DNAA Shooting Calendar 2015

Norton Archers Banding System

We know that for those archers wanting to get into competitions for the first time, the sheer range of rounds available can be daunting. So this year, as a trial, we've broken down the target archery competitions on the County Shooting Calendar into 'bands', based on the colours of the target, to try and provide a guide to which are suitable competitions for archers with different levels of experience. Feedback on this trial would be welcome, and please note that it applies to senior archers only as junior competitions are already broken down into age-appropriate rounds.

Please also remember that this guide is aimed at encouraging people into competitions, so if you're a Novice archer please don't feel restricted to entering White and Black Band competitions - go for higher bands if you feel ready!

Key		
	Green Band Competition:	Fun shoot, suitable for all
	White Band Competition:	Suitable for Novice archers (first year of shooting)
	Black Band Competition:	Suitable for Novice archers and first-time competitors
	Blue Band Competition:	Suitable for ambitious first-time competitors or as a progression
		from Black Band competitions
	Red Band Competition:	Similar to Blue Band competitions, but these competitions are also
		Record Status. This gives you the opportunity to earn badges but there
		are higher expectations about entrants' ability (not suitable for archers
		who are unable to regularly hit the target at the farthest distance)

Gold Band Competition: Purple Band Competition:

6th

13th

28th

Durham City Indoor

Durham City Indoor

Cleadon Indoor

Closed competition for archers on the County Squad

Suitable for archers wishing to gain National Target Rankings

Januar	11th	Ponteland Indoor	Vegas
Februa	ary		
	8th	Durham City Indoor	WA 18m and Team Head-to-Head
	15th	Norton Archers Club Champs	Portsmouth
March			
	8th	DNAA Indoor Champs at Killingworth	Portsmouth
	15th	DNAA Novice Champs at Whitburn	Portsmouth
	22nd	Green Lane Indoor	Worcester
April	6th 19th	Backworth Easter Egg Shoot Durham City Open	American and Novelty WA 720 (70m) and Head-to-Head
May			
	2nd/3rd	Walker Mauretania Shoot	WA 720 (70m) and Head-to-Head
	9th	Cleadon	WA 900
	10th	Cleadon Open	York/Hereford
	17th	Backworth Open	York/Hereford/Bristols
June			
	7th	Hartlepool Amalgamation Shoot	Western
	13th	Morpeth Open	American
	20th	Novice Outdoor Champs at Walker	Round to be confirmed
	21st	Pentangle Team Shoot	
	27th/28th	Belsay Castle Longbow Shoot	Novelty
	27th/28th	Heugh Bowmen	WA 720 (70m) and Head-to-Head

Please note that the dates of the above competitions may change; for the most
up-to-date information check the DNAA website at www.dnaa.co.uk/calendar.html

July			
	4th	Jim Melvin Longbow Shoot at Cleadon	Windsor
	11th	Agincourt Longbow Shoot at Norton	Novelty
	18th	DNAA Outdoor Champs at Green Lane	WA 1440
	19th	DNAA Outdoor Champs at Green Lane	York/Hereford
	25th/26th	Durham City	Double WA 1440
Augu	st		
	2nd	Newburn Open	St George/Albion/Windso
	9th	Griffin Memorial Shoot at Ponteland	National and Novelty
	15th	DNAA Longbow Champs at Cleadon	Windsor
	16th	Killingworth Open	York/Hereford/Bristols
	29th/30th	DNAA FITA Stars at Killingworth	Double WA 1440
Septe	ember		
	6th	Teesside Champs at Heugh	Albion
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Octol	28th	Tyne-Tees Shoot at Cleadon	
	28th Der 4th	Tyne-Tees Shoot at Cleadon NCAS Inter-Counties Team Match	Albion
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	28th per 4th 30th	Tyne-Tees Shoot at Cleadon NCAS Inter-Counties Team Match Whitburn Spooky Shoot	Albion

WA 18m WA 25m

Worcester and Novelty