

Testimonial on the Level 1 RO Seminar 1st and 2nd March 2014

I attended the RO course with enough knowledge to be a fill in RO at a few 1 and 2 day competitions so I felt like I could handle the course. The opening Statement from Jim Staader “was welcome to the RO course now over the next couple of days you will be required to complete 7 exams”, well you can imagine what my head was saying (RUN) but my heart was telling me my passion for the sport will see me through.

Over the next couple of days I learnt the rules at a new level and played out scenarios with the class that really make sense and reinforced my understanding of why things were done at the range, Jim was absolutely great, stressed at times with our chatter and our definition of the perceived rule in question but to his credit guided us through the nasty's and taught us the correct manner to understand and apply the rules to the shooter in a friendly manner.

One big point was that an RO wasn't there to be the DQ king but to support the shooters at a level to make their weekend an enjoyable one.

I learnt so much and improved my knowledge of the rules and our sport

I would recommend the course to all shooters who have a good general knowledge of the rules

Thanks Jim the weekend was brilliant

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