APRIL 2024



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

Spring turkey season is upon us as of Monday. Not sure how many made it out, as mother nature is not ready to let go of winter. Hopefully the weather will be better this weekend!

My last article I said NASP tournaments were over at the range, but we have one more. It will be on Saturday May 4th, from 7:30 am – 11:00 am.

Keep an eye on the calendar to keep up on upcoming events!

Jim Tubbs



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

Please be sure to tag Prairie Bowmen in your archery social media posts



Secretary/Treasurer Report by Chris Benson

The 3/18/2024 Board meeting was called to order at 5:43pm at the range.

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

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

Target: Brian reported there were 54 shooters at the State Indoor at our range. Monday target league will continue through the Cornhusker State Games.

Bowhunter: Danny said the 3-D league's last night will be this Thursday, the 21st. It's time to start planning for the upcoming tournament at the Turpin Outdoor Education Center on May 4-5.

Youth: Steve reported the next session of JOAD will start on April 9th.

<u>Rangemaster</u>: Harry will contact the roofing contractor about re-coating the roof due to the 2 or 3 small leaks that have shown up.

<u>Correspondence</u>: Kelly has ordered more business cards for the club.

<u>Old Business</u>: Jim will bring the new lease for the range to the next board meeting. We are looking at a 10-year lease.

New Business:

New member applications were read and approved for: Zachary Kunc, Sam Gonnerman, Kyle Ulrich, Brook Schmidt and the Tyler Weers family.

Our next tournament will be held at the TOEC on May 4-5.

The Cornhusker State Games will be held on July 13-14 and July 18-19.

The stack of old bows at the range that were offered to any member were finally donated to the Nebr. Bowhunters Association and sold for \$160 at the silent auction.

The NASP kids using the range are basically done for the season. South Lincoln will continue to practice on Wednesdays from 6:30-8:00 through May 8th.

A short discussion was held considering having an archery "swap meet" at the range. Most archers have things they'd like to get rid of. A possibility is to have free tables for club members and a charge for non-members.

The next Board meeting is scheduled for April 15th at 6:00pm at the range.

Respectfully submitted,

Chris Benson Secretary/Treasurer



Youth Education Report by Steve Woitaszewski

The next 10-week JOAD session will start on April 9th, with sessions starting at 6PM and 7:30PM. Your choice of time, or if something comes up and the other time works better that day, do come at the other time slot. The cost is the same \$50 for the full session. Just show up on April 9th. Cash or check, no credit cards. The club has no card reader or internet at the range. Any questions get back with me.

On another note, we had ten of the JOAD kids shoot at the State NASP Tournament. With three of the kids quantifying for the scholarships shoot out, and two winning scholarship money a first and a second place. Also, several winning other awards including best score overall and setting a new state record. Some of the kids set new PR scores, no award but setting a PR at a State tournament is a big accomplishment.

Come join the fun of Aril 9th and bring a friend. All ages welcome 8 years and up. See you on April 9th.

Bowhunter Rep Report by Danny Tubbs

Another season of Bowhunter League is in the books. Thank you to everyone for all your help with set up, tear down and running a safe line by looking out for each other.

Special mention to Prairie Bowmen member, Clint Burge, who made it to league every week and always helped with whatever he could.

Congratulations to all of this year's winners.

Flight one

1st place.	Ryan Hajek
2nd place.	Colt Morgan
3rd place.	Logan Driskell
Flight two	

1st place.	Ethan Burham
2nd place.	Kyle Ulrich
3rd place.	Matt Haupt

Flight three

1st place.Michael Lykins2nd place.Cody Kosmichi3rd place.Arlie Elsasser

Well, no time to rest. Starting preparation for the May 4th and 5th line shoot. Looking forward to trying out this new format. The shoot will be 40 shots plus bonus and will be set up much like the expo but with some longer shots for the adults and shorter shots for the kids. Check out the flier for all the details. Can't wait to see you all there.

At the writing of this article Spring Turkey season is well under way. Good luck to everyone on their harvests.

The weather is getting better and people will be outside a lot more. This should give everyone more opportunities to do something kind for someone else every day... just because we can.

PRAIRIE BOWMEN 3D OUTDOOR LINE SHOOT

May 4th & 5th at Turpin Outdoor Education Center 44th and Superior

Indoor style 3D format. 40 shots off the line at various distances. Bonus shots and challenge shots.

The purpose of this shoot is to provide a fun and unique experience in a group friendly setting.

Bring your pop ups, your grills, your chairs and your coolers (no alcohol) and join us for a great time of Archery fellowship as we join forces with the Outdoor Education Center to promote the great sport of Archery.

Saturday, May 4th – 7am-3pm Sunday, May 5th – 7am-1pm

Adults - \$20 Young Adults & Youth - \$10 Cubs – No Charge

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Target League @ 7:00pm (Range closed @ 6:30pm)	2	3 NASP practice 6:30-8:00pm	4	5 Arizona Cup <4/4 – 4/7>>	6 Big Indian 3D
7 RANGE CLOSED 5-8pm - South Lincoln Archery Banquet Big Indian 3D	8 Target League @ 7:00pm (Range closed @ 6:30pm)	9 JOAD @ 6:00-7:00pm and 7:30-8:30pm (Range closed @ 5:30pm)	NASP practice 6:30-8:00pm	11	12 BTB & NFAA 1 Arrow 3D National Championship Fresno, CA 4/12- 4/14>>	13 CSAA Outdoor Pin Shoot @ TOEC Fremont 3D
14 Fremont 3D	15 Board Meeting 6:00pm Target League @ 7:00pm (Range closed @ 6:30pm)	16 JOAD @ 6:00-7:00pm and 7:30-8:30pm (Range closed @ 5:30pm)	NASP practice 6:30-8:00pm	18 RANGE CLOSED 5:30-8pm – NASP practice	19 First Dakota Classic & 3 Star Shoot Off Yankton, SD 4/19 - 4/21>>	20 GAAC Indoor 3D
21 RANGE CLOSED 4:30-7:30pm – NASP Coaches appreciation dinner GAAC Indoor 3D	22 Target League @ 7:00pm (Range closed @ 6:30pm)	23 JOAD @ 6:00-7:00pm and 7:30-8:30pm (Range closed @ 5:30pm)	24 NASP practice 6:30-8:00pm	25 RANGE CLOSED 5:30-8pm – NASP practice	26 ASA Pro/Am Camp Minden, LA <4/25 - 4/28>>	27 NTA Rendezvous York
28 NTA Rendezvous York Quad 3D Litchfield	29 Target League @ 7:00pm (Range closed @ 6:30pm)	30 JOAD @ 6:00-7:00pm and 7:30-8:30pm (Range closed @ 5:30pm)	May 1	2	3	4 PB 3D line shoot @ TOEC

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

NASP will use lanes 1 – 16

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