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Important Notice

Clout

The university oval for (public holiday) Monday March 13th 9 am for 9.30 start for a single clout. Name on list please at club. There is a club field shoot at the club in the afternoon usual starting time.

City of Adelaide

Reminder that this year it will take place at Mylor Oval. Please be there by 8am for set up, practise at 8.30 am and lunch is at Bridgewater Inn at 1.30.

Sue Martin

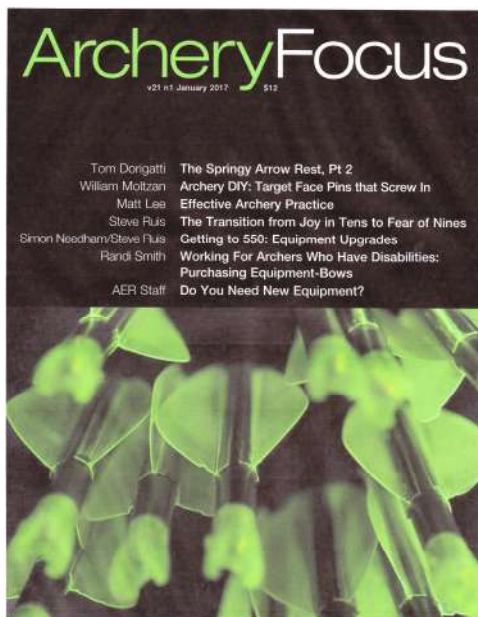
Tournament Director

Shooting Lane Regulation Change

Please find the changes to shooting lane separation on page 4.

New to the Library

The latest edition of Archery Focus is now available, please contact the librarian if you would like a copy. Randy can be contacted on email: randallcoon@bigpond.com



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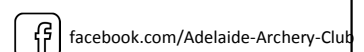
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City Of Adelaide WA Award Shoot

VENUE: MYLOR OVAL at MYLOR

WA60/900 Award Event

Open Age Event ONLY

Sunday 12th February 2017

Shooting commences 9.30 a.m.

Practice 8.30 – 9.15 a.m.

Entry fee \$20 (On line entries only)

Lunch at Local Hotel (TBA) at conclusion of awards at own expense. Need to know numbers prior to event.

CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES: SUNDAY 5TH February 2017

Please wear Your Club Uniform where applicable

Enquiries: Sue Martin 0400 290 224

Shooting Calendar

The shooting calendar for 2017 is out and can be collected at the club room. Alternatively, you can download a copy at <https://assets.sportstg.com/assets/console/document/documents/D4969073-5056-BD36-A30550217BA79FF5.pdf>

Some dates to remember

4 February	Field - QRE/Ranking Shoot 1.30 pm Shepherds Hill Recreation Park
12 February	City of Adelaide Tournament (WA60/900 Award Event) Mylor Oval
19 February	Practice Clout - HILLS ARCHERS
19 February	Target QRE (single) 9.30 am Rundle Reserve
1 - 4 March	Archery Australia 2017 Club Challenge The 2017 Club Challenge is a tournament aimed directly at the average club archer with the scores and results nationally managed.
4 March	Field - QRE/Ranking Shoot 1.30 pm Shepherds Hill Recreation Park

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Birthdays Celebrations

Special shout-out to Barry Adams, Bill Balnaves, Catherine Balnaves, Ann Branford, Robin Andrew Cooper, Simon Davis, Steven Hann, William Humphreys, Thomas McCulley, Janette O'Connor, Greg Opie, Dean Pettman and Brendan Roberts who just celebrated their birthdays recently.

Many happy returns.





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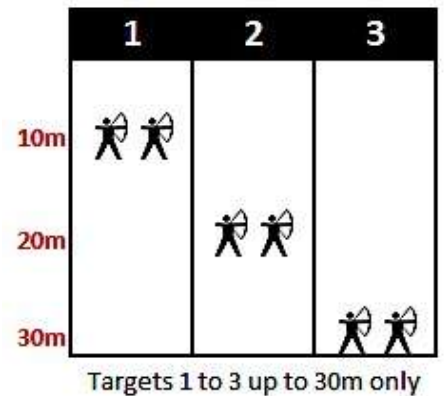
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DRAFT WORDING FOR APPROVED REGULATION CHANGE

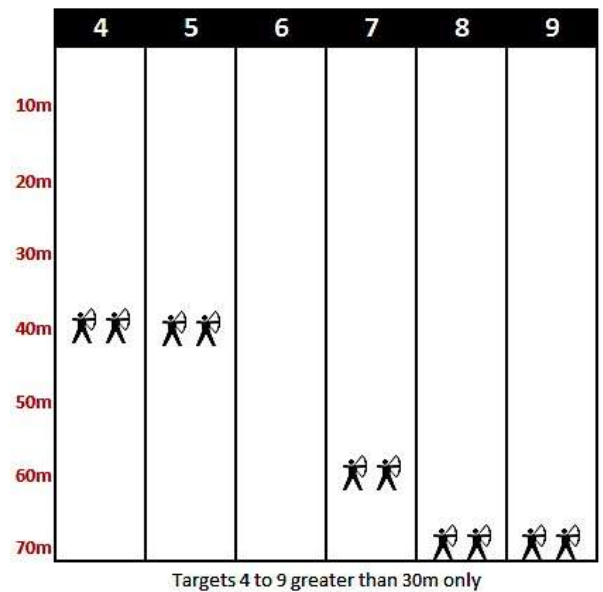
Archers shooting at various distances must leave adequate shooting lane separation between them.

- a) Archers shooting at distances of up to 30 metres, may shoot in adjacent lanes. That is, there is no need to leave empty lanes between the different distances. (see diagram right)
- b) Archers shooting at distances greater than 30 metres must ensure that for every difference in distance of 20 metres, there must be one empty lane that separates them. For example, archers shooting at 40 metres must not shoot in a lane adjacent to archers shooting at 60 metres. There must be one lane left empty between the groups of archers. (see diagram left)



For practice prior to a programmed shoot –

1. Targets 1 to 3 are reserved for archers shooting at distances up to and including 30 metres.
2. Targets 4 to 9 are to be used as standard practice targets where archers must agree on the distance arrangements while complying with the lane separation rules ie. a) and b) above.
3. For archers wishing to practice at distances of 70 to 90 metres, they may do so on targets 6 to 9, ensuring that targets 4 and 5 remain empty as safety lanes to separate the longer distances from the shorter distances on targets 1 to 3.
4. If there are archers shooting longer distances (70 to 90m) on targets 6 to 9, then archers wishing to practice at the mid-range distances of 40 to 60 metres shall utilise targets 10 onwards, otherwise they may utilise targets 4 to 9.



NOTE: All archers must be prepared and willing to move target lanes to accommodate other archers who are wanting to practice and/or obtain sight settings at distances included in programmed rounds on the day.

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Member Profile - Ron Johnson



A member of AAC for 36 years, Ron had to stop shooting in 2002.

In Ron's words *"I'd give up everything I do today to be able to shoot again. I love the sport but due to my spinal injuries and multiple surgeries I can't..."*

With an impressive shooting record, Ron also has an impressive list of positions he has held and things that he has done for our club over the years. It is the efforts of members like Ron that make our club as successful as it is today.

Apart from taking out or coming close to taking out many Club Championship shoots in Clout, Field and Target, Ron had wins in our Silver Quiver Tournaments and in 1983 came 1st in the State Clout Championships.

Ron achieved Club Records in most (if not all) rounds and held State Records for Brisbane, Holt, Drake, Hobart, FITA, Melbourne, FITA 90, FITA 50, FITA 30 and Darwin rounds.

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And to put the icing on the cake, Ron's Australian records included Brisbane, Holt, Drake, Hobart, Melbourne and Darwin rounds.



Shot mostly with the "old" bow and aluminium arrows!

Ron made or helped make a lot of things you see around the club today including the cresting jig and arrow straightener. Add to this the metal components and the fibreglass covers for our target butts.

Here are pictures of just some of the bow accessories Ron handmade himself ... what a clever bloke! His kit included Clout mirrors, release aids, sight extensions, stabilizers and adjustable arrow rests.



Article submitted by Yvonne Lewis.



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