



Kent Archery Association

NEWSLETTER

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Welcome to the May edition of the KAA Newsletter.

The usual reminder that I do this so all the errors, omissions etc. are mine!

Mark

NEW BRITISH RECORD CLAIMED!!

Congratulations to Clinton Hill who shot a score of 116 hits, 642 score and 16 golds at the Crystal Place Bowmen Open shoot on April 27th. This was Clinton's return to shooting after a period of illness so really impressive. I couldn't find a picture of him on his own but this is the nearest I did find!!



It would appear that not all clubs got the forms for the KAA WA 1440 on June 22nd. It is still not too late to enter and the forms are on the KAA website. This shoot is what would have been a FITA until they changed all the names!!

Message from the KAA Committee

The committee has an open door policy in that any archer may attend a meeting to listen to what goes on.

In addition the committee will listen to any complaints or comments but they must be made in writing (or e-mail) to any of the committee and signed. A response will then be forthcoming after the next committee meeting.

There have been occasions recently when comments have been made to committee members but only as 'asides' or anonymously. These will be ignored.

There has been a change at SCAS about how changes of club secretaries etc. are dealt with and the Green Book.

Unfortunately the previous secretary of SCAS left a black hole of information when he left and this has resulted in the Green Book being wrong in places. If there is a change of club secretary or ground you must tell AGB and KAA (via the treasurer). We then collate the information and pass it on to SCAS. That way our records should always be up to date and the webmaster can keep the website accurate. Any changes of Records Officer or CPO in each should also be notified to the Treasurer.



Have you thought of Judging? The County has a small number of Judges but we need more. If you are interested then drop me an e-mail or talk to one of the County's Judges

Calling all KAA members with an interest in Field Archery

At the KAA committee meeting on the 12th of May it was agreed that Kent Archery would explore the setting up a self-financing sub group to focus on Field Archery. It is recognised that members of the association would like the opportunity to venture into this aspect of our sport but do not have the access that would allow this.

This group will be known as Kent Archery Field, KAF, and would be answerable to the Operation Committee. They would be responsible for providing a number of shoots during the year as well as a Field Championship. Membership is open to all KAA members for an additional fee of approximately £25, although the final costs are to be determined, this would cover all costs involved in providing 6 days shooting throughout the year.

Members that do not subscribe will be able to partake by the paying of a "green fee" on the day of about £7.

Please can all those members that would like more information on this venture please indicate their interest by emailing Chairman@archerykent.org by the end of June. If there is support for this initiative we will move to the next step, so once we know the names of those interested parties we will be in touch.

I hope you will agree that this is an exciting opportunity to expand field archery to all KAA members.

Bob Beaney
KAA Chairman
May 2014

Editors note.. If you want more details or have questions contact Bob.

DATES FOR THE DIARY FROM KENT.. All details are on the KAA website as well as entry forms

WA 1440	June 22nd	Vigo
Invicta Springboard	July 20th	Vigo
Para-archery Championships	July 26th	Sittingbourne
Target Championships	August 17th	Vigo
Clout Championship	September 14th	Ramsgate
Indoor Championships	9th November	Sittingbourne



OK.. Leave the flag alone and hit the target!

Punch, July 17th 1858.. I think things have changed a bit!