

Baltimore Bowmen

The February Newsletter, 2009



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Next Meeting:

Wednesday, March 18, 2009 @ 7:30PM in the Bowmen Clubhouse.

Message From The President:

Greetings fellow club members,

Hunting seasons are coming to an end and its time to think Spring and the upcoming Bowmen events. Our first winter 3-D shoot on February 15 was a big success. With well over 70 paid shooters, a good time was had by all. The next Winter 3-D shoot is scheduled for March 22. We will once again set up 28 of our finest 3-D targets for everyone's enjoyment.

New Rinehart 3-D targets have been ordered and we are preparing to order a large number of excelsior bales for the practice butts as well as for 14 targets on the Howard Hill course. We will then install 14 straw targets on the Fred Bear course. This along with the upcoming Traditional Classic, May 15, 16, & 17, will require much work. I will be calling upon club members to lend a hand as we get the ranges back where they should be; that is butts in good to excellent condition and targets to shoot at. I have heard many complaints in recent years about the condition of the ranges and now its time to fix the problem. Members who assist with 6 hours (1 work party) will receive a coupon for a free Monday night 3-D shoot. We are exploring other ways to reward those who are willing to do the right thing by lending a helping hand. I look forward to seeing you at a work party or upcoming event.

Take care,

Jeff McCormack

Lost – Found?

If any club member found an 18Volt Ryobi Drill on the grounds could you please call Jamie at 443.823.8141 or jfrailey.moon@verizon.net

New Business:

A motion was made and approved to purchase a table for the MBS banquet on March 14th. Up to \$4500 has been approved for purchase of new 3D targets.

Scrounge List:

The club is looking to purchase used 8' long of folding tables so if anyone knows where some may be acquired please call Bill Tomlinson at 410-661-2594.

Work Parties:

March – Excelsior bales will be ordered and once they arrive the practice range will be redone. Phone calls and emails will be used to solicit help.

April – 18 & 19 - Spring Cleanup

New Members:

We'd like to welcome and John Vandenberg and Dwight Dorsey to our club.

BBTC News:

Chris Hurt will be doing his trick shooting demonstration again this year.

The bluegrass band will be playing on Saturday evening.

Up Coming Events:

3-D Shoot
Sunday, March 22 (9:30 – 3:00)

2009 Annual Baltimore Bowmen
Traditional Classic — May 15-17

SCA Medieval Reenactment Event
May 22-24

Summer / Monday 3-D Fun Shoots
May 18 thru Sept. 14
4:30 PM - Dusk

Respectfully, John Bogdan