



News Bulletin

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FROM DIXIE'S DESK:

Remember to send your e-mail address to Steve Stover at iaanewsletter@comcast.net. Steve will be assisting this office in mailing the bulletin. Thank you for your help in returning the bulletin to a monthly publication. We need your help, if you are a new member to the IAA/NFAA or just signed up for e-mail, please forward your address to Steve. If you want something printed, please send to this office by the 15th of the month.

If you have any questions, please contact me or one of the officers. I can be reached at 217-589-4758 or e-mail at iaadixie@irtc.net.
Dixie

OFFICERS THAT WILL EXPIRE IN 2009

NORTHERN BOARD
CENTRAL BOARD
SOUTHERN BOARD
CHAIRMAN

RICK KNORR
KENNETH DANNER
BILL SCHUH
DAVE WOODS

(Nomination for Chairman must come from a board member)

CORRECTED 2009 Indoor Aggregate

STYLE	NAME	TOTAL
AFFS	KATHY PINDELL	887
AMFS	KEN DESUTTER	892
AMFSL	MIKE LANTZ	867
AMBHFS	WALLY ERICKSON	890
CUB BOY	KALEB SHONK	771
SMFS	JIM ANDERSON	888
YAMFS	DILLON YOCUM	871
YMFS	DAKOTA KELLER	792
SFBHFS	PAT WHITLOCK	878
SMBHFS	RON WHITLOCK	883
SMBHFSL	WALTER GLISSON	764
MSMFS	VICTOR DAVIDSON	876
AMTRAD	RICH NICHOLS	665

ATTENTION IAA MEMBERS

The IAA needs your help. We need your e-mail address. We still need roughly another 16% to make the monthly bulletin cost effective. At the convention in 2008 a proposal was made to return to a monthly bulletin by sending the bulletin by e-mail. In order to keep the bulletin on a monthly mailing we still need e-mail addresses.

The advantages of a monthly bulletin are:

- More up to date information
- Clubs would be able to put notices in monthly
- If clubs need to make change, they are able to do this due to the frequency of the bulletin
- Better communication

Everyone, please help us to continue on a monthly bulletin. Clubs, please encourage your members to provide an e-mail address. If anyone needs an e-mail address, or doesn't want to provide their home e-mail address, there are free e-mail accounts available through Hotmail, Yahoo, or Google.

You will be blind copied on the bulletin so no one else will see your e-mail address. This should keep you from receiving e-mail other than the bulletin.

Please help us to continue the mailing, and send your name, address and e-mail address as soon as possible to:

iaadixie@irtc.net and copy iaanewsletter@comcast.net

Again, thank you to everyone that has given us an e-mail address. Please keep them coming.

Thank you
Dixie Garner
Illinois Archery Association

**COMING EVENTS:
SPRING OPENERS**

North
Central
South

Joliet Archery Club
Pekin Archers
Wolf Run Bowhunters

May 31 28 field
April 26 3-D & Field

SPRING 3-D RONDEZVOUS

MAY, 2009

17 Beardstown Area Archery—Beardstown 3-D
17 Panther Creek—Chatham 3-D & Field

23-24-25 Chicago Bow Hunters—Chicago 3-D Reg 7-Noon
Free raffle ticket with each shoot entry www.chicagobowhunters.com
31 **IAA SPRING OPENER CENTRAL**
PEKIN ARCHERS 28 FIELD Reg 8:30-12 noon see flier
31 Wolf Run Bowhunters—Roodhouse 3-D Reg 8-1

JUNE, 2009

7 Pekin Archers—Pekin 3-D Reg 7-1
14 Chicago Bow Hunters—Chicago Field Reg 7-Noon
27-28 Chicago Bow Hunters—Chicago 3-D Reg 7-Noon
Free raffle ticket with each shoot entry www.chicagobowhunters.com
28 Wolf Run Bowhunters—Roodhouse 28 Field Reg 8-12
28 Pekin Archers—Pekin Target 900 Reg 10AM
28 Panther Creek—Chatham 3-D Reg 8-1 \$15 includes lunch

JULY, 2009

5 Pekin Archers—Pekin 3-D Reg 7-1
11-12 **IAA TARGET CHAMPIONSHIP Pekin Archers**
One day tournament. Archers may shoot one or both days
25-26 Chicago Bow Hunters—Chicago 3-D Reg 7-noon
Free raffle ticket with each shoot entry www.chicagobowhunters.com

AUGUST, 2009

1-2 Panther Creek—Chatham Traditional Rendezvous 3-D
2 Pekin Archers—Pekin 3-D Reg 7-1
9 Wolf Run Bowhunters—Roodhouse Sonny Kirchner Memorial Shoot
Coon Shoot Sat Evening at dusk Reg 8-1
9 Chicago Bow Hunters—Chicago field Reg 7—noon
Free raffle ticket with each shoot entry www.chicagobowhunters.com
16 Beardstown Area Club—Beardstown 3-D
16 Pekin Archers—Pekin Field Reg 9-11
16 Panther Creek—Chatham 3-D and Field Reg 8-1 \$15 includes lunch
Info Bill Mohn 217-525-1256
29-30 **IAA FIELD CHAMPIONSHIP Joliet Archery Club**

COMING EVENTS CONT:

SEPTEMBER, 2009

FALL 3-D RONDEZVOUS
Tentative bid—to be announced

5-6-7	Chicago Bow Hunters—Chicago	3-D	Reg 7-noon	
	Free raffle ticket with each shoot entry.			www.chicagobowhunters.com
6	Pekin Archers—Pekin	3-D	Reg 7-1	
13	Wolf Run Bowhunters—Roodhouse	J.D. Garner Memorial	3-D	
20	Beardstown Area Club—Beardstown		3-D	
20	Pekin Archers—Pekin	Field	Reg 9-11	
20	Panther Creek—Chatham	3-D	Reg 8-1	\$15 includes lunch
	Info Bill Mohn		217-525-1256	
26-27	Chicago Bow Hunters—Chicago	3-D	Reg 7-noon	
	Free raffle ticket with each shoot entry			www.chicagobowhunters.com

OCTOBER, 2009

NOVEMBER, 2009

DECEMBER, 2009

AGGREGATE TOURNAMENT

Any weekend in Dec.—Jan—Feb	
North	Glisson Archery
Central	Wenois Archery
South	Buckskin Legacy

INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIP

MARCH 6-7, 2010 Joliet Archery Club

The tournament committee received one written bid and the tournament was awarded to Joliet Archery Club, to be held at Strictly Fishing in Shorewood, Illinois

GREAT LAKES INDOOR SECTIONAL 2010

Joliet Archery Club

Date TBD (proposed tentative date is February 27 & 28)

NASP CHAMPIONSHIP 2009

TOP 3 SCHOOLS OVERALL

ARMSTRONG HS	3211
ATHENS HIGH	3190
CHICAGO MILITARY	3172

TOP 3 SCHOOLS GROUP 9-12

ARMSTRONG HS	3211
ATHENS HIGH	3190
CHICAGO MILITARY	3172

TOP 3 SCHOOLS GROUP 6-8

ARMSTRONG ELLIS JH	2943
PERSHING WEST JH	2657
METAMORA ST. MARY'S	2581

TOP SCHOOL GROUP 4-5

MARK BILLS ELEMENTARY	1305
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HIGH SCORING MALE

DANIEL HURTADO - CHICAGO MILITARY ACADEMY	296
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HIGH SCORING FEMALE

EMILY FLORES - CHICAGO MILITARY ACADEMY	282
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On March 28, 2009 the Illinois Archery Association along with the Illinois Department of Natural Resources hosted the Fourth Annual National Archery in the Schools Program Illinois State Championship Tournament.

Although the weather did not cooperate, rain and cold, the students had a good time and were anxious to return next year. The number of students and schools participating continue to grow each year 356 students and 15 schools pre-registered. I would like to thank the following people who gave of themselves to make this tournament possible. Ron Whitlock, Pat Whitlock, Robert Rayhel, Sara Rayhel, Bill Schuh, Rick Knorr, Kathy Pindell, Nancy Zorn, Randy Rutledge, Tanya Washburn, Ron McCarthy, Pete VanMeter, Bill Mohn, Gary Rigney, Wayne Thomas, Dave Woods and Judy McCutcheon. With the support of dedicated individuals like you the NASP and ASAP programs are certain to continue growing in Illinois.

teach a kid to shoot today!

thanks,
Bob

WOLF RUN BOWHUNTERS--Dixie Garner, Secy

Thanks to all the shooters who participated in our spring Turkey shoot on March 22

BHR		YOUTH		CUBS	
Randy Moore	332	Jake VanMeter	266	Eddie Bolin	202
Jared Mills	314	Tyler Prather	260	Jordam Collins	186
Terry Cordes	309	Cody Wedding	244	Zack Harbaugh	160
Patrick Lawton	308	Tommy Kilver	201	Spencer Miller	150
James Ralston	306	Kody Harbaugh	180		
Clint Fox	301	Joseph Hamilton	162	YOUTH F	
Dan Wedding	297	Cody Shaw	135	Kylee Wedding	258
Rick Davidsmeyer	290	Trenton Balcom	66	Kinsey McMillen	N/S
Jeff Kleinschmidt	289				
Joe Cordes	286	M Spl Equip		BHF	
Mike Roseberry	285	Wes Lawson	318	Randy Miller	252
Tim Knabe	284	Jim Johnson	260	Jerry Isinghausen	250
Terry Sexton	273	Ron Whitlock	250	Tommy Miller	214
Hal Stuart	270			Ernie Gagnor	211
Jonathon Millburg	269	Trad		Terry Miller	205
Ed Rappel	268	Jerry McArtor	204	Eric Fickas	N/S
Guy Willis	266	Ben Henderson	164		
Damon Plogger	266			BHR F	
Jim Cox	264	YA		Pat Whitlock	293
Nick Karver	259	Paul Wilby	227	Alicia Hines	158
Kenny Sturgeon Sr	258	Joe Alexander	223		
Darrell Mann	257			YA F	
Bob Shaw	256	PeeWee		Frankie Miller	161
Mark Sandman	255	Dylan Fox	200		
Mick Plogger	251	Brady Cox	194	Trad F	
Kyle VanMeter	247			Brenda McCarthy	80
Brian Davis	247				
Kenny Rawe	246				
Mike Graham	244				
Greg Rawe	244				
Aaron Albrecht	243				
Ed Ward	243				
Charlie Rawe	243				
Caleb Knabe	242				
Stephen Dale	241				
Jerry Davidson	240				
Dan Brown	237	BHR Cont			
Kevin Bowman	235	John Hasbaugh	N/S		
Ron McCarthy	235	John Riggs	N/S		
Gary McEvers	234	Kenny Clayton	N/S		
Paul Hinzman	232	Wayne Stice	N/S		
Skip Holmes	224	John Simmons	N/S		
Russell Preston	222	Bill Goode	N/S		
Scott Brown	218	Nate Hodgerson	N/S		
Terry Moore	215	Judd Shillings	N/S		
Al Journey	214	Luke Pohlman	N/S		
Brad Meisenheimer	214	Nate Brown	N/S		
Patrick Bowman	208				
Cory Holmes	207				
Steve Prather	200				
Bill Prather	195				
Mike McManus	177				
Matt Brown	139				

Welcome NFAA Field Archers!

Mechanicsburg Sportsmen's Association, home to the Mechanicsburg Archers, is proud to host the 2009 NFAA Outdoor National Field Championship, July 22 - 26.

Where Are We Located?

Mechanicsburg Sportsmen's Association's Physical Address: 493 Sample Bridge Road, Mechanicsburg, PA 17055

Website: www.msa-pa.org

Our 153-acre club is easy to get to, located only 5 minutes from exit 57 of I-81. From the exit, take Rt. 114 west to the light. Turn right on Rt. 944, go approx. ¼ mile and turn left onto Miller's Gap Road. Go approx. 1 mile and turn right at the "Y" onto Sample Bridge Road. Club is located on the right.

About Our Courses and Us

We are members of the PA State Archery Association, Cumberland Valley Archery Winter League, and Penn Dutch league. Our Archery facilities include four (4) 28 target NFAA / PSAA approved field courses with a fifth course that should be completed by early spring 2009.

Most of our field shooting lanes are wide enough to accommodate all 4 archers at one time. There are no steep hills to climb; they are like walking on a golf course (grass and all).

Each of these fine courses are numbered and color coded at shooting positions and target butts, with signs that have target numbers and all yardages listed for Field, Hunter, and Animal distances. All yardage markers are colored coded and marked to match the yardage signs at each target and are placed in the ground using concrete cylinders and/or steel plates.

Our permanent courses have target butts made out of Celotex. Sometimes, depending on the type of arrows shot, this Celotex can leave a small residue on the shaft. Using an arrow lubricant to help prevent sticking and sometime even a steel pot scrubber to remove the residue can be beneficial.

Our practice facility is shot from a straight single line with 24 staggered butts that can be shot from 10 to 80 yards

We annually host the PSAA Field/Hunter, and Animal championships. This year's PSAA shoot is the weekend before Nationals, July 18 & 19, and all NFAA

members are welcome to attend this shoot and participate in the guest division. **This is a Pre-Registration Shoot.** For a Registration form and to get more information visit: www.psa.net.

The Mechanicsburg Archers will also be holding a Penn-Dutch League shoot June 20 & 21, 2009. This shoot is 14 Field & 14 Hunter Targets both days. This is a casual registration shoot from 7:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M. both days.

Where To Stay

For those coming in from outside the area, you will find all major hotel / motel chains located within 10 miles of the club.

The Holiday Inn West (717-697-0321) will be serving as the NFAA Host Location. This is located 10 minutes from the club grounds. They are home to the West Shore Hardware Bar (night club), Legends Sports Bar and Restaurant, and the Carlisle Pike Saloon. The rate is \$99.00 a night. Be sure to mention NFAA.

For those interested in camping, unfortunately **NO camping will be available on-site.** There are several privately owned campgrounds within 20 miles:

Free Spirit Recreation Center - 20 miles

(717-582-4443)

Harrisburg East Campground - 15 miles

(717-939-4331)

Western Village RV Park - 15 miles

(717-243-1179)

Or you may choose one of the local State Parks that offer camping facilities:

Colonel Denning State Park - 30 miles

(717-776-5272)

Gifford Pinchot State Park - 15 miles

(717-432-5011)

Pine Grove Furnace State Park - 30 miles

(717-486-7174)

For more information and on-line reservations visit the DCNR website www.DCNR.state.pa.us

Special Events

On Friday, July 24th, we will be holding a chicken barbecue followed by a Pro-Am shoot under the lights on our Trap Field. In order to make this a successful event, we need to have a rough count of those attending by Wednesday, July 1, 2009. If you are planning to attend the dinner, please send in the form below. With the fee per meal attached. Checks can be made out to MSA. Thank you for your support with this event.

Vendors...

We will have limited space inside for vendors to set up and promote their items. There will be limited space outdoors for vendors with trailers to set up also. This will be on a first come basis. There will be a fee of \$50 for a spot. Please call and reserve a spot. Contact Phil or Jo Mentzer (717)766-8001. If there is no answer please leave a message with a phone number so a return call can be made because spots may go quickly.

Things to See and Do

There are many non-archery related activities to occupy your free time. Hershey Park and Chocolate World is an easy ½ hour drive from the club. The Gettysburg Battle Field is less than an hour away. Or you might choose to visit the Amish Attractions in

Lancaster County (and Lancaster Archery Supply!), The National Civil War Museum or PA State Museum in Harrisburg, Indian Echo Caverns, Or even go to a Harrisburg Senators AA Baseball game on City Island. For the golfers, 6 golf courses are located in the area. The fishermen can enjoy small mouth bass fishing on the Susquehanna River and trout fishing on some of the most famous limestone streams in the east, the Yellow Breeches Creek and Letort Spring Run, all located within 10 miles of the club.

There are a variety of restaurants in the area and plenty of stores for shopping.

Any Questions please feel free to contact Phil or Jo Mentzer at (717)766-8001. Email Jo Mentzer at cvsoftballmom@aol.com.

Again, Mechanicsburg Archers want to welcome all of you to the area and hope you enjoy your stay.

Chicken Barbecue Dinner Friday, July 24, 2009

Name _____

Number of Meals _____ x \$10.00

Total Paid \$ _____

Make checks payable to MSA

Send to: Mentzer
44 Bourbon Red Drive
Mechanicsburg, PA 17050

Central Spring Opener

28 Field Round

Pekin Archers

**2501 Edgewater Dr. (Rt.98)
Pekin, IL. 61554**

May 31, 2009

**Walk on
Registration 8:30—12noon
Must be on the range by 12
noon**

**Entry fees: Adult 10.00
Young Adult 10.00
Cub & Youth 5.00**

**For additional information call
Steve Stover @ 731-267-9409**

