

### **President's Report**

From the President,

As most of you know by now, we have lost our indoor range in downtown Lincoln. After paying minimal rent, we are finding it hard to find a building in Lincoln, at the same rent we have been paying. WE have found one at airpark with the rent being about double what we've been paying. We most likely need to be out of the building September – October.

I'd like to invite ALL members to the Board Meeting on August 22<sup>nd</sup>, 7:00 pm at the indoor range, to discuss the future of the club. We have discussed trying to build an indoor range on our current outdoor range, selling the outdoor range and locating a building to buy and going into a partnership with the Izaak Walton, the NOEC or an NRD lake for an outdoor range. None of these will be ideal for all, but we need to make some tough decisions. So we'd like to have the memberships input. Please, be at the board meeting on the 22<sup>nd</sup>. I'm also in the process of trying to work out a temporary arrangement with the NOEC for the use of the indoor range, until we can find a new home.

Our club Jamboree is August 17-18, with the 18<sup>th</sup> also hosting the State Marked 3D. Come on out and shoot the final outdoor 3d of the year. Chase is also looking for help to run things on Saturday.

Hope to see you at the range. Jim Tubbs

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#### E-MAIL ADDRESSES

We are making every effort to keep our e-mail addresses current. If you have an e-mail we send you newsletters, notices on shoots and workdays and emergency notices as they become necessary. Without the e-mail address you will only get the newsletters once every two months. If you know of a member that is not getting e-mails please have them contact Chris Benson. This would also be true if you change your own e-mail. Please also check your junk mail to see that our notices are not going there. Your help is greatly appreciated.

#### **Board Members**

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### JOAD / AAA

We started a new 10 week JOAD class on July 9. We have 11 students for this class, with one repeat from the last class, and seeing improvement each week. The repeat student has upgraded to one of the recurve bows and is doing very well. The next JOAD class will start October 15 more than likely at our new indoor range location. Cost is only \$30 for PB members for the 10 week class. Harry and I just finished our level #2 certification and we would like to work with all ages of archers and bow hunters.

Steve Woitaszewski swoit@allophone.com 402-450-3427

Members should come to the Board Meeting on August 22, 2019 because information will be provided on options for replacement of the indoor range.

## **Board Meeting**

Thursday, August 22, 2019
7 PM Indoor Range

### **2019 SCHEDULE**

#### **LEAGUES**

None currently scheduled

#### JOAD/AAA

July 9th through 10 weeks Tuesday nights 6:00 & 7:00

**Indoor range** 

#### **TOURNAMENTS**

August 17 & 18 Club Jamboree & State 3D

November 9 & 10 Indoor 300 Round

December 14 & 15 Indoor 3D

December 27, 28 & 29 Indoor 450 Fita

### **NEW MEMBERS**

Welcome new members. We have six new members:

Drew Miles, Danny Tubbs, Ben Keller

Erik Prenosil Josey Vanosale Caleb Frew

We look forward to seeing you on the range.

#### SECRETARY /TREASURER REPORT

Prairie Bowmen, Inc.

Secretary's Report

The 6/27/2019 meeting was called to order at 7:00. Board members present were: Jim Tubbs, Brian Krogman, Chase Powers, Adam Jirovsky, Steve Woitaszewski, Wayne Janssen and Chris Benson. Also present was Danny Tubbs.

Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved followed by the Treasurer's report.

<u>Target:</u> Indoor leagues have ended, they averaged 8-9 shooters per week. The State 900 will be at our outdoor range this weekend on June 30<sup>th</sup>. The range will be closed for the weekend for work day and the shoot.

<u>Bowhunter:</u> The Scheel's shoot went well, approximately 120-125 shooters total with about 100 adults. There were many positive comments about the shoot.

The 3-D targets have been organized and stored in the garage. We need to order several inserts and Chase would like to order 2-3 new critters to keep interest in our shoots.

<u>Youth:</u> Home schoolers had a day at the indoor range yesterday (June 26) with 21 kids ages 8 and up participating. The next session of classes will be starting on July 9<sup>th</sup>. So far only 4 kids have signed up to attend our proposed Kids Camp.

<u>Range Master:</u> Plans are to spray the lower range and fog around the clubhouse for mosquitos before this Sunday's State 900. Targets need to be moved and the American range mowed before Sunday. There is a work day scheduled for Saturday, June 29<sup>th</sup>.

<u>Communication:</u> Posters are current, a last notice for Kid's Camp will be posted soon. There has been an issue with our website recently and will be checked into.

Old business: Matt Carmin will be here July 5-6 to teach level 1 & 2 USA Archery instructors.

The 3 3-D targets lent to Dudley Sorenson have been returned. They were used in a fund raiser for the Wounded Warrior project.

The garage roof is "on the board" for Apple roofing. They have been very busy lately with storm damage work.

<u>New Business:</u> Danny Tubbs requested reinstatement to the club. After discussion the board voted to reinstate.

New member applications from Josey VanOrsdale (Family), Caleb Frew (Single), Erik Prenosil (Family) and Ben Keller (Scheels) were presented and approved.

The next meeting is scheduled for July 25<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 at the indoor range.

Respectfully submitted,

Prairie Bowmen, Inc.

Secretary's Report

The 7/22,2019 meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm. Board members present were: Jim Tubbs, Steve Woitaszewski, Brian Krogman, Wayne Janssen, Chase Powers and Chris Benson. Also present were club members: Tom Naumann, Chad Morgan, Bob Larsen, John Filsinger, Clint Burge, Harry Windle, Rob Barlow, Patrick Sullivan, Wes Sheets, John Elliott, Cassie Ruhl, and David Wolfe.

Much discussion was held regarding the loss of our long- time lease of the indoor range. It appears we have until the end of October to vacate. We are learning that commercial real estate is extremely high compared to what we've been paying. Discussion was held regarding possibly selling the outdoor range and/or building an indoor facility. The immediate need is for a place to shoot as soon as possible.

<u>Bowhunter:</u> Chase reported a need for 3-D inserts for our August jamboree. It was moved and seconded to allow Chase to spend up to \$1,000 for inserts and 3-D targets. Motion carried. The Jamboree is August 17 & 18 with the State marked 3-D also the 18<sup>th</sup>.

<u>Youth:</u> Steve said 8 new people are shooting in the current class. Pretty good turnout considering the very hot weather lately.

<u>Rangemaster:</u> The roof was replaced on one of the picnic shelters the last work day. The second one will need to be done at a later date. The next work day is scheduled for August 10<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 am at the outdoor range.

<u>Communication:</u> Wayne reported that all notices have been dealt with to date. Notices for the Jamboree and work day will be coming soon.

<u>Old Business:</u> Steve, Harry and Jim have been certified as level 2 instructors for USA Archery so we can again teach JOAD classes.

<u>New Business</u>: Work needs to be done to correct our website which has been infected with malware of late.

Jim will contact the owner of the indoor space on NW 48<sup>th</sup> to try to work out details for rental.

Articles need to be turned in to Wayne by August 2<sup>nd</sup> for the next newsletter.

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Respectfully submitted,

Chris Benson

Secretary/Treasurer

### **Target Report**

None submitted.



### PRAIRIE BOWMEN JAMBOREE

SATURDAY AUGUST 17 8:00A.M. – 2:00 P.M.

SUNDAY AUGUST 18 11:00 A.M.— 1:00 P.M.

**CONTINUOUS LINE** 

Member \$15.00, Non-member \$20.00, Cub \$10.00

### **STATE MARKED 3D**

SUNDAY AUGUST 18 9:00 A.M.

**SHOTGUN START** 

OUTDOOR RANGE @ 6333 MAPLE VIEW DRIVE

### **Bow Hunter Report**

3D season is coming to a close as we get ready for the annual Prairie Bowmen Jamboree!! I'm really excited about this event, it will be a great shoot. We will be also be hosting the state known yardage on Sunday of our event, so there should be a great turnout. Jim as graciously offered to run the event as I will have to be at work for the Hunt Expo that same weekend. I'm sure he would love some help and company from anyone who would like to help out.

Then its time to get ready for Big Game hunts! Archery antelope starts August, 20th, and deer opens the 1st of September! Get out to the outdoor range to sight in and shoot your broadheads at the broadhead pit! Build that solid muscle memory to lead that one perfect arrow in the field to its mark.

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### Range Master Report

Just wanted to say thanks again to all that have been helping out with the workdays and I hope it continues! We had a workday planned for August 11 but we had to cancel because of rain. There is a lot of work that needs to be done by clearing lanes for upcoming 3D shoot. I will be out at the range each night August 12 through August 16 trying to get the work done that was planned for August 11. If you want to come out and help I will be at the range by 4:00 P.M. each night. It would be helpful if you could bring chainsaws, weed eaters, trimmers etc. If I am not there when you arrive please give me a call. Any help I can get would be much appreciated!

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OUTDOOR RANGE 6333 Maple View Dr. INDOOR RANGE 345 S. 14TH ST.

#### **Lockers Available**

We have several lockers for rent at the indoor range. Cost is \$50 per year. Contact Chris Benson at 402-540-0524.

### Lost and Found

Missing something? Found something? Arrows, jackets, and note-books keep showing up at both the indoor and outdoor range. Be sure to leave found items on the desk or bench.

### E-Mail Listing



There is often important news that happens faster than the newsletter. Don't miss out! If you haven't been receiving e-mail form the club, then make sure we have your current e-mail address.

Contact Chris Benson at hoosierdaddy\_ne @yahoo.com to confirm your e-mail.