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Cheyenne Field Archers Newsletter

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President's Letter

Hopefully, everyone that has drawn an antelope tag is having success.

The major club shoot is behind us. Bow Hunters Weekend had 190 plus shooters. I would like to say THANK YOU to all who assisted with this shoot. That being said, we would like to see more participation from the club members. Out of over 228 members only around 20 showed up to help with Bow Hunters Weekend. Even less show up to help clean up the club and help out at work parties. This shoot, participation in leagues and doing some of our own work instead of hiring others helps in keeping your membership dues at an affordable price. The less participation we have from members, the more we have to spend. There is always the possibility of raising dues, so come out and help support your club. We have scheduled an October 11th work party to clean the inside of the range. We need to do some painting inside the range. So give up a couple of hours of your time, contact me and we can schedule you to get out there and do some painting on the inside of your range. Additionally, this is a private range.... Yes, we are open to the public for leagues and tournaments. However, some individuals have informed others that they can come out and shoot the outdoor range without joining the club. Just a reminder, you are allowed to bring a guest out 3 times at a cost of \$2 and then they are encouraged to join.

I'll take a saying from one of our members "IF YOU DO NOTHING....EXPECT NOTHING" so get out there and do your part to make YOUR CLUB better.

CFA President

Michael Hoover

Shoot straight and Good Luck Hunting

Calendar

LEAGUES

**Sunday League
Done for the
Summer**

**Thursday Night
3d League
Done for the
Summer**

**JOAD
Late Sept or Early
October**

UPCOMING EVENTS

**Range Work Party
October 11, 2014**

**Next Board
Meeting
October 6th, 2014
7pm**



Monthly Business Meeting, August 11, 2014

Call to Order: 1858 hrs.

Adjourned: 2012 hrs.

Present: Michael Hoover, Dan Conrad, Jeremy Cooke, Craig Germond, Richard Dennison, David Hays, Marion Rupert, Mathew Rusk, Al Tharp, Gary Cox, Mary Tharp, Kent Ketterling, Ray Lodd, Diane Hoover.

Thanks: To all whomever sponsored and/or helped with Bow Hunters weekend, to Bob Graham and sons for the use of the Kubota during BHW. Thanks to James Frauendienst for mowing the lot and around the club.

Old Business:

BHW- Madalyn Huffman presentation of Hoyt Bow donated by Bullseye Archery and pictures taken.

BHW- several ideas were shared on how to improve on BHW.

1. Lower the number of shirts, and design of shirts in order to reuse shirts year after year.
2. Entrance into Curt Gowdy , need an agreement with State Parks.
3. Possible different location.
4. Look into an organization to run a drink cart around the course on Sunday.
5. Preregistration
6. Cut off times on Saturday- 2 day shooters cut off at 11:30, and fun shooters cut off at 1400 hrs. Sunday fun shooters cut off at 0800 hrs.
7. Mandatory shooters meeting on Sunday, if shooter misses meeting, shooter will not be allowed to participate in Sunday's shoot.
8. Mike and Dan will talk to State Parks about same problems we have year after year.
9. Mary Tharp will check with the Longs Peak Council about Camp Jack as an alternative place to hold BHW.
10. Al Tharp recommended purchasing collapsible water bottles with our logo on it, and hand them out to registrants instead of buying door prizes for BHW.
11. Redo the percentage of the pay outs, and write checks for the pay outs verses cash.

Outdoor Adventures- Need to verify scheduling for next year for mornings, also need to get CFA waiver form into the City's packet given to the parents, also discussed the fee charged to the kids by the City when we do it for free and provide the bows/arrows. A letter will go to Parks & Recreation concerning future commitment.

New Business:

Girl Scouts- Mary requested allowing the Girl Scouts use the clubs bows and arrows on Sept. 27th 2014. Motion made by Al Tharp, 2nd by Dan Conrad, motioned carried.

JOAD- Kent Ketterling has volunteered to run JOAD this year, will begin either late Sept, or early Oct. They will need volunteers to help as you can. Thanks Kent.

3D and Target Leagues-we are still looking for volunteers to run leagues this year, if interested please inform a board member, or show up to the next meeting in October.



**2014
Bowhunters Weekend
Awards**

If you haven't been out to the range lately, new breezeway between garage and range. Big Thanks to Bob Graham and Al Tharp for doing this job. Breezeway was needed in the winter to make it easier and cleaner to move targets in and out of the building. New member Kyle Christianson also gave a hand during the construction. Metal siding on order will be installed as soon as it gets in.



2014
Club Officers

President
Mike Hoover

Vice president
Dan Conrad

Secretary
Jeremy Cooke

Treasurer
Craig Germond

2014
Board Members

Mike Lancaster
Mat Rusk
Richard Dennison
Al Tharp

Alternates
Chad Whaley

250 Members

Next Board Meeting
October 6th , 2014
No Meeting in
September

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