

The Villages Archery Club

Meeting Minutes

January 8, 2024

We held a swap meet during this club meeting.

Opened the meeting with Welcome and Pledge of Allegiance. Approximately 51 members in attendance.

Three new members/guests introduced themselves.

Old Business:

- Mike Sellers volunteered for the Tournament Director position. (Thank you Mike)
- The Public Relations Coordinator position is still open
- Mike Sellers has coordinated with the Silver Springs Club and they have agreed to let us reserve the range for a group 3D outing.
 - We have reserved the range for February 2.
 - Mike will be setting up range markers for both compound and recurve shooters
 - Archers will be able to shoot from whatever distance they are comfortable with.
 - An RSVP will be posted so members can sign up.
 - We will be carpooling from the Mulberry Recreation Center
- We have about 30 people signed up for the CPR/AED class and so we are working with the AED Training group to schedule a date.

Officer Reports:

- **Secretary:** Reminder that members who have not submitted their renewals will be removed from the mailing list and excluded from member-only activities.
- **Paradise Range:** Dick reiterated that targets needed to be rotated to prolong the life of the cores.
- **Dudley Range:**
 - Kevin reminded everyone that during the Recreation Shoots, people that need Rec Center equipment have first priority of the lanes. If individuals have their own equipment and the lanes fill up, they may be asked to double up in a lane or wait until the crowd thins.
 - He also reminded everyone that at Dudley, the targets need to be returned to 10 or 20 yards before the Tuesday, Thursday or Friday Recreation Center sponsored shoots.
- **Tournaments:**
 - Paul provided the results from the December 30 FL State 18 Meter tournament and the January 4 Indoor Nationals Tournament:
 - Florida State 18 meter: Dave Van Nice (2nd), Jim Murray (3rd)
 - Indoor Nationals: Dave Van Nice (1st), Jim Murray (2nd)
 - Reminder that the Club will be holding a Double Vegas Tournament on January 20 and an Indoor/Outdoor 300 Tournament on February 10. Both start at 9:00 a.m. at the Paradise range. The RSVP is posted for the January 20 tournament.

- **Fun Shoots:**
 - Sunny reminded everyone that the next Fun Shoot is 10:00 on January 15, at the Dudley range. The theme is holiday targets at varying ranges. There will also be targets at longer distances for the compound shooters.
 - She also stated that after January, the Fun Shoots will be moving to Saturdays to avoid conflict with the leagues, and hopefully gain more participation from those still working.
- **Leagues:**
 - Donna reminded everyone that the 600 league and the mini-600 league are both underway with four teams in each league.
 - She also stated that with both leagues running in parallel, there was a great turnout at the Dudley range Monday morning. She reminded league shooters that they will need to make other plans for January 15 to avoid conflict with the Fun Shoot.
- **Social Committee:**
 - Rachel thanked everyone for the successful pot-luck turn-out and mentioned that the Social Committee was planning to hold some type of activity in the March time frame. She asked for suggestions on what type of activity members wanted (pot-luck, picnic, country club meal, etc...)
- **Treasury:** Jim reviewed the 2023 year end November financials (*see Meeting Agenda Presentations for details*).

New Business:

- **Bylaws update:** Paul stated that the Board is drafting an update to the Bylaws to make some corrections, role changes, and other minor updates. The draft bylaws will be distributed to Club members via email for their review and comment before the next Club meeting.
- **Bow Liquidation:** Paul stated that now that the Club has a full, elected Board, the Club can move forward with doing something with the bows. He also stated that after sitting for 2-3 years the bows are in poor condition. The Board will be drafting a plan to deal with the bows and distribute it for comments and suggestions before the next club meeting.

Event Look-Ahead:

- Paul reviewed the 2024 archery event calendar

Video:

- A video about John Horvath (a former Club member and National Champion archer) was shown at the end of the meeting. The video is located on the VAC website under Hall of Fame and [HERE](#).

AGENDA PRESENTATIONS



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Treasurers Report – Year End 2023

Balance as of January 1, 2023	\$11,657.33
Balance as of December 31, 2023	<u>\$10,163.21</u>
2023 Profit (Loss)	(\$ 1,494.12)
2023 Revenue Total	\$3,345.68
Dues & Assessments	\$2,335.00
Tournaments/Fun Shoots	\$ 230.00
Merchandise	\$ 551.68
Contributions/Donations	\$ 229.00



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Treasurers Report – Year End 2023

2023 Expenses – Total	\$4,839.80
Social Events	\$2,206.81
Tournaments/Fun Shoots	\$ 984.97
Insurance	\$ 781.00
Fees and Assessments	\$ 393.65
Merchandise	\$ 153.21
Equipment/Supplies	\$ 80.98
Gifts/Donations	\$ 164.18
Miscellaneous	\$ 75.00



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Event Look Ahead

2024 Tournaments/Events

Jan 15: Fun Shoot (Dudley)

Jan 20: Double Vegas Round

Feb 2: Club 3D outing (Silver Springs)

Feb 10: 300 Round

Feb 19: Fun Shoot (Paradise)

Feb 22-25: ASA National Soot

Mar XX: AED/CRP Training

Mar 15-17: NFAA National Indoor

Mar 16: Lake of the Woods

Mar 18: Fun Shoot (Dudley)

April 15: Fun Shoot (Paradise)

Apr 20: Villages Senior Games

May 10-12: Gator Cup

May 18: 900 Round

May 20: Fun Shoot (Dudley)

June 17: Fun Shoot (Paradise)

July 15: Fun Shoot (Dudley)

2024 Tournaments/Events (cont.)

July 27: FAA 720 (Newberry)

Aug 19: Fun Shoot (Paradise)

Sept : Gainesville Sr. Games

Sept 7-8 : Florida FITA 1440

Sept 16: Fun Shoot (Dudley)

Oct 13: Larry Boyd Classic 600 Round

Oct 21: Fun Shoot (Paradise)

Oct 26-27 : FAA State Target Championship

Nov **XX**: Golden Age Games

Nov 9: FAA International Championship

Nov 16: 900 Round

Nov 18: Fun Shoot (Dudley)

Dec 7 : Florida Senior Games

Dec 14: 300 Round

Dec 16: Fun Shoot (Dudley)