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News letter

Editor Lynn Bostock

At last! The Newsletter I hear you all sigh. Yes apologies for not getting the letter out before the end of May but due to significant work commitments I could not manage it. In future I may not have the time to produce the newsletter on a monthly basis for a while, so I have made the decision that from now on it may be issued either every two months or every three months.

2009 Diary dates

Reminder of the dates for the OBA shoots:

2nd August Birthday/Handicap Shoot

6th September Siege Shoot

4th October Club Champs

Other Shoots

Ensure you check out the notice board in the equipment hut for yourself – to see what is happening. You may wish to put your name down for the up and coming events this summer held at various locations. Don't miss out.

Words of Welcome

The club would like to warmly welcome our newly joined members after they survived the training events in the spring. We have one more course to complete this June and then our coaches can have a well-deserved rest from what has been a very large teaching calendar this year.

As usual Many Thanks are given to our coaches who give up their time to teach regardless with patience and dedication. Brilliant job guys!

Notice for Members:

Last training dates for beginners:

As previously - these will be held on a Thursday evening between 6.15pm – 8.45pm.

Final Course Thursday: 11th, 18th & 25th June

OBA members please note:

Monday evenings will be for **practice shooting only**. No 'rounds' please.

All targets may be set at a limited distance.

Thursday evenings will be available for Members to shoot whilst training continues but all shooting will have to be at the pace of the beginners. Thank you all for your patience.

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Great shooting experience at the competitions held last month at the Andover club, where the Compound archers did very well as did the Longbow archers.

George – one of our juniors did exceptionally well with his recurve bow.

Other archers exceeded their personal best.

Whatever you did - Very well done to you all - a good turn out for the OBA club.

To us other people who didn't get any particular recognition for their shooting...well done anyway for turning up and taking part!
I have to say it was such fun shooting the flag on top and the hanging wooden sign, which displayed the target number underneath.
After all it really takes great skill to hit them with such consistency and at the same time being able to get your arrows to group.

Despite all that - It really is the taking part that counts - although getting a decent score does help the feel good factor!

SUMMER SEEMS TO BE HERE

A word of safety

Especially for the new members

The past few days it has become very sunny and hot, the area we shoot at is often both a suntrap and often windy.

It has been noticed that a few people are standing shooting for several hours without having any sun lotion on them or failing to bring a hat to wear or failing to arrive wearing light weight clothes. Whilst it is up to you entirely whether you burn or not, it might just be worth remembering to be prepared. Not attractive if you look like crispy duck. Plus you will feel unwell.

Also make sure you don't get dehydrated.

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Our St George's day's shoot

A great bunch of people



All gathered for reflection of the day and the trophy giving

The likely lads

Rachael and Julian



There is no competition or Junior feature this month

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