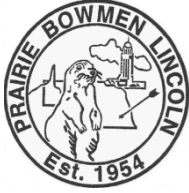


September 2026



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

Thank you to the members that came to workday on August 16 to help prepare for the floor being redone. We accomplished a lot. New wheels put on all target butts, 1 target rebuilt, the top of the lockers cleaned off (looks much better) and everything moved off the concrete. I hope you all like the new look of the range. A lot of work was done over the past couple weeks. The concrete portion of the range has a new epoxy coating which should last for years and be easier to maintain. The carpet has been shampooed, restrooms cleaned, windows and mirrors cleaned and ready to be reopened. Thank you all for your patience while we got this finished.

Please make sure you clean up after yourself. If you spill something on the floor, please clean it up and not expect someone else to do it for you. We will have cleaner and paper towels there for you to take care of this. We hope that you will take pride in being a member of the club. Try to keep drinks on the tables and not on the floor, this seems to be one of the biggest problems.

Thank you to the volunteers that helped at the Outdoor Junior Joad Nationals in July. It was much appreciated! Not sure what the total number were, I heard over 900. This was also a record for this tournament.

The club is in the process of purchasing an AED for the range. A few years ago, we had an individual go down with a heart attack. Luckily there were a number of members there that new CPR and the Fire Station is just down the street. After that we had a few donations come in for the purchase of the AED. We will also plan to do some kind of fund raiser to pay for the rest.

If anyone wants to donate to this, let any board member know. We will be doing a class on September 17th, at the board meeting for anyone that wants to learn of they work. NASP fall league is in progress on Wednesdays until November 4th. NASP practice will be beginning in November.

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



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



Secretary/Treasurer Report

by Kelly Slama

The 8/20/26 Board meeting was called to order at 6:09pm at the range.

Board members present: Jim Tubbs, Harry Windle, Steve Woitaszewski, Caughlin Bohn, Daric Stalder and Kelly Slama
Club members present: Michael Welsh, Leah Went & Greg Gayman

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

Target: Daric reported we hosted Outdoor Target Sectionals and the State 900 recently at Turpin. There were 19 shooters for sectionals and 36 for state.

Target league will start back up in October. Also, the NFAA will be doing National League Jan 4 – Mar 14, 2027. We would have to register as a host club. NFAA membership is not required for people to shoot in this league.

Bowhunter: Danny has a 3D shoot coming up next week at Turpin. Setup will be on Saturday and the shoot is on Sunday. Volunteers will be needed to help setup.

Youth Coordinator: Steve reported class is going good. End for this session is extended a couple weeks due to range closure. The next session will start October 22.

Rangemaster: Harry will be cleaning the carpet area on Tuesday during the range closure. Bow racks will be painted and new lines will be taped on the floor after it has cured. Furnace filters have been changed.

Old Business: Mike is actively working on the Nebraska/South Dakota shootout competition.

Jim is working on getting the No Parking signs. It will be about \$40-50 per sign.

NASP targets will be ordered in October.

Michael is finalizing the brochures. He handed out a sample and requested any last additions/updates or changes. He also reported the company store will be opening back up on Labor Day weekend. Jerseys for members will be available to order soon.

New Business: **New member applications** were read and approved for Andrew Simpson (single) and Abraham Vila Pena (student).

There was a work day this past Saturday. New casters were installed on the target bale stands. One target was rebuilt and there was a broken zipper on the other new cover. The vendor will be sending 2 new covers.

Jim talked to Matt at Pulse Finders about getting a new AED. The recommendation was a Zoll AED Plus @ \$1900 (plus tax). He would also provide training on how to use it. He also sells mounting a mounting case and it was decided we should also purchase one of those.

NASP fall league starts September 2 on Wednesdays for 8 weeks. November 4th would be the last session.

Vinyl tape was ordered for the floor per recommendation from Caleb from CMB Epoxy Flooring. The new tape will be put down Wednesday night.

Jim would like the club to make a donation to the Nebraska Sports Council for the Pumpkin Run. He would like to donate the proceeds from helping to set up JOAD Nationals

Michael reported he has taken a new job and will be moving. Leah & Greg will be taking over the Advanced JOAD class.

The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday, September 17th, 2026, at 6:00pm at the range.

Treasury Summary

by Kelly Slama

JULY 2026 Treasurer's Summary

Income	Amount
Leagues/JOAD	\$1,403.00
Membership Renew/New/Lockers	\$180.78
Target Sales/Guests	\$3.50
Checking Interest	\$1.09
TOTAL INCOME	\$1,588.37

Expenses	Amount
Rent	\$2,000.00
Utilities	\$820.71
Supplies	\$391.44
Tax Prep	\$435.00
Insurance	\$1,964.00
TOTAL EXPENSES	\$5,611.15

Youth Education Report

by Steve Woitaszewski

With the range being closed for the floor resurfacing this session will now end on September 29th and the next session will start on October 13th and end on December 15th. Make sure to stop by the range and see the improvements. There are still five more sessions left so there is still time to join in and get some more practice for the coming NASP season. If you know of anyone wanting to get into archery have them get with me. My contact information is on the front of this newsletter.

Bowhunter Rep Report

by Danny Tubbs

Greetings, fellow archers.

At the reading of this article the team shoot/3D shoot will have already taken place. The participation level at this event will have determined whether this format will continue or if this is the last one.

I have spent the last 5 years or so attempting to create events that are fun and challenging to benefit both new and seasoned shooters. Although, I sincerely appreciate the shooters that have attended these events, and I truly enjoy the smiles and the compliments from everyone.

The attendance is extremely poor compared with the time, labor and care that goes into creating these events.

The workers that show up to assist with set up and tear down rarely shoot in these events but help because they believe in the obligation as an Archery Club to provide a quality event for those that come to shoot.

I'm not a marketing person so maybe the low attendance is my inability to 'get the word out' effectively to all that would participate if they knew about the event. The events are on the state calendar as well as Prairie Bowmen's website, Prairie Bowmen's Facebook page and my own Facebook page. If you have ideas as to how to better advertise I would appreciate any feedback.

As always, keeps your eyes peeled for the opportunities to 'do something kind for someone every day....just because you can'.

**WELCOME NEW
MEMBERS**

Abraham Vila Pena
Andrew Simpson

With bow seasons already underway or getting ready to start, it is a great time to get score for the club's big game awards.

The club has big game awards to offer each year for club members. All you have to do is get your trophy scored and sent into the club. For turkeys, get your turkey live weight and get with Steve to have the turkey scored. He will need the beard and both spurs to finish the scoring. Any Nebraska big game animal taken by a club member is allegeable. I know that someone in the club shot something this season.

The cost of getting scored is FREE. Give Steve Woitaszewski a call (402-450-3427) to get it scored deer, turkey etc.

September 2026

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
August 30	31 Advanced JOAD @ 6:00-7:00pm	1 JOAD @ 6:00-9:00pm (Range closed @ 5:30pm)	2 NASP League @ 6:00-8:30pm	3	4	5
6	7 Advanced JOAD @ 6:00-7:00pm	8 JOAD @ 6:00-9:00pm (Range closed @ 5:30pm)	9 NASP League @ 6:00-8:30pm	10	11	12 TAA Outdoor Pin Shoot
13	14 Advanced JOAD @ 6:00-7:00pm	15 JOAD @ 6:00-9:00pm (Range closed @ 5:30pm)	16 NASP League @ 6:00-8:30pm	17 Board Meeting and AED Class @ 6:00pm	18	19 USAA Pin Shoot @ PB – 6:00pm GAAC Indoor Target
20 GAAC Indoor Target	21 Advanced JOAD @ 6:00-7:00pm	22 JOAD @ 6:00-9:00pm (Range closed @ 5:30pm)	23 NASP League @ 6:00-8:30pm	24	25	26
27	28 Advanced JOAD @ 6:00-7:00pm	29 JOAD @ 6:00-9:00pm (Range closed @ 5:30pm)	30	October 1 USAA Collegiate 3D Nationals Foley, AL 10/1 – 10/3>>	2	3

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/>