

The Villages Archery Club

Meeting Agenda for the

May 10th 2021

Welcome to our 13th ZOOM meeting and our 2nd Hybrid (In-Person & Zoom) meeting.

The Pledge of Allegiance

New Members or First Time Attending

Financial & Membership Reports:

The Current Balance is: **\$7360.42**

The Current 2021 Membership is: **242**

Old Business:

Range Meister

May Jim Scheer
June Dave Van Nice
July John Gauger
August Bob Sirek
September .Tom Hart
October ... Rod Burge
November .Carl Frank
December. Rich Pickles
January ... Charlie Wilson
February ... Don Nix
March Blair Peterson
April Wally Krull

Future of Our Meetings (Hybrid)

- Meet at Rohan with Rec Dept. capacity requirements.
- Broadcast via ZOOM for those uncomfortable with in-person meeting, snowbirds still on winter hiatus or those who left The Villages for the summer.
- Masks not required, but
- Sign-in is required

April 17th Fun Shoot (senior games replacement) was a wash out.

Last Month Rec Dept. Questions for our Club From Tracy Whitten

- Is the club willing to conduct Archery training at the Charter School – *club voted NO in April and email sent to Tracy*
- Is the club willing to hold Learn to Shoot Clinics this summer or fall: *club voted YES in April and email sent to Tracy – BUT.....*
 - For now postponed due to Archery101

From Lisa Parkyn

- Would the Archery Club be interested in joining the Camp Villages Summer Session with the following dates: *club voted YES in April and email sent to Lisa*
 - Thursday, June 10
 - Thursday, July 8
 - Thursday, August 5

Rec Dept. Approved Access to Shop and Target Room

- IT IS OPEN - the club must provide sanitation staging area
- No mask required for single person in either room
- No more than 2 people allowed in either room at a time and masks must be worn
- Access Code was sent on club email
- Rec Dept. staff will periodically be in the area!

Reminders:

- If you HAD equipment for sale on club web site and it sold, please send email to club so the items can be removed.
- *We are still looking to fill VP position*
- *Now Looking for a Treasurer*
- *Tournament Director position opens at year end*
- *Someone to maintain club arrows*

New Business:

2021 Archery Club Tournament Schedule

April Mtg. voted to keep May/June Tournaments closed to residents only

15 May (Saturday) 900 Round

- **Call The Line: Blair Peterson volunteered**
- **Registration: Dick & Pam Geuss volunteered**

Work Party Thur. 5/13

13 June (Sunday) 900 Round

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Work Party Thur. 6/10

At This Time Remainder of Club Tournaments open to Non-residents

16 October (Saturday) Classic 600 Round Larry Boyd Memorial

21 November (Sunday) 900 Round

12 December (Sunday) 900 Round

Should we reschedule the Simulated 3D/Animal Round Shoot we had planned as the replacement for April 17th Senior Games? **The club voted YES to rescheduling.**

“Meet Your Club Members” or ***“Get to Know Your Club Members”*** or ***“Shooter of the Month”***– This idea has morphed into a possible Club Newsletter

It could contain articles like:

- Competition Corner
 - Monthly Calendar with upcoming club and outside events
 - Tournament Schedule/Info
- Tech Corner
 - Shooting tips
 - Equipment tips
 - Compound & Recurve Tips
 - Arrow tips
- Shooter/Member of the month
- Upcoming Social Events
- Etc., etc.

Few months ago a Club survey about likes/dislikes/changes. The common themes we are addressing are:

- Members are missing “Tech Talks” and training in general
- More shoots/tournaments that allow newer archers to participate and Learn to Shoot Tournaments/Leagues
Update: **Joe or Rick-Update was provided. Registration remains open until May 22. About 20 people has signed up to date.**

Holiday Party **Blair really wants to have the Holiday Party at his home as has been done in years past.**

- What do we want to do going forward?
- Where do we want to hold the party?
 - Is it fair for Blair and Barbara to offer their home?
- How about a catered party?
- Do we want entertainment?

Silver Springs Archery Club (Ocala)

- Practice 3D range and two 15 station 3D Tournament ranges
- Bag targets at 20-50 yards
- Open to public on Thursday 6pm for 3D (\$10)
- 3D and 900 tournaments on their schedule

Paradise and Dudley

- Paradise Archery 101 Class update from **Norm**

- Dudley Archery 101 Class update from **Roy**

Jan 2021 (4 month ago) Target cores at Paradise were replaced on Lanes 1-11 and foamed on Lanes 12-16.

- Showing signs of heavy usage
- If you can shoot tight groups **PLEASE** shoot different targets each time at the range
- Starting the first of each month on Monday mornings we rotate target faces from 12 o'clock, to 3 o'clock, to 6, to 9.
- **PLEASE** when you come to the range abide by the target face position on Lanes 1-9.
- If you move a target to a different yardage, PLEASE return it to the yardage label on the column at the shooting lane.
Remember – Archery 101 at Paradise needs targets close on lanes 10-17.

Archery Library:

- Web Site contains all club library items
- Anyone can go onto our website to see what books & DVD's are available
- Contact Sandy Cohn, he will set up a meeting time & place to take out or return any items.

The club is looking for the following:

- *Vice President*
- *Treasurer*
- *Tournament Director position opens at year end*
- *Someone to maintain club arrows* **Wayne Clark volunteered**
- **Social Committee – Ann Grossman volunteered**

Please contact any club officer if interested. Clubs only thrive when the members get involved.

Open:

(Anything You Want to Talk About)?????

1. Club members would like a better understanding of the types of tournaments/leagues (i.e. Vegas/300/900/etc)
2. Club members would like a better understanding of the organizations governing archery tournaments (i.e. NAA, USA Archery, World Archery Federation, etc??)

3. There was discussion about resuming a designated “League Day” to simulate the conditions of a tournament/league.
4. There was a suggestion to have a method for club members to find other members who shoot the same style of archery. Example, a way for a female recurve shooter to find other female recurve shooters so they could make arrangements to meet at the range and shoot together.
5. There was a suggestion to have a picnic after the tournaments so club members can socialize as there is not much opportunity to socialize during the actual tournament.
6. After the monthly archery meeting, please join club members at City Fire in Brownwood to socialize.
7. There was a suggestion to have a “New Shooter Day” type of event.

Otherwise.....

Tech Talk Next: No tech talk in May