

LOTHIAN & BORDERS TARGET SHOOTING ASSOCIATION

WORLD CUP 2023-24 - FINAL RESULTS

In the first 'Family Final' we have ever had, David Simpson prevailed over his Dad Hugh but only after a tie-shoot. On his way to the final, David topped his qualifying group, beat David Stachan (Dunfermline) in the first KO round, then a disappointed serial winner Alasdair Horne (Balerno & Currie) in the Quarters, then last year's beaten finalist Robbie Campbell (Halkirk) in the Semi-final. Robbie overcame a tiring David Bremner (Watten) to take 3rd place this time. Alasdair actually topped the Averages list but shot his one poor card at the wrong time.

The Plate (for those knocked out in the first KO round) was won by Robin Thomson (Watsonians) who beat clubmate Nick Baker in the final. I think both Robin and Nick would agree that Nick rather threw it away with a 94 on his second card. The Bowl (for those who didn't qualify for the KO stage) was won by Paul Duxbury (Chobham) with John Campbell (Halkirk) in second. The semi-final of the Bowl was also a family affair, with John Campbell narrowly beating his young niece, Sophie.

The prizemoney, which hasn't changed for years, was upped by a fiver per place this time, so the winner now receives £30.

Bill Hamilton, 3rd March 2024

ROUND 1 - LEAGUE STAGE

GROUP 1

Name	Sc	Pt		Name	Sc	Pt
R Leather	6	0	v	L J Brown	3	2
P Richard	3	2	v	N Baker	4	0
R Leather	4	0	v	N Baker	3	2
P Richard	1	2	v	L J Brown	4	0
R Leather	7	0	v	P Richard	2	2
N Baker	4	0	v	L J Brown	2	2

Final League Table (*qualifiers in italics*)

Pos	Name	W	D	L	Pts	Agg
1	<i>P Richard</i>	3	0	0	6	6
2	<i>L J Brown</i>	2	0	1	4	9
3	<i>N Baker</i>	1	0	2	2	11
4	R Leather	0	0	3	0	17

GROUP 2

Name	Sc	Pt		Name	Sc	Pt
D Simpson	2	0	v	P Duxbury	4	2
D Bremner	2	2	v	J Godsell	5	0
D Simpson	3	0	v	J Godsell	3	2
D Bremner	6	2	v	P Duxbury	7	0
D Simpson	0	0	v	D Bremner	3	2
J Godsell	6	0	v	P Duxbury	4	2

Final League Table (*qualifiers in italics*)

Pos	Name	W	D	L	Pts	Agg
1	<i>D Simpson</i>	2	1	0	5	5
2	<i>D Bremner</i>	2	0	1	4	11
3	P Duxbury	1	0	2	2	15
4	J Godsell	0	1	2	1	14

GROUP 3

Name	Sc	Pt		Name	Sc	Pt
L Thomson	3	0	v	R Dove	2	2
H Simpson	1	2	v	D Strachan	4	0
L Thomson	2	0	v	D Strachan	2	2
H Simpson	3	2	v	R Dove	4	0
L Thomson	0	0	v	H Simpson	4	2
D Strachan	3	0	v	R Dove	8	2

Final League Table (*qualifiers in italics*)

Pos	Name	W	D	L	Pts	Agg
1	<i>H Simpson</i>	2	0	1	4	8
2	<i>L Thomson</i>	1	1	1	3	5
3	<i>D Strachan</i>	1	1	1	3	9
4	R Dove	1	0	2	2	14

GROUP 4

Name	Sc	Pt		Name	Sc	Pt
J G Campbell	4	0	v	I Burton	3	2
R R Simpson	3	2	v	R B Campbell	2	0
J G Campbell	4	0	v	R B Campbell	2	2
R R Simpson	0	2	v	I Burton	4	0
J G Campbell	2	0	v	R R Simpson	1	2
R B Campbell	3	0	v	I Burton	4	2

Final League Table (*qualifiers in italics*)

Pos	Name	W	D	L	Pts	Agg
1	<i>R B Campbell</i>	3	0	0	6	7
2	<i>R R Simpson</i>	2	0	1	4	4
3	<i>I Burton</i>	1	0	2	2	11
4	J G Campbell	0	0	3	0	10

GROUP 5

Name	Sc	Pt		Name	Sc	Pt
K Nixon	5	0	v	S Campbell	4	2
A S Bruce	3	2	v	R Thomson	3	0
K Nixon	4	0	v	R Thomson	1	2
A S Bruce	1	2	v	S Campbell	3	0
K Nixon	4	0	v	A S Bruce	1	2
R Thomson	3	0	v	S Campbell	5	2

Final League Table (*qualifiers in italics*)

Pos	Name	W	D	L	Pts	Agg
1	<i>A S Bruce</i>	2	1	0	5	5
2	<i>R Thomson</i>	2	1	0	5	7
3	S Campbell	1	0	2	2	12
4	K Nixon	0	0	3	0	13

GROUP 6

Name	Sc	Pt		Name	Sc	Pt
J R Brown	3	0	v	C Stirling	4	2
A Horne	0	2	v	A R Anderson	4	0
J R Brown	3	0	v	A R Anderson	5	2
A Horne	1	2	v	C Stirling	5	0
J R Brown	5	0	v	A Horne	2	2
A R Anderson	2	0	v	C Stirling	1	2

Final League Table (*qualifiers in italics*)

Pos	Name	W	D	L	Pts	Agg
1	<i>A Horne</i>	3	0	0	6	3
2	<i>J R Brown</i>	2	0	1	4	11
3	<i>C Stirling</i>	1	0	2	2	10
4	A R Anderson	0	0	3	0	11

The top two in each group plus the four best 3rd-placers qualify for the KO Stage. The others compete in the Bowl competition.

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ROUND 2 - KNOCK-OUT STAGE

(Winners in italics)

First round	1	2	T
<i>D Simpson</i>	1	0	0
D Strachan	3	5	8
L J Brown	3	3	6
<i>L Thomson</i>	1	0	1
<i>H Simpson</i>	0	2	2
C Stirling	4	0	4
<i>R B Campbell</i>	1	3	4
N Baker	4	4	8
<i>D Bremner</i>	3	2	5
J R Brown	5	4	9
<i>P Richard</i>	3	2	5
I Burton	6	5	11
<i>A S Bruce</i>	1	2	3
R R Simpson	2	5	7
<i>A Horne</i>	1	0	1
R Thomson	3	1	4

Quarter finals	1	2	T
<i>H Simpson</i>	0	2	2
A S Bruce	1	3	4

<i>D Bremner</i>	1	1	2
P Richard	2	1	3

L Thomson	3	2	5
<i>R B Campbell</i>	2	2	4

<i>D Simpson</i>	2	2	4
A Horne	2	4	6

Semi-final 1	1	2	T
<i>H Simpson</i>	1	4	5
D Bremner	5	2	7

Semi-final 2	1	2	T
<i>R B Campbell</i>	3	3	6
D Simpson	2	2	4

Final	1	2	T
H Simpson	1	4	5
Tie			3
<i>D Simpson</i>	3	2	5
Tie			2

3rd/4th Place	1	2	T
D Bremner	3	5	8
<i>R B Campbell</i>	1	1	2

Final places:	1st	D Simpson	Wick Old Stagers	Trophy, Replica, Medal & £30
	2nd	H Simpson	Wick Old Stagers	Medal & £20
	3rd	R B Campbell	Halkirk	Medal & £15
	4th	D Bremner	Watten	Medal & £10

PLATE COMPETITION (For those knocked out in the first KO round)

Quarter finals	Scr
D Strachan	4
<i>L J Brown</i>	1
C Stirling	4
<i>N Baker</i>	3
J R Brown	9
<i>I Burton</i>	4
R R Simpson	3
<i>R Thomson</i>	2

Semi-finals	Scr
L J Brown	4 (7)
<i>N Baker</i>	4 (4)

I Burton	5
<i>R Thomson</i>	4

Final	1	2	T
N Baker	1	6	7
<i>R Thomson</i>	3	3	6

Figures in brackets are regauge scores

1st	R Thomson	Watsonians	'Hamilton Plate' & Medal
2nd	N Baker	Watsonians	Medal

BOWL COMPETITION (For those who did not qualify for the first KO round from the Group stage)

Quarter finals	Scr
<i>P Duxbury</i>	3
R Leather	4
R Dove	7
<i>J Godsell</i>	2
<i>J G Campbell</i>	3
A R Anderson	4
<i>S Campbell</i>	3
K Nixon	4

Semi-finals	Scr
<i>P Duxbury</i>	4
J Godsell	6

J G Campbell	3
<i>S Campbell</i>	4

Final	1	2	T
<i>P Duxbury</i>	4	1	5
J G Campbell	5	3	8

1st	P Duxbury	Chobham	'Buchanan Quaich' & Medal
2nd	J G Campbell	Halkirk.	Medal