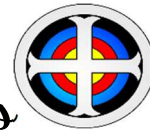




Norton Archers news



April 2024 Volunteering

In this Outdoor season Norton Archers is hosting Open Shoots along with a calendar of events below to help you plan your archery year. The club needs your help by volunteering to support the planned shoots and fundraising events.

You can help by setting up before the outdoor competitions, not just with the heavy stuff, setting up the range the day before the shoot, on the day helping align the targets on the bosses before the start of shooting or getting the lane numbers up at the end it all helps. all help is gratefully accepted.

Attention ! bakers and makers of all kinds, we need you help for some event planned to support the outdoor range upgrade. As always, we need raffle prizes for the competitions smaller ones for 12th May, 9th June, then the Open in Sept and larger prizes for the Race Night

April	Soup Shoot Rescheduled 20th
May	Sunday 12th Archery GB Start Archery open day and Bake-Off stall
June	Sunday 9th June Western Competition
July	Sunday 28 th Harry Potter Shoot. Open to other clubs especially juniors and PotterHeads
August	Friday 2 nd Norton Archers Race Night
September	Norton Open
October	24hr archery shoot indoor OPEN competition. Traditional and fun targets D&D there will be dragons and soup (no clangers)
November	Bottle Draw
December	Christmas Funs shoot. Stall at Moline Craft Fayre

For Archery GB's Start Archery week our demo is on the 12th May and will need as many people as possible to help out you do not need to stay all day just a few hours as long as we can cover the day . Setting up the event we need archers to do shooting demonstrations at 70m, to chat to the people waiting in the queue, manning the table displaying the different bow types, help out with the soft archery and man the cake stall. To publicise the day, we have A4 and A3 posters and an advert will be place in the local free papers.

This year we are opening our club (unofficial) Harry Potter Shoot to Juniors and their parents across the region to celebrate Harry Potters birthday we are looking for themed food/gifts to make the event magical.

The two main fundraising events planned are a Race Night On the 2nd August If anyone has any ideas about "bigger" raffle prizes we can use and would like a copy of a letter to pass to people in order to collect things (hampers, gift vouchers, dining out, experience days, etc) - either see Karen at club (I have hard copies) or email fundraising@nortonarchers.co.uk and Karen will send a copy to them. The Races will also be open so you can sponsor a horse or a whole race official sponsorship form and prices will be available later.

Our other fundraiser is having a stall at the Moline Craft Fayre in December, this is where we are looking for all crafty people to stock the table. Not crafty? Do you have wool you can donate for other to knit and crochet we are also looking for card makers, woodworkers etc- just say that if folks are interested email fundraising@nortonarchers.co.uk and someone will be in touch.

Got any questions ? Is there anything you want to see in the next Norton News
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