

The Villages Archery Club
Meeting Agenda
10 February 2020

Welcome: 50 / 50 Tickets

The Pledge of Allegiance

We welcome the new the members. How many members use the Dudley range? New members are asked to stay after the meeting for an orientation.

Financial Report:

The Current Balance is: \$ 4,361.06

The Current Membership is: 369

Old Business:

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February ... Bob Sirek
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
November .. Carl Frank
December ... Rich Pickles

There was a class held last week at the Riverbend Rec. Center that covered aspects of shooting The Compound Bow. Joe can you tells us how that went?

We hosted a Double Vegas Round (600) Tournament on 18 January 2020. We had 35 shooters attend. Thanks for everyone who worked the tournament.

We also hosted an NFAA Indoor (Outdoor) Round yesterday, 9 February. We had 33 shooters attend this tournament. Thanks to all who worked the shoot.

The Club presented our 1st "Learn To Shoot" Clinic of 2020 on Thursday, 27 February. It was a big success and we had about 55 Village residents attend. Raise you hand if you are here tonight to join the Club because you came to that Clinic.

New Business:

The Club sends best wishes and speedy recovery to Lynn Janu and Dick Geuss.

Please use discretion when changing target faces. Many times, there are multiple layers of target faces on a target frame. The 122 cm target faces cost the Club nearly \$5.00 each and the only time they need to be replaced is for tournaments. Just because a target has been used is no reason to discard it. There are patches that should be used to make the face shootable. Much of our budget is to purchase target faces. Please be good stewards of our equipment.

We will host our next tournament on Saturday, 14 March, when we will host a NFAA Indoor (Outdoor) Round. This round is shot at 20 yards. Pre-register [HERE](#)

Run the Line: Rich Powers

Registration: Barb Dernberger, Mickey Wilson, Violet Radd and Kelly Purcell

We will have a work party at the range on Thursday, 12 March at 8:00AM to prepare the range for this tournament.

The Club will participate in The Villages Outdoor Expo this month on 22 & 23 February. We need volunteers to help at our booth inside the La Hacienda Rec. Center and outside of the Rec Center where we have a place for people to shoot. A sign up sheet was passed around and a sign up link is on our web site as well. Link to sign up is [HERE](#)

The Club will present our 2nd "Learn To Shoot" Clinic of 2020 on Thursday, 27 February at 9:00AM and it runs until Noon.. This is the most labor intensive event the Club hosts each year and it requires about 25 volunteers. Let me see a show of hands of those who will come out to support the club in this event. Be at the range at 7:30AM to get the range set-up and to blow up the balloons. Will anyone volunteer to shuttle people back and forth from the Paradise Rec. Center to the range, since parking is inadequate to accommodate the number of vehicles that will come to the range? Lunch will be provided to volunteers.

Charlie, will you go over the details of our NFAA Indoor (20 Yard) Winter League.

The new club Jerseys are in and if you ordered one you can see David McDowell at the back of the room after the meeting to get yours.

The next class in our Archery Education Program will be held on Tuesday, 3 March, at the Riverbend Rec. Center in the Village of Linden. The class will begin at 1:15PM and will cover the subject to the Recurve Bow. Joe will you tell people how to sign-up for this class?

Updates from Paradise: More volunteers are needed due to some medical issues.

Updates from Dudley.... Roy Haller.

The 2021 National Senior Games will be held in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. The site selected for the Archery competition is very poor and we want to protest the decision to use that site for that tournament. Linda Reed will explain.

Last month we asked if there was interest in getting club members together for a Cruise in 2021 and several folks indicated they would be interested. There is a preliminary link on our web site to express any interest. Click [HERE](#) to indicate your interest.

We are hoping to have a Fun Shoot sometime in early April. Ken Hamann reviewed. Click [HERE](#) to indicate your interest.

David McDowell would like to explain a new program that is being offered at the Newberry Shooting Complex near Gainesville. It is called the Spider Cup Series. More info on our web site under [Meeting Presentations](#).

Our Club Librarian, Sandy Cohen Sandy tell us about the Club Library.

Our next Quarterly Social Gathering is scheduled for March 28 at Evans Prairie Country Club from 1 to 4. Cost will be \$15pp which includes sandwich, drink, meal & tip. Sign up [HERE](#) or on our web site.

Also, on the 15th of every month some members of the Club meet at alternating Town Squares. This month it will be at Lake Sumter Landing. Everyone is invited to attend. A Club Member gets there around 6:00PM and is holding a flag.

We are asking everyone to pick-up trash that is left around the range such as old targets, plastic water bottles, etc.

We have purchased Club pins and they are available for \$1.00 each. Bob, show us the pins.

As a reminder, as a new member you can join the Archery Club at a club meeting. Dues for new members are \$30. Dues for members who renew their membership will be \$15. We do not accept payment given to other persons or at the archery ranges. Kathy will you discuss this further? Please follow the guidelines on our web site regarding renewing dues.

The combination to the shop door will be changed directly after the March meeting. If your dues renewals aren't in by that meeting, you will not be sent the new combination.

As many of you know, we have yellow club shirts that we wear at club events or when we participate in competitions. The club logos are done on our shirts by Custom Apparel, which is located in the Southern Trace Shopping Center.

As a reminder, if you move a target in any of the target positions from #1 through #9, it is your responsibility to return the target to its standard position before you leave the range. The standard positions are as follows:

Targets 1 - 3 are set at 60 yards

Targets 4 – 6 are set at 50 yards

Targets 7 – 9 are set at 40 yards

The club's Web Page is up and running. You can visit the web site at:
<http://villagesarcheryclub.com/>.

The Show & Tell tonight will cover the subject of [Shooting Etiquette](#). If you would like to learn something about this subject, stay after the meeting.