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DORSET LANDMARKS

Horton Tower

With the seemingly incessant wind and rain making wild Dorset cliff tops seem somewhat less than appealing; this month brings a change of theme.

Standing at seven floors and about 150' (45 mtrs) high the tower was built by the Lord of the Manor, Humphrey Sturt in 1750, and is believed to be the highest non-religious building in Britain at that time. Also known as Sturt's Folly, the reason for its original construction remains unclear, but was obviously of some importance to its builder.

The original domed roof has long since gone, which in turn resulted in all six timber floors rotting away. The tower is now open from top to bottom, with just a cage ladder providing access to the upper areas.. In recent years, the tower has become home to Vodaphone transmitter masts, presumably in exchange for ongoing maintenance works. Aerial photographs show a metal roof also probably installed by Vodaphone.

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The DSRPA also organize Gallery/Sport Rifle Leagues. If you're interested ask for your name to be added to the contact list for this discipline.

TEAM HANDICAP LEAGUES SUMMER 2012

10 Metre Pistol Teams

			H/cap	Average		Round 5						Round 6						Aggregate		
TEAM			%	Sub	New	1	2	3	Tot	H/Cap	Pts	1	2	3	Tot	H/Cap	Pts	Score	Pts	
DIVISION 1	1	Centurion TSC A	Leatherdale, Callaghan, McAndrew	68.46%	823.4	831	286	287	257	830	877.92	5	283	285	258	826	876.66	5	4986	30
	5	Cobo United ARC A	Hanca, Guillou, De La Fosse	78.00%	786.3	804	283	274	248	805	879.10	6	276	276	269	821	882.62	6	4821	29
	4	Hurn RPC A	Harris, Harris, Stacey	75.41%	799.2	806	272	282	254	808	877.38	4	276	274	248	798	874.92	1	4834	23
	2	Havant RPC A	Syms, Stanley, Alexander	68.60%	823.0	823	279	260	269	808	871.12	1	285	265	275	825	876.45	4	4940	20
	6	Dorchester RPC B	Ireland, Mitchell, Slade	78.67%	782.4	771	259	254	264	777	873.77	2	268	260	258	786	875.69	3	4627	13
	3	Dorchester RPC A	Maros, Macklin, Carter	75.16%	800.3	795	280	258	257	795	873.92	3	276	268	257	801	875.41	2	4767	11
DIVISION 2	5	Rossendale MSC B	B Stiles, N Robinson, G Radovic	87.73%	689.0	721	255	247	253	755	882.20	6	246	246	247	739	880.24	6	4325	31
	1	Dorchester RPC C	Thomas, Weschke, Drake	81.11%	766.1	771	250	260	254	764	874.30	4	261	253	253	767	874.87	3	4628	25
	6	Rossendale MSC A	R Stiles, J Radovic, Boucher	90.15%	635.0	659	225	239	233	697	880.00	5	220	232	236	688	879.11	5	3954	23
	2	Centurion TSC B	Robinson, Reeves, Reeves	83.55%	744.9	743	254	241	242	737	873.18	2	263	242	247	752	875.65	4	4458	19
	4	Rossendale MSC A	Gould, Stiles, Robinson	86.29%	712.0	714	251	216	243	710	873.96	3	247	241	209	697	872.18	2	4283	19
	3	Dorchester RPC D	Bound, Carter, Chitty	85.45%	723.4	706	251	249	0	500	841.81	1	255	244	0	499	841.66	1	3340	9

10 Metre Rifle Teams

			H/cap	Average		Round 5						Round 6						Aggregate		
TEAM			%	Sub	New	1	2	3	Tot	H/Cap	Pts	1	2	3	Tot	H/Cap	Pts	Score	Pts	
DIVISION 1	6	Centurion TSC A	Baldwin, Read, Elliott	80.01%	773.9	817	275	272	261	808	881.61	8	275	270	255	800	880.01	8	4902	48
	7	Dorchester RPC A	Thompson, Thomas, Drake	87.04%	700.6	730	255	240	238	733	878.36	7	262	242	200	704	874.61	4	4380	37
	5	Cobo United ARC C	Cohu, Mechem, King	76.64%	793.4	792	281	265	247	793	875.01	6	282	266	254	802	877.11	6	4749	30
	4	Highfield RPC A	Heads, Pitman, Adams	75.68%	798.0	796	277	278	227	782	871.30	4	281	284	245	810	878.11	7	4776	29
	2	Cobo United ARC A	Guillou, Guillou, Le Page	63.11%	835.8	830	278	277	265	820	870.49	2	273	274	276	823	871.60	3	4977	25
	3	Cobo United ARC B	Goubert, Ozanne, Mechem (J)	72.08%	812.3	802	277	260	271	808	874.31	5	272	271	272	815	876.27	5	4814	23
	8	Dorchester RPC B	Wigfall, Mitchell, Manels	92.24%	561.2	530	194	166	164	524	870.81	3	191	155	0	346	856.99	2	2992	18
	1	Telepost RPC A	Lewis, Griffiths, Carline	60.87%	840.0	822	284	269	0	553	764.22	1	282	268	0	550	763.04	1	3855	6

6 Yard Rifle Teams

			H/cap	Average		Round 5						Round 6						Aggregate		
TEAM			%	Sub	New	1	2	3	Tot	H/Cap	Pts	1	2	3	Tot	H/Cap	Pts	Score	Pts	
DIVISION 1	3	Telepost RPC A	Parkes, Thomas, Thompson	77.81%	787.3	832	277	281	276	834	885.36	4	278	270	280	828	884.03	3	4990	23
	1	ATEO Doveridge A	Mills, Longmore, Moffatt	59.76%	841.9	858	294	289	280	863	885.11	3	296	289	280	865	885.92	4	5148	19
	4	Centurion TSC A	Rogers, Perigo, Linhan	85.82%	718.6	739	254	244	264	762	880.43	2	259	248	260	767	881.14	2	4431	11
	2	ATEO Doveridge B	Hall, Elliott, Elliott	67.11%	826.9	824	286	286	261	833	877.97	1	281	281	259	821	874.02	1	4944	7