

Newsletter No.88 August 2004

It seems crazy how fast the outdoor season is going, there is so much happening both inside and outside the Club.

Before we go into details of shoot results there are a number of important items and reminders.

VEHICLE SPEED. We have to regularly remind you to keep your speed to all absolute minimum when passing the cottages at the entrance, but a few idiots seem to think that they can drive fast along the drive through the field past the parked cars. This must stop! Please remember that there are children around and drive accordingly.

TROPHIES. There are quite a lot of Club trophies in circulation. These must be returned before our regular club shoots, it is so disappointing for our winners when the trophies are not available for presentation.

CLUB COLOURS. You may have noticed in Archery UK that from next year we will be allowed to shoot in club colours (only shirts, bottom halves will still be in regulation green or white) at formal shoots. Candy has just confirmed that we have registered pale blue polo shirts with navy lettering! and navy fleeces with pale blue embroidery. These will be on show at the Club just as soon as EmbroiderMe Call produce samples.

Now for some shoot. Results;-

2 Way Friendly Intercounties, Kent v. Surrey

The following Woking members were selected to shoot in this match. Candy Schofield, Andrea Gales, Andrew Philcox, Andrew Beech, Sue Cooles, Rachel Barnard (reserve), John Wilkins, Julia Madelin. Our Senior Recurve and Compound teams won their matches, but the Longbows and Juniors did not do so well.

SCAM. Southern Counties Archery Meeting.

This is our big regional archery feast, which is very conveniently held at Winchester and goes on for nearly four days.

Longbow Day (Double National)	Julia Madelin	Best a.m. awarded on hits.
Double Hereford Classification Brooches	Candy Schofield	Bowman, 1st place
	Andrea Gales	Bowman, 2nd place
Ladies County Team	Surrey	Candy Schofield, Andrea Gales and two others.

June Club Shoot.

We had quite a nice turn-out, but where were our newer archers? Very few of our novices attended. Seriously these shoots are for everyone. Yes, there are trophies for top scores,

but also awards on handicap, which provided you have shot the basic three qualifying rounds, means you are in with a chance. As we have said so many times, if you don't understand the jargon (and there is plenty) ASK! Sue Cooles got her

first 6 GOLD END at 60 yards so was really pleased.

1st O/All Senior Gent Recurve	Andrew Philcox
1st O/All Senior Lady Recurve	Candy Schofield
1st O/All Junior Recurve, over 9	Harry McNamee
1st O/All Junior Recurve, under 9	Catlin Critchley
1st O/All Senior Gent Compound	John Wilkins
1st O/All Gent Longbow	Lawrence Braithwaite
1st O/All Lady Longbow	Julia Madelin
1st Lady Recurve on H/C	Candy Schofield
1st Gent Recurve on H/C	James Taylor
1st Junior Recurve over 9 on H/C	Sam Hess
1st Junior Recurve under 9 on H/C	Catlin Critchley
1st Gent Compound on H/C	John Wilkins
1st L/B on H/C	Lawrence Braithwaite
1st Black Badge (Unrewarded)	Brian Wilson
2nd Black Badge (Unrewarded)	Richard Tapley
3rd Black Badge (Unrewarded)	Mo Wilson
4th Black Badge (Unrewarded)	John Scott
5th Black Badge (Unrewarded)	Ruth Miles
Wooden Spoon (lowest on H/C)	Julia Madelin

ROUND ABOUT THIS TIME OF THE SEASON CANDY SCHOFIELD GOT HER M.B.

Well done, she has been so close for quite a long time, and it is a real achievement. Watch out for more achievements further down this newsletter

RNLI sponsored shoot.

The forms went out telling you all what was going on. This year the round was reduced from a double American (15 dozen arrows), to a Double National (only 12 dozen) which we hoped would persuade more of you to attend. The weather was glorious and a good time was had by all.

Colour prizes - a.m.		Colour prizes - p.m.	
Gold	Peter Turner	Gold	John Antill
Red	Sue Cooles	Red	Richard Tapley
Blue	Ben Barnett	Blue	Terry Hunt
Black	Alex Croy	Black	Talia Smith
White	David Moore	White	Robert Crockford
Green	Lynne Stephenson	Green	Robert Crockford
1st Recurve, trophy and pen		John Antil	
2nd		Richard Tapley	
3rd		Sue Cooles	

1st Longbow, trophy and pen	Sue Smith
1st Barebow, trophy and pen	Lynne Stephenson
1st Bowman class, trophy	Robert Smith
1st First class, trophy	Peter Turner
1st Second class, trophy	Mathew Wilson
1st Third class, trophy	Angus Wilson
1st Unclassified, trophy	Amanda Barnet
1st Not Classified, trophy	Mark Mahamdallie
Most Blues - Harbour trophy	Angus Wilson

Dunster.

A small group of WAC archers rented a cottage for this very popular archery event in the West Country. Although strictly speaking quite outside our region, it is so popular and comes up so frequently in conversation, we thought it would be worth while mentioning. The venue is spectacular, to say the least, being held on a large meadow under the walls of Dunster Castle. Julia Madelin only visited for Longbow Day, but ran into Lucie Cramp who was still over the moon at coming first visiting Lady Longbow on the Field Course, getting the silver medal overall, and husband Terry got the Visiting gentleman bronze medal on the same course. Julia Madelin came fourth Lady in the Longbow event, getting a bronze medal for the highest Unrewarded Lady. The meeting lasts a full week and is a very sociable get-together apart from the shooting side of things.

Clare Butterfield Memorial Shoot

This is another pleasant, and not too long, round in our Club calendar. Although it is mainly aimed at the longbow archers among us, there are plenty of awards for the other bow types. At the beginning of this newsletter we put in a reminder about returning of trophies - particularly prompted by this shoot as the main trophy has been AWOL for the last couple of years. Should any Club longbow archer know of its whereabouts, would they please hand it in.

1st O/All Longbow, Lantern Trophy	Lawrence Braithwaite
2nd Longbow, Silver Medal	Tony Down
3rd Longbow, Bronze Medal	Sue Smith
1st Female on H/C Recurve& compound, Gold Medal	Carol Bridger
2nd Female on H/C Recurve& compound, Silver Medal	Mary Tapley
1st Male on H/C Recurve& compound, Gold Medal	John Scott
2nd Male on H/C Recurve& compound, Silver Medal	Angus Wilson
3rd Male on H/C Recurve& compound, Bronze Medal	Richard Tapley
Half O/All score trophy	Mathew Wilson

One Day Knockout.

This year we had a very poor turnout for the Windsor round, which was a pity as this time the two trophies are kept by the winners. The weather was reasonable and the round was fortunately completed before the cold front and associated heavy rain came through.

There was great excitement among the Biggs family as Lesley and Shane had a head-to-head in the semifinal, anyway the results speak for themselves.

1st Senior, Glass Trophy	Shane Biggs
2nd Senior	David Smith
1st Junior over 9 glass trophy	Sam Hess
1st Junior Under 9 glass trophy	Jack Biggs
2nd Junior Under 9 Black Badge	Charlie Critchley
3rd Junior Under 9 Black Badge	Sam Critchley

GNAM, or the Grand National Archery Meeting for the Uninitiated.

Well we promised you some more achievement news, and this meeting, held at Lilleshall in Shropshire, is one of the great classics in the Country.

CANDY Did IT AGAIN!!! She really cleaned up and her face was a picture at the awards ceremony.

1st Ladies Recurve - gilt spider highest Double Hereford round

Most Golds

Most hits at 80 yards

Highest double National round

County team award (with Penny Bradsell and Sandra Willis)

Highest aggregate score for three days with the same bow (beating the gents).

July Club Shoot.

Reasonable weather if rather windy

1st O/All Senior Gent Recurve	James Taylor
1st O/All Senior Lady Recurve	Lynne Stephenson
1st O/All Junior Recurve, over 9	Rob Smith
1st O/All Junior Recurve, under 9	Charlie Critchley
1st O/All Senior Gent Compound	Paul Hood
1st O/All Senior Junior Compound	Jon Down
1st O/All Gent Longbow	Tony Down
1st O/All Lady Longbow	Pauline Pringle
1st Lady Recurve on H/C	Mary Tapley
1st Gent Recurve on H/C	Peter Turner
1st Junior Recurve over 9 on H/C	Talia Smith
1st Junior Recurve under 9 on H/C	Robert Crockford
1st Gent Compound on H/C	Paul Hood
1st L/B on H/C	Penny Buttenshaw
1st Black Badge (Unrewarded)	Sam Hess
2nd Black Badge (Unrewarded)	Sam Critchley
3rd Black Badge (Unrewarded)	Harry Critchley
4th Black Badge (Unrewarded)	Brian Fairbairn
5th Black Badge (Unrewarded)	Richard Tapley
Wooden Spoon (lowest on H/C)	Lynne Stephenson

Surrey Outdoor Target Championships.

Some of you will be aware that Woking are fairly heavily involved in the organization of this event. Sue Butterfield has been in charge of the overall organization for the past five years but has now had enough and is standing down. She has done a grand job and we owe her our thanks. Peter and Brenda run the Junior side of the shoot.

Most importantly it was a really good day for our Club, we did extremely well and had a most enjoyable day too.

Senior Recurve, Lady Champion	Candy Schofield
Senior Recurve, 3rd Lady	Lynne Stephenson
Senior Recurve, Gent Champion	Mark Preston
Senior Recurve, 2nd Gent	Andrew Philcox
Senior Recurve, 3rd Gent	John Antill
Club Team, Woking	Candy Schofield Mark Preston Andrew Philcox John Antill
Senior Compound, 2nd Gent	John Wilkins
Junior Recurve, 1st Girl Metric V	Catlin Critchey
Junior Recurve, 3rd Boy Metric IV	Harry McNamee
Junior Recurve, 1st Boy Metric V	Charlie Critchley
Junior Recurve, 2nd Boy Metric V	Jack Biggs
2nd Lady on H/C	Lesley Biggs
1st Junior on H/C	Sam Hess
1st Lady Longbow	Julia Madelin
Best Gold, Junior Girl	Catlin Critchley
Best Gold Junior Boy	Harry McNamee

David Mond Memorial Shoot.

David was Brenda's first husband, and this shoot is the Hereford round which was always one of his favorites. The round does take all day and this year we had a very poor turnout which is rather a pity as we have very few chances to shoot these longer rounds within the Club. People seem to be busier and busier with increasing demands on their time.

1st O/All Recurve Gold Medal and Lantern Trophy	Terry Hunt
1st O/All Longbow Gold Medal and Lantern Trophy	Sue Smith
Half O/All top score Mond Trophy	David Moore
Nearest to David's last score	Mary Tapley
1st Bowman Class (Unrewarded)	Andrew Beech
1st 1st Class (Unrewarded)	Carol Bridger
1st 2nd Class (Unrewarded)	Talia Smith
1st 3rd Class (Unrewarded)	Jack Biggs
Best Gold (arrow on a stand) Recurve	Andrew Beech
Most Golds L/B Monster Figure	Sue Smith

August Club Shoot.

A really lovely proper hot and sunny summers day.

1st O/All Senior Gent Recurve	Richard Tapley
1st O/All Senior Lady Recurve	Sue Cooles
1st O/All Junior Recurve, over 9	Terry Hunt
1st O/All Senior Gent Compound	John Wilkins
1st O/All Gent Longbow	Andrew Jennings
1st O/All Lady Longbow	Sue Smith
1st O/All Lady Barebow	Lawrence Braithwaite
1st Lady Recurve on H/C	Mary Tapley
1st Gent Recurve on H/C	Richard Tapley
1st Junior Recurve over 9 on H/C	Matthew Scott
1st Gent Compound on H/C	John Wilkins
1st L/B on H/C	Andrew Jennings
1st Black Badge (Unrewarded)	Harry McNamee
2nd Black Badge (Unrewarded)	Sam Hess
3rd Black Badge (Unrewarded)	Mathew Wilson
4th Black Badge (Unrewarded)	Peter Turner
5th Black Badge (Unrewarded)	Talia Smith
Wooden Spoon (lowest on H/C)	Brian Whitehorn

British Target Championships at Lilleshall.

There is just space for another big competition Woking won the Club Recurve Team trophy thanks to Candy Schofield, Mark Preston, Andrew Beech and Alan Wood. Also Surrey won the Gents County Recurve again thanks to Mark, Andrew and Alan plus a.n.other, and Candy came 3rd Lady Recurve. What about that? Congratulations to all of them all