

Kishwaukee Chronicle

NOVEMBER 10, 2020

Note from the Editor.

Happy November!!

Hunting season is here! Check out some members deer in the pics below. Leagues will be starting soon. Come out and join one!

Send me your harvest pictures for the newsletter and send the size information to Ron H. for the big buck, biggest doe and unusual animal awards.

Dan Kollins

Reminder: No smoking inside the club house and indoor range. This include E-cigs and Vaping.

Introduction

Grab your gear and come out to the club for some practice to insure you are ready for your next shot of the lifetime.

Share your sport and invite a new shooter or experienced shooter to accompany you.

Do you remember who introduced you to the sport of archery? Maybe you could be that person for your new shooting partner.

No news is good news, but no news means a blank newsletter. Please send in your stories, pictures and ideas.

This is a newsletter about the club and its members. If you have something to share, email one of the officers listed at the bottom of the newsletter.

Happy Shooting and leave the club better than you found it!

Club Meetings

The Meetings are held the first Thursday of the month 7pm, at the club house.

Club logo Decals, Hats, and T-shirts

Show some support to your club!!!

Check out our new online store!!



Kishwakee Archers Club Hats \$19.99



Kishwakee Archers Club Hats \$19.99 FREE shipping



Kishwaukee Archers Coffee Muses \$8.00 FREE shipping



Kishwaukee Archers Travel Mug \$12.00 FREE shipping



Kishwaukee Archers Hooded Swe... \$24.99 FREE shipping



Kishwaukee Archers Towel \$7.00 FREE shipping



Kishwaukee Archers Zip Up Hoode. \$29.99 FREE shipping



Kishwaukee Archers Water Bottle \$12.00 FREE shipping



Kishwaukee Archers Long Sleeve T... \$18.99 FREE shipping

https://www.etsy.c _____ om/shop/KishArchersStore

Chance for work Hours

Please log any work hours on the clipboard, inside the club house, so we can keep your work hours up to date. It's your responsibility to get approval from a board member prior to performing the work and to write your hours down. All members with working memberships must have their hours completed between January 1st and December 31st of each calendar year.

- See end of this newsletter for projects.
- Split wood.
- 3d shoot set up and take down. (contact Tracy)

(815) 793-2666 - <u>tracymoser13@gmail.com</u>

Before doing work, contact any board member or the range captains:

James Kufer, 815-827-7095 , jimmybassin101@yahoo.com Randy Rutledge -630-308-1752 , zonearrow@gmail.com

Anyone willing to work in the kitchen during any or all of the upcoming shoots please contact Tony Skiroock 847-343-3336 or anthonyskiroock@gmail.com

Classifieds

Got something for sale? Feature it in this space. Provide a brief description, a price and your contact information.

Old Business / New Business / Meeting notes.

Old Business:

- Discussed a need for a standard league pricing. Meeting next month.
- 3d course needs to make shooting lanes safer. (spring)

New Business:

Nominations for next year:

President: Ron Hemmelgarn and Dan Kollins

Vice President: Mark Jones Treasurer: Dennis Leifheit

Secretary: Dan Kollins and Tony S. Senior Board Mem: Ron Hemmelgarn Junior Board Mem: Tracy Moser Minor Board Mem: Ron Ault

Range Capt: James Kufer and John Kufer

Range Capt: Randy Rutledge
Need web site updated.
Leagues starting up soon.

Pictures!!

(Send in a picture of your buck or doe you shot this year, or any year and we'll put it in the newsletter! Tell us about the deer; where you shot it; how it scored; etc. You can also send in other archery related pictures as well.)

Congrats to Eldon Sprague for this nice doe after being away from archery and deer hunting for several years Eldon joined KA this year and started practicing this off season with his new Hoyt bow. Eldon made a great shot from a ground blind on this whitetail doe at just under 20 yards.



Guest Fee Reminder

All members are reminded that the \$10.00 guest fee applies to the Outdoor Range and Outdoor practice targets as well as the Indoor Range. If you bring guest, please sign them in and pay in the guest fee box located in the Indoor Range

Club I.D.

Remember to display your club I.D. card on your quiver or bow case. If you don't know someone ask them to see their card. This is a way to meet members you don't know or haven't met. This could become your next shooting or hunting partner.

Remember, this is your club and you have a right to card someone you don't know.

NOTICE!

Broadhead arrows are allowed only in the sandpits!

No broadhead arrows are allowed in the indoor range.

Kishwaukee Archers, P.O. Box 495, Sycamore, IL. 60178 www.kishwaukeearchers.or g Clubhouse phone: 815.899.6699 Congrats to Phil Speare Who got another Harvest! From Phil: Shot happened quick but I rattled my arrow off every tree in the woods taking fletching off but thankfully it passed through him a good spot. Just a great public land deer!! Thanks to our club that I can practice keeping my shots true... even when the trees are involved...



Congrats Don Schultz on you buck!! From Don: Had 2 bucks and a doe in front of me at the time. My best in some ways but # 2 in my head. My best in many years for sure. I'd been spoiled of late by a long string of "down in sight" and 50-yard blood trail recoveries. Poor result meant a 5 hour ~ 1-mile blood trail. Pushing him increased the bleeding and kept me going. Dog tired still from the recovery and butchering.

9 point. 200+ lbs.



Congrats John Geraci on your buck!! From John: I Want to say thanks to fellow club members Ron Hemmelgarn, Eldon Spraue, and Zak Geraci for playing a key role in helping Me harvest this eight-point whitetail buck. The team started in the off-season clearing paths, putting up tree stands and clearing shooting lanes. The team then assisted our old and slow president to drag out my harvest on November 3rd. I shot this buck at 21 yards from a tree stand with my Hoyt bow. I could not have made this happen without the help of my hunting buddies and fellow club members.



Congrats Zak Geraci on your Harvest!! Helping to fill the freezer with this Whitetail Doe. Shot at 10 yards from the ground with his Hoyt Bow



Congrats Dominik Wardzala on your first Harvest!!

Dominik is new to archery and hunting. He just joined the club in March and this doe was taken on his first bow hunting trip.



Let us know, and your name could be added to our Large buck, doe, or unique animal plaque.

Send information to - Ron Hemmelgarn - (815) 758-2606 Home - (847) 770-1258 Cell ronhemmelgarn@comcast.net

Club Shoots: Indoor range may be closed during indoor shoot times.

Shoots:

- Nov 28th Emma's Pin shoot. Us archery 600 round
- Dec 11-12-13th NFAA indoor national 2-300 rounds
- Dec 20th ITAA 25 meters
- Feb 27-28th Great Lakes Sectionals 2-300 rounds.
- March 5-6-7th Illinois Archer ASC state champ

League days:

- Paper league starts Monday Jan 11th at 7pm.
- Paper animal Starts first Wed in December at 7pm (see flyer)

Indoor 3D Shoots:

Outdoor 3D Shoot:

Officers

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Kishwaukee work hour projects. Bow

hangers



The bow hanger for (3D 27) and (3D 30,31,32 one hanger needed) needs to be built and installed.

Project leader	phone
Volunteer	phone

One person needs to sign up as project leader. Project leader is responsible for organizing workers, tracking and reporting any cost to the club and <u>insuring</u> the project is completed in a timely manner.

Volunteers are to help the project leader.

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Kishwaukee work hour projects.

Gather logs and wood from shooting range.

Use log splitter to split wood for fireplace.



NOTE: <u>For club insurance reasons!</u>
When using any power equipment (like chain saw or log splitter) there must be at least
TWO people for safety.

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2021 Kishwaukee Monday Night Indoor Paper League

This year we are going to switch things up and shoot both the NFAA 5-spot target and the Vegas 3-spot

Starting January 11th, 2021 at 7 am and will run for 13 weeks (12 weeks of shooting, last night for any shoot offs and payouts and food)

We will switch off every week with the targets, first night will be the Vegas 3-spots, next week will be the nfaa 5-spot and so on. Vegas 3-spots are the Yellow, Red, Blue faces and NFAA are the White and blue face targets

Cost will be \$50 for members and \$65 for non-members with 50% for the cost going into the prize fund. Full payment must be paid by the 3rd night of league.

You can bank and or make up 2 nights/scores. Shoot a bank score in advance or make up a night you miss, but must have the miss score turned in by the Friday night of that same week.

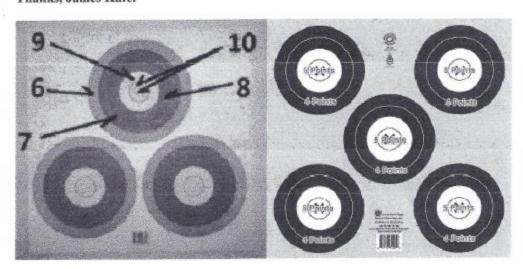
Averages and handicaps will be figured out on a weekly basis.

I will post a schedule of the weeks and which target face that we are shooting for that week.

Any questions contact me at (630)625-2132, Leave your name and a message (I bowl leagues 3 nights a week) and I'll get back to you as soon as I can.

I'm open to and suggestions and ideas, we are trying to build the paper league back up and make it fun again.

Thanks, James Kufer



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