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Season's Greetings

*Don't eat too much Christmas pud or those lovely
new fencing trousers will no longer fit...*

COMMONWEALTH VETERANS CHAMPIONSHIPS – 2005

The 5th Commonwealth Veterans Fencing Championships were held in the Westwoods Health Club at the famous Fettes College in August. There was a good turnout of NVA members scattered through the home nation's squads.

The Championships started on the Friday with the Foil event. Two rounds of poules followed by DE provided a good days fencing for all. Brian Causton ENG won the Men's Gold medal, Graham Thornton ENG the Silver and the two Bronzes were won by Mike McEwan SCO and Dave Sweeney ENG. In the Women's Foil Sheila Anderson SCO won Gold, Jenny Bonnet-Millet AUS won Silver and Sue Benney ENG and Mavis Thornton ENG took the Bronze medals. In the Foil Teams England were winners of both the Men's and the Women's titles.

Saturday was the turn of the Epéeists with the same format as the previous day. Ralph Johnson ENG won the Men's Gold medal, Kyle Macdonald from NZ was second and the third honours went to Mark Ballard from CAN and Robert DeJongh AUS.

Women's Epée next and in first place Fiona Haldane NI, second place to Jenny Bonney-Millet AUS and third Christina Barlow RSA and Moya McNamara ENG. Also a magnificent 5th place for our own Connie Adams ENG, well done to all. In the Epée Teams England were the winners in Men's and Australia in the Women's.

On to the Men's Sabre event In first place Alex Winchester from SCO, second Steven Rennie from SCO and third Roy Clarke SCO and Geoff Silverman ENG. In the Women's Sabre Jane Hutchinson ENG was unbeaten, Sue Benny ENG was second, and third honours went to Gillian Aghajan and Carole Wengraf both representing Wales. In the Sabre Teams Scotland were the winners in Men's and England in the Women's.

A great venue with a lovely couple of days' fencing, very enjoyable.

Full results can be found <http://www.veteransfencing.com/Informtion/index.php>

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World Veterans Championship 2005 – Tampa

The GB Veterans squad, dodging the hurricanes, flew into Tampa, to take part in the 2005 World Veterans Fencing Championships. On exiting the arrivals hall at Tampa airport they were met by a wall of hot humid air and were glad when they reached the comfort of the air conditioning of the Hyatt Regency Hotel which was not only their accommodation base but also the fencing venue.

The championships opened on the Friday with Category A Women's Foil and Men's Sabre and Category B Men's Foil and Women's Sabre. In the Women's Foil all of our fencers progressed to the DE, Hilary Philbin and Clare Halsted receiving byes. Linda Lawes and Silvia Earl met in the first round of DE, Linda winning through to the next round. In the second round of DE Linda was eliminated by Palm SWE. Hilary eliminated Herrmann GER and Amari JPN to reach the semi-final. Clare eliminated Johnson USA and Gresham-Fieg USA to join Hilary in the semis. Hilary was beaten by Palm SWE and Clare was defeated by Tanaka JPN, both Clare and Hilary winning a Bronze medal. In the Final Palm defeated Tanaka 9/1 to win the Gold medal.

All four of our Men's Category A Sabreurs successfully negotiated the seeding round. Unfortunately for GB Richard Cohen and Jim Philbin met in the first round of DE and Jim was eliminated. Chris Prevett eliminated Schneider GER and Richard Bonehill defeated Galvan ITA. In the quarter finals Richard Bonehill was beaten by Mormando USA and Chris was knocked out by Richard Cohen. Richard then went on to beat Streb USA the number 1 seed to face Ed Korfanty USA in the final. Richard soon established control of the bout, which was an exhibition of stylish and tactical sabre fencing, to win the Gold medal for the second year running.

Mike Bradbury, Brian Causton, Frank Mills and Dave Sweeney went through the seeding rounds of the Category B Men's Foil competition. Mike, Brian and Dave each received a bye and Frank beat Vai ITA to join them in the second round of DE. Mike and Dave were eliminated in the next round but Brian beat Hrovat AUS and Frank beat Hirt GER to win through to the quarter finals where they were eliminated. The Gold medal was won by Klein GER, the Silver by Mecier FRA and Shinki JPN and Sexton USA won the two Bronzes.

Great Britain had no entries in the Women's Category B Sabre event. There being 10 entries the seeding round was run as a poule unique. Greunke GER fought through the DE rounds to win the Gold medal, Felty USA won the Silver medal and the two Bronzes were won by Bunn GER and Martin FRA.

On the second day the Men's and Women's Category A Epée championships started first. In the Men's event all four of our fencers made it through to the DE, Ralph Johnson, seeded number 2, received a bye. Both

Lawrence Burr and Jonathan Stanbury were eliminated in the first round of DE. Meanwhile Hugo Veryzer defeated Kachur GER to progress to the next round where he was eliminated by the number one seed Sharpff SWE. Ralph fought his way relatively easily beating Harmer AUS, Daehler SUI and Sissons BRA to meet the number one seed Scharpff SWE in the final. This was an excellent display, both fencers matched each other hit for hit, with spectacular hits to foot from both sides. In the end Ralph's tactics saw him pull a couple of hits clear. Breath held, during the fencing phrases, exploded in cheers when Ralph won the Gold medal for the second year in succession with a 10/8 victory. Sharpff took the Silver medal and Moreau USA and Sisson BRA won the two Bronze medals.

In the Women's Category A Epée event our two fencers Lynne Bornemisza and Clare Halsted won through the seeding round. Clare received a bye but Lynne was eliminated by Budde GER. Clare went on to defeat Delacour FRA before being beaten into a Bronze medal position, (her second of the championships), by Naegele GER in the semi-final. Someroja FIN won the Gold medal and Naegele won the Silver medal.

In the Men's Category B Sabre Gordon Coombs, Bob Perry and George Sweetnam did not make it through the seeding round. Rodney Greenhalgh after receiving a bye in the first round of DE eliminated Kelm GER before being eliminated by Boite FRA. Boite and Chaboisseau FRA won Bronzes and Pinkus USA beat Nettingsmeyer GER into the Silver medal position to win the Gold medal.

Lynda Norrie and Maureen Hillier, our only two competitors in the Women's Category B Foil, both made it through the seeding round. Maureen beat Van Der Pol NED in the first round of DE before being eliminated by Wurttemburger GER. Lynda defeated Reckling USA, Bunn GER and Wurttemburger to face Greunke in the final. Lynda had to settle for the Silver medal after losing the Gold medal to Greunke GER.

Sunday, the last day of the championships, was the turn of the Men's and Women's Category B Epée, Men's Category A Foil and Women's Category A Sabre. Sylvia Brown and Carole Seheult were our only two entrants in the Women's Epée. Both made it through to the DE but were then eliminated in the first round. Greunke GER and Martin FRA were the two Bronze medallists, Mehrle GER won the Silver and Dobloug NOR won the Gold medal.

In the Men's Category B Epée event all of our fencers progressed to the DE. Chris Green seeded second received a bye but Jim Pilkington eliminated Bob Turner in the first round of DE. Brian Speight was also eliminated at this stage. Jim was eliminated in the next round. Chris defeated Koetting GER but was kept out of the medals losing to Fischer GER. The Gold medal was won by Lapouge FRA, Aftandilov RUS won Silver with Elliott USA and Fischer GER winning the Bronze medals.

Richard Cohen and Jim Harris were both eliminated after the seeding round of the Men's Category A Foil championship. Although Fred Sheppard and Geoff Silverman made it through to the DE they were both eliminated in the first round. In the semi-final Ide JPN was beaten into a Bronze medal position by Biebel USA. De Bartolomeis ITA used all of his exciting skill and showmanship to gain a place in the final but had to settle for Bronze after losing to his team mate Gavan ITA. In the final Biebel worked out a defence against Galvan's very fast compound attacks forcing him to adopt his spectacular and well timed second intention tactics. The match was close until the in the second period where Galvan moved ahead and won the Gold, to the usual tumultuous cheers of the Italian supporters, Biebel USA wining the Silver.



Ralph Johnson wins Gold in Tampa 2005

In the last event of the championships all four of our Category A Women Sabreurs won through to the first round of the DE. Silvia Earl was eliminated by Yvonne Walls, Hilary Philbin and Lynne Bornemisza also winning. In the next round Yvonne went out to Strumillo USA and Lynne eliminated Hilary to reach the quarter finals. Lynne was beaten by Turner USA and had to settle for a Bronze medal as did Stumillo. In the all American final Eyre won Gold and Turner took the Silver.



Lynda Norrie after winning Silver

In the closing ceremony the FIE flag was lowered and presented to Dave Sweeney by Paul Levy USA, under the Stewardship of Arturo Cramer FIE, to signal formally that the Championships will be held in Bath in 2006.

The Championships ended with a Gala Dinner for all the participants. Throughout the event the squad made good use of the pools on the sun deck. Many a GB fencer was seen at 6:30am either swimming or relaxing in the hot whirlpool to ease the aches, pains and stresses of the day before.



Clare Halsted, with her second medal, on the podium



Lynne celebrates her Bronze medal

| Medal Table | | | |
|-------------|------|--------|--------|
| | Gold | Silver | Bronze |
| GER | 3 | 3 | 4 |
| USA | 2 | 4 | 8 |
| GBR | 2 | 1 | 4 |
| FRA | 1 | 1 | 4 |
| SWE | 1 | 1 | - |
| ITA | 1 | - | 1 |
| FIN | 1 | - | - |
| NOR | 1 | - | - |
| JPN | - | 1 | 2 |
| RUS | - | 1 | - |
| BRA | - | - | 1 |
| AUS | - | - | - |
| AUT | - | - | - |
| BUL | - | - | - |
| CAN | - | - | - |
| HUN | - | - | - |
| KAZ | - | - | - |
| NEL | - | - | - |
| POL | - | - | - |
| SUI | - | - | - |
| THA | - | - | - |

NVA 100 CLUB

The NVA Committee, as part of its fund-raising initiatives for the forthcoming World Championships, has decided to launch a 100 Club. If successful and its members want to continue to boost funds for the NVA in this way beyond 2006, for example to help pay for improved facilities at the National Championships, it may be continued.

The idea is quite simple: a club will be formed of a minimum of 80 and maximum of 100 NVA members each of whom will pay a one-off subscription of £20 for the year. Each 100 Club member will have his or her own number. There is no limit on the number of memberships an individual may hold within the Club. Obviously, the more memberships held by an individual the greater the chance of winning a prize.

Two draws will be held; at the National Championships and at the Xmas event. The first number drawn at each event will win £250, the second £150 and the third £100. With membership below 100 to a minimum of 80 the prize money will be pro rata.

If the 100 club is under-subscribed cheques received will be returned; once a 100 Club is formed and payment is made the subscription will not be refunded except in the Treasurer's discretion and only then if a replacement member is found.

The Treasurer will send out invitations for membership with the annual subscription reminder early in January. Membership of the 100 Club will be on a first come first served basis. If the response is such that at least 180 subscriptions are received a second 100 Club will be formed and run separately alongside the first.

The principal object of the 100 Club in its first year is to raise funds for the 2006 World Championships which the NVA is hosting. The entire balance of the subscriptions, after deduction of the prize money, will be applied for this purpose. Your support for this initiative will be invaluable in helping the Committee to put on an event to surpass all others and of which we can all be justifiably proud.

Wellesbourne Team Trophy 30th October 2005

What an enjoyable and well organised event the Wellesbourne Team Trophy is, and with such a friendly atmosphere overlaying the whole event. Nine teams took part with a very high standard of fencing exhibited at all 5 weapons.

As always, it brought the experienced against the less so, and it was interesting to note that there were almost as many veterans spread across the other eight teams as there were in the official Vets entry.

The day was won by the Civil Service team (well studied with vets), with 116 victories; we took second place with 100 victories and the home team of Wellesbourne third with 95 victories.

Every one of the vets fought well to ensure that Men's Foil were second, Women's Foil second, Women's Epée second, Men's' Epée third and Mixed Sabre fourth.

Congratulations to organiser Andrew Brown and his colleagues for a superb day, and to all of the Vets who took part and gave us our second place.



Action at the Wellesbourne 2005

More pictures and full results can be found at

<http://wellesbourneswordclub.co.uk/pages/news.htm>
http://wellesbourneswordclub.co.uk/pages/photo_thumb_nails_wtt_05.htm

Frank Mills

Duel On the Beach August 2005

When Dave Sweeney rings you up, or catches you at a competition you may think it is nice. BEWARE, this man is dangerous! We are at the commonwealth Championships in Edinburgh, "Would you like to fence in Duel on the Beach Linda" says Mr Sweeney, now I am just a girl who can't say no (to new and exciting fencing challenges, get that straight now). So I enthusiastically say yes please, what do we do? "Well we go to Cornwall, Perranporth and fence on a beach, on the sand, all day in the blazing sun and blistering heat with no sun cream on". Sounds like a trip to me.

I drive down to Cornwall on my own as my nearest and dearest thinks I am mad anyway. On the Friday evening we have a small gathering in a bar on a beach just to get up into the mood and find that we are not the only fencers there, lots of the other competitors have the same idea. We stop socialising fairly early after all we are fencing at 9am Saturday.

I get up bright and early, the sun is shining, but hey I am in fencing kit all day, well covered, lamé on what could be better? Mask, gloves, long socks full kit.... First task, get your kit to the piste. Have you tried to drag a fencing bag along a beach? Well try it on sand it's impossible. The Truro fencers have been on the beach since 4am (yes 4am) a mini digger was brought in to level the sand. Yes we are fencing on sand.... with wooden pistes and carpet, we even have sweepers just like in curling.

We start to fence, 9 teams at foil, 3 fencers in each mixed team. Dave Sweeney, Linda Lawes and Malcolm Fare are the Vets foil team. And the sand gets everywhere, I mean everywhere, and the great British public watch and learn. It's getting hotter now nearly midday, we have fenced ok, very nearly got into the top 3 but just missed it. We eventually came sixth.

Then on with the sabre, Gillian Aghajan, Richard Bonehill and Gordon Coombs. The Sabre team put up a good show finishing eighth.

All fenced well if a little hot. Those that had been before took sunshades, (clever) those that hadn't, forgot sun cream (daft). That day was a particularly high tide and at the closing stages of the Sabre the referee on the on the piste nearest the sea was virtually paddling.

A really enjoyable competition, beautifully staged (for that is what it was) in a fabulous setting, and then we saw the sun set, breathtaking.

After fencing and a quick dash to freshen up there was a BBQ and raffle and a good time was had by all. Fencing has been fun this year, I still find sand in my fencing bag but I don't care. Thank you Cornwall and Truro Fencing Club.

Linda Lawes



VETs PERSONAL PERFORMANCE COURSE

September 2005

17 willing volunteers trolled up to the Benham Sports Arena in Northampton on a bright Sunday morning to experience personal suffering dressed up as personal performance at the hands of Professor Dr. Jonathan Katz.

Any lethargy was dispelled over 40 minutes of warm-up and stretching exercises that would have done Torquemada proud. We learnt the benefits and importance of re-hydration – the hard way.

We then worked our way through foot-work exercises and distance control to the merciful blessing of lunch, if one remembered to bring it. After an hour's break we resumed with a gentle warm-up and stretch before moving to the practical application of our morning's work: we

fought among ourselves to 3 hits to learn our mental approach to a 3-0 win, 0-3 loss and 2-1/1-2 situation. This was followed by fights to 5 but stopping at 4 hits for a re-appraisal before finishing the bout. There followed discussion and explanation of basic technique.

Over the best part of 6 hours we learnt much about ourselves; we left Northampton physically and mentally exhausted but more aware.

It was an interesting experience, undoubtedly beneficial and worthwhile for those participating and even, dare it be said, enjoyable. Our thanks go to the organisers but particularly Jonathan, who got us through the day with good humour and not a little appreciation of the Vets' ethos.

Geoff Silverman

Middlesex Unisex Epée 2005

Twenty-one épéists had an unexpected challenge at the start of the largest ever Middlesex Epée. A renegade group of badminton players had taken up all the pistes and were trying to claim the venue. Staff and fencers successfully beat them off, but the delay in starting combined with the record attendance meant that the poule unique formula had to be abandoned in favour of three rounds of pools. The first round ran as three pools of seven, but yet another change had to be imposed by the harassed organiser when it became clear that the event would still overrun. The second and third rounds were reduced to pools of five and six, with the celebrated NVA dummy system to level the playing field. The fencers maintained good spirits and perfect manners throughout all the hitches, and the event ran smoothly thereafter.

The title was as always fiercely contested. The final pool included two undefeated fencers, Howard West and Robin Davenport, and two fencers with only one defeat, Andrew Brown and Tim Schofield. The pressure was on Howard, who won the first ever Middlesex Epée in 2000 and has held the title since with the sole exception of one year when he did not enter. However, 2005 was not his year. At the end of the final pool, two fencers tied on victories for first place, Robin and Andrew. As is NVA custom, second indicators are not calculated under these circumstances, and the two bargaged for first place. A skilled and exciting fight saw Andrew the victor.

The entrants included six women, which again is a record for this event. Indeed, last year Hilary Arnold claimed the women's prize before the fencing started! This year's Women's Champion was new entrant Vanessa Wilen, who took a respectable ninth place overall.

Hilary Arnold

Overall Results

| | | |
|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| 1 Andrew Brown | 8 Jes Smith | 15 Bob Perry |
| 2 Robin Davenport | 9 Vanessa Wilen | 16 Mick Meyer |
| 3 Howard West | 10 Iain Rugheimer | 17 Jane Hutchison |
| 4 Tim Schofield | 11 Frank Mills | 18 Connie Adam |
| 5 Mike Bradbury | 12 Tony Bardell | 19 Linda Lawes |
| 6 Bernard Harbourn | 13 Hilary Arnold | 20 Colin Lutman |
| 7 Rob Brooks | 14 Nigel Hinchliff | 21 Julie Schofield |



CHRISTMAS PARTY AND FENCING

Having just returned from the first Vets Christmas dinner I have attended, I feel I must say a few words to thank the organiser, Hilary Arnold, for putting in such a lot of hard work.

Foil, Epée and Sabre were all fenced in good time on Saturday, after an initial setting up and gaffer taping down of the pistes: that story alone would take one newsletter. Some fencers fenced all 3 weapons, some foolish types even fenced sabre for the very first time. Very festive Sabre kit, I felt like a Christmas turkey. A 5 minute lesson from John Norrie was most welcome thanks John. A good days fencing, if a little hard on the knees in the end (I may be able to walk normally again by next week).

The dinner in the evening was also very good, nice meal and entertainment. Frank Mills kept up the usual (so I understand) standard of jokes and the evening was rounded off with a disco, nothing later than 1980 and fencers were found in the bar until 2am.

If you were there I'm sure you will come again next year. If you were not: put the date in your diary now (same venue but note change of w/e to 18th November)! Fencing is fun, dancing and meals even more so.

Linda Lawes



REVISED SAFETY CLOTHING STANDARDS

From January 1st 2006 the safety standards for protective clothing at Fencing are as follows (for non-electric and/or undersized weapons see BF website):

FIE A-grade competitions

| <i>Jackets</i> | <i>Plastrons</i> | <i>Breeches</i> | <i>Masks</i> |
|----------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------|
| CEN2 | CEN2 | CEN2 | CEN2 |
| 800 Newtons | 800 Newtons | 800 Newtons | (1600N. bib)# |

All other fencing, all weapons

| <i>Jackets</i> | <i>Plastrons</i> | <i>Breeches</i> | <i>Masks</i> |
|----------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------|
| CEN1 | CEN2 | CEN1 | CEN1 |
| 350 Newtons | 800 Newtons | 350 Newtons | (350N. bib)# |

#All masks must be fitted with safety back straps. The back straps must be worn directly on the back of the head when fencing.

It is the responsibility of each fencer to ensure that personal equipment complies with BF guidelines.

Competition Diary

9th Saresto Open, 27th-29th January 2006. Levi, Finland

Veterans always welcome. For more information contact D.Sweeney.

NVA National Championships, 10th-12th March 2006.
GL1 Leisure Centre, Gloucester.

Open to all NVA members. Results will be used for selection for the 2006 European and World Championships. Details with January 2006 Newsletter.

Bath Unisex Sabre & Foil, 22nd & 23rd April 2006.
Bath University.

Open to all NVA members. Enjoy the fencing and dinner on the Saturday evening. Details to be circulated with a later Newsletter.

2006 European Team Championships, 25th-28th May 2006.
Turku, Finland.

Selection based on National Championships results. Details will be circulated to those selected.

NVA Age Group Qualifiers, 3rd-4th June 2006.
Stantonbury Campus, Milton Keynes.

Open to all NVA members. Results will be used for selection for the 2006 World Championships. Details will be circulated with a later Newsletter.

World Veterans Fencing Championships, 1st-3rd September 2006.
Bath University.

Selection based on the results of the NVA National Championships and the NVA Age Group Qualifiers. Details will be circulated to those selected.

**NVA fencers' notable results (L32 or top half)
Aug – Dec 2005**

Hamlet Open 2005

Women's Sabre (84) 17th Jane Hutchison

Essex Open 2005

Women's Foil (66) 28th Dawn Townsend

Men's Epée (136) =3rd Howard West
15th Anton Pollard

Men's Sabre (32) 12th Ian Briggs

Bristol Open 2005

Men's Foil (174) 20th John Troiano

Women's Foil (82) 22nd Dawn Townsend
29th Jo Bowyer

Women's Sabre (78) 10th Jane Hutchison

Shropshire Open 2005

Men's Foil (70) 5th Lindsay Watkiss
7th Nick Stokes
18th Graham Thornton
24th Tony Conyard

Women's Foil (21) 1st Dawn Townsend
10th Jo Bowyer

Men's Epée (67) 10th Andrew Brown
16th Ian Worthington
21st Robin Davenport
22nd Colin Holburn
30th Max Telfer

Women's Epée (49) 6th Helen Cormack
11th Mavis Thornton

Men's Sabre (36) 8th Steve Potter
12th Andy Bornemisza
15th Peter Baron

Women's Sabre (19) 2nd Jane Hutchison
9th Yvonne Walls

Sussex Open 2005

Men's Foil (75) 19th Brian Causton

Women's Foil (26) 8th Dawn Townsend
9th Jenny Morris
12th Jo Bowyer

Men's Epée (84) =3rd Howard West
=3rd Hugo Veryzer
12th Robin Davenport

Women's Epée (42) 18th Nike Ajibode

Ulster Open 2005

Women's Epée (6) 1st Fiona Haldane

Aston Open 2005

Men's Foil (21) 1st Nick Stokes
3rd Jim Harris

Men's Epée (20) 8th Paul Cooper
10th Max Telfer

Men's Sabre (12) 2nd Steve Potter

Redhill 1-Hit Mixed Epée 2005 (34)

2nd Jes Smith
3rd Howard West

North West Open 2005

Women's Epée (4) 1st Fiona Haldane

Bedford Open Epée 2005

Men's Epée (80) =3rd Howard West
9th Hugo Veryzer

Women's Epée (28) 2nd Helen Cormack

Welsh Open 2005

Men's Foil (150) 9th John Troiano

Women's Foil (89) 15th Dawn Townsend
28th Jo Bowyer

Men's Epée (145) 10th Anton Pollard

Men's Sabre (88) 15th Richard Cohen

Women's Sabre (63) 12th Mavis Thornton
20th Jane Hutchison
22nd Lynne Bornemisza
24th Vicky Garrity
27th Sheila Williams

Derry Open 2005

Women's Epée (5) 1st Fiona Haldane

Women's Sabre (5) 1st Fiona Haldane

Sir William Perkins Cup 2005

Men's Epée (25) 7th Tim Schofield
8th Ian Briggs

Women's Epée (17) 5th Nike Ajibode

Hereford & Worcester 2005

Women's Foil (62) 9th Dawn Townsend
21st Clare Halsted
24th Jo Bowyer

Men's Epée (129) 20th Andrew Brown

Men's Sabre (102) 15th Richard Cohen

Women's Sabre (49) =3rd Jane Hutchison
11th Vicky Garrity
17th Yvonne Walls

If you have any notable results from open or other competitions that you would like to be included in the Newsletter please telephone or email Dave Sweeney before the end of each month.