

What is Trap?

The word "Trap" refers to the usage of a trap in which a live bird was placed and released on command and then an attempt was then made to shoot it. The earliest description of this sport was described in February, 1793 in England. Trap became one of England's most popular sports and was brought over to the United States in 1831. The evolution of the sport replaces live birds with glass balls and then clay targets. The clay is called a "bird" and the machine which the bird is called a "trap" and it is housed in the "trap house".



What Constitutes a Round of Trap?

A round for one person consists of 25 shots, five each from 5 different shooting stations, the object being the score the greatest number of broken targets

