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1st Hunting Rifle Shooting in Namibian History to be hosted in the Gobabis District

97 participants travelled over the weekend to the farm Walmaine in the Gobabis District to shoot the 2nd leg of the NHRSA competitions for the year 2017.

After the 6 ranges were set up on Friday evening heavy showers and winds caused a one hour delay on Saturday morning as some targeted flew away.

All participants including a record nr of entries in the penkoppe class (shooters under the age of 11) there were 6 different ranges.

The 1st range was Stein buck on 160m with a hay bale, with a distance of 150m the participants aimed at the Impala standing with a 3leg shooting sticks. On the 3rd range the Oryx were waiting at 200m with short synthetic shooting sticks in a kneeling position. Range 4 with long synthetic shooting stick was the short Gong range, between 150-250m. The long gong range with 180-325m was range 5; there the shooter had a wood cross on a trailer. The last range no 6 was zebras over a water hole at 175m lying.

After a long day shooting the winners of the day are as follows:

Penkoppe under 11: 1st – Joubert Engelbrecht, 2nd - Hanre Cocklin, 3rd – Christiaan Engels

Junior: 1st Jean de Schmid, 2nd Christiaan de Schimd

Ladies class were as follows: 1st Place Cornel van der Westhuizen, 2nd Karola Woortman and 3rd Niela Engels.

In the men class Francois Marias jnr walked away with his second win of the season. 2nd place Johan Engelbrecht, 3rd place Johannes (Wittes) Marias.

Seniors: 1st Johannes Gert van der Wath, 2nd Louw van Zyl, 3rd Andre Toit

Veterans: 1st Place Francois Blaauw, 2nd Hermann Kessler, 3rd Casper Janse van Rensburg

Overall Winner of the competition was Gold Medal Francois Marais Jnr, Silver Medal Johan Engelbrecht, and Bronze Medal Johannes Gert van der Wath.

Herewith we would like to thank all our sponsors that support us, without them the competitions are not possible. A big thank goes out to Pupkewitz, Agra Gobabis, Butt Archery Supplies as well as the owner of Walmaine Mr W Kinear for allowing us to host the competition on his farm.

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The next and 3rd leg of NHRSA competition will be in Roshpina on the 29th of April. This is always one of our highlistes on the calendar. Everyone welcome to register online under www.nhrsa.com