CLUB FEES FOR 2024 - 2025

Effective AGM 2024 to AGM to 2025

**FULL PAYMENT** 

Annual

Subs

250.00

125.00

125.00

150.00

187.50

62.50

125.00

62.50

**SARPA** 

Capitation

& Insurance

115.00

115.00

65.00

115.00

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65.00

65.00

Total<sup>3</sup>

**Annual** 

Subs

365.00

240.00

190.00

265.00

187.50

127.50

190.00

62.50

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Effective AGM 2024 to AGM to 2025

**6 MONTHLY PAYMENTS** 

Due Before 28 February 2025



STURT PISTOL AND SHOOTING CLUB INC.

#### **CLUB FEES FOR 2024 - 2025**

Effective AGM 2024 to AGM to 2025

# 6 MONTHLY PAYMENTS

Due Before 31 August 2024

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First Half Yearly Fee <b>\$</b>	SARPA Capitation & Insurance \$	First Half Yearly Surcharge \$	First <sup>3</sup> Half Yearly Subs \$		Second Half Yearly Fee <b>\$</b>	Second Half Yearly Surcharge \$	Second <sup>3</sup> Half Yearly Subs \$
125.00	115.00	5.00	245.00		125.00	5.00	130.00
62.50	115.00	5.00	182.50		62.50	5.00	67.50
62.50	65.00	5.00	132.50		62.50	5.00	67.50
75.00	115.00	5.00	195.00		75.00	5.00	80.00
93.75	0.00	5.00	98.75		93.75	5.00	98.75
31.25	65.00	5.00	101.25		31.25	5.00	36.25
62.50	65.00	5.00	132.50		62.50	5.00	67.50
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> If paying by EFT, notification of payment MUST be made to spscsubs@outlook.com

BSB: 105 136 Acct: 049 201 440

Membership

and

**Ordinary** 

Air Only<sup>1</sup>

Rifle Only<sup>1</sup>
(Joining Fee \$280)

**Family** 

Social (Nil)

**Junior** 

(nil)

**Absentee** 

(Joining Fee \$280)

(Joining Fee \$280)

(Joining Fee \$140)

(Joining Fee \$140)

(Joining Fee \$140)

Associate<sup>2</sup>

**Joining Fee** 

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# Capitation!

## What is it & Why do we have it?

SARPA is just one of the 7 State (or Territory) Associations affiliated with Pistol Australia. In turn, Pistol Australia is affiliated with Shooting Australia who are (again in turn) affiliated with the Olympic Federation.

## "So what?" I hear you ask.

The reason we are privileged to be granted a Firearms Licence to own firearms, is to create a sporting pathway in competitive pistol shooting for aspiring athletes to reach their pinnacle in shooting competitions which can include the Australia Cup, Oceania Games, the Commonwealth Games, World Championships and the Olympics Games.

Without this pathway there would be no reason for civilians to own firearms for sporting purposes.

### Where is this all leading?

SARPA (together with all the other State and Territory Associations) are obligated - due to their affiliation with Pistol Australia - to forward 60% of the Capitation Fee to Pistol Australia (which you paid as a part of your annual Club fees). These funds go towards funding Australian Teams to compete internationally on the world stage of shooting competitions. Without this pathway, there is simply no reason for civilians to own sporting firearms.

The balance of 40% is retained by SARPA to provide its affiliated Club's members with insurance - both personal and for the affiliated Club member's firearms (ie, during storage, transport and competition) to the value of \$12000.

By negotiation (by the individual with the Insurer), the insured value can be increased to an agreed amount for a very minimal additional amount.

The remainder of that 40% provides funding for FASAT Training which supports SARPA's Firearms and Safety Awareness Training (FASAT) instructors in assisting new members in obtaining their Firearms Licence.

It also reimburses Referees and Judges for their travel and accommodation expenses incurred for officiating at Open Competitions and State Titles.

A further portion of these funds provide training to potential Range Officers (for both Club and State level competitions), promoting our sport to the general public, and providing promotional activities to encourage new members into our sport of competitive target shooting.

There are also funds set aside for the Referee Council to provide courses in Holster Accreditation and for the State Coaching Council to provide training in competitive pistol shooting for affiliated Club members - from the "newbie" through to the "elite" competitor.

Finally, some funds are allocated to producing the **SARPA eNews** which all affiliated Club's members receive by email - or by alternative means if they do not have email access.

SARPA is managing our State's activities on a "shoe-string" budget – and without these activities there would almost certainly be no competitive shooting at any level in Australia.

# The Club Joining Fee ... why do we have one?

A Club "joining fee" is common in most community Clubs.

As new members join any Club for the first time they will not have contributed to that Club's existing infrastructure or amenities. Those amenities and infrastructure have been funded by previous Club members – not only the present day members but members from "day one" of that Club!

It is only fair and reasonably that a person joining a Club for the first time should contribute financially towards the amenities and infrastructure which the Club offers and has been paid for by Club members (both past and present).

At our Club your joining fee contributes to the existing facilities and infrastructure and to the further development of our Range facilities.

Plans are currently in place to build three new Ranges (Ranges 4, 5 and 6) at the eastern end of the existing Ranges 1, 2 and 3 - and there are also plans to also put in place a system of "returning targets" - initially on Ranges 2 and 3.

Returning targets are mounted on a system of wheels and tracks which at the press of a button, will automatically be transported back to the shooting bays on their tracks for scoring and patching.

This eliminates the need for our older members, indeed all our members, from having to walk down to the target line to score and patch their targets and has the additional benefit of being under cover – a real bonus in wet or very hot weather.