
DIABLO BOWMEN

Oakhill Ln, Clayton, California

President's Message

Hello Members of Diablo Bowmen,

Update for Morgan Territory Road.

The county is looking into the possibilities of 3 temporary access roads. They have contacted all that are involved, which is the state park and the 50 property owners. What I have been told so far, the negotiations have been difficult.

The county contacted us to discuss a negotiated price for using our property as one of the roads. They would use the road from our main gate down to the State park gate on the Jones round. I have called several contractors & material suppliers for pricing that would cover the cost of repairs to the parking area of our club. I'm still waiting to receive a couple of bids on paving and fencing. I will then review these costs with the board and we will submit a price to the county.

Latest news about the slide.

The counties Geotechnical consultants determined this week that the rate of the slide has slowed to the extent that they provided an opportunity for limited access for the residents on Sunday March 19th from 9-3.

We will send updates as we receive them or you can go online to <http://www.contracosta.ca.gov/6583/Morgan-Territory-Road>.

If you use the south end of Morgan Territory Rd to access the club be careful and drive slowly.

900 Shoot

The next 900 round will be on Saturday, April 29th. Please RSVP if you are going to attend, and let me know if you are having lunch.

If we don't have enough that want lunch, you will need to provide lunch yourself. Come out to shoot. See you on the range.

- APRIL-29th
- MAY-27th
- JUNE-24th
- JULY-29th
- AUGUST-26th
- SEPTEMBER-30th
- OCTOBER-NO SHOOT
- NOVEMBER-25th
- DECEMBER-NO SHOOT

Anton Pirtz

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All club work days and shoots are on hold until further notice. The next club meeting will probably be held at Mt. Mike's Pizza, but I'll confirm with a memo the week before.

We have been invited to participate at Redwood Bowmen club shoot. The shoot date is April 9th. If you plan to attend, it would be nice to RSVP so they have a head count for lunch. Please send me an e-mail, I'll compile a list and forward it to their club.

Pat Miller
Diablo Bowmen President

Outreach Program

March was shaping up to be one of the busiest months for Diablo Outreach this year! We had scheduled four Girl Scout Lessons, one High School Field trip and a Birthday Party. Unfortunately, due to the road closures, we were forced to either cancel or divert the groups to other locations.

We sent Saint Mary's High School to Fat Shafts Archery in Benicia. We had several volunteers help during that activity; including Gary and Kathryn Crandall and Brooke D'Arezzo. Thank you all for making the trek to Benicia to help these kids experience Archery! I received feedback that the group had a fabulous time and were exemplary as far as student archers.

We were also able to hold a Birthday party on March 5th at the range. This event was challenged by both weather and circumstance, but turned out to be positive for the Birthday participants. It started out sunny, but soon we received hail, and then snow! The kids were troopers and had a great time



Snow on Mount Diablo

even with the difficulties the road closures and weather created. I want to thank Joe and Julia Katigbak for coming out to help Kierstyn Pool and I. Your help was greatly appreciated! We are hoping to reschedule many of our cancelled events as soon as we get more information about access to our club.

In addition , I will be attending the 3D Scholastic Archery coach training on March 29th with David Allain. I will be accompanied by Allie Casey who will be joining the club in April and will assist with growing our member youth group. Please email me if any families have children who are interested in being involved in Scholastic 3D. I am still gathering information on this program and would love to put something together for our club.

Lastly, we have had some work done repairing our 20#-30# recurve bows and should have that equipment available in the next week or so. We have replaced strings and rests and removed damaged equipment from use. We have also replaced two recurve bows as well. My hope is to use this equipment to support our adult archers who are just now discovering Archery.

Melissa Pool
Outreach Manager

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