

Black Sheep Bowmen Archery Club



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The Alaska State Archery Association annual membership meeting was progressive; shoot event dates for 2018 was established (see ASAA Face-book page/website). Majority of the meeting was spent discussing the state chartered Constitution and By-laws (CBL). Any feedback pertaining to the CBL should be brought forward to [ASAA](#) contact page.

Congratulations to: **Vice President:** John Zell and **Secretary/Treasurer:** Rick Touhy
Thanks for stepping up to the plate...

A special **“Thank you”** to Connie Bamberg for an “Outstanding” job on getting the ASAA back on track and for your countless hours of personal time spent tending the organization’s needs. You will be greatly missed! THANKS once again...

The Scout Day at the Zoo was a huge success. Thanks to Jeff, Pam, and Jake for volunteering and most of all, for allowing our precious youth to experience “archery” for the first time. As always, the archery event was the most ‘raved’ event from our young folks...

Officer elections (President, Vice President, and Secretary/Treasurer) will be held next month. Come out and support (vote) your club officers

The indoor range will be having a work party 30 December at 10:00 AM; we will be repairing and replacing the front target facing in preparation for the 2018 Indoor State and NW Sectional shoots. Your assistance will be greatly appreciated, so if you signed up for a work-party membership, this is a wonderful opportunity for you to commit to...

The Indoor Spot Shoot has been canceled for the remainder of the month due to lack of participation, we will resume once again in some time January. Hopefully, by then, folks will be geared-up for the upcoming indoor tournaments and ready to shoot.

IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR ALL BOWHUNTERS:

The Alaska Board of Game recently passed a regulation stating that, **“Beginning July 1, 2016, if you were born after January 1, 1986** you must have successfully completed a department approved bowhunter education certification course and the certification card must be carried in the field when hunting. All hunters participating in archery-only hunts must obtain bowhunter education certification.

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Bernie Punzalan

President, Black Sheep Bowmen

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DECEMBER 7, 2017 BUSINESS MEETING

The December meeting was called to order at 7:00 by the President, Bernard Punzalan. There were 9 members present.

OLD BUSINESS:

The base access requirements that will follow the Real ID Act has been extended again to January 2018. Because of this, the base will no longer recognize the Alaska Driver's license or ID as an official form of identification. For those of you needing base passes, you will probably have to present a passport to receive your annual base pass after this date.

The ASAA annual meeting was held December 2nd at 6:30 pm at the Rabbit Creek Range. John Zell was elected Vice President and Rick Tuohy was elected as Secretary/Treasurer. Dates for the 2018 archery events were set at this meeting. Dates are available on the ASAA website. There were also updates to the constitution and feedback has been requested.

There will be a George Ryals seminar during the Vegas in Valdez shoot which will be March 23 to the 25. The cost is \$350.00 per person and this amount must be paid in full by January 1. Space is limited and more information is available at <https://goo.gl/M4uBry>.

Scout Day at the Zoo was held on Saturday, December 2. Jake, Pam and Jeff helped the young scouts with trying out the archery range. Those who attended were delighted with the experience.

We are still waiting on word from the Valdez archery program to see if they are interested in the old bow press. Bernie wanted to know the status. Evan is still following up with Steve.

NEW BUSINESS:

Bernie was looking at the website and noticed that we don't have our mission statement in an obvious location. It is located in the constitution, but he would like it also more prominent. Pam will contact Amanda to get it copied.

The bow vice is in need of repair. The threads are stripped out.

The first aid kit is in need of being restocked or replaced. It was agreed that it was just as easy to replace. Ryan will take care of this.

The accessories for the new bow press need to be engraved prior to have it placed out for use. This will be completed.

It was brought to the indoor range masters attention that the emergency exit door needs to be kept clear and snow removal done. This is necessary due to the fire inspection that was completed.

The security light is intermittent. Bernie asked if Ce can replace the bulb. Jeff said he would be sure that it got taken care of.

It was decided to have a Christmas potluck / fun shoot. It will be held on December 23rd beginning at 6:00 pm at the indoor range. Bring a dish and your bow and have a fun time.

Nominations were opened for officer positions. Bernie was nominated for continuing as President. Jake was nominated for Vice President, and Pam was nominated for Secretary / Treasurer. Nominations will remain open until the January meeting. Anyone interested in a position in the club should contact one of the officers or plan to attend the January meeting.

The club will host one time slot for the state indoor shoots. The indoor 3 Spot will be January 27 & 28. A sign up sheet will be posted for shooting times and for work parties to assist with the shoot. The indoor 5 Spot will be held on February 17 & 18. Northwest Indoor Sectional will be held at the Black Sheep on February 24 & 25. Other locations will hold the Northwest sectionals on March 3 & 4.

The Great Alaskan Sportsman's Show will be held on April 5 – 8. We are planning to run the archery range again in 2018. Bernie will relay our interest when he is contacted. A signup sheet will be posted at the indoor range to recruit help for this event. Please try to find a time slot to help out on this worthwhile event.

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Pam moved to adjourn the meeting. Mike seconded the motion. The meeting was adjourned at 7:46. The next meeting will be Thursday, January 4 at 7:00 pm at the indoor range. This will also be the meeting where we hold election of officers.

INDOOR RANGE MASTER REPORT:

The security cameras are still being reviewed. There was a quote for new cameras and wiring and it was determined that this was a little much. More research will be done.

The indoor spot league has been cancelled due to lack of interest. We will set a new schedule for the spring at the January meeting.

There will be an indoor work party on Saturday, December 30 beginning at 10:00 am to redo the back stops. If you are able to assist, please come out. If you have any questions, contact Ryan.

OUTDOOR RANGE MASTER REPORT:

The indoor 3D league has been cancelled due to lack of interest. If anyone is interested in starting up a league after the first of the year, please contact one of the officers or come to the January meeting.

No work parties are planned at this time. An inventory of the 3D animals will be conducted soon so any orders can be placed before the 3D season begins.

SECRETARY / TREASURER REPORT:

We currently have 106 memberships. The major expense for November are not available at this time.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Cook Inlet Archers	3D Shoot	Dec 17	9:00 am	Loretta French Range
Black Sheep Bowmen	Jan Monthly Meeting	Thursday, Jan 4	7:00 pm	Indoor Range
Cook Inlet Archers	3D Shoot	Jan 21	9:00 am	Loretta French Range
ASAA	Indoor 3 Spot	Jan 27 & 28	TBA	Various Locations
Black Sheep / ASAA	Indoor 3 Spot	Jan 27 & 28	1:00 pm	Indoor Range
Black Sheep Bowmen	Feb Monthly Meeting	Thursday, Feb 1	7:00 pm	Indoor Range
ASAA	Indoor 5 Spot	Feb 17 & 18	TBA	Various Locations
Black Sheep / ASAA	Indoor 5 Spot	Feb 17 & 18	1:00 pm	Indoor Range
Cook Inlet Archers	3D Shoot	Feb 18	9:00 am	Loretta French Range
Black Sheep	Northwest Sectionals	Feb 24 & 25	1:00 pm	Indoor Range

Current Officers are:

Bernard Punzalan, President	310-5015	punzalan-ks@att.net
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