



News Letter

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NEW to all club members! The last Saturday in every month, starting in October.....

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Our mascot would love to hear your stories...

And more...

Tell us what you would like to see in the newsletter. Contact one of the committee and let them know what you'd like to see here.

In between News Letters, don't forget to see the latest club info at **WWW.BEACONARCHERS.CO.UK**

Advice/Q & A Sessions:

This season, some of the experienced archers have agreed to run a Q& A and Advice session, once a month. From 10:00 – 12:00, on the last Saturday in the month, a handful of archers will be on our field (weather permitting of course) to answer any of your archery queries. From 'How do I enter a competition?' or 'what's a button for?' to 'why cant I group my arrows?' In a friendly environment, we should be able to move your archery along to the next stage. No question too big or small **J**

Beacon Indoor Winter League

Phil, as Records Officer, has agreed to run an Indoor Winter League this season. As we have no dominant bow type, we will handicap the results so that everyone can take part, no matter what bow style you shoot, and at the end of the indoor season, we will have one champion? And a chocolate prize? All you need to do is hand in any Portsmouth scores from a Target Day (see below) and Phil will do the maths **J**

Your Committee:

Phil Hodgins (Chairman)
Andy Skinner (Secretary)
Lesley Galloway (Treasurer)
Peter Morgan (Equipment Officer)
Janice Blades (Tournaments & Newsletter)
Phil Hodgins (Records & Webmaster)

Club/Target Days

Rounds shot on target days are eligible for your classifications, improving your handicap, or a club record. The round you choose to shoot must be shot under GNAS rules. Therefore, you must shoot only the specified practice arrows (usually one end) and you must not score your own arrows, and both you and your scorer (Target Captain) must date and sign your scores sheets.

Lost Arrow Report

The lost arrow form can also be found on the website, on the Information page. If you loose an arrow in the field, please fill one of these forms out, and one of us will bring down the metal detector and try and find it for you.



Imperial & Metric Rounds

Details of what makes up different rounds (i.e. number of arrows and at what distances) can be found on our website under the Information page, pages 26 & 27 of the GNAS Rule Book

Tango's Blog

Our mascot has been writing his funny little view of the world for a good few months now, and is looking for some stories from other archers to compliment the ones he has gathered so far. So if you have anything you'd like him to write about, please send it on to one of the committee and it will be passed on to Tango, who will blog it.