May 2021



Prairie Bowmen Archery Club

Prairie Bowmen Archery Club is a private, not for profit Archery Club established in 1954.

Our indoor range is located at 1432 N. Cotner Blvd., Lincoln, NE and is open to our members 7 days a week/24 hours a day.

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Dresident's Message by Jim Tubbs

NASP archery season is just about over. We have one more tournament on Saturday morning, May 1st, from 8:00 a.m. until 11:30 a.m., and then the Cornhusker State Games, July 17th. THANK YOU to all the coaches, student archers and volunteers that made this a great year. Thank you for reaching out to Prairie Bowmen Archery Club for your practices and tournaments.

Danny Tubbs, our Bowhunter Rep., is putting together a Youth Only 3-D for Saturday May 8th. I'm sure this will be competitive, as well as exciting and a lot of fun. There will be a NASP class as well as an open class.

Sunday, May 9th, the range will be closed from 11:30 am until 3:00 pm. Prairie Bowmen will be hosting an appreciation party/shoot for the NASP kids and coaches that reserved practice times and hosted tournaments this year. They were a great help to us, financially.

June will be a busy month for the club. We are planning a work day on Saturday, June 19th, to replace all of the Spiderweb targets. We will definitely need club members help. Anyone that helps for the day can take a target home with them. We'll supply donuts, coffee and juice in the morning and lunch and refreshments in the afternoon. This will be an all day project, so please plan to help, if only for a couple hours. We will start at 8:00a.m.

On the weekend of June 26th & 27th, we will be hosting our 1st outdoor 3-D of the year! This will be held at the Lincoln Izaak Walton Gun Club, 10801 S. 134th Street. Approximately 1 mile south of 134th & Hwy 34. Danny is in the process of laying out the course, which I'm sure will be challenging as well as fun. Contact Danny if you can help set up and tear down. I'm sure he will need the help!

Thank you to all the board members for all their hard work on running the club. It's not always easy to make 200 plus members happy. Also thank you to all the members that attend leagues and volunteer to help with projects. You all make everything we do, worth it. We have one of the best clubs in the state!

The Covid pandemic has been stressful as times, but we are making it thru it!!

Secretary/Treasurer Report by Chris Benson

The **4/22/2021** Board meeting was called to order at 7:05 pm at the range.

Board members present were: Jim Tubbs, Danny Tubbs, Steve Woitaszewski, Brian Krogman, and Chris Benson.

Members present were: Patrick Sullivan, John Filsinger, and Harry Windle.

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

Target: 12-13 shooters have been attending target league. 18 shot at last weekend's 300 round.

Bowhunter: Danny will be marking out a 3-D course at the Ike's property for the upcoming 3-D the weekend of June 27 & 27. There is an upcoming shoot for youth only on May 8th.

<u>Youth:</u> Steve reported the current classes started 2 weeks ago with 27 shooters. (10 new ones). He will be meeting with a group of visually impaired people who are interested in learning archery.

<u>Rangemaster</u>: Brian said the new targets are in. Plans are to put them in possibly on a work day to be held on June 19. A couple of lights will be replaced in the range spectator area.

Old Business:

Two new left-handed bows have been received.

Indoor events for the Cornhusker State Games will be at our range, original dates remain.

The Big Game Conservation Association will hold a "meet and greet" at the range June 25th.

On May 1 there will be a NASP tournament at the range.

New Business: Harry Windle has volunteered to build carts for the new Morrell targets so they'll be ready for the work day, likely June 19. Brian Krogman is donating plywood for the tops. Jim has purchased most of the castor wheels, a few more and ratchet straps are still needed. Donuts, coffee, and lunch will be provided for volunteers who show up to help. Volunteers will have an opportunity to take one of the Spiderweb targets.

New member applications were approved from: Robert Gewecke, Matt Hague, student Dexter Wilson, and the Evan Balleweg family.

The next meeting is scheduled for May 19, 2021 at 7:00 pm at the range.

Respectfully submitted, Chris Benson Secretary/Treasurer



Keep your equipment safe and convenient at the indoor range. Lockers available for only \$50/year. Contact Chris Benson (Secretary/Treasurer) for more information.

Youth Education Report by Steve Woitaszewski

The spring JOAD session is going strong. We have 25 in this class with 10 new members for this class. Come join in the fun or if you know of anyone that would like to learn archery have them get with me. My information is on the web site and in the newsletter. Cost is only \$40 for the 10 week session and all equipment is provided by the club. Several of the class members have earned JOAD metals and placed in area shots.

Again because of COVID the range will be closed from 5:30 until 8:30.



Robert Gewecke Matt Hague Dexter Wilson The Balleweg Family (Evan & Rachael)

Bowhunter Report by Danny Tubbs

Mark your calendars for June 26th and 27th for our first outdoor shoot at Lincoln Izaak Walton Gun Club (10801 S. 134th St, Bennet, NE). 40 targets. \$15. The current plan for registration is 9am til 4pm on Saturday and 9am til 1pm on Sunday. I will need as much help as I can get on Thursday, Friday and Saturday with set up and registration and on Sunday afternoon for tear down. If anyone has 4 wheelers they can use or loan they will be very helpful. Come help us celebrate a new opportunity for the club and a new opportunity for you.

Young people. See the attached flier for an indoor 3-D created just for you. For all you NASP Shooters it is an opportunity for you to get your feet wet with a new and different shooting venue. For those with their own equipment this should be a fun and challenging opportunity. If you have both, you are welcome to shoot both competitions.

That's all I have for now. As always, do something kind for someone every day....just because you can.



Question Comment Suggestion

Contact one of your Prairie Bowmen Board Members



<u>**Reminder:**</u> Per the State Directed Health Measures, please make sure when you are visiting the range to follow all the current guidelines that have been set by the Lincoln Mayor.

We must stay in compliance in order to stay open.



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		(Range closed @ 5:30pm)				
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	Target League @ 7:00pm (Range closed @ 6:30pm)	JOAD @ 6:00-7:00pm				
		and 7:30-8:30pm (Range closed @ 5:30pm)				
30	31 Memorial Day					
	Target League @ 7:00pm					
	(Range closed @ 6:30pm)	Items in yellow are Prairie Bowmen Events.				
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Youth Only Indoor 3-D Archery Tournament Saturday May 8th, 2021

Prairie Bowmen Indoor Archery Range 1432 North Cotner Boulevard Registration from 9am til 4pm

20 Targets 5 competitive Classes – All Classes \$8.00 Elementary Genesis * Jr. High Genesis * High School Genesis (All NASP Genesis bow configuration rules will apply) Open Class youth(13 & under) * Open Class young adult(14-17) (open class is all non-Genesis Bows or non-NASP complying Genesis Bows)

All distances 15 meters or less

If you need additional information please contact Prairie Bowmen Archery Bowhunter Rep Danny Tubbs at 402-525-3695 or dtubbs402@gmail.com