

Cheyenne Field Archers Newsletter



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Calendar

LEAGUES

Tuesday night, 7:00 pm
Sunday paper leagues 4:00 pm

JOAD

Saturday @ 9:00 am

UPCOMING EVENTS

Traditional Shoot/Swap meet/
Lunch 9:00am Dec 11th

Decorate for Christmas Party
3:30pm Dec 17th

Christmas Party
4:00pm Dec 18th

A word from your President

Here we are again at the most hectic time of the year. I would like to mention that our Membership Director, Mel Schlagel, now has the new cards for the card lock so it is time to renew your club membership. The membership would make a terrific gift as well as saving you some of that well needed shopping time. It is THE BEST DEAL IN TOWN! Our membership boils down to just over 13 cents per day. We are enclosing a renewal form with this newsletter. Please fill it out now before you forget it like I did last year. By the time you read this the Traditional shoot will be over but don't forget we still have a pot luck Christmas party scheduled for 4:00pm on December 18. A-M meat, potatoes or veggie N-Z a salad or desert. There will be fun for all. Hope to see you all then and please have a safe and happy holiday. And one last request. Please try to attend the annual membership meeting January 8th at 5:00pm. As before please bring a dish (with food of course) and the club will provide the chicken.



Thanks to all of you for a good year.

Bob

Board Meeting

The regular board meeting of the Cheyenne Field Archers was called to order at 7:04 pm on December 6th, 2010 at the Cheyenne Field Archers Office.

Present:

.Mike Lancaster, Adam Lewis, Matt Rusk, Bob Day, Mary Jo Day, Al Tharp, Mary Tharp, Jim Frauendienst , Bob Graham, Butch Rupert and David Hays were present.

Approval of Minutes & Treasurer's Report

Mary Tharp presented the Minutes from the November Board Meeting. Bob Graham made a motion to accept the minutes and Mary Jo seconded the motion.

Mary Jo Day presented the Treasurer's Report from November. Al Tharp made a motion to accept the November Treasurer's report and Bob Graham seconded the motion.

Membership Report was given by Bob Day. He reported that Mel Schlagel has 231 plus members registered.

Old Business

2010 Club Officers

President
Bob Day

Vice President
Bob Graham

Secretary
Mary Tharp

Treasurer
Mary Jo Day

Board Members
Matt Rusk
Mike Lancaster
Al Tharp
Adam Lewis
Jim Frauendienst

Shoot For the Girls-Bob Day reported that \$570.00 was donated and sent to the National Breast Cancer Foundation. He said that Lynn Walters did a terrific job of getting the targets and getting the word out even though we only had a few weeks.

NFAA Rules-Adam Lewis said he downloaded the rules and he wasn't sure if we only wanted to adopt certain rules and then look at other rules later. Discussion surrounded what we would need to change in the Access program for keeping track of shoots if the scoring changed. Bob said he would check with David Clabaugh to see how easy it would be to change the scoring. The consensus was that we should do some standardization and that we should present it to the full membership at the annual meeting. This would only change the rules of the club and would help those archers who shoot at different shoots in the region, so they wouldn't have to change their equipment to shoot at our shoots.

Targets FOR SALE list-Bob Day asked Al to make a list of targets that the Club could sell. Adam is going to check with Wheatland club to see if they wanted to buy the McKenzie targets. If they don't want them, then we will also sell them to the membership.

Annual Meeting-A proposed outline was presented by Bob Day. It was decided to have the club purchase chicken as the meat dish again.

Traditional Shoot Flier-December 11th, Note time change shooting will start at 9:30 am. Bob Graham will do the cooking for lunch. Mary Jo needs help with the payout envelopes.

Web Page-We are looking at doing some updates to make it more interesting.

Outdoor Range-will be worked on in the Spring.

Triple Crown Raffle Prize-needs to be determined soon.

T-shirts-There are leftover t-shirts from BHW for sale for \$10.00. There are 2XL, Mediums and Small long sleeves available. And some short sleeved ones available.

Club Christmas Party Time and decorations-Bob Day said the party should start at 4:00 pm on December 18th. If anyone has any Christmas decorations or lights that they would like to donate, just leave them on the table. We will decorate the club on the 17th at 3:30 pm. Adam Lewis is NOT Santa Claus.

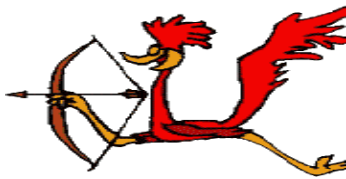
Officer Sign up sheet-has been posted on the board if you would like to sign up to be an officer or board member. Some helper put the current board members on the list, don't let that discourage you from signing up. If you want to be a board member, put your name on the list. Everyone is welcome to join and it really doesn't take a lot of time, but has a great impact on the club to get different perspectives.

New Business

2011 Budget-the proposed 2011 Budget was presented to the board. The two proposed changes included extra money to redo the outdoor range so it doesn't look like our trash pile as people drive up and targets for the Curt Gowdy range. Memberships if they continue like they have will also increase.

Curt Gowdy kiosks-Eric Gerhart wants to build the kiosks for his Eagle Scout project.

Membership Renewal- It's time to renew your membership. Get with Mel Schlagel to do this. The Card Lock is here along with the new cards.



Have Bow, Will Go!!

Other Business

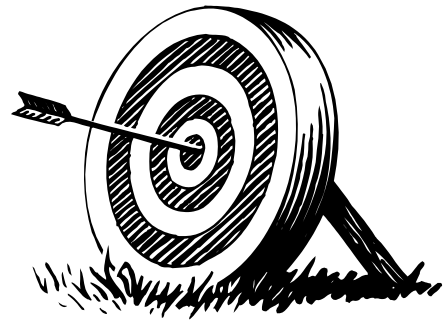
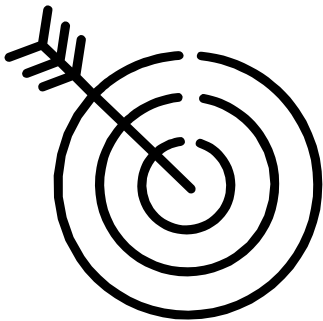
Ceiling fans-David Hays purchased the ceiling fans and will install them when he has time.

Adjournment-Al motioned that the meeting be adjourned, Bob Graham seconded it. The meeting was adjourned at 8:05 pm.

Upcoming Events

MARK YOUR CALENDAR —

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| Traditional Shoot/Swap meet/Lunch | 9:00am | Dec 11 th |
| Christmas Party | 4:00pm | Dec 18th |
| Annual Meeting | 5:00pm | Jan 8th |
| VEGAS 450 | 9:00am | Jan 15th |
| Triple Crown 1 | 8:00am | Jan 22nd |
| Blue Face | 9:00am | Feb 12th |
| Triple Crown 2 | 8:00am | Feb 26th |
| Triple Crown 3 | 8:00am | Mar 26th |
| BHW | | Aug 6th and 7th |



Miscellaneous

Attached are the changes being proposed for the Cheyenne Field Archers Bylaws. They have to be advertised for two months before being voted on at the annual meeting in January 2011.

Also attached is the membership application

Tuesday night league has restarted, 7:00 pm.

Sunday paper leagues 4:00 pm have resumed.

BY-LAWS

OF THE CHEYENNE FIELD ARCHERS, INC.

Article I

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Nominations for the Board of Directors shall be made at the annual meeting or by any member in good standing by mailing such nomination to the Secretary prior to the annual meeting. A minimum of three (3) Board of Directors will be chosen and the maximum number of directors will be determined by dividing the previous years total membership by 50. Rounding for a whole number of directors will always be to the lower whole number. Two alternate board of directors will be chosen. Board members will be allowed to give power of proxy vote to an alternate board member. In the event of a vacancy or vacancies should an alternate not be available, a majority of the remaining members of the Board shall appoint an eligible successor(s) to serve until the next annual meeting at which time a new officer will be elected, except that if the office of President becomes vacant, the Vice President shall succeed to the position of President.

Article II

OFFICER POSITIONS

The officers of the club shall consist of the President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer and a minimum of three (3) Board of Directors. No two offices shall be held by the same person.

The President shall be the chief executive of the club and shall preside at all meetings. The President shall appoint the chairpersons of standing committees. The President shall direct the planning of the affairs of the club subject to the advice and/or recommendation of the clubs active members. The President shall present an annual written report of the clubs activities at the annual meeting.

The Vice President shall assume the full duties of the President in his/her absence. The Vice President shall be responsible for the Bylaws, conduct of the meetings, and Roberts Rule of Order.

The Secretary shall take minutes at the Board meetings, prepare, print and mail the monthly newsletter within one week of the Board Meetings, and prepare at the direction of the Board, any correspondence with other agencies and other persons interested in the clubs activities, and keep all records and documents related to the club's business.

The Treasurer shall be accountable for all funds received, paying expenses, the preparation of the monthly and annual financial reports, and all monetary records and documents.

If the club is fortunate enough to recruit a Membership Registrar, this position shall help new members complete their applications, collect building fund and club fees turning these monies over to the Treasurer, enter the new applicants into the computer system and giving the secretary e-mail addresses. This position is not an officer and is a non-voting position.

The Board of Directors are to assist in directing the club business and functions.

An officer or the Board of Directors can hold the same office for an undetermined amount of time.

Article III

REPORT OF OFFICERS

The Secretary and the Treasurer shall make written reports of meetings and the financial condition of the Club on a monthly basis.

Article IV

RECOGNITION OF DUTIES

For recognition of their duties, all Board members and officers shall receive a Cheyenne Field Archers shirt. The four officers and 1 Board member shall also have their NFAA paid by the Cheyenne Field Archers if needed. There must be five (5) NFAA members to maintain NFAA accreditation.

Article V

DISMISSAL OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Any member of the Board of Directors who misses three (~~consecutive~~) Board meetings without substantial reason will be dismissed from the Board of Directors and be replaced by one of the ~~two~~ three alternates selected at the annual meeting.

Article VI

FINANCIAL CONSIDERATIONS

The membership shall vote on the annual budget during the annual meeting. All budget items may be paid without the approval of the members or the Board of Directors as to each individual item. All checks will be signed by ~~both~~ either the President, or Vice President, and the Treasurer or Secretary. Only one signature will be required. There shall be three separate bank accounts: checking, CD funds and building fund.

Article VII

MAJOR EXPENSES

Any major expense of any single item costing ~~\$500.00~~ \$1500.00 or more that is not a budgeted item shall be voted on by the general membership. ~~except items that cost between \$500.00 to \$1500.00 and have been advertised for at least 30 days to the membership with no dissension from said members.~~

Article VIII

AUDIT AND INVENTORY

There shall be a Club audit and inventory in order to determine the financial status of the Club, if requested by any member in good standing.

Article IX

~~INITIATION~~ BUILDING FEE

All new Club members shall pay the ~~initiation~~ building fee in the sum of ~~\$50.00~~ \$20.00 (~~this shall increase to \$50.00 after June 01, 2003~~) in addition to the annual dues and youth members shall pay the building fee in the sum of \$10.00 when joining the Club.

Article X

LATE FEE

The late fee shall be extended for a period of two years at a cost of \$10.00. At the end of the two year period, the member shall be assessed a regular initiation fee.

Article XI

FEES AND DUES; YEARLY MEMBERSHIP; LIFE MEMBERSHIP

Individual membership is \$50.00 per year and family membership is \$55.00 per year. These fees shall be determined at the annual meeting. New members starting after January will pay a prorated rate in addition to the building fee. Life membership for families and individuals shall cost \$500.00. No lifetime membership may be awarded or traded for by the clubs membership or it's officers.

Article XII

ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP

Any person living outside of the 25 mile radius may be granted an associate membership. Associate fees are \$25.00 per year. The fee will be determined at the annual meeting. Membership shall not include voting privileges but shall include use of the Club the same as a regular member and receipt of the monthly newsletter.

Article XIII

SINGLE YOUTH MEMBERSHIP

Any youth under the age of 18 years may be granted membership to the Club for \$20.00 per year. The fee will be determined at the annual meeting. A youth under the age of 16 years must be accompanied by an adult when using the Club.

Article XIV

VOTING REQUIREMENTS

Any member in good standing who has attained the age of 18 years shall have the right to vote at all Club elections and functions.

Article XV

ALCOHOL CONSUMPTION

Consumption of alcoholic beverages by individuals under the age of 21 on the Club premises or at any Club activity is strictly prohibited. No consumption of alcoholic beverages by club members, the public or spectators will be permitted in the meeting room, range, utility room, kitchen, staging areas and restrooms during public shoots. Public shoots is defined as any organized shoot when the general public is invited to shoot. This includes, but not limited to tournaments, leagues and fund-raising shoots. Alcohol consumption will be allowed anywhere in the building during work parties, banquets and other non-shooting events to individuals over the age of 21. Violation of this article may result in revocation of membership if determined by the Board.

Article XVI

AMENDMENTS

Any Amendment change to the By-Laws must be posted in the Newsletter ~~twice~~ November and December and shall be voted upon at the annual meeting.

Article XVII

PROHIBITED SMOKING AREAS

Smoking will be prohibited on the range, meeting room, utility room, kitchen, staging area and restrooms. No smoking in the club house building. Violation of this article may result in revocation of membership if determined by the Board.

Article XVIII

PROHIBITED BROADHEAD AREAS

Broadheads will be prohibited on the indoor range. Violation of this article may result in revocation of membership if determined by the board.

Amended 2/08/03 by vote during annual meeting. Article IX and Article XV were modified and Article XVII was added.

Amended 1/5/04 by vote during annual meeting. Article I and Article VII were modified.

Amended 1/6/07 by vote during annual meeting. Article V I and Article XVI were modified.

Amended 1/3/09 by vote during annual meeting. Article X I was modified.

Underlined items are new, items being deleted will have a line through it.

CHEYENNE FIELD ARCHERS

Membership Application Form

Check one: New Application ____ Annual Renewal: ____ Date ____

Name: _____ Phone #: _____

Address: _____

Street City State Zip

Email if available _____

Type of Membership Single ____ Family ____ Youth ____ Associate ____

Dollar Amount of membership fees included with this Application _____

Additional Family Members Covered by this Application

Name: _____ Name: _____ Name: _____

Age _____ Age _____ Age _____

Membership Fees

Initiation Fees: All new applications must be accompanied by a \$50.00 one time initiation fee. All new youth applications must be accompanied by a \$10 one time initiation fee.

Late Fees: Anyone who allows their membership to lapse for a year will be required to pay a one time \$10 late fee when joining the next year. Anyone who joins the club after a two year absence will be required to pay the \$50 initiation fee.

Membership Fees: Membership fees cover dues for the current calendar year, and allow unrestricted access to the club. Membership categories include the following:

Single Membership: A single membership is \$50 annually, and covers one individual member.

Family Membership: A family membership is \$55 annually, and covers one immediate family.

Youth Membership: A youth membership is \$20 annually, and is designed for anyone under age 18 who participates in JOAD archery.

Associate Membership: An associate membership is available for individuals living outside Cheyenne who use the club infrequently. Associate fees are \$25 annually.

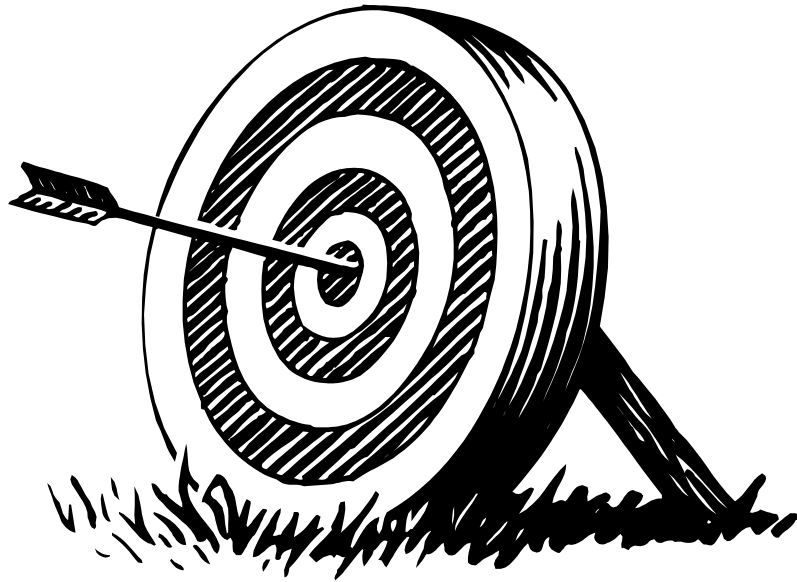
Checks: Make all checks payable to Cheyenne Field Archers, P.O. Box 20790, Cheyenne, WY 82003.

Questions: Mel Schlagel 307-635-1379 or Bob Day 307-221-0950

Year: 2010

Membership Year 2011

**Next Board meeting
January 3rd, 7:00 pm**



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