

May Newsletter

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2006 3-D Shoot Dates and Captains

1. March 25-26

**Kevin GoerdT
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2. April 15-16

Tim Digman/ Tom Fessler
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3. May 13-14

Fred Timmermans
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4. July 1,.2. & 4

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5. September 2-3 ooen

Dubuque Field Archers

Meet minutes March 22, **2006**

Board Members present: Randy Lester, John Shappell, Joe Tilp, Fred Timmermans, Kevin GoerdT,

Beth Lester, Pete Maiers

Members in attendance; Tim Digman. Marty Kearney. Roger Kafer. Tom Fessler

Old Business

Minutes of previous meeting: Approved

Treasurer's Report: Approved

Proposed building donation: Instead of relocating this building on club property, members at the meeting decided it would be simpler to sell it. Tim Digman said he had someone interested in buying the building. George Waltz agreed to the club selling instead of moving the building. The building was sold for \$1000 and the money will be used to build a pavilion at the club. Tim Digman and Joe Tilp are looking into the costs, materials, and designs for the pavilion. We also hope to purchase at least two new picnic tables to replace the rotting ones.

Sponsorship: Sponsorship signs are made and in place. The next group of sponsor' signs will be going up soon. Because of Sponsor donations and the thrifty shoppers from the club we will soon have 4 more new targets to go along with the I I targets bought last time.

Membership drive: we gained two new members at the April shoot. The membership offers are working. so keep looking for those new members.

Identification of members: Just a friendly reminder to pay your dues for the 2006 season. When you pay your dues I will send out ID cards to identify club members. Be sure to wear these cards on your quiver when shooting. If you see someone at the club who you do not recognize ask if they are a member. There have been people trespassing on club property lately.

Club repair and maintenance: Roger Kafer and Randy Lester are in the process of rebuilding the old trailer. By the next shoot we will have a rebuild trailer to use for better hauling of targets. The club house is undergoing some changes on the inside. A new coat of paint and a clearing of furniture is underway. Please feel free to put any suggested repairs on the dry erase board located inside the clubhouse. If you have or will be fixing or repairing something let me (Beth Lester) know and I will recognize it in the newsletter.

New Club Rule: Safety of all club members and persons out at the archery club is a big issue. At the last meeting a motion was made and approved to limit the age on ATV riding on club property. No one under the age of 18 will be allowed to drive an A TV on club property at anytime. No recreational ATV riding is allowed on club property. This is for the safety off all club members. Please respect the new rule

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New Business

Safety: Some members have noticed non-club members behaving recklessly during shoots. Please. For the safety for all those shooting, help kept these shoots safe. If you notice dangerous shooting behavior or unruly children at the shoots either say something to those people involved or say something the to shoot captain.

Score cards: John Shappell would like to remind anyone shooting during 3-D shoots to please turn in score cards. Even if you did not kept score, turn in your card or let someone behind the counter know when you leave the shoot. This way we can know who is still shooting and who is out of the woods.

Fundraising: Joe Tilp and Tim Digman have donated two tickets to the Reinhart shoot. We will be holding a raffle during each shoot for these tickets. The drawing will be held at the meeting before the Reinhart shoot.

Bow Hunter league: there was a short discussion for startup as the April meeting. Roger Kafer will be in charge of scoring and team setup. The league will start the Tuesday after the May shoot (May 16. 2006). Cost to shoot is \$20.00. Please pay Roger Kafer (4945 Red Violet Dr Dubuque. IA 52002 phone 588-1089) by May 16th if you wish to shoot.

The cost of shooting includes a embroidered T-shirt and a steak fry at the end of the season.

League rules and info will be posted inside the clubhouse prior to the start of the bow league.

Next Meeting: The next meeting will be held at the Dubuque Field Archers clubhouse at the range on HWY 151 at 7:00 pm Wednesday May 10, 2006..

Thank you : The Dubuque Field Archers would like to thank anyone who helped out at the April shoot. Fred Timmermans will be running the May shoot. If you would like to help please contact him.

We would like to recognize the following sponsors:

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THE NEXT SHOOT OF THE SEASON WILL BE HELD May 13-14.

There is still one shoot in need of a captain. If you would like to run or help run the September shoot please contact Randy Lester.