

NZCTA DTL HALL OF FAME

Inductees

2009	Duncan Fraser
2009	John Thomson
2009	Charles Hartley
2010	Richard Arnst
2010	Jim McKenzie
2010	John Woolley
2011	Ernest R King
2011	Ernie Groome
2011	Ray Everett
2012	Sam Anderson
2012	Doug Wareham
2012	Gavin Searle
2013	Harry Clinch
2013	Murray Pratt
2013	Parry North
2014	Andrew Dobson
2014	Nick Bossad
2014	CF Gunn
2015	Henry Grennell
2015	Bevan Begg
2015	Rex Everett
2016	Stan Marston
2016	Colin Streeter
2016	Alf Walker
2017	Keith Livingstone
2019	Jonathan Beddis
2022	Neil Pratt



See profiles below

Mr Duncan Fraser .

1864 – 1939

Mr Duncan Fraser 1st “Hall of Fame” inductee.

Achievements:

1906 - NZ Live Pigeon Champion.

1908 - NZ Single Rise Champion.

1909 - NZ Single Rise Champion.

1911 - NZ Single Rise Champion.

1920 - NZ Single Rise Champion.

Duncan Fraser married Margaret McLeod in 1892; they had a son Donald Fraser.

Donald was the National Champion 1910 Live Sparrow (at age 16) beating his father into second place!

Duncan and Donald were both associated with the Te Kuiti Gun Club.

Duncan held world record in live pigeon shooting 59 from 60 birds, from 33 yards

Duncan Fraser was also a C.A.C representative.

Duncan Fraser competed in Australia in 1906 at NSW Gun club.



Mr John Thomson.

Mr John Thomson 2nd “Hall of Fame” inductee.

Achievements:

1963 - NZ National High Gun.

1964 - NZ Skeet Champion.

1964 - Australian Point Score Champion.

1966 - NZ Single Rise Champion.

1968 - NZ Single Barrel Champion.

1970 - NZ Skeet Champion.

1971 - NZ Single Barrel Champion

1972 - NZ Single Barrel Champion.

1978 - NZ Mini's Champion.

1980 - NZ High Gun.

1990 - NZ Single Barrel Champion. (4th time @ 67 years old)

John achieved 15 Island titles and most notable;

- 1966 x 116 first Barrels to win NZ National beating Mal Fuller Aust.
 - 1973 member first ever; NZ ISU team to World Champs Melbourne.
 - First person NZ to shoot 200 straight in skeet.
 - First person to shoot 200 straight in skeet one match (216 with RW Gunn)
 - 20 plus times in Mackintosh Team, 2 x Mackintosh High Gun.
 - Only NZ competitor to win the NZ Single Barrel back to back.
- John was married, Mary, they had 4 children Lyndsey, Darryl, Brian and Neil.



Mr Charles Hartley.

Mr Charles Hartley - 3rd "Hall of Fame" inductee.

Achievements:

- 1962 - NZ Single Rise Champion.
- 1963 - NZ Double Rise Champion.
- 1966 - Australian High Gun.
- 1967 - NZ Double Rise Champion.
- 1969 - NZ Single Barrel Champion.
- 1969 - NZ High Gun.
- 1975 - NZ Double Rise Champion

Charles achieved 2 x Island titles.

- 14 times in the Mackintosh Team and 4 x Mackintosh High Gun (1955, 1956, 1957 and 1962.).
- Charlie was a member of Tauranga Gun Club 1946 – 2009.
- Charlie shot the 2005 Nationals at 79 years old and won four of the super veteran titles that year.
- Charlie last competed nationally at the 2009 National DTL at 83 years old.



Mr Richard (Dick) Arnst.
1883 - 1953

Mr Richard Arnst 4th "Hall of Fame" inductee.

Achievements:

1926 - NZ Live Pigeons.

1928 - NZ Live Pigeons.

1930 - NZ Sparrows.

1932 - NZ Single Rise Champion.

Dick Arnst was an extremely talented sports person with origins in Christchurch, NZ. Dick was an exceptional cyclist 1903 he competed Sydney to Wornabool road race finishing fifth, his cycling career culminating in 1906 winning the "Sydney 1000" the richest road race in the world at that time.

1908 Dick took up Sculling he became World Champion and held that title 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912 and again 1921 and 1922. These races were held in NZ and Australia except 1910 was on the Zambesi River South Africa.

Dick took up trapshooting after his Sculling career came to an end.

Richard Arnst was inducted into: The NZ Sports Hall of Fame in 1995.



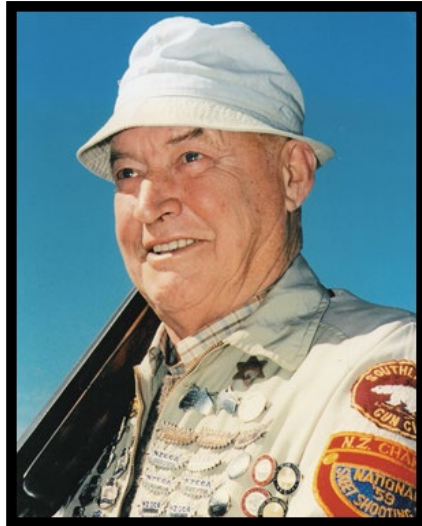
Mr Jim McKenzie.

Mr Jim McKenzie 5th "Hall of Fame" inductee.

Achievements:

- 1952 - NZ Sparrows (live).
- 1952 - NZ Single Rise Champion.
- 1956 - NZ Single Rise Champion.
- 1957 - NZ Skeet Champion.
- 1959 - NZ Skeet Champion.
- 1960 - NZ High Gun Champion.
- 1960 - Australian "Champion of Champions"
- 1961 - NZ Skeet Champion.
- 1962 - Australian Point score Champion.
- 1962 - NZ High Gun
- 1963 - NZ Skeet Champion
- 1964 - NZ Single Barrel Champion
- 1965 - NZ High Gun Champion
- 1968 - NZ Mini's Champion
- 1969 - NZ Skeet Champion
- 1972 - NZ Ball Trap Champion (1st time competed for)
- 1973 - NZ Single Barrel Champion
- 1978 - NZ Skeet Champion
- 1980 - NZ Skeet Champion
 - 13 Island titles and
 - 9 National title runner-ups.

Jim McKenzie married to Dorothy McEwan 1948, they had two children Annette and Robert.



Mr John Woolley.

Mr John Woolley 6th “Hall of Fame” inductee.

Achievements:

1977 - NZ Skeet Champion

1977 - NZ High Gun Champion.

1980 - NZ Point Score Champion.

1981 - NZ Skeet Champion.

1982 - NZ Single Rise Champion.

1982 - NZ Skeet Champion

1982 - NZ Ball Trap Champion (tied)

1987 - NZ Mini's Champion.

1988 - NZ Double Rise Champion

1989 - NZ Skeet Champion.

1991 - NZ Mini's Champion.

1996 - NZ Ball Trap Champion

2004 - NZ Skeet Champion

8 Island titles and 8 National title runner-ups.

Notable beyond qualification criteria for this “Hall of Fame”;

NZ ISU Skeet Champion 1976, 1977, 1978, 1987.

Commonwealth Games “Gold” medallist in 1978 (Edmonton) and 1982 (Brisbane).

Commonwealth Games (Team Bronze) 1986

1988 - NZ Sporting Clay National Champion.

Plus NZ record holder “ISU Skeet” 217 x 217 shot in Seoul.

NZ representative ISU; 1975 Munich, 1976 Montreal, 1983 Canada,

1984 Los Angeles, 1984 Mexico, 1988 Seoul.



Mr E.R King - (Ernest Rudolph King).
Died late 1940`s (aged in his 70`s)

Mr Ernest King - 7th "Hall of Fame" inductee.

Achievements:

1912 - NZ Single Rise Champion.

1912 - NZ Live Sparrows.

1915 - NZ Single Rise Champion.

Ernest King had a long association with the Waihi Gun Club.

Historic records of the Waihi gun club show Ernest King as having numerous successes within our sport around the local area.

He and his wife had two sons, Ses and Laurie King. Ernest was the local butcher and owned a butcher shop in Waihi.

Ses King attended the Waihi club's 75th Jubilee celebration.

Mr Peter King (Ernest's Grandson) travelled from Perth to receive the "Hall of Fame" medal on behalf of the family at the presentation evening.



Mr Ernie Groome.

Mr Ernie Groome - 8th "Hall of Fame" inductee.

Achievements:

1919 - NZ Live Sparrows.

1925 - NZ Live Pigeon.

1929 - NZ Single Rise Champion.

1929 - Runner – up Live Pigeon.

1937 - N Z Single Rise Champion.

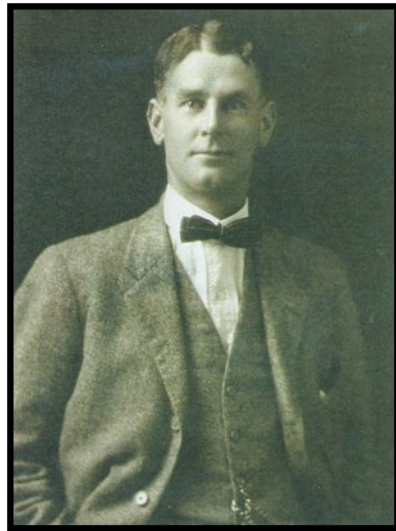
1938 - Runner – up All Three! (Live pigeon- live sparrow – s/rise)

Ernie Groome travelled widely and competed internationally in England; spare a thought for the difficulties of International travel back then!

Ernie had three children; Mick Groome, Ms Tiny White, Janet Armstrong.

Ernie took a great interest in encouraging and teaching others in our sport.

Ernie was also a bit of a poet and through this he imparted his philosophy on our sport and how to measure success.



Mr Ray Everett.

Mr Ray Everett- 9th "Hall of Fame" inductee.

Achievements:

1981 - NZ Single Rise Champion.

1981 - NZ Points score Champion.

1994 - NZ Double Rise Champion.

1996 - NZ Points Score Champion.

1997 - NZ Triples Champion.

1998 - NZ Points Score Champion.

1998 - NZ High Gun.

2001 - NZ Skeet Champion.

2005 - NZ Triples Champion.

2013- NZ Points Score Champion

International Titles:

2000 - Australian Single Barrel Champion.

2005 - Australian Single Barrel Champion.

NZ Runner- up;

1991 & 2008 - NZ Double Rise.

1994 & 1996 - NZ Skeet.

- Winner of 24 various Island titles, both North and South.
- NZ Mackintosh and Glenn cup team member numerous times.
- 1 x NZ Mackintosh Team high gun.



Mr Sam Anderson.
Died 1979.

Mr Sam Anderson- 10th “Hall of Fame” inductee.

Achievements:

1930 - NZ Single Rise Champion.

1932 - NZ Live Sparrow Champion.

1932 - NZ Live Pigeon Champion.

Sam Anderson farmed in the Methven area and shot at the Methven Gun Club.

Historic records show numerous achievements by Sam Anderson particularly around the clubs within the Methven / Ashburton area.



Mr Doug Wareham.
(Douglas Gilliam Wareham)
1917 - 2001.

Mr Doug Wareham- 11th "Hall of Fame" inductee.

Achievements:

1949 - NZ Skeet Champion.

1953 - NZ Skeet Champion.

1953 - NZ Double Rise Champion.

1954 - NZ Skeet Champion.

1958 - NZ Skeet Champion.

1960 - NZ Skeet Champion.

1965 - Runner – up NZ High Gun.

Winner of 8 North Island Titles and 11 South Island Titles.



Mr Gavin Searle.

Mr Gavin Searle- 12th "Hall of Fame" inductee.

Achievements:

National Titles;

1981 - NZ High Gun.

1986 - NZ Skeet Champion.

2000 - NZ Single Rise Champion.

1982 - NZ Ball Trap Champion.

2000 - NZ Mini Champion.

2000 - NZ High Gun.

2001 - NZ Single Rise Champion.
2003 - NZ Ball Trap Champion.
2003 - NZ Points Score Champion
2006- NZ Single Rise Champion.
2010 - NZ High Gun.
2013 - NZ Single Rise Champion

NZ Runner – up;

1985 - NZ Ball Trap.
1990 - NZ Double Rise.
1991 - NZ Minis.
2000 - NZ Ball Trap.
2006 - NZ High Gun.

2015 – NZ Double Rise

International Titles;

2002 - Runner – up DTL World Champion.

2004 - Australian Double Rise Champion.

2013 - Australian Points Score Champion.

Winner of 37 various North Island and South Island Titles.

Notable achievements not part of Hall of Fame Criteria;

2000 - NZ Trench Champion.

2000 - NZ Double Trap Champion.

- 26 NZ Mackintosh Team and NZ Glen Cup Team numerous times.
- 3 x NZ Mackintosh Team High Gun.

2001 – NZ Ball Trap
2003 - NZ Double Rise Champion.
2004 - NZ Single Rise Champion.
2007 - NZ Mini Champion.
2012 - NZ High Gun.
2018 – NZ Ball Trap Champion

1989 - NZ Ball Trap.
1990 - NZ Single Rise.
1998 - NZ Skeet.
2004 - NZ Ball Trap.
2007 - NZ Single Rise.



***Achieved after induction**

Mr Harry (Henry) Clinch

1876 - 1956

Mr Harry Clinch - 13th "Hall of Fame" inductee.

Achievements:

1922 - NZ Live Sparrows.

1923 - NZ Single Rise Champion.

1929 - NZ Live Pigeon.

Harry Clinch had a long association with the Huntly Gun Club.

Harry was one of two brothers, Herbert his brother also won one national title and Harry was runner – up to him in this event.

Harry owned the local butcher shop in Huntly.

Historic records of the Huntly gun club show Harry Clinch as having numerous successes within our sport around the local area and open competitions throughout New Zealand.



Mr Murray Pratt 1886 – 1980

Mr Murray Pratt- 14th “Hall of Fame” inductee.

Achievements:

1930 - NZ Live Pigeons.

1931 - NZ Single Rise Champion.

1933 - NZ Live Sparrows.

1935 - NZ Live Sparrows.

1939 - NZ Champion of Champions (Wanganui).

1946 - NZ Live Sparrows.

1950 - NZ Live Sparrows. (Aged 64)

NZ Runner – up: 5 occasions.

- Won 8 x North Island Titles.
- Formed the Otorohanga Rod and Gun Club 1919.
- Life member Hamilton gun club 1920 – 1980.
- Held NZ record single rise 368 for 30 years until broken by Charley Hartley in 1969.



Mr D. P. (Parry) North

Mr Parry North - 15th "Hall of Fame" inductee.

Achievements:

1937 - NZ Live Sparrows.
1939 - NZ Live Pigeons.
1948 - NZ Live Pigeons.
1949 - NZ Live Sparrows.
1949 - NZ Live Pigeons.
1949 - NZ Double Rise.
1949 - NZ Single Rise Champion.
1951 - NZ Live Sparrows.
1951 - NZ Live Pigeons.
1953 - NZ Live Pigeons.
1955 - NZ Skeet Champion.

NZ Runner – up: 1950 NZ Skeet.

International Runner – up: x 1.

- Won Numerous North Island Titles.
- Only shooter in NZ history to win "All 4" National titles at one event.
- Hailed from the Whangarei Gun Club.



Mr Andrew Dobson

Mr Andrew Dobson - 16th "Hall of Fame" inductee.

Achievements:

1921 - NZ Live Sparrows.
1921 - NZ Live Pigeon.
1922 - NZ Single Rise Champion.
1927 - NZ Live Pigeon.

- Andrew Dobson was a past president of the "New Zealand Trapshooting Association".
- Andrew Dobson competed regularly around the Waikato and Thames area



Mr Nick Bossad

Mr Nick Bossad - 17th "Hall of Fame" inductee.

Achievements:

1931 - NZ Live Pigeons.

1961 - NZ Double Rise Champion.

1961 - NZ High Gun.

Nick Bossad was a member of the "Huntly Gun Club"

Nick competed widely around the Waikato region.



Mr C.F. (Bricky) Gunn.

Mr C F (Bricky) Gunn - 18th "Hall of Fame" inductee.

Achievements:

1964 - NZ Double Rise Champion.

1964 - NZ High Gun.

1965 - NZ Double Rise Champion.

1968 - NZ Double Rise Champion.

1968 - NZ High Gun.

1975 - NZ Skeet Champion.

1979 - NZ Skeet Champion.

NZ Runner – up:

1969 - NZ High Gun.

1969 - NZ Single Barrel.

1974 - NZ Double Rise.

- Won 8 x North Island Titles.

“Bricky” C. F. Gunn was a member of the “Hawkes Bay Gun Club”

His brother “Digger” Gunn also held National titles but never qualified for “Hall of Fame” status.



Mr Henry (Harry) Grennell **1884 - 1981**

Mr Henry Grennell - 19th “Hall of Fame” inductee.

Achievements:

1929 - NZ Live Sparrows.

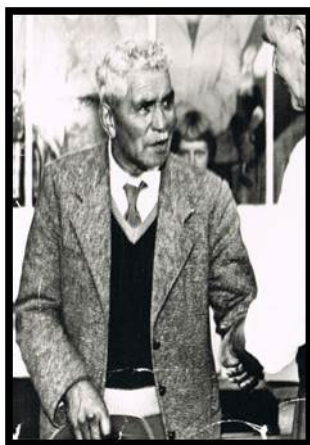
1934 - NZ Single Rise Champion.

1940 - NZ Double Rise Champion (inaugural winner).

While Henry won three National titles he also featured regularly in many of the other local competitions and teams events around the country.

Henry Grennell shot as a member of the Lyttelton Gun.

Henry was married to “Mary Tikao” and they lived around the Port Levy area, both were very involved in the local Maori community. Henry was the Postmaster at Port Levy 1926- 1940. Henry also set up a launch service between Port Levy and Lyttelton.



Mr Bevan Begg.

Mr Bevan Begg- 20th “Hall of Fame” inductee.

Achievements:

1955 - NZ Double Rise Champion.

1956 - NZ Double Rise Champion.

1956 - NZ Single Rise Champion.

1967 - NZ Mini Champion.

1966 - Runner up Australian Double Rise Champion (Warren Charlton)

Mr Bevan Begg lived and farmed in the Darfield area.

He was a member of the Kirwee Gun Club.

Bevan was very prominent in trapshooting results during this era, particularly around the Canterbury area.

Bevan travelled to the “Australian Nationals” on a number of occasions and was part of the first official “NZ Team” to compete at the Australian Nationals in 1966 at “Bankstown” Sydney.



Mr Rex Everett.

Mr Bevan Begg- 21st “Hall of Fame” inductee.

Achievements:

1987 - NZ Ball Trap Champion.

1990 - NZ Skeet Champion.

1992 - NZ Single Rise Champion.

1992 - NZ Triples Champion.

Runner –up:

1991 - NZ Ball Trap.

1992 - NZ Skeet.

Rex also won 10 Island titles.

Not recognised as part of the “Hall of Fame” criteria Rex also won;

The NZ Trench Championship title and numerous times he was a member of NZ Mackintosh teams, Glenn Cup and Glenn Trophy teams.



Mr Stan Marston.

Mr Stan Marston - 22nd "Hall of Fame" inductee.

Achievements:

1957 - NZ Double Rise Champion.

1957 - NZ National High Gun.

1958 - NZ Double Rise Champion.

Stan Marston was a life member of the Christchurch Gun Club.

Stan established the business S R Marston & co in Christchurch. This company was the "Winchester"

NZ Agent for a lengthy period of time.



Mr J C (Colin) Streeter.

Mr Colin Streeter - 23rd "Hall of Fame" inductee.

Achievements:

1959 NZ Double Rise Champion

1959 NZ Single Rise Champion

1959 NZ High Gun Champion



Mr Alf Walker.

Mr Alf Walker – 24th “Hall of Fame” inductee.

Achievements:

1965 NZ Mini Champion

1971 NZ High Gun Champion

1975 NZ High Gun Champion

Runner Up

1971 NZ Double Rise

1971 NZ Single Rise

1975 NZ Skeet

14 various North and South Island titles.

Mackintosh High Gun 3 times, 1968 with Jim McKenzie, 1971 with John Thomson, 1972 with Bricky Gunn.

1958 – Bert (father) and Alf were the first known Father and son to be in the Mackintosh team.



Mr Keith Livingstone.

Mr Keith Livingstone – 25th “Hall of Fame” inductee.

Achievements:

1984 NZ Points Score Champion

1984 NZ Double Rise Champion

1997 NZ Ball Trap Champion

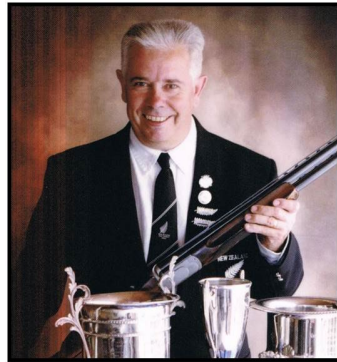
2000 NZ Single Barrel Champion

Runner Up

1983 NZ Single Rise

2002 Australian Double Rise
11 Various North and South Island titles.

Notable achievement beyond qualification criteria for this Hall of Fame:
NZCTA National President 2010 - 2013
Mackintosh Team member: numerous times.



Mr Jonathan Beddis.

Mr Jonathan Beddis – 26th “Hall of Fame” inductee.

Achievements:

National Titles

1989 - NZ Double Rise Champion
2007 - NZ Single Rise Champion
2012 - NZ Single Barrel Champion
2016 - NZ Ball Trap Champion
2018 - NZ Single Barrel Champion
2019 - NZ Single Rise Champion

1995 - NZ Double Rise Champion
2011 - NZ Single Barrel Champion
2013 - NZ High Gun
2018 - NZ Single Rise Champion
2019 - NZ Double Rise Champion

NZ Runner Up

2013 - NZ Single Rise
2014 - NZ Single Barrel
2015 - NZ Ball Trap
2019 - NZ High Gun

International Titles:

2014 - World DTL Champion
2018 - Runner up Australian High Gun

Winner of 16 various North and South Island Titles.

Notable Achievements:

- 14 NZ Mackintosh Team and Glenn Cup Team numerous times.
- Member NZ Mackintosh Junior Team



*Achieved after induction.

Mr Neil Pratt.

Mr Neil Pratt- 27th “Hall of Fame” inductee.

Achievements:

New Zealand Titles

2014 New Zealand Handicap by Distance

2015 New Zealand Ball Trap

2015 New Zealand Triples

2016 New Zealand Minis

2016 New Zealand Triples

NZ Runner- up:

2010 NZ Single Barrel

2011 NZ Triples

2015 NZ Minis

2017 NZ Minis

2017 NZ Double Rise

2017 NZ High Gun

- First time two family members inducted to Hall of Fame

Grandfather and Grandson

- 2008 Australia National Deauville Double Champion

With Jack Norwood – Score 60/60

- 7 times Mackintosh International Team Member
- Three times Waikato Sports Person of the Year



