

**COUNCIL FOR CADET RIFLE SHOOTING (CCRS)**  
**CHAIRMAN CLAY TARGET SHOOTING COMMITTEE**  
**ROLE DESCRIPTION**

**CCRS: BACKGROUND**

1. CCRS was formed in 1969. Its purpose is to promote and organise the sport of competitive target rifle shooting across the 4 cadet youth movements (the Combined Cadet Force, the Sea Cadet Corps, the Army Cadet Force and the Air Training Corps). The charity works in partnership with the Ministry of Defence (MoD) and has close working relationships with the National Rifle Association (NRA), the National Small-bore Rifle Association, the Clay Pidgeon Shooting Association and British Shooting.
2. CCRS operates at the high performance level and organises national finals in the disciplines of clay, air and .22, 5.56mm and 7.62mm. The charity is also responsible for 3 international teams - the UK Cadet Rifle Team (U17), the British Cadet Rifle Team (U18 – The Athelings) and the GB U19 Rifle Team. Furthermore - CCRS hosts the Royal Canadian Army Cadet National Rifle Team annually and a biennial visit by the Republic of South Africa Junior Team.
3. CCRS comprises a volunteer Board of Trustees and a permanent, employed Secretariat. A committee structure overwatches activities which are organised by secretariat staff and CFAVs. Committees and their chairmen are accountable to the Board of Trustees.

**THE ROLE**

4. Clay target shooting is categorised as a sport in the cadet youth organisations and is not a core shooting subject. Shooting objectives are therefore limited to introducing cadets to the sport – through familiarisation shoots – and pointing those with potential to specialist clay shooting organisations.
5. Chairman of the CCRS Clay Target Shooting committee is responsible for leading and managing the committee. The committee is charged with overseeing and helping to organise the annual cadet national event and also the annual CFAV event.

**TASKS AND PERSONAL ATTRIBUTES**

6. **Tasks.** Chairman Clay Target Shooting Committee is to:
  - a. Lead and manage the committee as effectively as possible.
  - b. Work with secretariat staff to organise successful annual cadet events.
  - c. Work with secretariat staff to organise successful annual CFAV events; these are desirable only – not essential - and must not detract from cadet events.
  - d. Conduct a short lessons learned exercise following each event.
  - e. Contribute when necessary to the formulation of cadet clay target shooting policy.
  - f. Promote the values and standards of the cadet youth movements.

7. **Personal attributes.** Chairman Clay Target Shooting Committee will:
- a. Possess the personality and character to motivate and inspire others.
  - b. Have the skills to effectively manage others.
  - c. Possess a sound working knowledge of clay target shooting
  - d. Be fully conversant with cadet clay target shooting policy and regulations.
  - e. Demonstrate a sense of duty and commitment.
  - f. An adult member of one of the 4 cadet youth movements.
  - g. Be able to write and speak effectively.

#### **TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

8. **Appointment type.** Volunteer appointment; reasonable and appropriate expenses paid.
9. **Appointment duration.** Three years with option to extend for further 2 years.