



Across the desk of the President

Well the festive season is nearly on us, and it's this time of the year that we start to look at our development plan / equipment that is required for the club to function in 2020....so lots of hard work coming up. It's also a timely reminder for members to do a bit of self-analysis and decide what they want from the club next year. To this end a Goal Setting session will be between XMAS & New Year to give guidance to members wanting to take the next step.

Also members should be aware of some checks that they need to ensure that are carried out down the club:

- ✓ Arrive on time to register / allocate yourself to a target / assist in placing the target out on the range
- ✓ Ensure that any used faces are displaced in the boxes provided and not discarded throughout the equipment rooms. If you would not shoot on a target face, please don't hang it up for reuse
- ✓ if you find your arrows are going through the



target, remove it from the field and ensure that time is taking to fix/replace centres. If you are uncertain what to do ask someone, please don't put it back in the equipment room in an unsafe condition without mentioning it someone.

- ✓ Arrows all – need to be marked with your initials, again if unsure talk to one of members and/or coach.
- ✓ Slip / Slop/ Slap – always carry some with you, but if you don't have any there is always some kept in the club room. Even though it might be slightly clouded, UV rays can still sneak through.
- ✓ Bug-Off. Yep those little flies do annoy people so come prepared, saves you slapping yourself throughout the shoot.
- ✓ LOCK UP – if you are the last person to leave, please ensure that you check ALL rooms and lock up, as well as fetch in the Warringah Danger Sign.
- ✓ Practising: If you are off to one side and you are just practicing (especially when its close range distances), you don't need a full face for this, there are some spot faces in the club that can be utilized for this purposes, and save the 122cm faces.

Welcome to new members: Justin van Emmerik (RM), Henry Cook (RUB), Kirstie Morrison (RW), Glen Morrison (RM) & Thomas Freeman (RIB) please join me in welcoming them aboard and showing them the ropes down the club.

AdBow / KidBow Summer Season concluded on the 24th November, with everyone shooting "The Shrinking Page" was shot, with the following results:



AdBow was won by Richard Coventry (RMM)

Richard Coventry	RM	604
Ganan Stone	RIB	578
Franck Duhael	RMM	568
Ethan Madaraz	RUB	444
Ethan Hill	RUB	441
Thomas Freeman	RIB	401
Jeremy Astill	LUB	385
Jon Slade	RM	368
Henry Cook	RUB	352
PM	RUB	339
Chris Slade	RV+M	290
Marshall Coventry	RU10B	245
Kiera De Rooij	RUG	242
Macleay Slade	RU10B	202



KidBow was won by Ganon Stone (RIB)

ALL GOLD / '60' PERFECT AWARDS!

The club has some stocks of the above, and for XMAS will be selling them at \$5.00 rather than \$6.50 until stocks depleted. Go into Archers Diary and check MY STUFF to see which awards you are eligible to claim.

BIRTHDAYS JANUARY



Boris Dyakov (8th), Cameron Murray & Paul Vander Watt (9th) Tom Tattersall (11th), Merrick Nacinovich & Mark (12th), Kiri Blinkhorne (14th), Evandro Weber & Maria Wright (19th), Robert Earley (24th), Henry Thomas (25th), Laef Hosking (30th)... can feel another cake coming along!

Club XMAS Party & Presentatio Night:

To See full set of photos for the night, please go to Warringah Archers facebook page, certainly a night to remember, though I think the cheating this year was incredible in the games, it was the highest score that won the Teams Challenge....so well done to TEAM REINDEER CHEER for winning the goodies.



Big THANK YOU to our MC for the night – Cameron Murray (*although some of the names were tricky*), he did really well. It was also great to see the interaction with members and their families & friends join in the activities.

Best Allround Clout Trophy when to Jack Chambers-Mclean, as well as the **Best Allround Field**,



here with Life – Merrick Nacinovich



KidBow Annual Trophy award went to Henry Thomas, seen Member

Throughout the night, we had Jack sharing his experiences at the Youth Nationals, as well as Carmelo taking us through highlights on competing at the Trans-Tasman Test in New Zealand and the National Matchplay Series, as well as Peter Whitfield sharing how he went at the Open Nationals, which is really great to see. Peter took out the **Most Improved Target** Archer

1st improvement Peter Whitfield 37.78%
2nd improvement: Cameron Murray 28.95%
3rd improvement: Maja Kecskes 25%



Peter also snagged the **Most Improved Indoor** award also (even though it went to a countback), *Jack could be heard muttering, you keep hold of it for the moment I have my eye on the trophy for 2020!*

1st improvement: Peter Whitfield 25% but on a count back – Phew closest we have ever had this award.
2nd improvement : Jack Chambers-McLean 25%



3rd improvement: Ben Ware on 24.36%

Massimo Llana took out the **Most Improved Award**, which is a Year Long award, with Carmelo Aslanidis taking out the **Best Allround Tournament Shooter**, seen here with Life & Founding Members – Danny & Barbara Stasenka. Congratulations everyone.



\$2 goes to Simon Page on 844 points

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Skins Tournament: 30th November

It looked like it was going to rain today, which may have kept some members away, but you wouldn't believe it a small drizzle and we managed to complete the shoot before the skys opened. Luckily Kane was on his cruise, Carmelo was hiding



somewhere and Jack was running the Come N'Try, which left the field wide Open. Will have to think of something for Leanne to do on the next one (I heard Peter Say!).

Members shoot the Newcastle round which is 90 arrows @ 20m on 122cm face. Each members shoots 6 arrows, the highest score moving up, the lower score moving down.

Each member pays \$2 and the club matches \$ for \$ what is taken on the day.

Should two people score the same on a target, then a one arrow shoot-off is held (Closest to the centre).

Mariano & Massimo (Yep father & son) each having a bet on they could beat the other!!!– and they had a bet on it? If Massimo won- better luck next time Dad, seems my thumb is getting better.



The aim is to be on target one at the end of the competition to shoot for the pot. Although our compound shooters, score as normal for

the round, to move up & down on the targets, their '10' becomes the inner 10 (sorry guys).. Well done to the final places with Peter just pipping out Roland on the last end.

Leanne winning \$50, Peter winning \$17.00 and Anton winning \$5.00.....next one will be early 2020.

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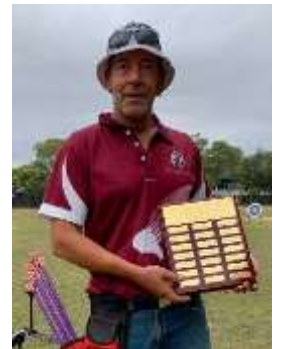
Congratulations Alan I

could not think of a more deserving winner this year.

Thank you for all your improvements around the club house / facilities and your continued support in updating these. Ensuring we have sufficient target faces to shoot on and hang up easily, is always appreciated.

You are definitely a **HANDY**

MAN to have around, and glad you're a member of Warringah Archers.



Warringah Wayne Jarratt Memorial Handicap - December

Winner

Keisha Lee

(Recurve

Intermediate Girl)

Scoring 982

2nd place was Glen Morrison on 957 with 3rd place going to Justin van Emmerik on 953 very close

It was great to see 9 members gain over 900 (which mean they shot above their current rating – oops now the rating gets higher, handicap lower!)each of them receiving a \$20 incentive voucher.

Declan Agus (951), Mark H Lee (943), Jack Chambers-McLean (916), Kirrily Agus (914), Elizabeth Jennison (907), Cameron Murray (905) and Andrew Catto on (904)

Also Awards were achieved by:

Andrew Catto – All Gold 50/40/30m*

Jack Chambers-McLean – 50/40/30m*

Start Fatters All Gold @ 40m

Elizabeth Jennison – All Gold @ 40m

Anton van der Watt – All Gold @ 50/40/30*/18#
 Roland Ware: All Gold @ 40m
 Peter Whitfield – All Gold @ 40m
 Maria Wright – All Gold @ 40/40m
 WELL DONE EVERYONE

New State Team guidelines have been published.

For 2020 & 2021.....if you are interested in being part of the NSW State Team, then you need to send you expression of interest to ArcheryNSW. Full details were circulated by the Secretary, if unsure they can be located on ArcheryNSW Facebook page.



Waratah awards available in 1050/1150/1250 well done to Maja Keckses for (1050) award and to Maria Wright for gaining (1150). Also to Maja for obtaining her Australian 1000 Star & Maria for her AUS1100 shot at the State Target Championships.

President / Secretary / Treasurer

Handicap Challenge on 14th December – Leg 3, what a turn out. The Field looked fantastic and everyone was shooting really well. Big **THANK YOU** to Stewart & Leanne Smith for cooking a marvelous BBQ at the completion of the shoot, *wish everyone had stayed behind to share in the celebrations!* Next time.

The Treasurers Target Troopers, with 10 competitors shooting – finished 3rd with off the Bow Score collectively 5700 points and a Handicap Score of 8211 points, finishing the Competition on 18354 points.



The Secretary Sharp Shooters with 12 competitors, finished with off the Bow Score collectively 7328 points and a Handicap Score of 10119 points, finishing the year in 2nd place with a total of 21145 point.



The Presidential Guard, with 13 competitors, finished with off the Bow Score collectively 8567 points and a Handicap Score of 11336 points. **With a SERIES WIN of 26882 points – BLOOMING AWESOME!** Also promise that Glen was invited!



Congratulations to Andrew Catto – for winning the Adult membership worth (\$290) & Tom Freeman winning the Youth Membership worth (\$240) when their anniversary date comes around in 2020. Each Captain also had the option of giving an

additional incentive on the day to a member of their team. President & Treasurer went for closest to their score, With Cameron Murray coming closest to Elizabeth & Tom Freeman coming closes to Kristian, with each of them winning a Lube Tube kit valued at \$15.00. Roland went for awarding Maja & Maria with their Australian Stars & Waratah Awards free of charge.



Little bit of bragging rights – both Stuart & Anton scoring All golds (Anton with his new bow).



EVERYONE ENJOY THE FESTIVE SEASON, BE SAFE AND LOOK FORWARD TO YOU CATCHING UP IN CLUB ACTIVITIES 2020.

