

DIABLO BOWMEN

Oakhill Ln, Clayton, California

900 Round

June's 900 Round was a quick one. We had 5 shooters. High score goes to Steven Desormeaux with 854.

We have [4] 900 rounds left and you need [3] shoots to get a shirt. So come on out and give it a try.

AND IF YOU ARE HAVING LUNCH, RSVP. I must have 12 shooters, or there will be no LUNCH.

Cleon Winter
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President's Message

Hello Members of Diablo Bowmen,

It has been a great membership year... so far. We have had many families join that are interested in not only using our range, but have also taken an interest in the club's activities and support. There have been improvements. The many improvements to our range, both which would not have been accomplished without the efforts of dedicated members who have taken the "for the good of the club" to heart.

The range gets better each month, due to the efforts and directions of our Range Manager to clean up the range and who continues to somehow make the "work parties" fun. We continue to add maintenance equipment to help improve and minimize the effort required to maintain the range. My thanks to the members who continue to show up and contribute their time, not only just to meet the hours, but for also exceeding the hours for the "good of the club" and their love for the sport of archery.

FYI for members. The tool shed is the same combination as the main gate, so if you're interested in working during the week and need some tools just help yourself.

Work hour log book: We have an itemized work list in the front of the log book. Please print your name legibly in the book. If we can't read your print we can't issue the hours to the correct member.

We have some members who for some reason or the other did not complete the hours or did not even make an attempt. Those members will be receiving invoices for the hours they failed to complete, which will need to be paid, before their membership is renewed. We have less strenuous jobs for seniors and it's up to them to inquire before the end of the year. Call or e-mail and we'll make arrangements.

I hope to see everyone back for the 2016/17 membership year. We are expecting to have more fun filled programs and activities, which can only be done with your participation.

The gate combination will be changed at the August work party on Saturday 6th.

Pat Miller
Diablo Bowmen President

Outreach Program

The first month as Outreach Manager has brought me up to speed in the new member and outreach duties. I want to thank Kent Swindell, Anton Pirtz, Dave McHuron and Pat Miller for taking the time to answer my questions and share resources. Your information is invaluable! We have a confirmed class on July 16th for Cadette Girl Scout Troop 32447 and 33717. I also want to thank the members for the great response in assisting me with this lesson. We are ready to go thanks to your help!

I want to welcome the new July members to Diablo Bowmen! We had a great turn out at the July 2nd meeting and the result was several new families, couples and adult members. It was a pleasure meeting and sharing our wonderful range with you. Feel free to contact me if you have any additional questions at diablobowmenoutreach@gmail.com

I have received many requests for single lessons; many involving children. I am interested in researching a possible day and time for an "open house"; where we are able to have a beginning lesson of approximately an hour and a half for those who are new to archery. As requests are received, we can offer this day as a solution to the beginning archers that are not affiliated with

Membership Renewal 2016-2017

Membership cards for 2016/2017 have been mailed to those who have returned their completed renewal form, payment and waiver(s).

Your membership card has two combinations on it: The Gold lock is our regular gate lock. The combination is written on your card in black ink. The Red lock is our "guest" lock and is given to our guests who come for special classes or events. This combination is in red ink.

Any member who does not pay their renewal fee and assessments by September 1, 2016, shall be assessed a \$25.00 late fee in addition to their renewal fee obligation. Any member who does not pay their renewal fee, assessments and late fee by September 30, 2016, shall rejoin as a new member and pay the initiation fee.

any other programs. My first consideration was the last Saturday of the month, after the 900 club shoot was completed, possibly at 1pm. If anyone wants to share thoughts on this idea, please let me know. Also, feel free to contact me if you are interested in volunteering at 925-212-7123 or through the outreach manager email address.

Melissa Pool

Diablo Bowmen Outreach Manager

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Shooters' Corner

We have a STATE CHAMPION in our club! Congratulations to Bill Jorgensen who won first place in the Silver Senior Longbow class. Bill beat George Papac, who is also a very good shooter. Way to go "Longbow Bill".

Carol Jorgensen also shot very well taking second place in the silver senior Bow Hunter Freestyle Class. Way to go Carol!

I took second in the senior Freestyle class.

We all enjoyed the shoot and are glad we made the trip to Oranco Bowmen's range.

July Club Shoot: We had 14 shooters come out for the July club shoot and enjoy a beautiful day. No one won the meatball, so the pot is growing. Mark Fowler cooked us a delicious batch of smoked ribs (mmm!) for lunch, thank you Mark. Next club shoot is on August 13th, please come out and shoot your range.

Shooting Tip: Look up "Performance Archery TV" on the internet for some excellent instruction on improving your shooting form. Alistair Whittingham is the host and is a very well known coach in the UK.

Next month a report from the NFAA outdoor national field championship tournament in Darrington Washington (July25-29) and a report from the Total Archery Challenge at Snowbird ski resort.

Shoot straight and have fun no matter which type of bow you shoot.

See you on the range!

Bill Potts

Diablo Bowmen Vice President

Range Report

Thank You to those who came out to the July work party, we made more progress on improving the range. Special thanks to Gavin Cox who procured a solar charging system for our generator and kitchen batteries and to Cleon Winter who installed the system with Gavin. This is a nice upgrade for our club.

The Daijogo family cooked a fantastic lunch for the work party, thank you so much!

Please be FIRE SAFE at the range, things are really dry now. Watch out for snakes around the target butts.

Next work party is on August 6th, 0800-1200.

Range Managers

Diablo Bowmen Officers 2016	
President	Pat Miller
Vice President	Bill Potts
Past President	Angel Yarnell
Secretary	Anton Pirtz
Treasurer	Dave McHuron
Range Manager	Bill Jorgensen
Two Year Board Member	Brian Slattengren
One Year Board Member	Cleon Winter
	Dan Wright
Historian	Kathy Budding
Outreach Manager	Melissa Pool
Webmaster / Newsletter	Ivan Bueno

Diablo Bowmen Merchandise

Get the latest Diablo Bowmen apparel at <http://diablobowmenapparel.spreadshirt.com/shop/authenticate>

Use the following username and password to order shirts:

user: diablomember

pass: Arrows1966

Red club hoodies, vests and hats are special order thru the club secretary by emailing diablobowmensecretary@gmail.com.

Events

Date	Club	Event	Marked	Targets	Arrows	Phone
7/17/2016	Mt. Madonna Bowmen	Bug Shoot 3-D	Yes	42	2	408-842-7733
7/17/2016	San Diego Archers	Hunter Round - Paper	Yes	28	4	619-952-5301
7/24/2016	Paradise Bowhunters	Summer Safari Hunter Round	Yes	42	2	530-327-7800
7/31/2016	San Diego Archers	Sir Gordon's Trad 3-D Shoot	Yes	28	1	619-952-5301
8/1/2016	King's Mountian Archers	KMA 3-D	No	15	2	
08/06 - 08/07/16	Cherry Valley Bowhunters	Big Bear Shoot 3-D	No	60	1	951-769-0559
08/06 -08/07/16	San Francisco Archers	1 Million BC 3-D	Yes	60	2	650-355-9947
8/7/2016	San Diego Archers	3-D Round	No	28	1	619-952-5301
8/13/2016	Mojave Archers	State Capital	Yes	28	2	760-217-1057
8/14/2016	Bowhunters Unlimited	Primitive Shoot	No	28	2	408-807-9418
8/20/2016	San Diego Archers	Field - Saturday	Yes	28	4	619-952-5301
8/21/2016	Mt. Madonna Bowmen	Zombie Shoot	Yes	28	2	408-842-7733
9/4/2016	CBH/SAA - Salinas Bowmen	State Target - 900 Round	Yes	1	90	
9/4/2016	CBH/SAA - Santa Ynez Valley Bow Club	State Target - 900 Round	Yes	1	90	805-938-5171
9/4/2016	San Diego Archers	3-D Round - Range Finder OK	No	28	1	619-952-5301
9/5/2016	King's Mountian Archers	KMA 3-D	No	15	2	