



January 2010

WELCOME TO THE NEW OFFICERS AND BOARD

The Arrow would like to congratulate and welcome the new Club Officers and Board Members. There was some shifting of positions, and some new people in office. Please see the Board Contact List on the following pages for the details.

The new Officers and Board were sworn in at the annual Club Awards Dinner held in November. We look forward to more great things this year as the new Board gets to work. It was great to see some new names on the ballot this year, because getting new people involved in running the Club is vital to keeping an organization thriving.

A WORD (OR TWO) FROM THE PRESIDENT

As we begin the New Year, I would just like to thank all the members that worked so tirelessly this past year. The club has accomplished so many great things that would not have been possible without the hard work of some really dedicated members that always stepped up to the plate to get a project finished. For those of you who have not been out to the club lately, you really need to come see all the improvements.

The Clubhouse has been renovated to make it not only more attractive, but definitely more weatherproof. No more drips on the head when it rains!

The 100 Yard area had been re-graded and completely re-baled for the State 900 Round that was held at SFA this fall.

There are poles that have been erected near the member's parking lot. These are for the new lighting that will be installed for safety reasons. If you've ever been at the Clubhouse in the winter past 5:00 PM, you really understand the need for lighting so members can make it to their cars or the outhouse without breaking their necks if they forgot their flashlight. The new lights will be equipped with a timer to go off a set time daily. We hope to have this project completed in the very near future. Almost all the equipment and labor has been generously donated by club members, so this important improvement has been at very little cost to the Club.

As I mentioned before, none of these projects would have been possible without the participation of club members like yourselves coming out and working to make your club better.

Included with this newsletter is a membership renewal form. Memberships are now due. Please take the time to fill out the form and mail in or drop off your



membership dues. You can drop the forms and dues at the Clubhouse in the Scorekeeper's box for safekeeping. Your membership enables the Club to keep making improvements. Thanks again.

-- *Matt Farley*

NOTES FROM VP - HUNTING

Pig Hunting at Lake Sonoma is now open through March 26th. A group from SFA recently went up for a hunt. Pigs were sighted, but unfortunately none were brought down.

-- *Donnie Connell*

THANKS FROM THE RANGE CAPTAIN

As the new year begins, I'd like to take the time to thank a lot of people who worked very hard on our many projects in the last couple months.

First off, I forgot to thank Lowell Brown for his many hours spent on the Clubhouse renovation. Thanks for your hard work and sorry this is so belated.

Thank you to all the crew who worked on the 100 yard range project. The Saturday work party crew: King Lamadora, Paul Stenko, Cory Gee, Mike Samm, Jack Rauch, Andy Yun, Bill Dahl, John Nitenson, Gerry and Terry Lee, Mario Pellegrino, Danny Rebarchak, and Jeanine and Marina Hamack (for the delicious lunch).

Thank you to Paul Stenko and Marc (Zolezzi?) for pouring the concrete pad for the dumpster. It will make it much easier for

both the members and Coastside Scavenger to take care of keeping the range trash-free.

Thanks again to Paul Stenko for painting the gate at the Red range access road and painting the other gate posts around the range.

Last, but not least, thank you to Matt Farley for using his equipment and skills to do some much needed maintenance to the roads along White #13 to White #23. If you've noticed the new gate on the road to the White range, it's to keep the roads from being ripped up by unauthorized drivers.

-- *Mike Lew*

SALAD DONATIONS NEEDED!

I hope you are all ready for Jan. 17th and the Club's first shoot of the season. I want to thank you all for the past salad donations, and beg for more for this shoot.

You should all be able to hear the compliments from men and women alike! A lot of our guests tell us how they look forward to coming to the shoots because we have such a good choice of food. I also want to thank Floyd and Dolly Conn who donated all the bread and buns for the last shoot.

Thank you all for helping make our shoots such successful and pleasant experiences for everyone. Call Jeanine at (650) 359- 5717 for salad donations or just bring them to the range on Saturday Jan16th, or on Sunday 17th. Thanks again!

-- *JEANINE HAMACK*



MEMBER'S CORNER

FLIGHT OF THE ARROW QUALITY BUT NOT QUANTITY !!

Many thanks to the few who did such an excellent job on the last work party. Too bad that we don't have quantity as well as quality workers. There must be a solution to the problem. Do you have any ideas? A handful of workers keeping up the range for a membership of over 160 is not quite fair-----don't you agree?

-From The Arrow published June 1956.

Times have not changed, the many are still enjoying the works of a few.-- *Submitted by
A Club Member*

WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

San Francisco Archers would like to extend a warm welcome to the following new members: James Flaherty, John Kurtilla, The Landers Family, Sean and Paul Donahoe, Jose Luis and Oscar Gonzalez, Mike and Vicky Merrill, The Gomes Family, The Gibson Family, Jeneane Crawford, William Cheng, The Daniels Family, and Tom Hauascarriague.

PUBLICATIONS NOTICE

If you have any articles or calendar events that you would like to see published in the club newsletter, please try to submit them to editor@sfarchers.com by the 15th!

– *Candice Lew, editor*



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CALENDAR

January

Sunday 1/3 **Diablo Bowmen Winter Hunt (916) 685-4640**
Monday 1/4 **Board Meeting, 7:00 PM**
Saturday 1/9 **Work Party, 9:00 AM-12:00 PM**
Saturday 1/16 **Special Work Party- Ken Brown Mem. Shoot 9:00 AM-Finished**
Sunday 1/17 **Ken Brown Memorial Cabin Fever Shoot 9AM Start**

February

Monday 2/1 **Board Meeting, 7:00 PM**
Sunday 2/7 **SFA Outreach Program Opens, 9:00 AM-noon**
Saturday 2/13 **Work Party, 9:00 AM-noon**
Sunday 2/21 **SFA Outreach Program, 9:00 AM-noon**

HAPPY NEW YEAR





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