



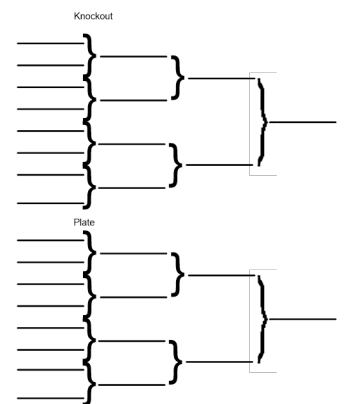
Wolwehoek Christmas shoot

6 December 2025

This year for the Christmas fun shoot we decided to do a cowboy style man v man (woman, child) knockout shoot. The competition consisted of three legs; revolver, lever action rifle and shotgun.



The revolver and rifle shoots consisted of a ram, a turkey, a pig, and a chicken for each shooter, with a meerkat in the centre. Competitors shot against each other in pairs in a knockout format; each starting with their respective ram, then moving inward to the meerkat in the centre. The one who shoots down the meerkat first is the winner of that matchup. The shotgun consisted of a normal crossing clay on "Pull" followed by a rabbit released "on report". This was followed after reloading two, by a simultaneous double from machines on either side of the shooter. If one shooter wins the revolver leg and then the other shooter wins the rifle, i.e. both have now 1 point each, the shotgun is the decider. Should both shooters hit the same number of clays then they keep shooting on the double clays until a winner is determined.



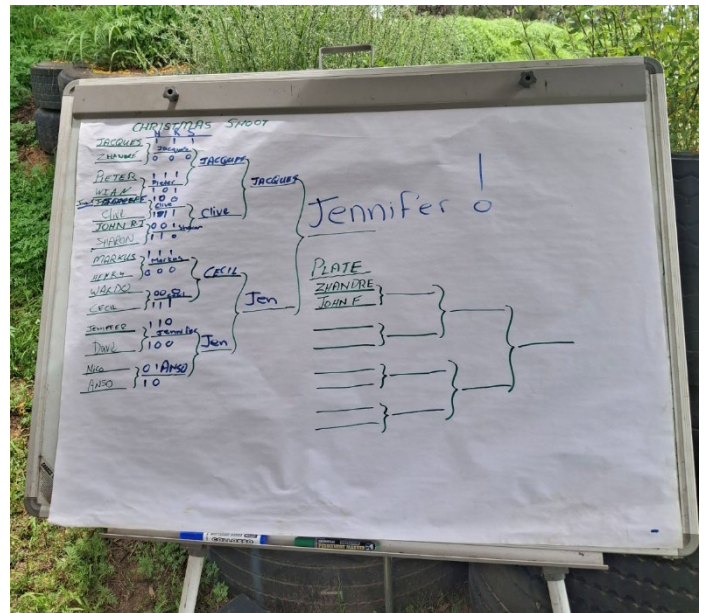
Those knocked out in the first round were supposed to shoot-out in a plate competition, but by the time we got to that, we all were too engaged in the main knockout competition rooting for favourites, that we gave the plate competition a miss.

In the second and third rounds shooters were allowed to agree together on which format; revolver, rifle or shotgun they wished to compete (in stead of doing all three legs again), none chose the revolver.

The shoot was a great deal of fun, even for the spectators who became quite invested in the challenges playing out in front of them.



The final was between Jacques Potgieter and Jennifer Henrico. They opted for the rifle shootout, Rossi .357mag.



Jennifer put some serious **heat** on Jacques,
not only did she hit all her targets with one

shot each and taking down the meerkat with one shot, she with her final shot took down Jacques' chicken, rubbing salt into the wound. It must be said though that her rifle was fitted with a red-dot optic sight which may (or may not) have given her an advantage.

After the shooting we retired to the club house for a welcomed refreshing adult beverages and American style hotdogs.

The entry fee for the shoot was a Christmas gift of a nominal value (+/- R100) and working back from the winner, Jennifer, through the field to come forward and choose a gift from the pile. Some of the gifts were really very nice.

This was the last organised shoot for the year, see you all on 10th January 2026 for our AGM.

God bless and have a geat celibration of our saviour's birth, Merry Christmas.