

# Paringa Archers' Newsletter



Target and Field: 201 Reatta Rd, Trevallyn Reserve, Launceston, Tasmania

## August Newsletter

### President's Notes

Safety is the number one priority of all members. This includes not only physical safety but also privacy and member protection and are covered by Paringa, Archery Tasmania and Archery Australia constitutions, policies and rules.

When you pay your membership, you agree to conditions, including *"I agree that as a member of Paringa Archers Club, I am aware that I have a responsibility to respect the Constitution and Rules of the associations and affiliations of Paringa Archers Club, namely Archery Tasmania and Archery Australia."*

Recently there have been some breaches of these policies and rules in the areas of photos/videos and range rules.

Please don't take **photos or videos** of anyone on the Paringa grounds without their consent and in the case of minors, the consent of the parent or guardian.

**Range rules** can be found on the outside southern wall of the Indoors and the Paringa website. Please make yourself familiar with these rules as they are there for everyone's safety.

Perfect ends, Jeff Garner - President

Item	Last 6 months	Next 6 months
<b>Administration</b>		
Membership	Membership has increased to 71 members.	Numbers may fall with the resumption of travel.
Committee	Full committee, meeting monthly	
Accounts	Currently \$37k in the bank.	Club house roof next major expense.
Special General Meeting		Sat 16th July 2022
Annual General Meeting		Sat 10th Dec 2022
<b>Activities</b>		
Monthly	Club Shoot, Fun Shoots, 3 x Come N Try	Club Shoot, Fun Shoots, 3 x Come N Try
QREs/Tournaments	Range and Indoor QREs. Seasonal tournaments.	Range and Indoor QREs. Seasonal tournaments.
Special		National Indoors, Paringa Day, Paringa Payout
<b>Facilities</b>		
Range	Working bee maintenance of butts	Paringa Payout event. New target stands.
Field	Repairs for field tournament	Clear old packing from Field course and install new butts
Indoors	Refurbished 2 x butts	Another 6 butts need work
Grounds	Cleared felled tree near containers	Fencing and overshoot area old target butt wall.
<b>Projects</b>		
Roof	Quotes requested	Complete roof replacement
Front door		Replace front door with glass sliding door.
Indoor southern outer wall shelter	No action	

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## Kyudo Archery in Hiroshima



A fantastic experience! I was introduced to a Samurai-style (2.2m tall), 44lb bow with heat dried and straightened bamboo arrows. They had water buffalo horn nocks & point. The tradition dates back 800 years. I sat to use a farmer's 10lb bow. You start by resting the arrow on the bow-hand with thumb and first finger above. Then draw the string back slightly to nock the arrow below the mark on the string. Next, you cross the string-hand thumb under the arrow, with first finger above, locked onto your thumb. Now wriggle the bow-hand so all fingers are on the grip, arrow resting on your thumb. Draw

to your anchor, and aim left. Scoring is hit or miss, with two ends of four arrows per set. The best I achieved was 7/8. The target is small, with three circles representing body, head & heart shots. I shot at 7m, but competition range is normally 28m. They gave me photos, videos and interesting history hints.

There are two Kyudo clubs in Melbourne, and others around the country.

## A Reminder for COVID-19

Hi, everyone, just a reminder that we are still observing Covid-19 Return to Sport Arrangements.

Our Covid-19 plan is available on the website for download should you wish to read the whole document.

These are the simplified actions we need to take.

- Follow minimum contact procedures wherever possible.
- Sanitize all shared equipment.
- Practice personal hygiene (e.g wash hands prior to and after handling equipment).
- Wipe down and clean toilet and clubhouse facilities if you use them.
- Observe physical distancing wherever possible.

## COME AND TRIES

We are looking for any members who would be willing to occasionally participate as a backup come n try team member.

The Saturday schedule is the 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month, we currently have 2 full time teams for these days but sometimes members just can't make it and instead of putting a further load on other team members to try swapping days, we would like to

have a separate group of members available we could call on.

The Wednesday schedule is the 1st Wednesday from 6:30pm to 9:00pm.

Any members willing to help please send Jeff Garner your contact details and phone number. It will be up to individual come n try team members to contact relief members and make the arrangements.

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## Mini Clout Roundup August

Hi Everybody

We had 10 members shooting on the day, thank you to everyone for supporting the Mini Clout.

John Dodos took out the overall and 60mtrs with 291, very good shooting John. Denise Frost finished just 1 point behind John to win the 40mtrs with 290, Denise also hit the clout right in the top, great job Denise. Tony Delphin took out the 50mtrs just 1 point behind Denise with 289, well done Tony good shooting.

Denise, Tabitha, Bella, and Dean all hit the clout, congratulations to all.

We shot 1 round of Mini Clout followed by trial shoots at the Popinjay and Wand targets, this proved to be great fun with Bella wowing everyone with her shooting accuracy on the Popinjay.

The scoring format and shooting sequence of these two new formats has yet to be worked out

The scores on the day were:

	Mtrs	1 <sup>st</sup> Round	Total
Denise Frost	40	290	290
Heather Delphin	40	250	250
Bella Malcolm	40	227	227
Tabitha Malcolm	40	270	270
Karen Neil	40	204	204
Tony Delphin	50	289	289
Barrie Peers	60	157	157
Dean Emery	60	244	244
Roger Emery	60	222	222
John Dodos	60	291	291

The scores are on the website if you want to see more detail.

The next Mini Clout will be on 24th September same time same place, look forward to seeing you all there.

Remember when you register on Archers Diary scroll to

the bottom of the event selection, and you will find FluFlu Mini Clout.

Thanks again everyone for a great day.

Cheers

Roger and Dean

Thanks to Paul Korosi

URL for youtube clip of event:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QMSqpiVcZ3s>

The Longbow shoot was held in high spirits as the weather was warmer and attendance was higher.

Some really great scores were achieved with John achieving a PB score on the day.

Scores were as follows,

Recurve bows.

Denise 364

Lyn 415

Stephen 465

Longbows.

Brian 386

Roger 406

Richard 411

Peter 448

John 463 \*PB

Dean 474

We look forward to seeing more people attend as the weather improves.

No sights, no stabilisers but all the fun.

On behalf of Brian Swinton.

Regards Dean

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## Schedule for September

	<b>Morning</b>	<b>Afternoon</b>
<b>Week 1</b>	<b>No event</b>	<b>Club shoot</b>
<b>Week 2</b>	<b>Come N Try</b>	<b>Club Shoot</b>
<b>Week 3</b>	<b>No Event</b>	<b>Longbow Shoot</b>
<b>Week 4</b>	<b>Come N Try</b>	<b>Mini Clout and Couching</b>
<b>Week 5</b>	<b>No Schedule Event</b>	<b>No Schedule Event</b>

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