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All members RNRMRA & Friends of Navy Shooting

15 April 08

Ladies and Gentlemen,

**THE FIFTH ANNUAL ROYAL NAVY ROYAL MARINES RIFLE ASSOCIATION DINNER –
TUESDAY 1 JULY 2008**

1. The fifth annual RNRMRA dinner will take place on Tue 1 Jul 08 in the Army Target Shooting Clubhouse, with a start time of 1930 for 2000.
2. The Dinner is open to all members of RNRMRA Area Command Associations, Sports Shooting Disciplines, Bisley Range Staff and anyone previously or currently associated with Competitive Shooting in the Naval Service.
3. This year our principal dining out guest will be WO Dave O'Connor MBE RM who is retiring from the RNRMRA, and the Corps. He leaves us after several decades of being involved in competitive shooting, having been at the highest level as a shooter, a coach and as a serving member, for most of that time, on the RNRMRA Committee, in one capacity or another.
4. We will of course be joined by our own President – Rear Admiral Philip Wilcocks CB DSC, our Honorary Vice President – Mr David Gosling and the Presidents and Chairmen of the Area Associations and Sports Shooting Disciplines which make up Navy Shooting. We will also be hosting our friends from the Army Rifle Association, who assist us in many ways throughout the shooting season and who have kindly loaned their splendid Mess for us to use for the evening.
5. However, the main event will hopefully be the opportunity for all of us involved in Navy Shooting in whatever capacity over the years to get together and collectively enjoy a cracking dinner and a few beers, in the special place that is Bisley, the home of marksmanship.
6. It has been decided that in order to encourage maximum attendance, the cost will be distributed on a modified “stripe” basis. Civilian and former Service personnel will be charged at the rate of £30 per head; however, retired Officers and Warrant Officers will be charged the rate in accordance with their former rank, with a minimum of 40 attendees required to make the event viable. The cost is inclusive of wine and port with the meal, and will be as follows:

Senior Officers (Cdr and above)	£42
Junior Officers/Warrant Officers	£35
Senior Rates	£32
Civilian / Ex-Service Ratings	£30
Junior Rates	£30

7. Rig for the evening will be Blazer/Jacket and tie. (RNRMRA Ties are available for purchase at £10 each from Lt Larry Branyan RNR – RNRMRA Secretary).
8. All Area Command and Sports Shooting Discipline representatives are requested to pass a copy of this letter to their members, who should return the attached form below to the address shown in confirmation of their intention to attend the dinner. Cheques should be made payable to the “RNRMRA”, which will be returned uncashed in the unfortunate event of a cancellation.
9. Please also feel free to pass a copy of this letter to anyone who is a friend of Navy Shooting and who may have been missed off the distribution, but might like to attend.
10. I look forward to seeing you all there.



I G Danbury
Commander Royal Navy
Chairman RNRMRA



RNRMRA DINNER, ATSC CLUBHOUSE, BISLEY 1930 for 2000 TUE 1 JUL 08

1. Please return this form, with payment, to:

Lt Larry Branyan RD RNR
Hon Sec RNRMRA
2 Hilltop Cottage
Capernwray
Carnforth
Lancashire
LA6 1AE

2. I confirm that I will be attending the RNRMRA Dinner on Tuesday 1 Jul 08 and enclose a cheque (made payable to the "RNRMRA") for:

£42 Cdrs (and above)
£35 Junior Officers / WO
£32 SR
£30 Civilian / Ex-Service Ratings
£30 JR
(delete as applicable)

Name/Initials: Rank/Rate: Command/Discipline:

Address:

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Town: County Postcode

Tel No Mobile

Signature: Date:

Vegetarian – Yes/No (*Delete as applicable*)