

THE ARROWHEAD

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Dear members,
A slightly
longer edition this month,
so let's get to the news ...

CLUB NEWS



Affiliation Fees 2001-2002



Yes, it's that time of the year again, when you are requested to dig deep into your pockets and renew your fees!
For the most of us the fees are as follows :-

GNAS	£23.00
SAA	£12.00
E. AREA	£ 1.00
TOTAL	£36.00

Juniors, as usual, do not have to pay, as the club pays their fees. Therefore, it would be appreciated if cheques for the full amount,

made payable to Lasswade Archery Club, are in the grasping paws of our club treasurer, Bill C, by no later than Wednesday 19th of September 2001.

PS. You will be reminded nearer the time when club fees are due.

Outdoor Club Championships - September 2001

As mentioned in issue 66 of "The Arrowhead" we will be holding our club championships on Sunday, 9th of September.

The round to be shot this year will be an Albion round for our ladies and gents and shorter Windsor rounds for our juniors.

For those of you who have not shot this round, the details are as follows :-

Three dozen arrows each are shot at 80, 60 and 50 yards. Six arrow ends, 108 arrows in total with a maximum score of 972. Juniors will shoot the same number of arrows at the appropriate shorter distances. The target faces used at all distances are the full size 122cms with 5 zone scoring.

What is 5 zone scoring some of you may ask?

Simple. You will all be aware of the 10 zone scoring system e.g. inner gold = 10. Outer gold = 9 and so on down to outer white = 1. However, with imperial distance rounds such as the Albion round, the entire gold area = 9, red = 7, blue = 5, black = 3 and white = 1.

PS Before the compound archers get on my back, the "Inner Inner" ten ring is not used outdoors.

Publishers Note :- Yes it is, it counts as an X in the event of a draw.

PPS As the shoot has not been held since 1998, I hold the Lady, Gent and Junior shields for the club.

However, the Compound shield has still to be returned. OK Reptile Breath?

New Member

On behalf of the club, I would like to welcome Cheryl Reekie, who has joined us after completing her 6 week course.

Indoor Sessions

All members are reminded that we will be moving back indoors on Wednesday evenings from 7.30 pm to

9.30 pm commencing on Wednesday 5th of September. We still shoot outdoors on Sunday mornings throughout September. However, if the attendance is low, we may cancel them as was done last year.

TOURNAMENTS



West of Scotland Double FITA Star (WRS) (2880) Linwood 26/27th May 2001

Tina and Elayne were our representatives this year, with Bill M and Derek judging and making sure Tina behaved herself! Tina took fourth place and the 70m distance award, with Elayne taking the 50m award to add to her seventh place. Weatherwise, both days were bright, with a light breeze on Saturday giving way to a moderate wind on the Sunday. Their scores were as follows :-

4th Tina (2299)
plus the 70m award (539)
7th Elayne (2156)
plus the 50m award (515)

SAA Northern Area FITA Thistle (BRS) (1440) Banchory 9th June 2001

Graeme and our 3 ladies made the journey north for this Fita round. Oh! Bill M "The Reptile" was judging and flicking his forked tongue as usual! (Confused? See issue 66 of "The Arrowhead") Most of our members won place or distance awards. Results as follows :-

Ladies
3rd Tina (1136)
5th Muriel (1108) plus
the 60m award (292).
8th Elayne (1069)

Gents
8th Graeme (1105) plus
the 50m award (280).

SAA Northern Area Championships (BRS and Rose Status) (1296) Banchory 10th June 2001

Day 2 saw our four members contesting the York/Hereford rounds with yet more awards gained. Their results as visitors are followed by their overall placing in brackets :-

Ladies
2nd (3rd) Elayne (1090)
3rd (4th) Tina (1036)
5th (6th) Muriel (1004)

Gents
1st (1st) Graeme (1014)

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



All events are at Lasswade.

September

Wednesday 5th – First indoor club session at 7.30pm.

Sunday 9th – Outdoor Club Championships – Albion/Windsor.

Wednesday 19th – Final date for 2001/02 affiliation fees.

Sunday 30th – Last outdoor club session.

Thus ends the news for this month.

Donald.

And Finally

None this month.

Publishers Note :- You will all be happy to hear that I have recovered from my injuries, caused by the stampede of volunteers, all willing, ready and able to take on the Newsletter. It will take a little while to work out the short list but I will keep you posted. In the meantime, if there is any member who hasn't already put their name forward and can spare the half hour or so each month that it takes to type this up, then please forward your name to me.