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Hi all, I hope this finds you well. Looking back over these past few months, I hope you had a well-provisioned Thanksgiving holiday, and that you took the opportunity to shop locally for Christmas giving. I know I sometimes sound like a broken record, but we have the most incredible array of archery pro shops in California, and they compare to none other. Redding, Bay Area, Sacramento, Fresno Central Valley, Bakersfield, and the Southland, you will find no more qualified and dedicated archery professionals anywhere. Check the CBH website for a full list of shops and locations. These folks are not just selling you stuff but also supporting youth programs, supporting raffles, and a myriad of other functions at the local level. Please also keep in mind your California archery manufacturers and vendors. People who not only provide quality archery products but support all our tournaments north to south. Give them all a try this holiday season and all year long!

As we jump back into our routines, here is what is on my mind in no particular order, here we go!

Team, I am sorry for the delay with State Indoor registration for January. Hopefully, everything is in place now, and you've registered electronically or by paper at your local venue. The delay is 100 percent my fault; between dragging my ass and working on a new electronic registration system, it's been a bit of a challenge. Huge thanks to David Bacon for all his technical help. We could not have done it without him! The State tournament should serve as a nice warmup for Vegas and the National.

Everyone should be able to see the State Outdoor scores by now. Sorry for the delay on those scores. Some miscommunications there as well but we should be good now. A huge thanks to all the venues that participated and provided a nice shoot site for our

members. We really appreciate all that you do!

The New Year is here, so we hope you are ready for all the upcoming shoots and events. State Indoor, Vegas, State Traditional Championship in Fresno and of course the State Meetings in Visalia at the end of February. I'm sure everyone has a full plate, but please make some time for all of these. Speaking of state meetings, I want to say another huge thanks to Roger and Aaron for stepping up with others to represent Region 58 in the north. It is great to have this fresh perspective from some very qualified archery professionals. As I always say, they are getting your NFAA dues.... make sure your voice is heard! We will once again be representing

CBH/SAA and NFAA at the Vegas vendor booth this year. Stop by and say hello. Your CBH Executive team is here to support you!

I want to say a huge thank you to a guy and a club for some overwhelming support of their State and National organization. We always want folks involved in CBH and helping us to keep shooting sports and outdoor recreation safe and accessible here in



A Message by the
President

California. As I always say, "all it takes is money." As I write this article, the Oranco Bowmen, under the leadership of President Al Wicovitch, are finalizing a by-law change that will now make it mandatory for all new members to be members of NFAA before they can join. This will be a grandfathered change but will be a huge push to get the club from 100% CBH to 100% NFAA. So my thanks to them for putting this in motion.

Also, a huge thanks to Cherry Valley Bowhunters and their President Ken Wagner for getting CVBH to 100%. I encourage everyone to push to get clubs to the CBH and NFAA membership levels. This makes it possible for us to do battle in Sacramento in order to support you the archers here in our state.

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Legislative Committee Update by Amanda Duchardt, CBH/SAA Legislative Director

Happy Holidays CBH/SAA friends and family! I hope you all had a wonderful Thanksgiving and have a safe and happy holiday season!

First, CONGRATULATIONS to our competitors in the CBH State Unmarked 3D Championship! Over 150 shooters enjoyed a beautiful day at Oranco Bowmen on November 5. Final scores are posted on the CBH website and additional awards can be picked up at the Oranco office on Sundays 8:30am-2pm.

This year, Oranco and CBH donated all registration fees to the CBH Legislative Defense Fund. The CBH Legislative Team also hosted a raffle and in total the event raised over \$5,600 for the Legislative Defense Fund. **HUGE THANK YOU to Oranco Bowmen for hosting the event and to our raffle donors: PSE, Willow Creek Archery, Vortex, OnX, Delta McKenzie, Morell Targets, SKB, Turner's Outdoorsman, Ramrods, and Sportsman's Warehouse for helping make the event a success!** Your donations are SO important and enable CBH/SAA to continue to protect archery and hunting opportunities and promote conservation and wildlife management based on scientific research and data.

Which brings us to our update on the Catalina Island Conservancy's (CIC) plan to **eradicate mule deer on Catalina Island... WOW! This one is mind blowing...**

As noted in the November newsletter, [SoCal locals brought this issue to our attention](#) in early October and the issue has picked up a lot of steam with coverage in mainstream media including FOX News and the LA Times. In summary, on August 9, 2023 the [CIC submitted an application](#) to the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) for a Scientific Collection Permit (SCP) that describes a plan to eradicate mule deer on Catalina Island beginning in Summer 2024 using a combination of baiting, netting and "bolting" (e.g., method to stun animals prior to slaughter) near the City of Avalon and other human populated areas and "aerial culling" (e.g., shooting from a helicopter) in the island interior. Deer carcasses in the island interior would be left in place due to the difficult logistics involved with recovering carcasses in these remote areas.

This is not the CIC's first attempt to eradicate deer on Catalina Island. Let's step back to 2007 when the CDFW denied the CIC a depredation permit for deer.

According to an [email written by CDFW](#) scientists following a visit to Catalina Island obtained through the Freedom of Information Act, CDFW (then called the California Department of Fish and Game [DFG]) found that:

"For a depredation permit to be let, the following must be demonstrated:

- a) **Significant economic loss or property damage – Not demonstrated.** Poor planning on CICs has created their problem. Not using the [\[Private Lands Management\]](#) PLM to its full potential, not implementing DFG years of recommendations, and not drafting a land management plan for the entire island to explore ramifications of a variety of their actions. b) **Need for improving health of the herd – Not demonstrated/ False Pretense.** In virtually all CIC documents regarding vegetation that were provided to DFG (very late in the game) describes the need to remove all deer from the island. If the motivation is to, over time, eradicate all the deer – why then would herd health be of concern? Yes, some deer may be in bad shape due to the effect of continued drought conditions on forage and disease. Both conditions are currently occurring on the mainland and have been observed by DFG staff. No one likes to see animals in bad shape, however, that is life, and it is a natural process of population control.

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President's Message from page 3- For everyone concerned about the Catalina Deer issue please see the legislative updates later in this newsletter. There is a lot going on and Amanda knows it backwards and forwards. We also have a meeting with DFW concerning additional archery elk tags here in California. This is all exciting stuff. Huge thanks to our legislative team for all their work on these issues. James, Patrick, Joe Wylie, and others. Thanks for all you are doing and your diligent efforts on all these important bowhunting topics.

In closing I would like to say thank you to all the archers here in the state of California for your continued support. October, November, and December have all come and gone, and it appears I am running for President of CBH once again unopposed (LOL). Apparently, I am doing at least a reasonably decent job. I look forward to leading the organization and representing you for another two years. I would also like to thank all of you for a strong 2023, and looking forward to a great 2024! I wish you the happiest of holidays and a prosperous New Year!



Legislative Committee Update continued from page 4 ~ c) All methods to prevent a) and b) from occurring have been exhausted. – Not demonstrated. The PLM has never been used to its full potential in favor of tourism, premium hunting operations (\$\$\$) and perception of general hunting activities that are not based on facts. Also, no real effort has been put into educating the island citizens on hunting and no feeding of the wildlife that is causing the perceived “dangerous deer”. No discussions with the 2 Cities about deer wise plantings, deer fencing options, etc. No pursuit of DFG recommendations of adding deer fencing to the existing pig fencing to work toward exclusion of deer in sensitive zones of the island.”

The email also noted that “The current habitat condition throughout the island is a result of centuries of livestock damage to soil and vegetation, **not** deer browsing.”

Again in 2016, the CDFW denied the CIC a SCP to “conduct research on non-native deer on Catalina Island.” The basis for denying the permit was because the stated need for the permit revolved around efficacy of removing deer rather than the ecosystem-based restoration and monitoring. The CDFW was “not supportive of studying deer on the island as a test of the efficacy/methods of removal.” The [letter of denial](#) also stated that there “needs to be a commitment from the CIC to conduct advanced outreach to the public given the expectation of controversy regarding deer removal. ... [The CDFW has] not seen an indication that this outreach is being planned or implemented.”

Back to the present... The CIC has not addressed any of the concerns raised by CDFW in 2007 denial of the depredation permit or the 2016 denial of the SCP.

After submitting the SCP application in August 2023, the CIC reached out to our lobbyist Bill Gaines in early October and set up a meeting with him and two independent wildlife biologists to present the “science” behind their plan to eradicate deer. However, Bill and the independent biologists unanimously concluded that the CIC is grossly overestimating the size of the deer population because of flawed survey methodology and the impact of deer on the native habitat is also grossly overestimated and based on cherry picked photos of browsed shrubs and incorrectly attributing habitat impacts to deer and not drought conditions and historic livestock grazing operations. Finally, the CIC enclosed habitat area is supplemented with irrigation and mature plantings from nursery stock and is not an accurate representation of what the island habitat will look like following eradication of deer. In other enclosures that are not irrigated and planted, there is no discernible difference between vegetation/habitat where

deer are able to graze. CBH/SAA supports wildlife management decisions backed by scientific data and research and we have serious concerns that the science behind the Conservancy’s plan is flawed. During the meeting, Bill asked the CIC to consider partnering with the CDFW in a 5-year scientific study to assess what number of deer the island habitat can sustainably support and if eradication was required. The CIC was firm in their belief that they have already performed the required research and that the right number of deer on Catalina is zero.

Leading the opposition, Catalina residents and the Coalition Against the Slaughter of Catalina Deer initiated a change.org petition, which you can sign here: <https://www.change.org/p/stop-the-slaughter-of-mule-deer-on-catalina-island>. Continued next page.

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Have a special story?
The deadline for the
February Newsletter is
December 25th!

A special accomplishment? A meaningful story about hunting trip or tournament? We would love to read your stories! Send them to Lori Raupe:
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Legislative Committee Update continued from page 6
 ~ As of November 25, over 14,000 individuals signed the petition! Additionally, residents showed up in force at the Avalon City Council meeting and provided 2 hours of testimony in opposition to the CIC proposal to eradicate deer. Two weeks later, the City Council responded by updating City ordinances to prohibit the baiting, trapping, and bolting of deer within the City limits. A solid victory for the Coalition Against the Slaughter of Catalina Deer! They also organized several demonstrations with signs and dialogue helping to educate the island residents and mainland tourists on this issue including lack of science behind the decision, deer as a public resource, and potential impacts to tourism and residential enjoyment of island wildlife.

Concurrent with these efforts, CBH/SAA, Bill Gaines, and our partners in the California Hunting and Conservation Coalition also met with the CDFW on several occasions to share our concerns and advocate for the CDFW to perform their due diligence regarding the CIC SCP application including a peer review of current studies and challenging the use of a SCP as an appropriate process for approving deer eradication. Notably, CDFW staff were under the mistaken impression that the California Deer Association (CDA) and the California Mule Deer Foundation were in support of the eradication! Bill also coordinated an email campaign to CDFW through [HOWL for Wildlife](#) resulting in over 2200 emails sent to CDFW staff in opposition to the eradication. I encourage you to sign up for HOWL and take action on a variety of conservation and hunting issues in California and beyond. Next, CBH/SAA and Bill Gaines are seeking an additional meeting with CDFW leadership on this issue in early December and we will continue to be strong in our opposition of the CIC proposal and advocacy for sound science and management of sustainable deer populations.

If you would like to contribute to our efforts to oppose the CIC proposal to eradicate deer on Catalina, please donate to the CBH Legislative Defense Fund here: <https://cbhsaa.net/Legislative/Donate>

Reminder: Whether you've been involved in archery or hunting your whole life, or are new to this sport, **you have something of value to add to the conversation and I encourage you to reach out to me and the CBH Legislative Committee and share your knowledge and experience!** We look forward to hearing from you soon!

Who Me? Get involved?

Lori Raupe



Each month I create this newsletter for each of you. I read each of the articles and do my very best to make this publication something that you will enjoy, something that may inspire you, and certainly add the articles to keep you informed. I look at everything with an editor hat, but not so much that the information is for me personally. I have had to give up going to shoot Tilapia, I loved it, it was a real hoot! I'm sorry to say I have only attended a few tournaments. Shooting arrows was short-lived for me because of a painful shoulder injury and subsequent surgery, which was one of the most painful experiences to date.

Back in high school, we learned how to shoot longbows, and if I do say so myself, I was really good at it. Then, when I started dating Mr. Raupe, he encouraged me even after I accidentally shot his air conditioning unit.

My one incredible success, at least in my mind, was when I shot a Robin Hood. I think that's what you call it when you shoot your arrow into an arrow that is already in the target. I'm sure Mr. Ralph winced when he thought about how much money I just cost him in arrows, but you never would've known that because instead he showed his excitement with my improvement.

I say all that to prove my point, the articles, although I love being the editor of this publication, don't always apply to me, personally. Continued on page 8



Freezer Fillers...Looks like some freezers are getting their fill - we hope yours is one of them. Now that the new year is here some of you will be enjoying January hunts for deer and Javelina.



Axis Deer

Much has changed in the past few years in Arizona. This is the second year non-residents had to apply if they wished to receive one of the 2800 OTC tags. Tags have not lasted past the first two days. Javelina continues to be a draw for archery hunters as well; Times have changed so much!



Wild Hog



Scott Hargrove collects yet another whitetail.



Another "23" Monster taken with archery tackle - (lost hunters name)



Toby waited until rifle season to arrow his second buck!



Rodney is pleased with his second whitetail buck of the year.

Good news - California wild hog season is year around; as are Texas Axis Deer. Congratulations to the following hunters. Again, if you are; or were successful, please share your pictures. Email each file at the highest resolution to:

ry69bgc@gmail.com. along with your name.



Denis Kirby completes his deer Grand Slam with this monster whitetail! While Rodney takes advantage of Missouri's 3" spike (a doe tag).

Out In The Woods Contunied from page 7 ~ Plan your hunts, check your equipment, study the terrain and wind patterns. There are many map programs which can assist you (even when you are still at home). Here you can see how “onXHunt” map can give you an edge. The author (mistakenly) removed the GPS coordinates and the elevation before posting this screen shot. However, you have here a visual awareness of the 80 acre hunt area with marked locations of stands and blinds. The yellow stands are the authors, the hot pink, his hunting partners and the blue, the land owners. Thick cover [bedding] areas (darker in color) are NO HUNT AREAS but the adjacent areas only 100 yards downwind can be dynamite; especially during the rut!



Who Me? Get involved? From page 6 ~BUT, yes, I know it is a big but, let me share from my heart something you need to know. Amanda brought to light something that was so concerning to me when I read it, I almost cried. You see I agree with humane and ethical hunting practices. I an grateful to have been the beneficiary of harvested meat for most of my adult life.

Just thinking about what they are proposing to do on Catalina Island appalls me. It seems to me that there are many other ways to take care of a situation, in this case having too many mule deer on the island. I know I'm speaking to the choir when I say, “Hey, just open it up to hunters!” I cannot imagine the senseless slaughter, and then leaving the carcasses to rot could be a viable solution in anyone's book. I hope you don't find this information just a duplication of what Amanda has brought to our attention but decide to do something to help.

My hope is you will feel inspired to sign the petition. <https://www.change.org/p/stop-the-slaughter-of-mule-deer-on-catalina-island>. And that you might want to get involved just a little more. Maybe you could do something as simple as posting the information and sharing the article on social media.

This is exactly what I did. In fact, if you go to my page on Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/LoriRaupeCoach>, find the post, make a comment and then share it on your page, it will help the post be visible to more people. I really had to ask myself, *am I going to get involved?* And the answer was a clear to me, yes! So my question for you is, will you get involved and do something as simple as signing the petition, and sharing this information with people you know? I hope you say ‘yes’ too!

Okay, now I can step off my bandbox.

Happy New Year, I hope you and yours have an incredible 2024! :)

A Lifetime of Archery

Scott Walker

I grew up in a bowhunting and archery family. My father, Doug Walker, and my mother, Betty Walker were lifetime NFAA members, shot many tournaments together, and are both in the Archery Hall of Fame and have achieved lifetime achievement awards. I was at age 9 when they signed me up for NFAA (National Field Archers Association). NFAA is an archery and bowhunting organization, and my family, along with myself, participated in all of it.

Our family are lifetime members of the Fresno Field Archers and were actively involved in the Safari Shoot held every year. We donated a life-size elephant 3-D target that is still in the range today.



WEE ROBIN HOODS—The Fresno Field Archers have an active program for their youngsters who see action usually on Saturdays on North First Street between Ashlan and Barstow. In front, from the left, are Corwin Holtz, Debra Hutt, Linda Atkinson, Janice Micarelli, Chuck Still, Evan Mahaffey and Dave Rasmussen; in the back row, Marty Nelson, Craig Harrison, Robby Wynne, Mike Mahaffey, Mike Walker, Wayne Harrison and Scott Walker. Chuck won the last shoot at the range with a 177 score.

From the caption: *We Robin Hoods - the Fresno Field Archers have an active program for their youngsters who see action usually on Saturdays on the N. 1st St. between Ashland and Barstow and front from the left are Corwin Holtz, Deborah Hut, Linda Atkinson, Janice Micarelli, Chuck still, Evan Mahaffey, and David Rasmussen. In the back row Marty Nelson, Craig Harrison, Robby Wynne, Mike Mahaffey, Mike Walker, Wayne Harrison, and Scott Walker. Chuck won the last shoot at the range with a score of 177.*

I remember my first archery tournament was a PeeWee Shoot when I was 7 years old. In fact, this was the first tournament of its kind. My earliest bowhunting memory was when I shot a pheasant in flight at the age of 10. I have never forgotten this, and it sparked a love of archery and bowhunting that would last a lifetime. Although I have shot many tournaments throughout my life, it was the sport of bowhunting that I have dedicated most of my life.

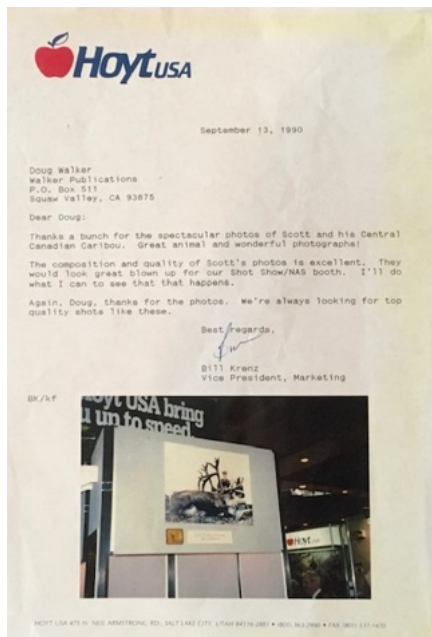
Throughout the last 60 years, I have taken innumerable game both big and small all with my bow. Bowhunting has granted me the privilege of traveling to exciting places and meeting wonderful people. I have entered into the NFAA my animals, and the result was that I was granted the NFAA Honorary Grandmaster Bowhunter Award. My father and I were the first father/son to receive this award.



Scott Walker age 10 with first pheasant.

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A Lifetime of Archery from page 9 ~ I am very proud of my 60-year membership in NFAA. This organization has provided me with a lifetime of memorable experiences and a chance to give back. I have been able to share my love and skill of archery with many groups of young people- giving workshops, teaching archery in schools, and providing archery merit badges for the Boy Scouts of America. God willing, I will enjoy many more years in my lifetime membership.



Letter says, "Dear Doug, thanks a bunch for the spectacular photos of Scott and his central Canadian caribou. Great animal and wonderful photographs. The composition and quality of Scott's photos is excellent they could look Great blown up for our shoot show/NAS Booth. I'll do what I can to see that that happens. Again, Doug, thanks for the photos were always looking for top quality photos like these. Best regards, Bill Krenz - VP marketing"

South Bay Archery Lessons' Anniversary "Shoot For A Cure" Charity Tournament Benefiting the American Cancer Society

Paul Farbman and Makanalani Thatcher

Over the weekend of December 1-3rd, South Bay Archery Lessons in Redondo Beach held a very successful indoor 18 meter 450 tournament to raise money for the American Cancer Society. One hundred and two archers participated, and dozens of raffle prizes helped us donate over \$6,600 to help fight cancer.



South Bay Archery Lessons is also a host site in January for the 2024 CBH/SAA State indoor Championship. Three separate lines shooting line options will be available: Friday, January 19th, Saturday, January 20th, and Sunday, January 21st. In addition, South Bay Archery Lessons is hosting the NFAA Southwest Sectional Indoor Championships. Again, three different shooting line options are available: Saturday, January 20th, Sunday, January 21st, and Monday, January 22nd. More information is available here or our website: <https://www.southbayarcherylessons.com/>



Scan with your phone camera for a link to the website.

Adventures In Finland By Lisa Rodríguez



Lisa about to walk in the Parade Of Nations for the USA.

Cover Photo description:

NFAA did not provide team shirts this time, so Lisa prepares to wear her team shirt from WFAC in Estonia and an NFAA cap given to her by the AAE. Baby Groot approves.

Now it's my turn to step up to our first target of the unmarked World Bowhunters 3D in Rovaniemi, Finland with wood arrows I just finished making and only shot once before. From day one, we shoot with our competition and I go last because I was placed as the very last female longbow archer in the very last group.

First shot, my arrow falls short and disappears into the lichen. My next arrow also falls short disappearing again. "I guess this is how it's going to go" I think as I start to calm myself knowing I now only have 13 wood arrows with me (a requirement for longbow) and I have no idea where to instinctively aim with these new wood arrows. Going forward I decide my new mantra before each arrow shot will be, "I know this weight. I know this distance."

Did I mention I didn't have time to make sure all arrows weighed the same and they varied by as much as 50 grains? To a D shaped one piece longbow archer, that's a huge difference. Hence the "I know this weight."

We all walk forward bouncing as we go on the spongy lichen. Those not scoring, which includes myself, begin looking for arrows.

Due to shooting in a protected forest, we are not allowed to use our arrow rakes. Instead, we press our fingers into the intricate web of springy vegetation hoping to find an arrow, any arrow.

We don't find either of my arrows. We return to the target sign and mark off on the back approximately where our lost arrows may lie. Later volunteers born and raised in the area who know how to find arrows without destroying the lichen the free roaming reindeer survive on, will search for our arrows.

Next target, my luck changes. A member from the group behind finds one of my arrows. How did she know it was mine? I decided to paint the entire shaft of my wood arrows elaborately to mimic the ocean and beach. My next set I intend to make them look like No 2 pencils.



We continue on ever up the hill. A member of my group puts on a mosquito net hat as another has four on the back of her head feeding as she shoots. She's native to the area and doesn't even notice them. I stand there grateful for the tip Karen Keating gave me over a year ago with the Thermacel which keeps me protected.

Throughout the day, it drizzles, stopping as quickly as it comes. Finally, the top of the hill. We all stop and admire the beauty as we breathe in the cleanest air in the world. Continued next page.

Adventures In Finland from page 11 Attempting to record the majesty, pictures are taken carefully not pointed in the direction of targets yet to be shot. Now begins the shooting down and going back around the hill.

While looking for lost arrows behind a target, our Latvian archer comes out giving up the search for her arrow after finding a beehive. We all retreat quickly. At the next target, an arrow misses its mark, hitting the rocks rocketing into the distance. Search though we may, the arrow is not to be found. One of many such casualties here in Rovaniemi. As 2nd VP of Target, I begin to catch wind that something is wrong with the online registration for the State Target on the other side of the world. Eventually I am able to decipher the issue and the solution but time zone differences do not lend to an immediate resolution.

End of the first day of four.



Longbow archers making their way to their target assignment in the rain.

The next day, walking out the door, it begins to drizzle. I turn around and change out my boots to the waterproof ones I brought just in case. These would later be my saving grace.

As this is the middle of my first year shooting only Longbow, I break again my custom of not looking at the scores to see how I have faired compared to the other international female longbow archers.

If you don't know, the European traditional archers are a force to be reckoned with, having astronomical scores even in Field. I search for my name at the bottom of the list up. In shock I see that I am in the middle. I am overjoyed by this miracle. I hover around there throughout the tournament.



(L-R) Nathalie Theilman (France), Melissa Yamada (Brazil), Lisa Rodríguez (USA). Melissa's longbow has stickers from the many equipment inspections her bow had passed.

This was my first 4th of July outside of the United States. Just a few days prior, as the only American at the World Bowhunters, I shot the honorary opening arrow on behalf of the United States & the NFAA. As a party of one, I walked carrying a sign for the USA in the Parade of Nations at the opening ceremony. The United States only fielded a team to compete because technically the AAE is under the NFAA. They, the Germans of the AAE, made up the remainder of the Team of Nations for the USA. It is because of them and their amazing scores that the United States came in 2nd Place allowing me to come home with hardware.

We follow the signs held high by our guides so that we do not get lost in the forest on our way to our targets. Our guides lead us off the walking trail by the road and soon we are walking on planks. Why are we walking on planks? It is raining with no sign of letting up.
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Adventures In Finland from page 12 ~ We wait in the rain standing on the planks or large rocks, waiting for the signal to start.

A Finnish archer comments that the good thing about the rain is that the mosquitoes won't be out. Lies. They seem to be out in full force. Luckily, I still have my Thermacel with me.

"I know this weight. I know this distance."

A few targets in I understand why the planks. Stepping down for my turn to shoot, I and my shooting partner sink at least an inch into the ground. That is not the deepest we would sink that day or have to wade through.

Today, I was successful remembering to take pictures of my archery travel buddy Baby Groot out on the range.

End of day two.



Day 2, some of the wet terrain in Rovaniemi Finland.

Finland is known as The Land Of The Midnight Sun as during this time of year the sun does not set. For us, that meant we would shoot one of our competitions at midnight. For longbow, that meant shooting at midnight on the fourth day, the last day.

"I know this weight. I know this distance."

This last, mostly rocky range, was by far the most challenging terrain/course of the four. We have to step carefully ensuring we don't accidentally twist an ankle. We break many arrows. Then an arrow flies long and sparks fly as it hits the rocks. This happens again and again. I'm not accustomed to seeing sparks fly. Will this start a fire?

As the day winds down, I break arrows more quickly than I can mark my specialized 1, 2, 3. I resort to only marking lines with a sharpie. At the rate that I am breaking arrows, it doesn't feel like I'll have enough to finish. Am I missing because of the immense time difference? The poor visibility? Fatigue? Poor judgment? Lack of familiarity of the targets and terrain? All of the above?

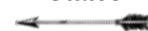
"I know this weight. I know this distance."

By the sheer grace of God, I am able to finish. Though we could barely speak each other's language we celebrate with Nordic black currant juice. And, we all agree, had we shot this range first, none of us were confident we would have had enough arrows to finish the tournament.

End of day four.



Broken wood arrows on either side of the 2nd Place award for the United States.





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From Our Historian Scott Walker

Fred bear was an instinctive shooter. He had a signature shooting style with his left foot forward, knees bent, holding his bow while leaning to the right, looking down the shaft of the arrow concentrating on the Target. Or a spot on the animal and then released the arrow. Fred Bear referred to himself as a snap shooter. His advice to anyone who'd listen was not to shooting that way. Fred Bear had been shooting this way for years, and it worked for him. Every bowhunter has their own way of shooting a bow and arrow. My dad (Doug Walker) shot a bow standing straight up and down and leaned back just a little bit. There are all kinds of ways to shoot your bow and arrow you just have to find out what works best for you be consistent and stick with it. I always say practice practice and practice will make you a better shooter. Well I hope you enjoy this article about Fred bear:

Fred Bear's Shooting Style

(National Bowhunter, Special Fall Issue 2007
Orig. Article by Doug Walker)

I was going through some of my old Western Bowhunter© files and pictures when I came across some pictures of Fred Bear that I took of him back in 1966.

This was during my first Alaska hunt with Fred and it was called North to adventure. It was during the last few days of the hunt and Oldham to fly us back to Anchorage and to go home. Norm Mallonee (of the Bow Rack in San Pablo California now retired) and I noticed Fred starting to shoot at some bales of hay they had stacked for the horses and we started taking pictures of Fred shooting. I wanted to get some pictures of Fred's shooting style, so I started taking my pictures at different angles and you can see the results. Like I said, this was decades ago in 1966, and in my opinion it shows Fred's shooting style. All but one of these pictures I took, one was taken by Norm Melanie that he sent to me to use. I honestly do not know of many pictures showing Fred shooting with so many angles in one shooting session. Enjoy.



Fred Bear's 10 commandments of Hunting

- 1 Don't step on anything you can step over.
- 2 Don't look for deer look for movement and remember that's also what they're looking for.
- 3 always approach from downwind, in the cool of the day move uphill, in the heat of the day move downhill.
- 4 The best camouflage pattern ever made is called "sit down and be quiet."
- 5 Take only the gear you need to the field that will allow you to hunt longer, harder and smarter.
- 6 A rain storm isn't a reason to quit hunting. It's a reason to stay.
- 7 Camouflage your appearance your sound and your sent.
- 8 Be sure of your shot. There's nothing more expensive than regret.
- 9 Hunt where the deer are and not where you imagine they would be.
- 10 Next year's hunt starts the minute the deer season ends.



CBH/SAA State Indoor Championships

January 2024

450 Round – 20 Yards – 15 Ends – 3 Arrows. Champion in each style and age group. Styles may be flighted based on number of participants. AWARDS for 1st, 2nd, & 3rd. TIES will be broken by “X” count. Awards will be mailed to participating Venue. Results will be published in the CBH/SAA Newsletter and on www.cbhsaa.org

Registration Fees: Archers may only compete in one age group.

Age	Member	Guest
Adult Classes	\$40	\$75
Young Adult, Youth, Cub (17 and Under)	\$25	\$35

To be eligible for awards and state records, you must be a member of NFAA otherwise you will be classified as GUEST. Membership renewal and New applications must be completed electronically. No hard copy memberships applications will be accepted. To gain membership in NFAA, go to <https://nfaausa.com>. NFAA Membership includes CBH/SAA Membership. Questions: CBH-SAA 2nd VP, Indoor, Brian Webb at impactarcheryinc@outlook.com or 559-288-5496

Archery Shop Call for times. (661) 631-9040	Ohlone Jan 6-7pm Jan 7-10am	Willow Creek Archery Jan 21-9am	Riverside Archery Jan 14-9am and 12pm (12pm is JOAD Only)	Predators Jan 13-12pm and 3pm Jan 14-12pm and 3pm
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Bow Rack Jan 21-9am Jan 12, 3-5:30 pm Jan 25-6pm	Santa Cruz Jan 7-10am and 1pm Jan 13-10am and 1pm	Turners Fountain Valley Jan 14-11am	West Coast Archery Jan 18-6pm	Pasadena Roving Archers Jan 21-8am and 11am 30 max per session
Fat Shafts Jan 6-4pm Jan 7-9am and 2pm	South Bay Archery Jan 19-6pm Jan 20-1pm Jan 21-9am	Turners West Covina Jan 13-11am and 3pm Jan 20-11am and 3pm	Spot Archery Jan 14-9am	Santa Maria Gun Club Jan 14-9am and 12:30pm
Jim Cox Archery Jan 7-10am	Wilderness Archery Jan 22-7pm Jan 27-9am	Cherry Valley Bowhunters Jan 17-6:30pm Jan 21-10am	Lodi Archery Jan 14-9am and 12pm Jan 21-9am and 12pm All Lines Limited to 8 shooters.	

REGISTRATION FEE:

Age	Member	Guest
Adult (18 and up)	\$40	\$75
Young Adult, Youth, Cub (17 and Under)	\$25	\$35

Make Checks Payable to CBH. Send Check and Registration to host club.

Questions:

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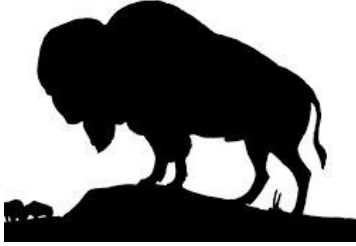
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Diablo Bowmen 32nd Annual Winter Hunt

Sunday, January 28, 2024 {Rain or Shine}

32 Unmarked Reinhart Targets



Featuring: 8 target string walk (8 arrows) –
Steel Pig - Rocking Horse – Flying Goose

Categories: Release, Fingers, Range
Finder, Trad & Long Bow

(Long bow shoots wood arrows)

2 Arrows [10-8-5 scoring]

Continental Breakfast available at 7:00

Lunch & snacks will be available

Registration 7:00 am to 8:30am

Shooter's Meeting 8:45am

Shotgun Start at 9:00 am

Scorecard turned in by 3:00pm

Adults: \$30

Master Seniors: \$25

Couples: \$45

Family: \$60

YA/Youth: \$15

Cubs & Pee Wees: Free



Shoot Instructions Furnished at Registration:

For Info: Dan Wright at: dan_diablobowmen@lwbinc.net or (707) 290-2700

Or Shannon Barnett at: DiabloBowmenPresident@gmail.com or 925-567-3063

Diablo Bowmen is located off Morgan Territory Rd. on Oakhill Lane,

Clayton, CA For Directions See WWW.DIABLO-BOWMEN.ORG





2024 CBH/SAA Annual Meeting &
Hall of Fame Banquet
February 23-25, 2024

Visalia Marriott at the Convention Center

300 South Court, Visalia, Ca. 93291

Legislative Meeting Friday, 2-23-24 from 1-5pm

General Meeting Saturday and Sunday, 2-24 & 25 at 8am both days

You do not have to attend the meetings to attend the banquet, but you need to pay for dinner to attend banquet

Saturday evening, Feb 24th

**Presentation of Inductees-California Archery Hall of Fame
Inductees are;**

Rick Berg, Don Kouns, Robert Moore & Johnnie Waddles

For room reservations:

Phone: 1-559-636-1111

Reservations must be made by 1-31-24

Single King/Two Queens \$149 + tax

Rooms available Thursday thru Saturday

Ask for the room block under California Bowman Hunters or you may use the direct link on our website; www.cbhsaa.net LIMITED number of rooms at these rates.

Tear here & mail your dinner reservations to: (check payable to CBH)

Mail to: CBH/SAA, 7710 Camino Vista, Shingletown, Ca. 96088

Or, you may pay online at www.cbhsaa.net via the Paypal link

No Host Cocktails begin at 5:30 pm, Dinner/Presentations/Inductions start at 6:30 pm

Choices available:

Tri Tip	# dinners _____	x \$47 = \$ _____
Chicken	# dinners _____	x \$47 = \$ _____
Child's Plate/chicken strips	# dinners _____	x \$20 = \$ _____
	Total	\$ _____

Your Name: _____

Additional attendees names: _____

Your contact phone # or email: _____

Deadline for dinner reservations February 10th, either to reserve or cancel

NO Walk On for dinner...Must pay for dinner in order to attend banquet

Questions? Contact Pam Severtson 530-474-3324 or mpsevertson@frontiernet.net

Woodlake Antelope Archers

Broken Arrow

March 2nd & 3rd 2024

You must show your NFAA/CBH card at the time of registration or you will be registered as a Guest and not eligible for awards. Scoring will be based on your Shooting Style and Class. (NO FIXED FLIGHTS THIS TIME)

<u>Pre-Registration Fees</u>	<u>NFAA/CBH</u>	<u>Non NFAA/CBH</u>
Single Adult	\$35.00	\$40.00
Couple	\$45.00	\$50.00
Family	\$55.00	\$60.00
Under 18	\$20.00	\$25.00

FOR DAY OF REGISTRATION ADD ADDITIONAL \$5.00

**We shoot 60 targets, 40 on Saturday and 20 on Sunday.
Starts at 8:30am on Saturday and 8:00am on Sunday.**

Breakfast will be served in the clubhouse. Lunch and refreshments will be served on the hill. Dinner will be served in the clubhouse Saturday night only. (live band Saturday night)

Lots of dry camping on the range, but no electricity available.

**For a Pre-Registration form, visit our website at
www.woodlakeantelopearchers.com**

For additional questions please call (559)358-5209



Conejo Valley Archers Spring Classic

March 9-10, 2024

Three Archery Tournaments in One!
Thrice the Challenge!
Thrice the Fun!

NFAA Field Round • 3-D Round •
 American 900 Round

**Open and Traditional Money
 Classes (M/F) for *Each* Tourney!
Over \$3,360 in Prize \$\$\$!**

Schedule	Saturday (9th)	Sunday (10th)
Registration Opens	7:00-8:30	7:00-8:00
Ranges Open: 3D and Field Ranges	7:30-4:30	7:30-12:30
900 Round — Practice Round	8:30	8:30
900 Round — Start	9:00	9:00
Score Cards Due	4:30	2:00
Awards		2:30

Shoot one, two, or all three Tournaments over two days.

Shooting Styles (Non-Money Class): NFAA Bow Classes (FS, FSL, FSLR, BB, FSBH, TRAD, LB, BBR)

American 900 Round	3-D Round	NFAA Round	Entries and Extras	Fees
5 ends of 6 arrows/dist.	25 targets	28 targets - 50/50 field/hunter	Each Tournament	(non-money class)
4 minutes per end	Unmarked yardage	Marked yardage	Adult/Senior	\$25 (\$75 for all 3 tourneys)
122cm targets (5-ring option)	No Range Finders!	4 arrows per target	Under 17 years old	\$20 (\$60 for all 3 tourneys)
3 yardage distances:	2 arrows per target	5-4-3 scoring	3D Mulligan (2 Max)	\$1 each
⇒ Senior+ 40-50-60y	Traditional: 33y max	<i>Money Classes shoot Adult stakes by style (Comp. or Trad.) and use 6-5-4-3 "Pro" scoring (X=6)</i>	3D Doe Tag (1 Max)	\$1
⇒ Adult 40-50-60y	Compound: 50y max	<p>CVA SPRING CLASSIC</p>	All Money Classes	(money class)
⇒ Y.A. 40-50-60y	Cub/Youth: 25y max		Each Tournament	\$50 ^a (\$150 for all 3 tourneys)
⇒ Youth 30-40-50y	<i>Money Classes shoot Adult stakes by style (Comp. or Trad.) and cannot purchase Mulligans or a Doe Tag</i>		^a \$20 of each money class entry fee added to Pot	
⇒ Cub 10-20-30y				
<i>Money Classes Shoot Adult</i>				

Awards for all Divisions (using NFAA rules) (M/F) (Senior+, Adult, Y.A., Youth, & Cub)

Grand Champion: Total Score for all three tournaments (non-money class only)

Money Classes: Separate Men's and Women's Open (sights, releases, and stabilizers okay) *and* Trad Classes for *each* tournament. The Trad Money Class will include longbows and all recurve bow types (barebows only; arrow rests allowed). Must be present on awards day.

Food and beverages available on the range.

RV Park (full hookup) and camping by range at Tapo Canyon Park (reservation strongly recommended): <http://www.ventura.org/inland-parks/tapo-canyon-simi-valley>

Vendors Welcome! E-mail CVASC@cvarchers.com to reserve your space.

Payments: Pre-registration and pre-payment will be available through www.cvarchers.com.

Visit: www.cvarchers.com for more information about the tournaments, the structure for the Money Classes, pre-registration instructions, and any hotel information.

Questions? E-mail CVASC@cvarchers.com



2-Day 50 Targets 3-D Tournament

Separate Longbow, Recurve, Selfbow & Senior (60+) Divisions (no clickers)

*** NFAA Rules Apply (Quivers OK!) ***

***No Compounds, No Sights ***

No Shots over 50 Yards

*** Unmarked Yardage ***

**ON-LINE REGISTRATION BEGINS
DECEMBER 1, 2023**

Tournament Fees

Super Seniors (75+) - \$50	Young Adults - \$35
Seniors (60+) - \$50	Youth -\$10
Adults - \$55	Cubs - \$10

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Date: _____

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Region: _____

"Associate Target" _____

Club: _____

Name (Head of Household): _____ Phone: (____) _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Email Address-print very clear: _____

Your newsletter will be emailed to you, in color, around the 15th of the month.

Adult Membership - Head of Household only

Amount \$45.00

or

Family Membership - please list all members to receive membership cards

Amount \$55.00

Spouse: _____

Youth (under 18): _____ Birthdate: _____

Youth (under 18): _____ Birthdate: _____

Youth (under 18): _____ Birthdate: _____

or

Youth Without Parent or Guardian

Amount \$25.00

Name: _____ Birthdate: _____

Additional Contributions:

\$ ____ California Legislative Defense Fund \$ ____ California Hall of Fame \$ ____ CBH/SAA Range Fund

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In order to compete in the State Field, State Target and State Indoor for awards, you must belong to NFAA. NFAA membership includes CBH/SAA and Regional dues. Contact NFAA at www.nfausa.com or call 1-605-260-9279.

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A CBH/SAA membership allows you to compete in the State Broadhead, 3D Unmarked Championship, State 3D Marked & State Traditional.

**CALIFORNIA BOWMEN HUNTERS & STATE ARCHERY ASSOCIATION (CBH/SAA)
REGION**



**APPLY ONLINE
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NATIONAL FIELD ARCHERY ASSOCIATION (NFAA)

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

	CBH/SAA	Region	NFAA	Total
Head of Household or Single Member Adult	\$35.00	\$10.00	\$40.00+	\$85.00+
1st Add On	\$ 7.00	-0-	\$10.00+ (Spouse or child)	\$17.00+
2 or more add ons	-0-	-0-	\$ 5.00+ (Ea child)	\$ 5.00+
Additional Adults Living at Home	\$7.00	-0-	\$40.00+	\$47.00+
Youth w/o Parent Or Guardian	\$25	-0-	\$15.00	\$40.00

Date _____

NAME (Head of Household) _____ CLUB/UNATTACHED _____
REGION _____

ADDRESS _____ PHONE () _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____ E-MAIL _____

NAMES: Single Adult (Head of Household) _____	Amount	\$85.00+
Add On 1st _____	Amount	\$17.00+
Add On 2nd- Youth (under 18) _____ Birthdate _____	Amount	\$ 5.00+
Add 3 or More -Youth* _____ Birthdate _____	Amount	\$ 5.00+
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Adult Child in Household** _____	Amount	\$47.00+
Single Youth Member _____ Birthdate _____	Amount	\$40.00
<i>Under 18 - Need Birthdate</i>	TOTAL	_____

Make Check Payable To: **NFAA**

Send to: **NFAA**
800 Archery Lane
Yankton, SD 57078

For Information Contact: **Pam Severtson**
530-474-3324
e-mail: **mpsevertson@frontiernet.net**

For Credit Card Payment: Call 1-605-260-9279 or fill out information below.

Type of Card: _____ Card #: _____ Exp: _____

Or join online at: www.nfaausa.com Code from back of Card: _____

NFAA membership includes the "Archery" magazine.

CBH/SAA publishes a monthly Newsletter. It can be read on line about the 15th of the month. The newsletter will be emailed to you each Month. Please print email address very clear! Thank you.

Being a member of NFAA/CBH/SAA allows you to compete in all State and National Championship Tournaments

*List additional members on back of form.

** College Students and unmarried Armed Services Members count as Adults living in house for CBH/SAA.

+NFAA dues increase effective 11/1/17. CBH/SAA dues increase effective 4/1/23.

Upcoming Shoot Schedule Page 1

Date	Club	Event	Marked	Targets	Arrows
01/06, 01/07/24	CBH/Ohlone	State Indoor Championship	Yes	1	45
01/06, 01/07/24	CBH/Fat Shafts	State Indoor Championship	Yes	1	45
01/07, 01/13/24	CBH/Santa Cruz	State Indoor Championship	Yes	1	45
01/07, 01/14/24	CBH/Archery Only	State Indoor Championship	Yes	1	45
1/7/24	CBH/Impact Archery	State Indoor Championship	Yes	1	45
1/7/24	CBH/Jim Cox Archery	State Indoor Championship	Yes	1	45
01/10, 01/20, 01/21/24	CBH/South Bay Archery	State Indoor Championship	Yes	1	45
01/12, 01/12, 01/25/24	CBH/Bow Rack	State Indoor Championship	Yes	1	45
01/13, 01/14/24	CBH/Predators	State Indoor Championship	Yes	1	45
01/13, 01/20/24	CBH/Turners West Covina	State Indoor Championship	Yes	1	45
01/14, 01/21/24	CBH/Lodi Archery	State Indoor Championship	Yes	1	45
1/14/24	San Francisco Archers	Cabin Fever	No	28	3
1/14/24	CBH/Riverside Archery	State Indoor Championship	Yes	1	45
1/13, 1/14/2024	CBH/Turners Oxnard	State Indoor Championship	Yes	1	45
1/14/24	CBH/Turners Fountain Valley	State Indoor Championship	Yes	1	45
1/14/24	CBH/Spot Archery	State Indoor Championship	Yes	1	45
1/14/24	CBH/Santa Maria Gun Club	State Indoor Championship	Yes	1	45
01/17, 01/21/24	CBH/Cherry Valley Bowhunters	State Indoor Championship	Yes	1	45
1/18/24	CBH/West Coast Archery	State Indoor Championship	Yes	1	45
01/20, 01/21/24	CBH/Orange County Archery	State Indoor Championship	Yes	1	45
1/21/24	CBH/Willow Creek Archery	State Indoor Championship	Yes	1	45
1/21/24	CBH/Pasadena Roving Archers	State Indoor Championship	Yes	1	45
01/22, 01/27/24	CBH/Wilderness Archery	State Indoor Championship	Yes	1	45
1/28/24	Diablo Bowmen	Diablo Bowmen 32nd Annual Winter Hunt	No	28	2
2/11/24	Oranco Bowmen	Rendezvous 3-D	No	42	1
02/17 - 02/18/24	CBH/SAA - Fresno Field Archers	CBH State Traditional Championship	No	60	2
2/17/24	Yuba Sutter Bowhunters	20th Annual Jess Ohrt Shoot	No	14	2
2/18/24	Yuba Sutter Bowhunters	Yuba Sutter Bowhunters 41st Annual	Yes	42	2
02/23 - 02/25/2024	CBH/SAA	Annual Meeting and Hall of Fame Banquet			
3/2/24	Yahi Bowmen	Spring Fling	No	28	3

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Date	Club	Event	Marked	Targets	Arrows
03/09 - 03/10/24	Conejo Valley Archers	Spring Classic	Yes	54	
03/23 - 03/24/24	Conejo Valley Archers	33rd Annual Bombardier Traditional Challenge	No	50	
04/13 - 04/14/24	Break the Barriers	BTB & NFAA 1-Arrow National 3D Championship	85	1	
4/14/24	San Francisco Archers	Pacific Traditional Rendezvous	No	40	2
4/20/24	Bowhunters Unlimited	TRAD SHOOT	No	28	2
4/21/24	Oranco Bowmen	Big Game 3-D	No	42	1
4/21/24	El Dorado Hills Bowmen	North American Animal 3D Shoot	Yes	28	3
04/27 - 04/28/24	Fresno Field Archers	Fresno Safari	Yes	60	2
5/11/24	Bowhunters Unlimited	LEGACY SHOOT	No	28	2
05/18 - 05/09/24	Yahi Bowmen	Bill Sullivan Traditional Shoot	No	60	2
6/2/24	Santa Cruz Archers	3D in the Redwoods	No	29	2
6/8/24	Bowhunters Unlimited	PRIMITIVE SKILLS	No	28	2
6/23/24	Oranco Bowmen	Firecracker 3-D	No	42	1
7/21/24	Santa Cruz Archers	Beat the Heat Traditional Rendezvous	No	30	2
08/03 - 08/04/24	San Francisco Archers	1 Million B.C.	Yes	63	2
10/5/24	Bowhunters Unlimited	PRIMITIVE SHOOT	No	28	2
10/6/24	Oranco Bowmen	Tomahawk 3-D	Yes	42	1
10/6/24	Santa Cruz Archers	Bad Boys of Branciforte 3-D	Yes	29	2
10/13/24	San Francisco Archers	Bug Shoot	Yes	42	2
10/19/24	Yahi Bowmen	Fall Fling	No	28	3
11/09 - 11/10/24	Fresno Field Archers	Gene Foster Traditional Rendezvous	No	42	2
11/16/24	Bowhunters Unlimited	TURKEY SHOOT	No	28	2
12/8/24	Oranco Bowmen	Charity 3-D and Toy Donation	No	42	1
12/8/24	Fresno Field Archers	Toys for Local Tots	Yes	28	2

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