



Prairie Bowmen

President's Report

Happy New Years to everyone! I hope everyone is having a good hunting season and hopefully filling all your tags. Now that the season is about over I hope you will join us for some Target and 3D tournaments and also at our Target and 3D leagues that are starting next week.

I would like to thank the outgoing board members Tom Nauman, Patty Hickman, Gary Waters, and Belinda Hickman for everything they did for us while they were on the board. Thank you!

I have started a raffle on a Reinhardt 18-1 Target with all profits going to help support our club. These tickets can be purchased at all of our tournaments, leagues, JOAD and if you can't make it to any of these events you can call me. They sell for \$3 each or 4 for \$10. We have a few more raffles planned for the future. Good luck everyone!

We have been working on making some improvements at the indoor range. The spyderweb targets have been refaced, bathroom remodeled and new thermostats have been installed and they have also been moved to a new location you will see. Thank you everyone who has donated their time and expertise so that these improvements could be done. We hope we can keep making improvement to our club so it will be a nice and enjoyable place to shoot.

If you have comments, concerns or suggestions please don't hesitate to drop me an email, text or call.

Thanks for cooperation,

Trent Allen, President

Early 2013

Welcome New Members

The Prairie Bowmen Archery Club would like to welcome nine new members this month and also wish everyone a Happy Holiday's Season. Four families joined us this month first the Megan Mejstrik family, second the Ryan Crocker family, third the Emily Berner family and last but not least the forth family of David Hofer. We had four singles join us in Jacob Borodkin, David Wolfe, Larry Czolgos and Matt Walker. We also had one college student come aboard in Nickolas Trook. Please make all of the new members feel welcome and lend them a helping hand in getting acquainted. Remember everyone was a new member once and how it felt so step up and get to know your club members new and old. Again welcome all and have a great time both indoors and outdoors in the greatest club in Nebraska.

John Elliot, Secretary



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Parting Shot

My last few months as your President seemed to fly by. I truly appreciate the cooperation that your board demonstrated as we tried to work through some difficult times for the club. Prairie Bowmen has always been near and dear to me no matter how far away I have been. The nearly weekly trips to Lincoln from Hastings for club issues and functions took way more of my time than I had planned, when I agreed to finish out Jeremy's term. I have always tried to stay active in Prairie Bowmen by attending as many club functions as possible. I remember flying back from Idaho when we lived out there, just to attend the Banquet. Speaking of the Banquet, please plan to attend, as of this writing only 4 people have registered and the Banquet is only a couple weeks away!

I hope you all looked hard at our budget for 2013....we really need club participation at leagues, 3-D's and target shoots to make the club strong financially. Please try to make at least a couple of club shoots during the year, that income does make a difference. We still have about 80 members who have not paid their "shooting for the future assessment", I hope you see fit to support your club by paying the assessment.

On the 29th of December your board held a meeting to discuss an offer we have to sell our south range. Sounds like around 40 members attended the meeting...on very short notice.... this is the biggest crowd we have had at any meeting for a long time. This tells me that many of our members care about the future of our club. I, like many of you, do not want to see the range go, but long term I'm convinced that we cannot afford the cost of continuing to own that range, and should seriously consider this offer. I wish your current board luck in making this difficult decision.

I hope to see you all at the Banquet and our various club shoots throughout the year. Again thank you for your support during my term as your President.

Shoot Straight,

Tom, Past-President

Board Meeting

January 16th, at 7:00 p.m.

CSG Offices

4903 North 57th Street

From the Target Rep.

Target league starts on Tuesday night January 8th at 7:00 p.m. The 1st 5 weeks will be a Vegas round, followed by 5 weeks of NFAA rounds. Come down and join in the fun. Everyone is welcome, regardless of your abilities!

The Annual Prairie Bowmen Banquet is just around the corner on Friday, January 18th. Deadline for reservations are January 14th.

Following is a list of big game awards the club gives out. If you think you have qualified for any of these, please send me your scores.

- Bog Spicha Memorial Big Tom Award – Multi Bearded
- Mike Swiggart Memorial Big Tom Award
- Benjamin Pleiss Memorial Youth Big Buck Award
- Dick Koch Memorial Buck of the Year
- Andy Sheeke Memorial Big Fish Award
- Jerry Lee Siefken Memorial Youth Big Fish Award
- John Bussen Memorial Big Buck Antelope Award
- Bruce Batterman Big Bull Elk Award.

Please get me your scores by January 10th, 2013.

I'd also like to thank Danny Tubbs & Trent Allen for the work on the bathroom at the indoor range. It took a bit longer than expected, but was worth the wait. Please help to keep it clean! Also thanks to Trent Allen and Kevin Hesson for helping to install the new thermostats at the indoor range. This will help with the heat bill and keep the property manager happy.

Hope to see you all at the range!

Jim Tubbs, Target Representative

From the Editor

As the new Newsletter Editor, my goal is to help improve the club's communication. The most obvious change have made is utilizing Facebook and e-mail to inform members about important events. Keep informed about range closings, upcoming events, and tournament results by "Like"-ing us on Facebook and sending John Elliott your current e-mail address.

We will be publishing a printed Newsletter three times a year, but sending a digital newsletter four times a year. This helps us reduce the postage and printing costs. The digital format also means we can include more event and member information. If you have photos from a hunt or tournament that you would like to share, please send them to me along with a brief description.

PRAIRIE BOWMEN ARCHERY CLUB'S ANNUAL BANQUET

Friday January 18, 2013

(reservation deadline January 14th)

Havelock Social Hall

4538 N. 62nd Street

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| 6:00 p.m. | Social Hour |
| 7:00 p.m. | Club Meeting |
| 7:15 p.m. | Dinner |
| 8:00 p.m. | Guest Speaker/mystery |
| 8:45 p.m. | Awards |

Great Meal – Raffles – Door Prizes

Meal: Roast Beef/Fried Chicken

Name (Please Print) _____ Adults (20.00 ea.) _____

Address _____ Youth (10 & under - \$12.00) _____

Email _____ Total Due: \$ _____

Circle payment type: Check, Visa, MasterCard or Discover Card

Credit Card # _____ Expiration date _____

Signature _____

Mail reservation to Jim Tubbs, 5311 NW Fairway Drive, Lincoln, NE 68521

Deadline for Reservations is Monday January 14th

*Prairie Bowmen Phone: **800-307-0610***

Prairiebowmen.org

Events

Winter 3D League 2013

Winter 3D league begins Thursday, January 10th at 7:00 pm at the Indoor Range. Thirty 3D targets plus fun and challenging bonus shots! Members shoot for \$5.00 and non-members are welcome to shoot for \$10.00. Last night of league is March 14th, with the Club Champion March 21st. The best nine scores out of ten determine the winners for each flight.

Want to save a few bucks? Members pay \$45.00 for all ten weeks the first night, and save five bucks, and non-members pay \$90.00 for all ten weeks for a savings of \$10.00.

Questions?
Call Randy Bartelt,
402-580-5657,
Bob Rau,
402-477-0944
or Robin Ward,
402-475-2757

Starts January 10th
7:00 pm
Indoor Range
Members: \$5.00
Non-members: \$10.00

Early 2013

NASP Tournament

Sunday, January 19th

Shooting Times are 8:00, 10:00, & 12:00.
Cost is \$8.00.
Categories for all school ages
Contact Mike Yost at (402) 560-5284 for more information.

President's Day Shoot

NFAA 300 Round
Saturday February 16^{th, 2013} 7:00 p.m.
Sunday February 17^{th, 2013}
Continuous Line 9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.
345 South 14th St., Lincoln, Ne.
Cost: Adults & Young adults \$15.00
Youth & Cubs - \$12.00
Family of 3 or more \$35.00
For details

Call Jim Tubbs at (402) 435-1159 or (402) 430-7783

Regional Target

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| Jan 5-6 | State 450 FITA - Fremont |
| Jan 11-13 | Iowa Pro-Am |
| Jan 19-20 | Norfolk 300 |
| Jan 19-20 | Kansas City Pro-Am |
| Jan 20 | Delmar Braithwaite Memorial 300 Shoot - Litchfield |
| Jan 25-27 | 4-H State Indoor |
| Jan 25-27 | PVA |
| Feb 2-3 | Third City Archers Silver Dollar 300 |
| Feb 2-3 | Golden Arrow FITA |
| Feb 8-10 | Vegas |
| Feb 9-10 | Norfolk FITA - Madison |
| Feb 9 | NE Collegiate Indoor Championship - Madison |
| Feb 16 | NE/KS Challenge |
| Feb 16-17 | Lincoln President's Day 300 Shoot |
| Feb 16 | Lincoln JOAD Shoot |
| Feb 23-24 | Robinhood 300 - Fremont |
| Feb 23-24 | Midwest Sectionals - 3 locs |
| Mar 1-3 | US National Indoor - Wichita, KS |
| Mar 1-3 | US Collegiate Indoor Nationals - Yankton |
| Mar 2-3 | Golden Arrow 300 |
| Mar 9-10 | State Indoor - Lincoln |
| Mar 16-17 | NFAA National Indoor - KY |
| Mar 16-17 | Norfolk 300 |
| Mar 23 | NASP State |

Regional 3D

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| Jan 13 | Ahamo Indoor |
| Jan 13 | Lincoln Indoor |
| Jan 18-20 | Big Buck Classic - Omaha |
| Jan 25-27 | PVA - Columbus |
| Feb 3 | Ahamo Indoor |
| Feb 9-10 | Norfolk Indoor 3-D - Madison |
| Mar 16-17 | Wahoo Indoor |
| Mar 24 | Lincoln Icebreaker |

Prairie Bowmen Archery's Annual Indoor 3-D

Sunday January 13th

at Prairie Bowmen's indoor range.

*Located in downtown Lincoln across from the State
Bldg on South 14th Street Between 'L' & 'M' Streets.*

Registration from 7:30am until 2:00pm

Adults \$15.00

Youth(9-12)Students and Young adults(13-17) \$10.00

Cubs(8 & under) free

*Fun and Challenging Shots guaranteed to test your
skills*

Limited Concessions Available

Questions ? Call Danny 402-525-3695

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345 South 14th Street

Lincoln, NE

Cost: Adults & Young adults \$15.00

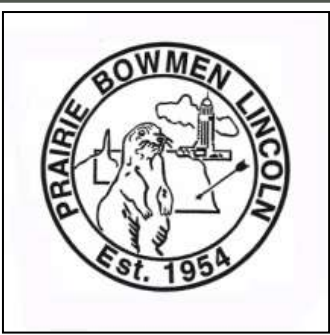
Youth & Cubs - \$12.00

Family of 3 or more \$35.00

Food available!

For details contact

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Prairiebowmen.org

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**OUTDOOR RANGE
1010 GALLOWAY RD.**

**INDOOR RANGE
345 S. 14TH ST.**

JOAD

Junior Olympic Archery
Development (JOAD)

The sessions are 10 weeks
long and cost a total of
\$15.00 for Prairie Bowmen
members and \$25.00 for non-
members. One is in session
now! For more information
on the program call Mr. Jan
Robertson cell 430 1209 or
464 2183

Mondays 7pm

Indoor Range:
345 S 14th street