

THE ARROWHEAD

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Dear Members,

By the time you receive this newsletter, we will have commenced our indoor winter hibernation period. So, onto the news...

CLUB NEWS



GNAS & SAA Fees for 2000 / 2001



Yes folks, once again it is time for you to get out your chequebooks and renew your fees for the next year. For the majority of us the following fees are due:

G.N.A.S. :	£22-00
S.A.A. :	£11-00
E. Area :	£1-00
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Total :	£34-00

The following members are NOT required to pay the above fees:

All junior and disabled members.

Recently joined adult members who paid on the basis of "18 months for 12". Any members who affiliate through other clubs.

All cheques should be made payable to Lasswade Archery Club and given to our Treasurer, Bill C. by no later than Wednesday 13th September. If you have any questions about the fees then see Bill C.

You will be reminded about the club fees at a later date.

Outdoor Sunday Sessions

Due to poor attendance's on Sunday mornings, and to save money, Bill C. has asked me to notify you that all remaining Sunday morning sessions to the end of September have been cancelled.

SAA, Eastern Area and Club Committee Meetings



Now that we are going back indoors, I intend to continue putting up on our notice board, copies of the minutes of the above meetings when appropriate. This means that all members will know what is going on from club to regional level. They will be for the notice board only and should not be removed. See me if you want your own copies.

TOURNAMENTS



British Championships 2000 for Archers with Disabilities 22/23 July

A bunch of forty-odd characters, including Andy and yours truly, met to do some archery on a cricket pitch in Rugby. In my opinion, this is the best possible use for a cricket pitch.

Also from Scotland, were Davie Cowison and Mike Broderick from Fife, and

Gwyn Jones from the Borders.

There were a few moans, as the bar was closed on Friday evening, I couldn't get legless.

Shooting conditions were good, not as hot as last year, but Andy was seen taking off one or two of his sweatshirts at one stage.

My shooting on the Saturday was poor, but I made up for it on Sunday and brought home a silver medal. Andy wasn't completely unhappy about the weekend, and brought home a gold medal for the Olympic shoot off.

The Scottish contingent got four medals in total, and we were on the whole, satisfied with our weekend. The bar was open on the Saturday, and there were a few sore heads the following morning, but not mine!

Richard.

SAA Outdoor Open
Champs. (2880). Glasgow-
5th and 6th August 2000

Our usual quartet of members entered this years Open, with Tina just missing out on a place medal. Apart from the scores, no other information was provided, so if any of you won anything else, don't blame me.

The final placings were as follows: -

LADIES

4th Tina (2314)
7th Elayne (2223)
10th Muriel (2178)

GENTS

6th Graeme (2365)

P.S. Lest I forget! Derek was also one of the Judges.

DATES FOR YOUR
DIARY

SEPTEMBER

Wednesday 6th – Indoor sessions begin.

Thursday 7th – Club Committee meeting at 7-30 PM.

Donald

And Finally

There once was a blind man who decided to visit Texas. When he arrived on the plane, he felt the seats and said, "Wow, these seats are big!" The person next to him answered, "Everything is big in Texas."

When he finally arrived in Texas, he decided to visit a restaurant. Upon arriving, he ordered a drink and got a mug placed between his hands. He exclaimed, "Wow, these mugs are big!" The bartender replied, "Everything is big in Texas."

After a couple of drinks, the blind man asked the bartender where the bathroom was located. The bartender replied, "Second door on the right." The blind man headed for the bathroom, but accidentally tripped over and skipped the second door. Instead, he entered the third door, which lead to the swimming pool, and fell into the pool by accident.

Scared to death, the blind man started shouting, "Don't flush, don't flush!"

And Finally 2

Two guys are walking through the woods and come across this big deep hole.

"Wow... that looks deep."

"Sure does.... Toss a few

pebbles in there and see how deep it is."

They pick up a few pebbles and throw them in and wait... no noise, "Jeez ...

That is REALLY deep ... here ... throw one of those great big rocks down there, those should make a noise." They pick up a couple of football-sized rocks and toss them into the hole and wait ... and wait ... nothing.

They look at each other in amazement. One gets a determined look on his face and says, "Hey ... over here in the weeds, there's a railway sleeper, help me carry it over here. When we toss That sucker in, it's GOTTA make some noise." The two drag the heavy sleeper over to the hole and toss it in. Not a sound comes from the hole. Suddenly, out of the nearby woods, a goat appears, running like the wind. It rushes toward the two men, and then right past them, running as fast as it's legs will carry it. Suddenly it leaps in the air and into the hole.

The two men are astonished with what they've just seen ... Then; out of the woods comes a farmer who spots the men and ambles over.

"Hey ... you two guys see my goat out here?"

"You bet we did! Craziest thing I ever seen! It came running like crazy and just jumped into this hole!"

"Nah." Says the farmer, "That couldn't have been MY goat. My goat was chained to a railway sleeper."

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