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MAA NEWSLETTER

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2010 Mid Atlantic Sectionals will be held at Eutaw Forest Archers

THE IS **NO** LATE REGISTRATION FEE FOR REGISTERING FOR THE MIDS AFTER THE DEADLINE GIVEN IN THE MAGAZINE. Randy Hinkelman has sent up a page on Face book. A link for the application for registration has been placed on the MAA website. Registration is **REQUIRED** by **FRIDAY, JUNE 18TH**.

There will be NO registration on Saturday or Sunday. Email or mail your registration (EFA c/o Kelly Hickey, 2330 Ashford Lane, Waldorf, MD 20603), prior to the 18th of June to Kelly Hickey, EFA Secretary at hickey1379@comcast.net. Phone: 301 638 7443. **The registration form is attached.**

ANYONE, who is NOT shooting the Mid Atlantic sectionals, but is free on that weekend. PLEASE come down to Eutaw Forest Archers and help out even if it is for only a couple of hours. We will need people to collect and give out scorecards in the morning and the afternoon, shuffling scorecards after collection and range refs. Please contact Kelly Hickey at hickey1379@comcast.net if you can help out. I would be greatly appreciated.

Camping is limited so if you intent to camp at Eutaw Forest you **MUST** contact Kelly Hickey and make arrangements so you are not left without a place at the club.

Change of format for Tuscarora Archers July 24th shoot.

The shoot scheduled on July 24th being held at Tuscarora Archers is now going to be a 14 animal round(which can be shot twice) and/or 14 hunter round (which can be shot twice). Which ever anyone thinks they need to practice before heading off to the Nationals if you are going.

Weekly club shoot Scores

There are still some clubs who are NOT sending in their club shoot scores (as per the MAA By-laws) to the MAA Secretary for publication. Instead of creating a report as we used to do in years past we are pushing them in the annual MAA guide on the “Top Scores for the Year”page. If you shoot a top score in your style at a weekly club shoot, you might want to ask that clubs Rep. if they are turning their scores in to the MAA. Because if they are NOT. It will not be published.

Annual Charity Shoot, Sunday – May 2, 2010 at Southern Maryland Archers

Our annual Charity shoot benefiting “Camp Sunrise” a camp for kids with cancer was held on May 2, 2010 - Total collected to date is \$5404.00, still waiting for several donations to come in.

Raffle tickets for the charity shoot are STILL for sale!!! Tickets will be on sale until the NFAA Outdoor State championship. You can purchase them at that time or at any of the other MAA event between now and the state outdoor. Tickets are \$5.00 each and 5 for \$20.00 First prize is a \$650.00 Shopping spree, 2nd is a \$100.00 Gift certificate and 3rd is a \$50.00 Gift certificate all sponsored by and redeemable at Autumn Sky Outfitters in off Route 1 in Northern MD. See Colleen, Bob Sales or Jim Bauman for tickets. The winning tickets will be pulled at the Outdoor States.

We also have 4 gift certificates that we are raffling off for the Camp Sunrise. Tickets are \$1.00 each or 6 for \$5.00. See Colleen for the tickets.

All the tickets will be on sale at the 3D State and the Outdoor prior to the drawing.

Annual Charity Shoot, 2009

- Please note that Ken Thompson was left off the list of contributors in the 2010 Archery guide for contributing to 2009 Camp Sunrise grand total. Anyone else that who won an award but was left out please contact Colleen McGowan, MAA Info Editor.

2010 ARCHERY GUIDES:

The 2010 MAA Archery Guides were distributed at the bi-annual MAA meeting. All clubs guides were picked up and your club representative should have them for all NFAA/MAA members.

There were several reasons for the lateness of the delivery this year. They should all be resolved by next years printing.

Gunpowder Bowmen closed

Todd Bollinger of Gunpowder Bowmen Closed the club as of May 1st. They are selling their 3D targets, if you are interested in purchasing any of them contact Todd at: tibolli@gmail.com. Some of them are new.

All info for GPB has been removed from the MAA Website. Their dates are still open. Any club wishing to hold a shoot on those dates please contact Krystal Gainer, MAA VP of Scheduling, Bob Sales, MAA Pres. and Colleen McGowan, MAA Sec.

EMAIL ADDRESSES

If you have received this newsletter via snail mail and have email please contact the MAA Secretary at MCGOWANCOL@AOL.COM, so we can email your newsletter in the future to save time, money and trees.

MAA Registration forms

Attached are registration forms for the remaining state tournaments. Please use these forms for they have the most current info on them. NFAA Outdoor, FITA Field, NFAA Animal and MAA/Joad Target. Note that the Target also includes a Joad Competition and is two days this year.

INSENTIVE AWARDS FOR 2009

There was several incentive awards left out of the 2010 MAA Guide. They will be put in the 2011 Guide. Per the MAA Guide Editors.

Incentive Awards

BOWMAN of the Year

Submit nominations for the Bowmen of the Year in writing by August 1st, 2010. Please write a letter telling the MAA why you think this person should be the 2010 Bowmen of the Year and send to: George Light, 1623 Naturo Road, Towson, MD 21286, email address: Nascar3251@AOL.COM.

Incentive Awards

Submission of application and copies of NFAA handicap card for verification are due into the VP of Awards, George Light Jr by the Outdoor State championships at AAA. George will have the applications at the shoot; all you will need is to have a copy of your class card to apply. See the Archery Guide for a list of all the awards and the requirement for each one.

State Championship Bids

Club bids to hold any of the 2011 state championships – Except the FITA INDOORS, that would be for 2012. Are due by October 1st 2010, if you need an application for a bid, or any additional details of the requirements to hold the shoot, please contact the MAA sectary, Colleen McGowan. ONLY the bids that are received by the deadline can be voted on at the November meeting, no bids can be submitted to the floor for voting unless there are no bids for that tournament.

MAA 2011 MAA Club shoot schedules

As with each year, the schedule of all club and state championship dates will be rolled to the 2011 co-siding dates. Any problems because of additional weekends or holidays will be handled date by date, club by club basis. The club will be contacted by the MAA, VP of Scheduling, Krystal Gainer to go over anything that needs to be discussed. ANY CLUB THAT IS PLANNING TO MAKE ANY CHANGES TO THEIR SCHEDULE MUST SUBMIT THE CHANGES BY AUGUST 31ST. Please submit those changes to Krystal Gainer, MAA VP of Scheduling. The annual scheduling meeting is Sept. 12th at Annie Arundel Archers following the MAA State Animal Championships. A representative for each club is required to attend. If there are needed decisions in regard to any scheduling conflicts and a representative from a club involved is not in attendance, the MAA will make the final decision. The schedule will then be updated and a final version will be voted on and approved at the semi annual MAA meeting in November at VNB.

AGENDA ITEM VOTED ON AT NFAA NATIONAL CONVENTION IN VEGAS

Ron West sent out the results of the votes taken on the agenda items the membership voted on for the NFAA annual meeting in Vegas. Your club representative has those results for your review.

MAA Semi Annual May 2010 Meeting

Held, Sunday, May 16, 2010 - Spring MAA Board Meeting at Mayberry Archers – 4:00pm

The following clubs were represented at the Bi-Annual MAA meeting.

AAA,CB(via proxy),EFA,HB,HMB,MA,MOB,OA(via proxy),SMA,TA,TPA,VNB

One vote per club. (1st time all clubs represented in year!)

Agenda items sent to the clubs for their vote, were not voted on!

Agenda items for the May 2010 MAA Counsel Meeting were not voted on due to them being sent out 28 days prior to the meeting date instead of the required 30 days that the MAA By-Laws required. Mayberry Archers was the only club without a club vote. Since there was representation from every club attending the meeting. Bob Sales, the MAA President decided that the agenda items should at least be discussed. Ron West brought to everyone attention that the NFAA was phasing out the Master Senior Division from the national tournament. After additional discussion based on each club's individual opinion the majority consensus of the clubs reps. was that on the club level we do not need a Senior or Master Senior Division. And on the State level we do not need a Master Senior Division due to that fact that the NFAA is phasing it out of their divisions being recognized. After listening to the discussion, the agenda items were withdrawn.

Respectfully submitted by

Colleen McGowan, MAA Secretary

Attachments:

NFAA Mid-Atlantic Outdoor Championship flyer and registration form

NFAA State Outdoor Field Championship registration info and form

FITA Field Championship registration form

NFAA Animal Championship registration form

FITA Target/JOAD Championship registration info and form