Minnehaha Monthly December 2018

Welcome to the 12th edition of Minnehaha Monthly, a publication by Minnehaha Archers Inc. to keep club members informed about club events, members accomplishments and archery news.

The Board is accepting bids to mow club property at the indoor and outdoor ranges. All bids must be received before 3/1/19 and include an outline or plan of service. Submit bids to mai@minnehahaarchers.com.



A note about entering the indoor

<u>range...</u>

The Board requests that each member scan his/her keycard upon entering the indoor range when entering with another member who has a separate membership. By doing so this will allow the Board to better guage the indoor range use by the type of membership. Thanks in advance for your cooperation.



A big thanks to club member Kyle Muchow for using his skills and donating his time to make improvements to the furnaces at the indoor range. Kyle did the work free of charge and now the furnaces are working much more efficiently.

The club depends on the expertise and

professional experience of members to give back to the club.

Please consider: -voluntering to assist with the next work party -leading or helping with an Introduction to Archery class -running the line (whistle/clock) during a league -filling a vacant seat on the Board -using your skills or knowledge to benefit the club

The next General Membership meeting is on January 7th at 7pm and we will be holding Board elections at this meeting.

If you are interested in filling a position on the Board and would like more information or have questions send an email to mai@minnehaha-archers.com.



A work party is scheduled at the indoor range on Sat. Dec. 15th beginning at 9am. Work includes flipping bales, removing 3D targets from the trailer and prepping the floor so lines and distances may be repainted.

A note about membership renewals...When you receive an email that your membership is due for renewal, please respond to the email. One of the reasons our membership dues are low is that we don't spend money on stationery and postage mailing reminders. Please click reply and send a quick response indicating if you intend to renew. Thank you.

Spot League 2019

* The league registration will be open on December 15th, 2018 at 12pm to the first 60 shooters that REGISTER & PAY. Registration will close automatically when 60 shooters have registered and PAID. (A registration email with payment link will be sent to all club members on 12/15/18 before noon.)

* Spot League will begin Thursday, January 10th, 2019 and will run each week (on Thursday) for 12 consecutive weeks ending March 28th, 2019. All participants need to be current paid up members of the Minnehaha Archers Inc.

*The cost is \$40 per shooter and you will be required to pay on-line (via Paypal) during registration. You are not registered if you do not pay.

*This league uses teams of 2 shooters. If you do not have a partner we will pair you with another single shooter so we end up with an even total. *The League will start at 6:30 pm and a double line will be run. The Shot clock will be utilized to move the shooting along.

*The first 5 weeks will be shot on a VEGAS target (colored) and the last 7 weeks will be shot on a NFAA target(blue).

*The Vegas Round is a 360 point shoot with 3 arrows per end, 4 ends to a game and 3 games for the round for a total of 36 arrows.

*The NFAA Round is a 360 point shoot with 5 arrows per end, 4 ends to a game and 3 games for the round for a total of 60 arrows. In this round each "X" is scored as 6 points (instead of 5).

*This league is intended to prepare shooters for competitive/tournament shooting side by side with a double line. If too many shooters are absent this cannot be accomplished. However, we know that sometimes shooters have conflicts, therefore we will allow make up scores on a Wednesday (between 6-9pm) PRIOR to any Thursday a shooter will be absent. Up to 4 make-ups can be used.

NEW THIS YEAR!!!!!

* The first night of league is to figure a handicap. To make it flexible for some if not able to attend the 1st night, the following nights will be open for banking scores....January 2nd, 3rd & 9th 2019. Anyone that needs to do a make up or bank a score prior to the first official night of league is welcome to come those nights. These scores can also be used later if the need arises.

*For make up shoots, the target must be turned in with the score card and must be signed by a Board member (who is assigned range duty on the Wednesday of a make up).

*When registration is complete, a subsequent email will be sent to registered shooters. In addition, information about Spot League and the names of teams/shooters will be posted on the Minnehaha Archers Inc. website (www.Minnehaha-Archers.com). *Spot League scores and subsequent

updates to rankings will be posted following each Thursday night.

*Each week, each team has the opportunity to win 4 games. Each game won is a payback. *Half of the money collected (from registration fees) will be used as pay back for the league. *Payback will be distributed (in cash) at the MAI banquet held in April.

*Should we end up with a cancellation because of a snow storm (I hope not to have to deal with that) we'll fly by the seat of our pants on doing a make-up.

Questions? Call or email Jennifer Raddatz

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Bow Hunter League 2019 will begin on Tuesday, January 8th. More information will be provided in the coming weeks...

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