

Merdon Whiteboard

March 2014

Anyone got a boat ?

Well as we move into March, hopefully the rain will stop and the road will be open again. We now have another wheeled target at the club so please no more fighting to use the foam one on a busy Sunday!

We have moved the longbow archers to the left hand side of the field as the target stand was starting to twist and it is a softer target.

I have been thinking of re-designing the stands to add 2" of steel around the target. This will have 2 benefits:

- 1 Stop the wood getting split
2. Improve the aim of the bloody longbow archers

But as this will be a little controversial, I have added some sacrificial wood to the stands to stop the wood-peckers eating the stand away!

We have a **TAM shoot** coming up at the club this weekend so get yourself signed up. It's a fun shoot that is held every year and is a western. It will be held on the **16th March**

Please note. From 23/3/2014 shooting on a Sunday will start at 10:15 am and committee meetings will start at 09:00am

60th MERDON ARROW

With the shoot fast approaching, we are looking for volunteers to help set up the field on Saturday 3rd May and assist with the running of the shoot on Sunday 4th.

We also need help with the tea and coffee stand on the day so please come along and help even if you can only spare a few hours

We need your unwanted gifts for the shoot raffle. If you have anything suitable, please leave it in the club hut.

Winter Championship

Results 2013

Well another winter shooting season is over and the results are in. We would like to congratulate all who took part in the championship and the results are:

Overall winner is John McCrea

Longbow John McCrea

Compound Bill Tubbs

Recurve Rob Norris

Barebow Nigel Wilkinson

New Members

We welcome some new members this month

Nigel Wilkinson, Dave Pragnell and Andy Dawkins

Welcome to Merdon and happy shooting

And yes, there are now two Dawkins' at the club.

(If you get confused I am the good looking one)



Ed Micklewright

With his "2013 Handicap

Improvers Award" Well done Ed



New member Andy showing us how its done

All ready for the shoot



Rob presenting the awards and a strange looking archer with a shield for a head
(And this is before any beer)

Come on Bill - blow the bloody whistle



Date	Start Time	Round	Distance and ends	External competition
02/02/2014	11:00	Short Warwick	(2 Dozen at 60 yds. 2 Dozen at 50 yds.)	
09/02/2014	09:30	Committee Meeting		Hampshire Indoor Championships
09/02/2014	11:00	Winter Championship Frostbite	(3 Dozen at 30 m)	Hampshire Indoor Championships
16/02/2014	11:00	Short National	(4 Dozen at 50 yds. 2 Dozen at 40 yds.)	
23/02/2014	11:00	America	(2.5 Dozen at 60 yds. 2.5 Dozen at 50yds 2.5 Dozen at 40 yds.)	
02/03/2014	11:00	Frostbite	(3 Dozen at 30 m)	
09/03/2014	09:30	Committee Meeting		
09/03/2014	11:00	Winter Championship Frostbite	(3 Dozen at 30 m)	
16/03/2014	10:45	Tam shoot Western	(4 Dozen at 60 yds. 4 Dozen at 50 yds.)	
23/03/2014	10:15	America	(2.5 Dozen at 60 yds. 2.5 Dozen at 50yds 2.5 Dozen at 40 yds.)	
30/03/2014	10:15	National	(4 Dozen at 60 2 Dozen at 50 yds.)	
31/03/2014	10:15	Western	(4 Dozen at 60 yds. 4 Dozen at 50 yds.)	
06/04/2014	10:15	Fita 50		
13/04/2014	10:15	Short Windsor	(3 Dozen at 50 yds 3 Dozen at 40 yds 3 Dozen at 30 yds.	
13/04/2014	09:00	Committee Meeting		
20/04/2014	10:15	Summer Championship Western	(4 Dozen at 60 yds. 4 Dozen at 50 yds.)	AC Delco Easter FITA
27/04/2014	10:15	FITA 50 (Club merdon arrow)		
03/05/2014	10:15	60th Merdon Arrow (set up field)		
04/05/2014	10:15	60th Merdon Arrow		
11/05/2014	10:15	National	(4 Dozen at 60 2 Dozen at 50 yds.)	
11/05/2014	09:00	Committee Meeting		
18/05/2014	10:15	Summer Championship Western	(4 Dozen at 60 yds. 4 Dozen at 50 yds.)	
25/05/2014	10:15	Hereford	(6 Dozen 80 yds. 4 Dozen 60 yds. 2 Dozen 50 yds.)	AC Delco Trinity
01/06/2014	10:15	Long National	(4 Dozen at 80 yds. 2 Dozen at 60 yds.)	
08/06/2014	10:15	1st Annual Wand Shoot	(36 arrows at 80 yds.)	UK Masters
08/06/2014	09:00	Committee Meeting		
15/06/2014	10:15	Summer Championship Western	(4 Dozen at 60 yds. 4 Dozen at 50 yds.)	
22/06/2014	10:15	FITA 70m	(6 Dozen at 70 meters)	
29/06/2014	10:15	National	(4 Dozen at 60 2 Dozen at 50 yds.)	
06/07/2014	10:15	ALBION	(3 dozen 80 3 dozen 60 3 dozen 50)	
12/07/2014				AC Delco Western
13/07/2014	10:15	Long National	(4 Dozen at 80 yds. 2 Dozen at 60 yds.)	
13/07/2014	09:00	Committee Meeting		
20/07/2014	10:15	Summer Championship Western	(4 Dozen at 60 yds. 4 Dozen at 50 yds.)	
27/07/2014	10:15	Long National	(4 dozen at 80 yds. 2 Dozen at 60 yds.	
03/08/2014	10:15	York	(6 Dozen 100 yds. 4 Dozen 80 yds. 2 Dozen 60 yds.) (Long round so a break at 6 Dozen For a cup of tea)	
09/08/2014				British Target Championships
10/08/2014	10:15	National	(4 Dozen at 60 2 Dozen at 50 yds.)	AC Delco Chris Sherwood Western
10/08/2014	09:00	Committee Meeting		AC Delco Bus Pass Albion
14/08/2014				
17/08/2014	10:15	Summer Championship Western	(4 Dozen at 60 yds. 4 Dozen at 50 yds.)	
24/08/2014	10:15	Columbia	(2 Dozen 50 yds. 2 Dozen 40 yds. 2 Dozen 30 yds.)	
31/08/2014	10:15	FITA 70m	(6 Dozen at 70 meters)	
07/09/2014	10:15	New National	(4 Dozen at 100 yds. 2 Dozen at 80 yds.)	
14/09/2014	10:15	Committee Meeting		
14/09/2014	10:15	Summer Championship Final Western	(4 Dozen at 60 yds. 4 Dozen at 50 yds.)	
21/09/2014	11:00	National	(4 Dozen at 60 2 Dozen at 50 yds.)	
28/09/2014	11:00	Short Warwick	(2 Dozen at 60 yds. 2 Dozen at 50 yds.)	
05/10/2014	11:00	Frostbite	(3 Dozen at 30 m)	
11/10/2014	13:00	Agincourt Arrow Setup		
12/10/2014	10:00	Agincourt Arrow		
19/10/2014	09:30	Committee Meeting		
19/10/2014	11:00	Winter Championship Frostbite	(3 Dozen at 30 m)	
26/10/2014	11:00	Short Western	(4 Dozen at 50 yds. 4 Dozen at 40 yds.)	
02/11/2014	11:00	Frostbite	(3 Dozen at 30 m)	
09/11/2014	09:30	Committee Meeting		AC Delco Portsmouth
09/11/2014	11:00	Winter Championship Frostbite	(3 Dozen at 30 m)	
16/11/2014	11:00	Stafford	(6 Dozen at 30 m)	
23/11/2014	11:00	Short Warwick	(2 Dozen at 60 yds. 2 Dozen at 50 yds.)	
30/11/2014	11:00	Short National	(4 Dozen at 50 yds. 2 Dozen at 40 yds.)	
07/12/2014	09:30	Committee Meeting		
07/12/2014	11:00	Winter Championship Frostbite	(3 Dozen at 30 m)	
14/12/2014	11:00	Short Western	(4 Dozen at 50 yds. 4 Dozen at 40 yds.)	
21/12/2014	11:00	St Nicolas	(4 Dozen at 40 yds. 3 Dozen at 30 yds.)	
28/12/2014	11:00	Frostbite	(3 Dozen at 30 m)	