



Kent Archery Association

NEWSLETTER

May
2015

The outdoor season has started so what happens....? The temperature drops!! It was three degrees centigrade when I looked this morning and there is snow in Scotland.

As tends to be the case in May this will be a short newsletter as only a couple of shoots have taken place so far. Talking of which do not forget that if your club wants to advertise it's shoot then get in touch, or send the details to the KAA secretary and she will send them to every club in Kent.

Happy shooting and, as usual, all the errors in the newsletter are probably mine!

Mark

TOURNAMENT NEWS

KENT OPEN

I have been asked to say that the Kent Open (details on the web site) has some places left so book in if you want to shoot.

KAA 1440.. Sunday 21st of June at Vigo

Details have been sent to all clubs and are on line, there are still places

Vigo now has a new person running the kitchen so food may be available at the KAA shoots.. Keep an eye on the entry forms and the target lists. The old entry forms will not have food details on them though.

And don't forget the clout shoot ion the 13th of September.. Details on the web site and have been sent to all clubs.

Message from the Chairman!!

A questionnaire was sent out to all clubs about the Long Bow championships etc. but few people have returned them. KAA committee has to make some decisions at the meeting in July so if you want your opinion known let the committee have the questionnaires back!! If you don't return the questionnaire and you do not like the decisions made then you cannot complain (Mark's note!!)

Message from the Records Officer and County Captain (not the same person I might add!!)

There is a friendly inter county match coming up on June 7th at Vigo. Please send in your scores for selection purposes as soon as possible, although the scores from the Invitation will also be used.

AND (from Mark)

We are sending teams again to the National County team event at Lilleshall this year This is a chance for our top archers to compete against other top archers in the Country and helps put KAA on the map.

Beginners' courses.

Many clubs are now running their beginners' course. Please remember the AGB rules about how long a person can shoot before they must join a club.

AND

Don't forget that the AGB and SCAS fees change as the summer progresses.. Keep a check on the KAA website for full details please.



Well some one has to be last!!
(CPB Open 2015)

The most important team at any shoot!



Late last year KAA committee decided to make Ray Axford Emeritus for the work he has done for the sport over many years and I was privileged to present him with the KAA glass trophy at his club's AGM
A lot of the images used in coaching are based on Ray's book 'Archery Anatomy' which is still available from archery shops.

A new archery venue in Kent. (well Greenwich actually) has come to my attention:-
<http://archeryfit.com/index.html>. I am also told that they offer free sessions for Kent team members.....



Stjll my favourite Robin Hood film!