JULY 2023



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.

Board Members

President:

Jim Tubbs 402-430-7783 hunter55@allophone.com

Vice President / Target Rep: Chad Morgan 402-520-0343 clmorgan72@gmail.com

Bowhunter Rep:

Danny Tubbs 402-525-3695 dtubbs402@gmail.com

Secretary/Treasurer: Chris Benson 402-540-0524 hoosierdaddy_ne@yahoo.com

Range Master:

Harry Windle 402-450-4276 halwind.hw@gmail.com

Youth Education Coordinator:

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

Communication Coordinator: Kelly Slama 402-429-9562 prairiekellycc@gmail.com

prairiebowmenarchery@gmail.com

www.prairiebowmen.com

Facebook Page: Prairie Bowmen Archery - Lincoln Twitter: @pbarchery Instagram: prairiebowmen

President's Message

by Jim Tubbs

Thanks to Danny Tubbs for putting together another good 3D shoot on June 25th at Ikes. Although there weren't many shooters, I understand all had fun and liked the layout.

Cornhusker State Games for archery will be 3 weekends this year. July 16th will be the FHA in Grand Island. The weekend of July 22nd & 23rd will be NASP target and NASP 3D at the Prairie Bowmen range, in the afternoon will be an afternoon target tournament (450), both days and an outdoor target shoot (750) on the morning of the 23rd at NOEC. The final weekend will be the 3D on July 30th at Ikes. There is still time to sign up. (https://www.cornhuskerstategames.com/sports/archery-archery/)

The indoor range is in great shape, thanks to Harry Windle staying on top of things.

I'm sure that what I'm asking next will not be 100% possible, but if we can refrain from shooting arrows with outserts at the backstops, it would be greatly appreciated. They are wearing out the targets very guickly. The last time we rebuilt the targets, the cost was \$300.00 each, today it will be close to \$500 each. I was told the cost of new targets would be \$1,000.00 each.

Have a Happy & Safe 4th of July!

Jim Tubbs

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Dominic Mai & Holly Pham

Please be 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 June 14th Board meeting was called to order at 7:00pm at the range.

Board members present: Jim Tubbs, Danny Tubbs, Steve Woitaszewski, Harry Windle, Chad Morgan, Kelly Slama and Chris Benson

<u>Club members present:</u> Brian Krogman, Caughlin Bohn, Wes Sheets and Patrick Sullivan

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

Target: Next week the target league will shoot the 450 (5-spot) round.

Bowhunter: A new bridge has been created mid-range at the Ike's. This will make it easier to cross the creek for rounds of less than 40 targets. That will be the case at the Fun Shoot scheduled for the 25th that will have 20 targets.

Youth: Next week is the last night for the current session. The next one will start on July 18 and will run for 10 weeks.

Rangemaster: The leak in the back restroom has been fixed. The range is in pretty good shape.

Old Business: There are several tumblers left for sale. We expect to have good sales at the Cornhusker State Games.

Discussion continues regarding which AED device to purchase.

We still need to purchase a license for the 3-D trailer.

New Business: A broken window just outside the entrance to the range need to be dealt with.

New member application for the Dominic Mai family was read and approved.

The next Board meeting is scheduled for July 19th at 7:00pm

Respectfully submitted, Chris Benson Secretary/Treasurer

Keep your equipment safe and convenient at the indoor range. Lockers available for only \$50/year or \$30/6 months. Contact Chris Benson for more information.



The club is bringing back the Big Game award, so if you harvested a turkey or anything this fall get with Steve W to have it scored. The big game plaques are located on the South wall in the range. Winners will have their name placed on the plaque & you will also receive an award. Any questions, please contact Steve W.

Bowhunter Rep Report by Danny Tubbs

Well, the fun shoot is officially in the books. There were a few challenging shots, (including an 85 yard Apple shot), if you chose to shoot from the number stake every time. Those that did, will receive a t-shirt with a cartoon turkey and the statement, "I ain't no Chicken !" There will be 6 of them floating around so keep your eye out for them.

Next Ike's 3D will be the Cornhusker State Games on Sunday, July 30th. If you're signed up, I'll see you there.

Planning a few extra festivities for the August club shoot. We'll have more info to follow.

Less than 2 months away from deer season already. Make sure you're staying sharp if you plan to hunt. It's all about respect for the life you're taking and the thankfulness of the bounty for you table.

As always, there are many opportunities to do something kind for someone else... just because you can.

Youth Education Report by Steve Woitaszewski

Last Tuesday was the last day of JOAD for this session, and again for the last night we had a fun shoot. Instead of circle targets the targets were balloons, clay pigeons, cans, foam (ducks. fish, candles), large playing cards, bows (bow hunting), large dimeter arrows (for a robin hood) and a few small 3D's. Some pictures enclosed in this newsletter.

As for the next JOAD session it will start July 18 and run for ten weeks. With two sessions offered one at 6PM and another at 7:30PM your choice of time. If you know of anyone eight years old and up interested have them get back to me.

JOAD FUN NIGHT TARGETS!!





JULY 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 State Marked 3D NTA/Golden Arrow Big Indian 3D CSAA Outdoor Pin
2 State Marked 3D	3	4	5	6	7	Shoot 8
NTA/Golden Arrow Big Indian 3D	Target League @ 7:00pm (Range closed @ 6:30pm)					Fremont 3D
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
State 900 CSAA @ NOEC	Target League @ 7:00pm					
Fremont 3D Quad 3D Litchfield	(Range closed @ 6:30pm)					
16 050 FUA @ TCA	17	18	19	20	21 NFAA Field Nationals	22
CSG FHA @ TCA 3D Golden Arrow	Target League @ 7:00pm (Range closed @ 6:30pm)	JOAD @ 6:00-7:00pm and 7:30-8:30pm (Range closed @ 5:30pm)	Board Meeting 7:00pm		Darrington, WA 7/21 – 7/23 ->	CSG NASP @ PB CSG 450 @ PB
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
CSG 750 @ NOEC CSG NASP @ PB	Target League @ 7:00pm	JOAD @ 6:00-7:00pm and 7:30-8:30pm			Buckeye Classic Dublin, OH 7/28 – 7/30 ->	Big Indian 2 Person Team Shoot
CSG 450 @ PB	(Range closed @ 6:30pm)	(Range closed @ 5:30pm)				3D Norfolk
30	31	August 1	2	3	4	5
CSG 3D @ Ike's 3D Norfolk	Target League @ 7:00pm (Range closed @ 6:30pm)	JOAD @ 6:00-7:00pm and 7:30-8:30pm (Range closed @ 5:30pm)				Big Indian 3D CSAA Outdoor Pin Shoot

Items in yellow are Prairie Bowmen events – https://www.prairiebowmen.com/calendar/

Contact area clubs regarding the status of their shoots - http://archerynebr.sportsontheweb.net/