2nd	Richard Robinson	9 pts

##### **Final (Sary In vs 1st from the Semi-Finals)**

1st	Pierrot Lubin	30 pts
2nd	Sary In	29 pts

#### **WOMEN – OPEN**

##### **Qualifying**

1st	Ratana May	28 pts
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No other Women–Open competitor achieved the required qualifying score of 25 pts

#### **WOMEN – 60+**

No Women–60+ competitor achieved the required qualifying score of 25 pts

#### **JUNIORS**

##### **Qualifying**

1st	Tristan Boisezzon	16 pts
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No other Junior competitor achieved the required qualifying score of 15 pts