

Targetcraft Archery Club

Annual General Meeting

Minutes Of Meeting

21 October 2005

Venue – Desborough Cricket Club

West Lodge Rural Centre

Desborough

Meeting Commenced at 7.45pm

Members Present: Pete Waterton, Ken Bolton, Colin Thwaites, Ian Preston, Jimmy Runcie, Chas Wilson, Zak, Andrew Gibson, David Lowe. Miriam Wright, Stuart Wright. Pat Vardigans, Mike Newberry

Treasurers Report.

Presented and accepted as correct

Minutes of Last Meeting

Presented and accepted

Matters from Last Meeting

Matters Arising

1 West Lodge Field

Work proposed by Pete in preparation for 2006 season.

Container to be repainted. Paint already purchased.

New distance marker pots to be made. Pete has some pots, more needed to make up the number wanted.

Foam targets to be refurbished. Ken to take them over to Targetcraft.

Weekend 29th-30th Oct a working party required and anyone who has spare time before or after will be more than welcome to do what they can.

Pete proposed a Foam Target to be situated in the centre of the field at 50 mtrs. Colin seconded the motion. This to be sorted before March 2006.

2 Club Outdoor Shoot

Pete proposed we put on a Club / Open Competition on the 9th April 06. The Round to be a Fita 900. Proposal passed.

If asked the club will host the Second Caswell.

Chas as tournament organizer will arrange an advert in News From The Centre for the Fita 900. And also arrange competition entry forms and judges etc.

Chas to organise a Trophy Record Book

3 County AGM

Members were asked if they could attend and express their views about Archery in the County to the present committee.

Time: 7.30 pm,

Venue: Great Doddington Working Men's Club, Great Doddington

Date: Wednesday 9th November 2005

4 Target Fees

Pete proposed an increase in the club target fees.

Recommended was Adults £2.00 a time, juniors £1.50 and guests £2.50.

For members a maximum charge of £5.00 would apply for unlimited use of the field in any one week, Tuesday night at the Macdiarmid Hall included in that week.

Proposal passed with a majority vote, with new charges to start on Tuesday the 25th October 05

5 Have a Go

Though not a great financial success, the club Have a Go in August was still a great success. It helped promote the social side of the club, with most of the club members helping out and enjoying the day.

It simulated an interest in Archery from people visiting West Lodge and resulted in many taking our beginners course.

Proposed and passed that we repeat the event next year and also arrange the same for the Easter Bank holiday Monday. The 24th was mentioned as the bank holiday but my diary say's the Bank holiday is the 17th. Please check your diaries.

Stuart Wright proposed we have a PR officer to promote these advents and Tournaments.

Stuart has kindly accepted this post.

6 Club Rounds

To stimulate more involvement in the club and to get members used to shooting in a competition, it was proposed that we have an official outdoor evening or a Saturday to shoot rounds under proper conditions. The question will be put to all club members to decide on a Thursday evening or a Saturday pm or am.

These rounds shot can then be used to awards trophy's and medals at the end of the year.

Chas with the help of David Lowe will make up a shooting calendar. The handicap system will be used to determine the winner's. Overall winner and most improved handicap winner. This will also help members get and keep their handicap ratings up to date.

7 Any other business

Members used equipment that they wish to sell can be put on the club web site and notice board. A new container for the boss's and stands was suggested, this to be discussed at a later club meeting.

An up to date list of club equipment to be made by Ian and given to Colin. This will then be incorporated into to the club accounts. And used for valuation purposes with an insurance company.

Dave Lowe will let Colin know about an insurance company that will provide us with insurance.

A suggestion was made by the caretaker at the Macdiarmid Hall that we move our equipment lockers out into the main entrance hall. The space is wanted by the bands using the hall to store their kit. This will not be practical or safe for club equipment. Pete will try and resolve this problem with the caretaker.

Colin to send a letter or talk to Berry's about getting the farmer at West Lodge to dig the drainage trench as promised.

A whistle is needed at the hall for control of shooting.

Meeting Closed at 9.30pm

Secretary

Chairman

Next Meeting: 00-00-00 same time, same venue