

Cheyenne Field Archers Newsletter



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Calendar

LEAGUES

Sunday Paper Leagues

4:00 pm

Mike Hoover & Mat Rusk

3D Leagues

Tuesdays

7:00 pm

Kennie Martens,
Rob Sherman & Craig
Germond

Thursdays

7:00 pm

Monica & Jim Mallon,
Chace Tavelli

JOAD

Saturday @ 10:00 am

UPCOMING EVENTS

December 1st-

Trad Shoot/Swap Meet

Registration 8:30 am

Shoot 9:30 am

Chili lunch after shoot

Swap Meet 1:00 pm

December 15-

Christmas Party

4:00-6:00 pm

January 5th, 2013

Annual Meeting/Dinner

5:00 pm

January 25-26, 2013

Triple Crown

1st Leg

January 19-20, 2013

State Vegas

January 12, 2013

CFA Vegas

A word from your President



My fellow Field Archers,

Not a lot to report this month. It's that time of the year that we all hate, when big game hunting season is over for the most part and all we have left is some bird and small game hunting...I was unsuccessful in filling my deer tag due to some dang buck brush jumping out and deflecting a perfectly shot arrow. He wasn't a giant, but I would have been very happy to hang my tag on him. Just gives me another reason to dream about next year.

The 3-D and target leagues have started back up. We shoot on Tuesday and Thursday for 3-D's, starting at 7pm and on Sunday for paper targets, starting at 4pm. If you have never tried this, I encourage everyone to come out and give it a try. It's a lot of fun and it will help you become a better shot.

The annual traditional shoot is coming up on Dec 1st, bring your stick bow out and try to hit the floor as many times as I will. I am no good with a trad bow in my hands, but I will do my best to kill some foam critters. After the shoot, there will be a lunch followed by our annual SWAP meet. If you have anything to sell, doesn't have to be archery or hunting related, bring it out and see if someone is willing to give up some cash for it.

Don't forget about our Christmas get together on December 15th starting at 4pm.

There are changes to the By-laws that we are proposing for next year. Take the time to look those over and we will be voting on those at our January Members meeting. Look for details in this newsletter.

I wish you all a Happy Thanksgiving and as always, if you have any questions or concerns about the club, feel free to call me anytime, 631-6507.

Thanks for letting me be a part of this great club,

Dan

Reminder: New Year coming up. **DO NOT get rid of your lock card.** This year once we receive your renewal form (**Be sure and complete both sides of the form**) and membership fee, the expiration date of your card is updated and you will not have any delay getting into the range.

Unless you wait until February, and we have a mass of renewals to enter. Then you may have a slight delay.

Cheyenne Field Archers Board Meeting
Meeting Minutes
November 5th, 2012

Opening:

The regular board meeting of the Cheyenne Field Archers was called to order at 7:05 pm on November 5th, 2012 at the Cheyenne Field Archers Office.

Present:

Board members present: Dan Conrad, Mike Lancaster, Monica & Jim Mallon, Mary Tharp, Chad Whaley & Jeremy Cooke. Alternate board member Bob Day was present.

A. Approval of Minutes & Treasurer's Report

Monica Mallon presented the treasurer's report. Dan asked if anyone had any changes, no one did.

Membership Report-currently there are 225 members compared to 228 from last year.

B. Old Business.

a) **Bow Hunters Weekend (BHW)**

Mary Tharp said we should let the members know that we have t-shirts to sell. There are grey and camo available in most sizes.

b) **Curt Gowdy Archery Range**-We got all the club's money back from the State of Wyoming. Not much else has been done.

c) **Mail Boxes**-Jim Frauendienst got a mailbox from Leaning Tree saving us \$200.00. This box will be for dropping memberships when a board member or officer is not at the range. We will need to get a plexibox for holding blank membership forms for new members and renewals to complete and drop in the lock box.

d) **Old trailer lights**-we need to fix the trailer lights on the old trailer before we use it again. David Hays said it was easier to rewire it than to try to fix them.

f) **Tents**-Mike Hoover took the tent in and had the tears repaired and had them check the grommets for missing ones and ones needing repaired. He was to call to see when they could be picked up. Mike Hoover wasn't present to report on status.

g) **Shoots-**

Trad Shoot/Swap Meet - the 1st Saturday in December. Bob Day and Mel Schlagel will do this shoot. Bob said that he will need someone to help with cleanup on Friday afternoon, he will do the flier. Registration 8:30, shoot at 9:30, Free Chili Feed after the shoot, Swap meet @ 1:00 pm. \$20.00 adults, Young Adult- \$15.00 and Hunter class-\$15.00, Youth & Cubs – free. **Bring Money**-You never know what might be offered during the Swap Meet. Bob will advertise, he said there is some ad space for free in the newspaper. He has sent fliers to Bullseye here and in Laramie. He reported that Wilburn bought Charlie out in Laramie, so Bullseye will be open in Laramie. Bob Day said that they could bring out the t-shirts for sale during the trad shoot. It was decided that we would sell the grey t-shirts for \$15.00 and the camo t-shirts for \$20.00.

Shoot for the Girls-October 21st- Mary reported that we had 10 shooters, with a donation of \$200.00. We talked about when a better date would be to get more turnout. Bob Day said that the first year they did it in November and had a really good turnout, but then it wasn't considered a qualifying event, since Breast Cancer awareness is October. Mary said that she will ask that they extend the event into November to avoid hunting seasons for a better turnout. *NOTE: Since the meeting, Karen Butler from 'Shoot Like a Girl' said that she will run the tournament through November next year.

Christmas Party-December 15th 4:00pm – 6:00 pm. It was suggested that we might do a Milk Can Dinner. Any members that have milk cans and can help, let us know. We are also looking for small gifts for the kids. You can e-mail the secretary at CFASecretary@hotmail.com

Tuesday night shoots have restarted. Kennie Martens will be running them with backup from Rob Sherman and Craig Germond.

Thursday night shoots-Monica and Jim Mallon stepped up to run this shoot with backup from Chace Tavelli.

Sunday afternoon shoots-Mike Hoover and Mat Rusk will be running these shoots. They will do them at 4:00 pm.

Triple Crown- This year's officers & board will preplan the first leg of the Triple Crown to help out next year's board. Discussion on final overall award instead of vests or hoodies was discussed. Jeremy Cooke will research a buckle to see if we can find a less expensive one for the final award. Clothing is hard because we have to wait to order the correct sizes and then have them embroidered and the overall winners don't get their award until weeks after the event and we spend a lot mailing the awards out. Last year we were close to BHW and gave some of them to the award winners when they registered at BHW. To have some non-personalized award, they could be given out at the final leg of the Triple Crown.

h) **WSAA- The club has no representative for WSAA.**

i) **Annual Meeting**-January 5th, 2013. 5:00pm dinner. We will be putting up a list for nominations for **2013 Officers & Board Recruitment**. Be thinking about being an officer or board member for 2013. This is everyone's club. Step up and help.

j) **Phone service**- Discussion last month on the Treasurer's Report concerning the amount we pay for a telephone that is rarely used in this day and age of cellular phones most members have. Discussion about liability if a member did get hurt and didn't have a telephone to call 911. There was also discussion about the telephone company not wanting to negotiate with anyone but the original officer who set the phone system up initially. We could take our phone number to another company. Monica contacted Century Link and they said they could take off service fees of \$12.00 which would bring out bill down to \$45.00 a month. She also contacted Verizon, and we could have unlimited minutes for \$20.00, the only drawback would be a cordless phone which could walk off. The cameras would catch who took it, but when would we notice it was missing. Most of us don't pay attention to the phone. No decision was made.

D. New Business

- a) Old butts-Since the butts on the roll arounds were replaced, discussion on selling some of the old butts or a drawing at annual meeting.
- b) McKenzie targets-David Hays said that Tuesday shoots still use the Mckenzie targets. Bob Day said they voted on them last year to get rid of them.
- c) Bob Day said a member brought up that some 30+ year olds who weren't living with their dad's are using their dad's family membership to get around buying their own membership. He said that the by-laws don't spell out what a family membership is and what the limitations are. Discussion on what the wording should be. Mary said that she figured since Reba was turning 18, she would need her own membership. Chad said that kids may still be in school or college and that it should be 21 and that they would get their own membership the new year after they turn 21. Discussion that if they were covered under the family membership that they need not pay the building fee. Since it is November, changes to the by-laws can be done and advertised November and December before the annual meeting.

Chad Whaley made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Jeremy Cooke seconded the motion. The meeting adjourned at 7:50 p.m.

Minutes submitted by Mary Tharp

Updated CFA Logo

Last April we tried a contest to update the Cheyenne Field Archers Logo. Chandler Carroll was the only entry. The board decided it would be a good idea to present it to annual membership to vote on whether we want to adopt it as our logo. See the original logo and updated version below.



Original

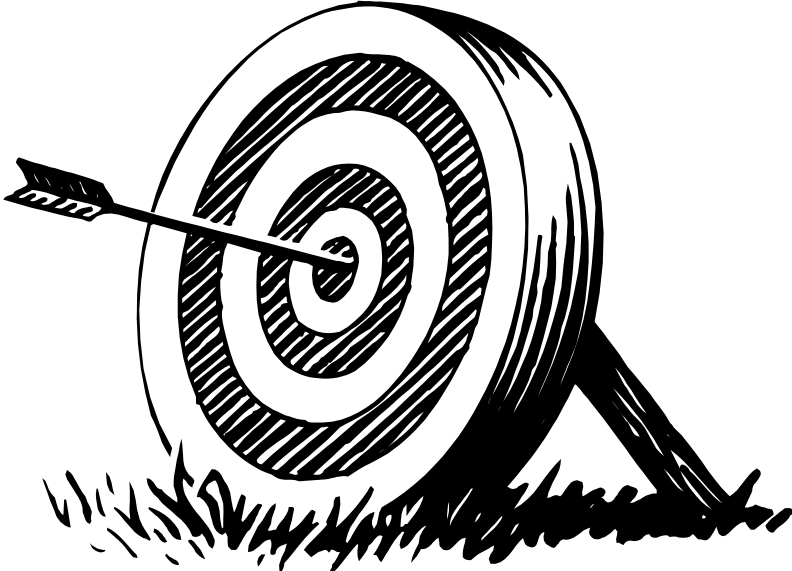
Updated



<p>2012 Club Officers</p> <p>President Dan Conrad</p> <p>Vice President Mike Hoover</p> <p>Secretary Mary Tharp</p> <p>Treasurer Monica Mallon</p>	<p>Board Members Jeremy Cooke Mike Lancaster Jim Mallon Chad Whaley</p> <p>Alternates Bob Day Jim Frauendienst Al Tharp</p>
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225 Members

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



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