FEBRUARY 2022



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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President's Message

by Jim Tubbs

Wanted to start out by thanking all that helped set up, tear down and run the 3D's, both NASP and the regular one at the Deer & Game Expo. We had 70 plus shoot the regular 3D and over 40 shoot the NASP 3D. Also want to give a big thanks to Chris Edwards for putting on the Expo and asking us to be a part of it! Also a big shout out to Kevin at Lumber 84 for letting us use the OSB for our backstops. We are already working on changes for next year. Dates for next year's Deer & Game Expo are January 20-22, 2023.

As those of you that use the range may have noticed, I have put signs up reminding members to make sure the lights are off when you leave and to not turn the heat higher than 68 degrees and to turn it down if you are the last to leave. Unfortunately, gas bills have been going sky high this year because of rate increases. Instead of paying \$665.00 for a monthly gas bill, we'd rather make sure we have nice targets for you to shoot. So, your cooperation is much appreciated!

We also have a busy month at the range with a tournament every Saturday and one on Sunday in February. Saturday the 5th, we are hosting the NASP Tournament for North Star; the 12th, Pius/Blessed Sacrament; the 19th, NASP 3D; the 20th; our annual President's Day Shoot; and the 26th, NASP with East High.

The wife, Janice and I have been in the club for over 30 years, so a lot of members are like family. That being said, we will be having pizza and cake on February 20th at noon of the Presidents Day Shoot to celebrate our 40th wedding anniversary. Anyone that would like to stop by is welcome.

Our 1st outdoor 3D will be on the weekend of March 27th. Danny is still developing more shooting lanes. If anyone would like to help out, I'm sure he won't turn you down. Also, thanks to Chad Morgan and Danny Tubbs for continuing Target & Bowhunter Leagues. Numbers have been great, but we have room for more.

Hope to see you at the range. Jim Tubbs

Make sure to tag Prairie Bowmen in your archery social media posts







Question/Comment/Suggestion
Contact one of your Prairie Bowmen Board Members

Secretary/Treasurer Report

by Chris Benson

The 1/19/2022 Board meeting was called to order at 7:00 pm at the range.

Board members present: Jim Tubbs, Danny Tubbs, Kelly Slama, Harry Windle, Chris Benson

<u>Club members present:</u> John Filsinger, Patrick Sullivan

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

<u>Target:</u> Our Presidents' Day shoot will be held February 20th. A NASP 3D will be held February 19th.

Bowhunter: The Thursday night 3D league is back on schedule. Danny has 10 lanes laid out so far at the Lincoln Ike's property for our Icebreaker Shoot scheduled for March 27th.

Youth: There are 41 shooters in the current Monday night class session, with 16 new shooters.

<u>Rangemaster</u>: Harry has cut down a portion of the wall between the lockers and shooting lanes to provide more viewing for spectators. Plans are being developed to remodel our restroom to provide access to a second restroom now only accessible behind the target butts.

<u>Correspondence:</u> Kelly had no email "bounce backs" with the latest newsletter. Some discussion was held regarding capturing information from shoot participants so we can send flyers for future shoots.

Old Business:

The Deer and Big Game Expo at the Events Center was a success. It was decided we should provide another table for next year to hold flyers and information about our club. It's also planned to better promote the NASP 3D portion.

Some of the funds from the savings account have been transferred to Vanguard for investment in funds that are safe, but provide more return than bank savings accounts.

New Business:

The Lincoln lke's have an unused garage that may be available to us for 3D storage. That would save us the cost of acquiring a storage container.

Some discussion was held regarding developing business cards, flyers, etc. to help promote our club.

New member applications were read and approved for: Gregory Gayman, Dana Girard, Connor Rooney; Gina Wertz, Abbey Smith, Matthew Santora families and student Preston Hunt.

The next meeting is scheduled for February 16th, 2022 at 7:00 pm at the range.

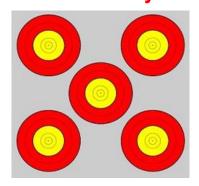
Respectfully submitted, Chris Benson Secretary/Treasurer



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

Target Rep Report by Chad Morgan

Please join us Sunday, February 20th for the **President's Day 600**



Continuous line from 8am to 2pm \$15 for adults & young adults \$10 for youth & cubs

We will also be celebrating Jim & Janice Tubbs' 40th Wedding Anniversary with pizza and cake at Noon!



Indoor target league is on Mondays at 7:00pm.
Starting next week (2/7), we will be shooting the
NFAA 300 round for 5 weeks,
which is the second half for those participating in the
NFAA National Indoor League.

Bowhunter Rep Report by Danny Tubbs

Wanted to start by saying thank you to Jim, Harry and everyone else that has been helping with/participating in Bowhunter league while I've been sick. Looking forward to returning next week.

Thank you to all who assisted and participated in this year's Deer & Game Expo 3D. We gathered several ideas for improvements for next year's event. Looking forward to it already.

Mark your calendars for our first Ice Breaker 3D at Ikes on March 27th.



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

Youth Education Report by Steve Woitaszewski

We just finished week 3 (1/25) of this session and we have 42 taking part. The last day of this session will be March 15 and we will have a fun shoot. These new archers will have fun putting their newly found skills to practice.

The next session will start on April 12th. If you know of anyone wanting to take up archery, have them give me a call. All are welcome... young or not so young. A third of the current class are adults. Some are parents of kids in class and others are just wanting to take up the sport.

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS



Dana Girard

Connor Rooney

Matthew Santora & Autumn Schafer

Preston Hunt

Lucas Schlautman

Ethan Burham

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		JOAD @ 6:00-7:00pm and 7:30-8:30pm (Range closed @ 5:30pm)	NASP (Southeast/Southwest) 6:00-9:00pm	NASP (North Star) 4:00-6:00pm 3D League @ 7:00pm (Range closed @ 6:00pm)	The Vegas Shoot <- 2/3 - 2/6 ->	NASP Tournament (North Star) 7am – 5pm
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