

The Villages Archery Club
Meeting Agenda for the
Nov 8th 2021

Apologies to those who tried to ZOOM. There were connection issues at Rohan

Welcome to the Archery Club Monthly Meeting.

The Pledge of Allegiance

New Members or First Time Attending

Financial & Membership Reports:

The Current Balance is: \$9284.36

The Current 2021 Membership is: 287

Old Business:

Range Meister

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

Monday morning shoots during EST will begin at 10am

Treasury

Our treasury balance is quite high, partly due to not many expenses due to COVID last year and our not having to buy target faces which is a good part of our budget. The Villages will begin buying our target faces for general use. In order to get our treasury balance back to a reasonable

level, beginning after 2022, the dues structure will revert to what it was several years ago. \$10 for individual renewals and \$15 for family renewals. With our current balance, we will be looking at replacing some of our older equipment and tools so members will have access to first class equipment.

Larry Boyd Memorial Tournament Oct 16th

First post pandemic tournament

Thank You to ALL that help make this a success

35 attendees, large non-resident attendance

Getting calls about Nov. tournament

Paradise Work Party before the Larry Boyd Tournament on Oct16 was a large success. Thanks to all that helped

Heritage Festival on Oct 8th Lake Sumter Landing was successful and The Villages has asked us to participate in 2022 on the following dates:

Friday Sept 30th at Brownwood

Friday Oct 7th at Spanish Springs

Fun Shoot

Our third shoot was held as a simulated 3D shoot on October 30

It was a combination of animal and 3D type targets & bonus target. The field was divided between compound and recurve We had 22 participants and there were more recurve than compound shooters.

Renewals and New Memberships

Due to COVID concerns request to continue Mail-In membership renewals

Policy changed for 2022 renewal only

New Memberships must be presented during meeting

Membership form has been updated with mail-in address

Target Maintenance

Discussion with The Villages regarding core replacement

The Rec Dept. has agreed this is their responsibility

We are waiting on meeting to discuss archery club ability to foam cores when needed (sounds like agreeable)

First shipment of Rec Dept. supplied WP122cm target faces have arrived for Paradise and Dudley

Lancaster sent every WP122cm they had in stock

No 122 cm patches in stock
We need to continue our diligence on target usage.

Status of Dudley Operation

Open for business
Rick Aaron gave an update on the Dudley operation

Archer's Help

Rick Aaron gave an update on the Archers Help program

Reminders & Updates:

No More Bow/Arrow Sign Out at Paradise
If you HAD equipment for sale on club web site and it sold, please
send email to club so the items can be removed.
Fridge in Shop – Water & Sodas *ARE NOT FREE*

New Business:

2021 Archery Club Tournament Schedule
21 November (Sunday) 900 Round
12 December (Sunday) 900 Round

Volunteers for Tournament Sunday Nov 21st
Call the Line: Rich Powers

Registration: Charlie Campney, Dick Geuss, Sunny Martin & Rachel Burge

Volunteers for Tournament Sunday Dec 12th
Call the Line: Ken Hamann

Registration: Jim Murray, Dick Geuss, Bill Mann & Charlie Campney

Status of Simulated 3D Shoots

Combination of Animal and 3D type targets
Divide field for Compound & Recurve
Bonus Target

If so, it's time for a Fun Shoot Committee

Volunteers: We had several meeting attendees that expressed an interest
in forming a committee to facilitate fun shoots in 2022

Due to the holidays, it was proposed that the next fun shoot be held after
the first of the year.

The Villages Archery Club 2022 Events Schedule has been posted on our web site.

Election Year and according to our By Laws
ARTICLE VII - Election of Officers and Term of Service

Section 1 - Officers shall be elected for *two year* terms.

Section 2 – Either the President or Vice Presidents must be a full time resident of The Villages.

Section 3 - At the October meeting, as necessary, the President shall appoint a Nominating Committee consisting of three club members. If a nominating committee cannot be appointed, the Board of Directors shall serve that purpose.

The Nominating committee (Dawn Johnson, Wayne Clark, Ken Dirnberger) has proposed the following list of candidates:

President: Rod Burge

Vice President North: Rich Powers, Sandy Cohn

Vice President South: Wayne Clark

Treasurer: Sandy Cohn, Jeff Warren

Secretary: Sunny Martin, Charlie Campney

Nominees must verify to the nominating committee that they will accept the position that they were nominated for and that they will fulfill the duties thereof.

Paradise and Dudley

Paradise Archery 101 Class update from Norm

Dudley Archery 101 Class update from Roy

Reports indicate heavy usage on both ranges

Next Social Get Together

No Social Nov. & Dec.

Annual Club Holiday get together will be at Blair & Barbara's house (date TBD, announce at Dec. meeting)

Targets

If you can shoot tight groups PLEASE shoot different targets each time at the range

Starting the first of each month on Monday mornings (at Paradise) 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. KEEP THEM WHERE THEY ARE

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 requires the instructors to move Targets to 10 yards – Help the instructors by moving the targets back to the correct position.*

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.

Open Discussion:

Sometimes it seems like there only a few members that are keeping our club going. We have nearly 300 members in the club and there are less than 5% that are actively participating in Club operation.

Volunteering is a vital part of any club here in The Villages. As well as being essential for the sustainability and longevity of the club, volunteers can bring additional ideas and knowledge to the table and become key, long-term members. We will be looking at this in the future.