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Promoting and Protecting Traditional Archery in all Forms

Your Quarterly Traditional Archery Australia News

Sticks And Strings



Save the Date >>> August-October

Alliance Events and TAA Musters

White Rose Archery Klub Vic 6th-7th August
Traditionaal Shoot

Golden Triangle Archers Vic 13th-14th August
Traditional Shoot

Townsville Qld 20th-21st August
Traditional Shoot

Coffs Coast Archery Club NSW 20th-21st August
TAA NSW State Muster

Tully Bowhunters Qld 2nd-4th September
Invitational-Bill Baker Shoot

Break O'Day Tasmania 17th-18th September
Two day Invitational Tournament

North Burnett Field Archers Qld 17th-18th September

6th Annual Trad Shoot

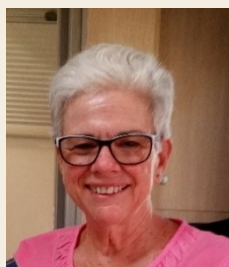
South West Bowmen WA 24th-25th September
Interclub Shoot

Tenterfield Trad Archers NSW 22nd-23rd October
Blacked Out Shoot

Barambah Bowhunters & Field Archers Qld
29th-30th October

TAA National Muster

**Assistant
Editor
Leslie White
TAA
Secretary**



See you at the Muster Trad Talk!

Some time ago now it was decided that the word 'Title' was making many of our members feel uncomfortable and unwelcome at our major TAA Traditional Shoots. I know because I was one of them. I did not travel to the first TAA Nationals in 2017 because, despite it being called a 'Muster', I kept hearing people refer to it as a 'Title Shoot'. In my mind this would be where only the best archers attend to pit themselves against each other. How wrong I was!

ALL TAA Traditional Shoots welcome all TAA members no matter what their skill level. The main requirement is the ability to shoot a trad

bow safely followed closely by the willingness to join in and have FUN!

TAA prefer to use the word *Muster*. A gathering of like minded people all wanting to meet up with friends both old and new. Some like to be competitive, others just enjoy the freedom of using their traditional gear without worrying too much

about the score on the paper. Whatever *floats your boat...* you are not going to be judged by others. Well a bit of friendly respectful banter may ensue, but a muster is being surrounded by friends in a safe place to practise *our form of archery*. All fun loving folk are welcome. Speaking of form, there are often some very unique styles of shooting on display, some manage to hit the target.....We all manage to hit the spot where we point the arrow. ☺.

Traditional gear itself is unique. Every bow is different in some way to the next. The wood used, the weight, the curves, inserts and

**Traditional Musters
were never meant to
be so serious.
The best shooting
comes when the
mind is free.**

decorations. Is it take down or one piece, does it contain fibreglass, is it laminated.....the list goes on. The beautiful wood arrows are also unique to each archer. Colour of feathers and cresting giving us the ability to know whose arrow has landed where in the target.....or tree.

Comparing and discussing gear is all part of the fun. Clubs organising trad events work hard to ensure we are all entertained. Next time you travel to one make sure you join in the extra novelties and evening get togethers. Enjoy yourselves and have a good laugh with friends.

Musters.....I highly recommend them.
Cheers, *Leslie*

Feature Shoot >>>

Queensland State Muster Chinchilla Archers Inc.

Brigalow Recreation Grounds
18th~19th June 2022

Story By Heather Pender Lakeside Bowmen



Every year there is a migration of traditional archers from various regions across Qld, NSW and Vic who travel to attend the TAA Qld State Titles. This year was no different as archers packed their cars, ute's, 4WD's and camper vans and headed to Chinchilla Archers for a weekend of fun, flinging arrows at 3D targets and renewing old friendships and some making new ones.

The cool Saturday morning assembly saw many well-dressed archers wearing Towball's (Dave White) crochet beanies to keep the cool weather at bay, at least until it warmed up.

The weather was quite cool in the mornings and evening but during the day it was lovely and sunny.



At Muster Glen Mason (Chinchilla President) welcomed us to the shoot, followed by Tim Fox (Range Captain) who gave us a rundown of the day's shooting. A 3 arrow round with three novelties, then on Sunday a 1 arrow round with a further novelty. He mentioned that the mosquitos would be our constant companions, and they were. The 20-target range was excellent, easy walking as the ground was quite flat, with targets well-spaced. No possibility of getting lost as the range was well signed with directional arrows.

Numerous interesting/challenging shots come to mind. The floating fish (seen above and left) was great where you had to shoot your arrow then pull the target to shore to score your arrow. Many an arrow found the water. (Thank goodness wooden arrows float).



The extra long target shot across the dam to the quartering away standing pig, or the extra tiny rabbit placed in such a position that if you missed your arrow would skip across into the field possibly never to be found or the group following might come across your arrow whilst trying to find theirs. The one-minute hunt round consisting of six targets set at varying distance was great.

Photo left: The shot across the dam from the shoot peg. There were three pigs across the water each at a different distance and angle.

Sponsors 'Dusty & Rusty' and 'Western Downs Council' enabled the dinner and entertainment Saturday Evening to be complementary. Chinchilla Archers ensured this gesture would bring everyone together.

The evening meal was catered by the friendly local P & C volunteers and oh my, they certainly know how to feed hungry archers you didn't have to go back for seconds. The Western Downs Council put on a free movie (Brave) and popcorn to finish off the evening.

Thank You Brigalow P & C!



Brigalow P & C volunteers worked a treat all weekend in the state of the art kitchen at the Recreation Grounds. Greatly appreciated by all in attendance.

Sunday saw us on the range by 8.30am and finished around noon.

The raffle took place while the scores were tallied. Huge thanks to the community sponsors who donated numerous raffle items. I think it must have taken an hour to clear the raffle table of prizes.

Overall, Chinchilla Archers did an amazing job for such a fledgling club, - the club, the Brigalow/Chinchilla community, and the many sponsors need to be congratulated.

A Top Weekend!

Echoing thoughts from other archers who said they can't wait to come back to Chinchilla Archers again.

Heather



Photo Owen Chiverton

Photo Above Top Scores from left: William Young (Junior Boys), Kobi Durham (Cub Boys), Sue Wallace (Adult Female) Dave McGuire (Adult Male).

All scores and presentation photos for the shoot can be found on the TAA Website www.traditionalarcheryaustralia.org
Top Score trophies were made and donated by Dusty & Rusty.

From left Below:

William Young with President Glen, Rory Kowald, Kyson Laracy, Jackson Green, Kobi Durham and Alex Klein.

Congratulations Boys!



What a Team!

GAVIN

*Nominations,
Registrations,
Communications,
Score Recorder and
Raffle organiser.*



TIM

*Range Captain,
problem solver, fund
raiser, mozzie
sprayer.....*

GLEN

*The man in charge of
everything!*



A few photos from the shoot.

Story photos taken by Dave McGuire and Leslie White

Tim to the rescue Dan happy to be Mozzie Sprayed



Hawkeye Finalists:

Gavin, Dave, Ross, Glenn and in front fun loving Les.

Hawkeye has jackpotted and will travel to the next

TAA Shoot in Qld.

The bear seems to fit right in don't you think ☺

Look what this Viking Lassie wears on her belt



Gordon all smiles after winning the Dusty and Rusty BBQ Door Prize. Just as well he bought the Ute!



Trad Fashion at its best! Thanks Glen.





Above: Keith first up for Hawkeye. Last archer to win this novelty.

Below: Bob enjoying a relaxing moment warming up by the campfire.



Left: Heather at the running Pig.

Above: Fox across the creek. A miss saw your arrow disappear up the hollow log.

Right: Wayne aiming at the deer in the extra long grass. Lost arrows anyone?



Chinchilla Archers are a small club of about 20 or so regular members. They have done a fabulous job hosting such a big shoot: 71 Archers in total with many spectators. They could not have achieved this without the support of their community and local Chinchilla businesses. The Sport and Recreation Grounds staff ensured the area and facilities were ready for us....lots of mowing and wood chopping. The Club wish to thank all their sponsors: Rusty and Dusty Clothing Co. and Yellow Dog Country, Western Downs Council, Black Toyota, Betta Electrical, Tyrepower, Mini Motors, Crawleys Industrial and Rural Supplies, Vanderfields, Keatings Hardware, Ainsworth Motors and Machinery, Nutrien Ag Solutions, Jackson's Parts N Industrial Supplies.



Development Fund raffle drawn at Chinchilla.

'Wedgies' painted and donated by TAA Founder Ian Fenton was won by Cheryl c/o Pauleen at North Burnett Field Archers. Ticket Number: 143



The money raised will be used for grants to help TAA clubs support young archers, archery craft and safety. Congratulations Cheryl and a huge thank you to Ian. There was a huge box full of tickets for the draw so a big thank you to all those who supported this worthwhile cause. Ian above on the right handing the painting over to TAA Rep Dave 'Towball' White ready for its trip to Chinchilla.

Owen Chiverton

Chinchilla Member

Official Photographer

Enjoy this collage of pics from Owen's collection.





Unsure how wet they'd get, 33 archers came out for the Annual Wammenusking interclub fun shoot ready to brave the weekend.

A windy start on Saturday made for a challenging shoot on the 2D course. The afternoon came with a flying deer and we finished off our shooting for the day watching Jeff win the Butt Shoot and claim his brand new "Chainsaw".



After we warmed up with Murray's delicious home made soups, the ladies at the club did an amazing job putting on a roast dinner and dessert.

The rain came Saturday night and some last minute changes were made to a camp or two, but for the most part we manage to stay dry in our tents and around the fire with good company.

To our pleasure, we woke to blue skies for our 3D Shoot on Sunday. A newly laid out course and some new 3D targets were a great way to end a fantastic week of archery.

A big thankyou to everyone who came out and was involved. A couple of special mentions that can't be forgotten, Jim for stopping his and Dinesh's camps from flying away in the weather, and Andrew with the coolest/warmest outfit of the weekend in his electric heated vest.





Nominations

Why are these important?

As Trad Shooters we sometimes find nominating to attend an event a bit of a hassle. Trad archers have become used to getting up in the morning, poking their head outside and making up their minds on the spot.

"Great time for a shoot ...I think I will go".

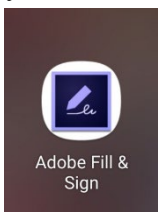
At a large well established club this may work fine. However, at a small club run by a few volunteers on a shoestring budget, this can cause issues. When we attend a shoot and everything works like clockwork, it is because many volunteer hours and lots of dollars have already been spent ensuring we can all have a great time. Numbers are important when ordering everything from loo rolls and food, to presentation trophies.

There are several ways archers are asked to nominate. Simply by phoning an advertised number, filling details directly into a website, or, when website facilities are unavailable filling in a form and sending it via email.

Currently there are two TAA Musters left on our Calendar requiring pre nomination:

1. **TAA NSW Muster hosted by Coffs Coast.** This one is easy. Go to the Club's Website www.coffscostarchery.com and open the TAA NSW State Muster 2022 at the bottom of the page. At the bottom of that page you will find an online form, complete all the fields and click the 'send' button. The flyer is attached to this newsletter for further details. Each archer needs a separate entry. **Due 7th August.** Make sure you have your TAA number ready and that you are financial (up to date).
2. **TAA National Muster hosted by Barambah Bowhunters and Field Archers Nanango QLD.** An emailed form from each archer is required. Download the form from the TAA Website www.traditionalarcheryaustralia.org. There is a red button on the web homepage. If you are on your home computer you may be able to fill that out using Adobe fill and sign or print and scan. If your phone has email capabilities you may like to try downloading the *free* App Adobe fill and sign. Open the app and choose the downloaded form. Expand the section for your name just as you would for a photo. Tap in the area you wish to write, fill it in, then continue with the rest of the form. Choose share and email to: secretarytaa@traditionalarcheryaustralia.org. Make sure you know your TAA number and due date. Finally you could just phone me: Leslie 0414 269 627 or sms me a photo of the form. **Due 10th October.**

For both Musters you will be sent a reply email to let you know your nomination has arrived. TAA is working on an easy nomination system for all musters, hopefully available next year.



Behind the Knock ... A Spotlight on

Dave McGuire

TAA National Coach



Interview questions Leslie White

Dave what encouraged you to enter the world of archery?

It started back in the mid 90's, it was my son Harry who got me into shooting arrows. He was a member of the Sunshine Coast Bowmen and he kept pestering me to go to the club and have a go..... so I gave in and went. That was it, with my addictive personality I was instantly hooked.

The club bows were recurves, but in time I ended up shooting a Darton compound for a couple of years until I damaged the bow and it had to be sent back to America for a warranty repair, and to be honest I got to the stage where I was not enjoying shooting this style of bow.

The repair took over twelve months so in between time I picked up a longbow. That's when my love affair with traditional archery took off and it did in a big way! To this day I still love to string my bow and shoot some woods with my mates. The company you keep and the friendships you make is the draw card for me; from chatting and trying to solve the world's problems, listening to those embellished stories that you have heard a million times before, practicing my sledging technique on an unsuspecting victim, everyone laughing at your terrible jokes just to be polite..... and of course when your mate is having a bad day on the range lifting their spirits where you can. To me the true essence and spirit of traditional archery is respect, generosity and mateship.



Dave above at the NSW 2021 Muster Coffs Coast and bottom on the right shooting with Joe Ansell at Chinchilla.

At what stage did you realise that you enjoyed coaching traditional archers?

I love seeing archers improve their shooting ability and after all who doesn't want to improve, It is inbuilt into the human psyche to improve to be the best one can be.

My coaching journey started with ABA back in the 90's, at the Lakeside Club. My accreditation course took 12 months to complete. I wasn't keen on keeping coaching log books and filling out forms for this and that but I finally got there in the end. I have coached and encouraged many archers all over Australia and as time rolls on my knowledge base and understanding has increased, I am now more confident than ever when passing on my advice to help others. My passion is instructing archers on the mechanics of archery so they can get the best out of the equipment and themselves and eventually reach their goals. The holy grail of archery is to develop a repeatable shot and to achieve this, a solid shot sequence and good form are essential. These are the basic fundamentals of archery and are the foundation of my coaching. I have had some success over the years with helping archers improve their shooting ability, sometimes it can be a quick fix by observing the archer and correcting a form flaw they can't see themselves.

Dave tell us about the TAA Instructor's Course.

I took on the roll as TAA's Head Coach to accreditate instructors at our TAA Clubs. The course isn't a pass or fail and is just based on good solid archery fundamentals. I also throw in a little bit of advanced stuff so the person instructing may be able to recognise and help those who are struggling with form or equipment issues. My dilemma is that I want to visit all of our TAA clubs and run a course for them, but Australia is a big country and there is only one of me. I therefore have in place state course facilitators like my mate Smithy in Far North Queensland and Pete Starr in Tassie and by all accounts they're doing a stellar job sharing their knowledge. Instructor Courses will be posted on the TAA Calendar in the future and I would encourage anyone wanting to sit in on the course to do so, even if it is just to improve your own shooting and archery knowledge.

***The next course will be held on the 24th
September this year at the
Tenterfield Traditional Archery Club NSW***

Do you wish you could guide folk a little more to improve their shooting form?

Very much so and this is my dilemma, wanting to help folk when they have not asked for my help and I can clearly see where they can improve with some fine tweaking. Sometimes it's a form issue or it could be an issue with their equipment. Another battle is getting folk to realise shooting a string bow intuitively is a journey and to me that is what it's all about, the journey and enjoying what you are achieving now. Everyone seems to be in a big hurry and that includes shooting their bow. So don't be in such a hurry as it takes time to build a sufficient skill level you are happy with. Another one is form changes, be prepared to go backwards to go forward.....most people are not prepared to do this. However I have also realised that most folk are happy just doing what they are doing and others strive to be the best they can be. We are all very different and have our own personal reasons for shooting arrows. Those reasons are too many to list here.

At Barambah this year I was in a group where someone was shooting a McGuire Bow. It was the first time I was aware that you were a bowyer. Tell us a bit about this part of your journey.



Being so hooked on Traditional archery the next logical step was to build my own bow, I was given advice on bow building from Glen Newel and Keith Keddy and I also purchased a CD from the States. My first bow I built was a 68" reflex deflex flatbow and I couldn't string it. I'm guessing it would have been around 100# that bow ended up as a wall hanger. I adjusted my laminations and eventually found a formula for consistent draw weights. my first bows weren't the prettiest to look at but they were functional and worked just fine. They got much prettier in time, I used to get a real buzz watching someone enjoying a handcrafted item that was built just for them.



In 2021 at Coffs Coast a seven year old Jarrah accepting some tips from Coach Dave

I would take pride in using all Australian hardwoods. I would even cut the trees and process the boards myself, so very rarely would I visit a shop to purchase timber. I still have my first and last bows that I ever built. Unfortunately I haven't built a bow for some years now due to lack of time. Occasionally I still see folk around the traps shooting my bows.

What prompted you to start your "Archery Bug" Business?

The primary reasons are, club coach and the archery retail. On many occasions new archers would come to the club with their new equipment to be coached. I would then have to tell them that the gear they have purchased was not going to suit them, it certainly wasn't their fault, it was a lack of knowledge on their part and the lack of knowledge at the retail end. You wouldn't believe how many times this happens.

I think this is where I have the biggest influence on our sport, I take pride in fitting new archers into the right gear and if they are happy with their gear they will most likely stay in the sport. Not just put their archery equipment under the bed because of a bad purchase and their gear doesn't stand up to their expectations.

Dave you are a huge part of TAA. You give so much of yourself to this organisation as a volunteer. You have written the TAA Muster Shoot Guidelines, travelled and helped out at a myriad of trad shoots, donated gear, not only to raffle tables but also directly to children as an encouragement for them to keep enjoying our sport.

Why TAA?

Why TAA for me? Because it is solely focused on traditional archery, the committee exists for the members and acts on behalf of the members and their input. This is a very different organisational structure and is what sets TAA apart and makes it so unique.

Why do I volunteer so much of my time to TAA and traditional shoots?

That's an easy one, because I want to give back to the sport that has given to me so much enjoyment over the years. Without the generosity of volunteers we wouldn't have such a wonderful organisation and great "trad" shoots that we all enjoy. I do especially like to support and help the kids as much as I can and without the little tackers coming through there will be no future in our sport.



McGuire Classic Bow with a couple of Dave's matching arrows



Below Gemma receiving some pointers from Dave





Dave without a doubt you seem to be the biggest Towball Beanie Fan.

Apart from archery do you have any other hobbies?

I do like to hunt, fish and camp. I mainly tie these activities in with my Archery event trips.

Have fun with your archery *Dave*

Dave McGuire ~ Spirit Award

Dave's love of encouraging young archers has led him to set up his Spirit Award. The bows he generously donates are from his own business 'Archery Bug' one of TAA's Sponsors.

The Spirit Award Honours Young Archers who:

- *Have been doing archery for at least 12 months.*
- *Have a positive attitude every time they come to a club shoot.*
- *Could benefit from an upgrade to their bow.*

Full Draw – Junior Tales

Featuring Kyson Laracy Age: 10

Member of Chinchilla Archers Inc. and TAA

Recipient of the Dave McGuire Spirit Award

Why did you take up archery?

The first time I saw archery was at the Medieval Festival in 2018. It caught my eye so my dad searched if there were any locations to do archery nearby and we had a local club in Chinchilla. From my first day, I really enjoyed it so we kept on doing it. My dad bought me a hybrid 18 pound bow.

Tell us about your new bow and quiver and why you think you received them.

My new bow is a recurve with silencers and is 25 pound. My quiver is leather with imitation fur trims. I think I got this bow due to my consistent attendance at local shoots over the last 4 years. I am always keen and enthusiastic and try my best. I always help set up and packing up at each shoot.

Why do you enjoy traditional archery?

I enjoy traditional archery because it is fun. It's not overly complicated but it's also not too easy. The changing of targets always makes it a fun challenge. I also enjoy meeting new people and appreciate the guidance of older members.



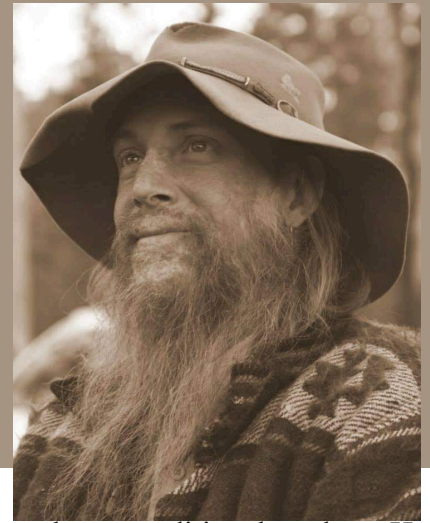
Vale ~ Mark Goener



Friend to all who knew him

*Passed away peacefully in
Toowoomba Base Hospital*

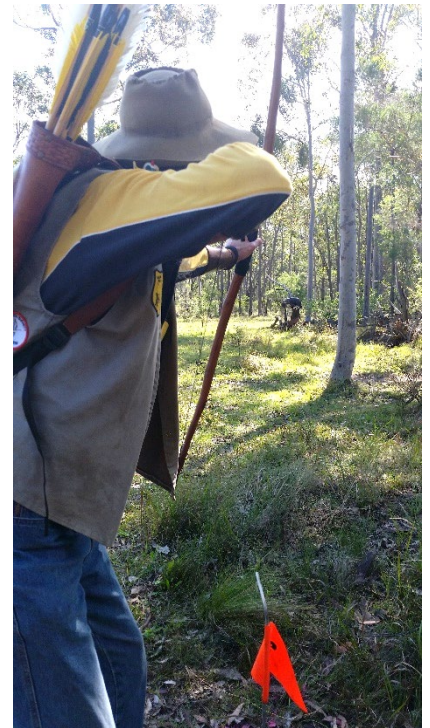
3rd July 2022 Aged 53



Top two photos from Judith Hedrick

Mark Goener embodied everything it means to be a traditional archer. He considered traditional archers to be his family....and what an extended family it had become. I first met Mark in 2017 at North Albert's Easter Trad Shoot. With a wave, smile and 'How are you?' he instantly endeared himself, not only because of this greeting, but his willingness to walk with me sharing his knowledge identifying plants in the campground. Mark, as it turned out, was an avid reader and had a vast knowledge on a wide range of subjects. So well mannered.

Mark spoke fondly of his 'road trips' with friend Con (Hedrick), particularly one adventure down to Victoria to visit Roadie and Heather. In recent times he travelled to the *Hunter Valley Traditional Archers*, twice, the second time with Con. Both times he stayed with us for a couple of nights. We took him around the beaches and up to Fort Scratchley to watch the firing of the canons. 'I must bring Con he would love this' was his reaction after the first visit.



Shooting at Hunter Valley 2018

Mark spent the last thirty or so years living with the diagnosis of Lupus, an immune disorder that gradually sees the body attacking itself. I know he would have had dark days, but to the rest of us what we witnessed was Mark enjoying life to the fullest. He had the best laugh, played his music loud, drank mead or red wine from a drinking horn and moved around the campgrounds chatting to everyone. He threw himself the best 50th Birthday Party ☺ His Celebration of Life 16th July 2022 reflected his love of a good time, guests partaking in a Traditional Viking Funeral and Feast. All legal of course.



Mark loved shooting his Jim Mason selfbow, osage orange still with all the kinks.....just wonderful to watch. He always shot in a vest made by his Mum and covered in club patches. He would later become his Mum's carer. Mark was a gentle soul who will be sadly missed, the outpourings of messages coming through since his passing show just how far this lovely man had spread his magic. I will include some here on this page. TAA, its members and all trad archers send out their condolences to Mark's sister Erin, his family of archers and friends.

Rest in Peace Mark. Thank You for the good times. You will be deeply missed by all of your Trad Mates.

Leslie and David (Towball) White

*Copied from Facebook.....
just a few of the many messages that flowed in.*

Russell Andrews

Sad news for the Traditional Archery Community this morning. Our good friend Mark Goener has left this world. Watching Mark shoot is what really sparked my interest to turn my hand to the art of traditional archery, and I'm sure he has inspired many others without even knowing.

Shoot straight for the stars brother, you will be missed.

Grant Cawthorne (Roadie)

Mark, rest in peace my Brother, you will always have a place in Heather's and my Heart for your help and kindness you showed us all those years ago when Heather had that operation after her fall at Nanango.

RIP MARK. Roadie and Heather

Heather Scala Pender

So very sad. Such a gentle man. Condolences to his family and friends.

RIP

Keith Speight

Sad news. Mark was well known and a friend to so many and he will be sadly missed by all.

Our condolences to his family and friends.

Fran Gesch

So sad to hear about Mark's passing. He was always very caring and a true gentleman. RIP Mark we will miss you.

Neil Hope

Mark Goener, part of Lakesides extended family for many years, a true character lost but definitely never forgotten. The Jules Shoot won't be the same without you old mate! Shoot in Peace.

Dale Marsh

My God. We are shattered. Dear old Mark. Always cheery, always fun to be with.. a real gentleman. We are so sad. The sport has lost a beautiful human being.



Newcastle trips: Mark, Con, Towball, Zanette and Keith.

June 2019 Mark a Queenslander lived in those Ugg

Boots. Below: Whale watching.



Judith Hedrick

VALE....Mark David Goener....it is with a heavy heart that I wish to inform all archers who knew Mark, that he passed away early this morning (0225am) 03rd July 2022 in Toowoomba base Hospital. Con and I and his sister Erin were able to be with him and speak with him before he passed.....everyone who knew Mark, loved and respected this man. He will be greatly missed by us as he was Con's best mate and best man at our wedding.....

TAA Development Fund

Looking into the Future

TAA have identified a need within our clubs that is specific to helping clubs grow and support children wishing to enjoy our sport....Traditional Archery.

TAA Clubs are encouraged to apply for Government grants, however sometimes a little more encouragement or support is required from within our own ranks.

The TAA Development Fund raises money through our State and National Musters. This is the \$10 contribution from each adult archer. Occasionally money from other areas, such as the recent Painting Raffle donated by Ian Fenton, enter the fund.

It is important that clubs attract children. As time ticks on children need the knowledge of our sport passed on to them by elders. Traditional Archery has a long history, lets not lose the opportunity to see our youth enjoy what that stands for.

Later this year TAA Clubs will be given the opportunity to fill out a submission form for one of the grants on offer. The submission will need to reflect their need to help their young members. This may be through one or more aspects relating to our sport; Traditional Archery Skills, Safety and/or Traditional Craft Skills. Attracting and keeping children involved is paramount to a club's health and survival.

In 2021 three grants were given out; one to Loxley Archers TAS, one to Coffs Coast Archery Club NSW and one to Southern Forests WA.

TAA would like to thank all members who freely give up their time and money to support this wonderful initiative.

TAA received the following story from young North Burnett Field Archer member Jesse Locke. He is left handed so falls into a minority group. When small clubs with limited finances are purchasing club bows it stands to reason they would opt to spend mainly on right handed equipment. His club have a left handed bow Jesse's weight but it has a limb twist..... far from ideal for any archer!

Club Grants aimed at:

- Membership Growth targeting the needs of our young members
- Club Safety
- Passing on Craft Skills to the next generation of Traditional Archers

"Hi my name is Jesse Locke and I am 8 years old.

I am a new member of the North Burnett Field Archers Inc.

My TAA Number is 2097.

I first shot a bow at the come and try day in February and just think it is great fun.

As you can see, I am left-handed and at the moment I borrow a bow from the club. This bow is fine but they tell me it has a slight twist in the limb but I do okay with it.

My mum brings me every week and I love to challenge the older members shooting balloons and the stuffed toys. You know I can beat them at their own game.

I just can't wait to own my own bow and arrows."

Jesse



THE ORIGIN OF HOG HOLLOW

Cleve Wood aka 'Shrek'

19th November 1953 - 12th January 2018

Shrek conceived of and ran the first *Hog Hollow* at the Inaugural Traditional Archery Australia Muster at ABA Park in 2017

Story Perry Jackson



Cleve/Shrek was one of the most special people I have had in my Life, a more generous Soul has rarely drawn breath. It was truly an honour to call him Friend, I loved and respected Cleve as I have few others in my Life. Those that called Cleve friend still feel his loss keenly, they know he cared deeply for them. Cleve's sudden death was a shock to all of those that knew him.

Cleve was many things, a Father, a loyal Friend, an old school Hard Man if you crossed the line, a prankster, he was quick to laugh, had a fair streak a mile wide, his cheeky ways with the Ladies had to be witnessed to be believed. He revelled in stirring the Pot and you knew exactly where you stood with him.

Cleve started his Archery Life shooting a Compound but over the years he became a dyed in the Wool Traditional Archer. He was renowned for his Club Spirit and Passion in his role as Traditional Archery Australia's Shoot Director and to his great credit made many new Archers feel welcome. He loved to coach Juniors as he recognised them as Archery's future.

His club has named the Coaching/Juniors' Range after him.

Spending time with Cleve socially, out hunting or on the Range was always filled with endless Stories and terrible Jokes we'd all heard 1000 times before but they were still hilarious. Have I mentioned Cleve revelled in Stirring the Pot?

Above all Cleve spoke often about his Partner Margaret, he loved her with all of his heart, you could see it in his eyes, hear it in his voice. She was the love of his Life, he worshipped Margaret, her Daughters, their Children and his extended Family. They adored him!

Hog Hollow's Rubbery Guidelines

Shrek conceived of and ran the first Hog Hollow at the Inaugural Traditional Archery Australia's Muster at ABA Park in 2017. It was originally shot as part of the Field Round but the Committee voted for Hog Hollow to become a permanent Novelty Shoot at the Traditional Archery Australia Muster with a Perpetual Trophy in order to honour Cleve. I made and donated the Perpetual Trophy.



Shrek's vision for Hog Hollow was that it be a test of the Archer's Skill to shoot as many accurate Arrows in a minute as possible and their ability to shoot under the pressure of relentless Sledging. The only hard and fast rule of Hog Hollow is that respectful and relentless Sledging is mandatory. In this spirit there is a few rubbery Guidelines.

Hog Hollow is the last Shoot of the Nationals Tournament and is run after the last round has been completed and in the lead up to the Presentations. Ideally Hog Hollow is shot down into a Gully or Hollow with the Targets arranged randomly....

....As one might find a mob of Feral Pigs feeding!

If there is not a suitable Spectator Area above a Gully or Hollow on the Field Course to shoot Hog Hollow it may be shot anywhere the Host Club deems suitable i.e. Practice Range.

Spectator interaction is the key to the Spirit in which Hog Hollow is to be run!

There are 2 Pegs spaced approximately 10 metres apart and 8 x 3D Pig Targets (with a mix of 1 or 2D Pig Targets if the Host Club does not have sufficient 3D Pig Targets) placed at random distances set up so the shooter is forced to move between the Pegs in order to shoot all of the Targets.

It does not matter in which order the Targets are shot. The Archer may start anywhere they choose between the 2 Pegs. Archers with mobility issues are excused from moving between the Pegs if it causes them discomfort, they must shoot at as many Targets in the minute when they can see the Score Zones. However, I remind everyone that no one is excused from the discomfort caused by the mandatory respectful and relentless Sledging!

In case people aren't clear...fudging the Guidelines by Archers (and Officials) is encouraged. Anyone seen NOT TO BE FUDGING the Guidelines is to be respectfully and relentlessly sledged!

FUN is the priority, anyone seen not to be having fun is to be loudly reminded of the error of their ways.

Scoring as per Traditional Archery Australia Shoot Guidelines.

So there you have it Folks, a brief outline of who Cleve Wood was and how he envisioned Hog Hollow be run.

Regards Perry Jackson
TAA Traditional Skills Officer



Roadie's 77th Birthday Shoot 29th-30th May 2022 Carwarp Victoria



White Rose Archery Klub

Enjoy a few photos from Roadie's Shoot copied from his Facebook page with his permission. Our next story includes an account from traveling archer James Murray who was there to help Roadie Celebrate.

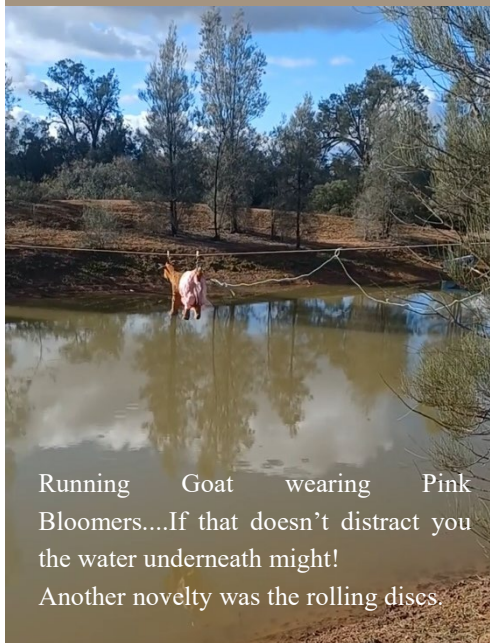
Grant 'Roadie' Cawthorne is well known, not just as a Traditional Archer but as someone who has never tired of promoting the sport wherever he goes. He has encouraged and still encourages clubs to hold traditional shoots. He and his wife Heather have entertained many a travelling archer passing through Irymple in Victoria, their door has always been open.

In recent times Heather's health has seen her entering care. They sold their home and Roadie now spends much of his time on his Houseboat 'The White Rose'.

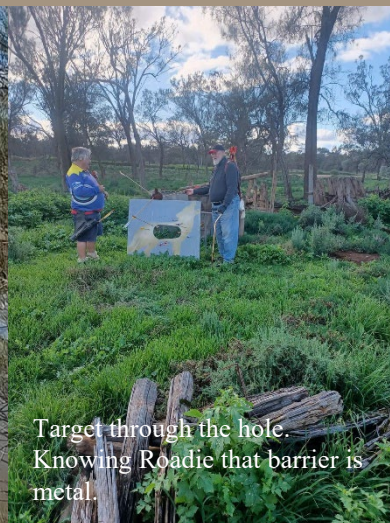
In May this year Roadie turned 77. At an age when many folk relax and put their feet up, Roadie invited Traditional Archers to come and celebrate with him on his brand new range situated on a friend's property in Carwarp Vic. He has told me he had a Fantastic Time! His club, *White Rose Archery Klub*, is part of the TAA family of clubs.

A few years ago Roadie's string hand, already missing a finger, seized up with arthritis. Despondent he thought he would need to give up shooting. Instead however, he fashioned a loop on the string of his trad bow ready to take a release aide. This became the beginning of TAA's *Roadie Para Division*. To allow Roadie to shoot in our Musters a parallel or 'Para' division was formed. Archers carrying a disability can apply to enter this division. TAA became even more inclusive.

If a TAA member is passing through Victoria close to Mildura, they are welcome to ring Roadie, and providing he is home and given 24 hours notice, he will set up his range and have a shoot with you. Go through 'Contact Us' on the TAA Website for details. Roadie has another Shoot coming up 6th-7th August 2022.



Running Goat wearing Pink Bloomers....If that doesn't distract you the water underneath might!
Another novelty was the rolling discs.



Target through the hole. Knowing Roadie that barrier is metal.



Just in these few pics I can see James from ACT, Tom from Qld, Wayne and others from SA, Dave and Chrissy from Broken Hill, Victorians Andy and Jack from Dunolly and Ray from Bacchus Marsh. Well Done Roadie and Travellers!



Land to Spare.....How's that set up for Balloon Pop!
This is Roadie's version of a Popinjay. The balloons were Helium filled. At night they added a light to each one.

“The Idiot and the Odyssy”

By James Murray

with Apologies to Homer

I emailed a friend in the UK the other day telling him about my recent and proposed archery trips. I told him that I had just driven a 2400km round trip to compete at Nanango Queensland and was heading off for a 2000km trip to Carwarp in Victoria for another event.

His response was and I quote, “Are you ‘bleep’ nuts? Only an idiot would do that”.

His astonishment was that we as Australian Archers think nothing of doing these ‘Odysseys’ to compete in our chosen sport. Absolutely unheard of in the UK and Europe!

The Odyssey Part 1-Barambah Traditional Archery Festival QLD

I had been looking forward to this event for some time after all of the cancelled events in the past couple of years. The proposed workshops looked great and I knew that with Dave McGuire setting out the courses the shoot would be a challenge.

On Wednesday, with my bus fully loaded I set off and was making good time as there was not much traffic. I make it a practice to pick “the route not traveled” each time I travel to an event. All was going well until at a fuel stop in Dubbo I noticed a pool of fuel under the van! An inspection indicated that I may have over filled the tank and the leak was coming out of the breather tube. I decided to push on and keep an eye on the problem. All appeared to be OK except when going around hard right hand bends.

I had intended to overnight at Coonabarabran but I was ahead of schedule so pushed onto Narrabri. Fuelled up again being careful not to over fill the tank. The tank was still leaking so I pushed forward to Moree. I had arranged to meet Roadie at the Moree Caravan Park on Thursday with our intention

being to use the hot springs to rest our weary bones.

My thought was that if I could get to Moree that night I could find a mechanic with a hoist in the morning to see what was causing the fuel leak. Well that was a bad decision as darkness fell the bus suffered another issue. The left hand headlight died! The trucks and road train traffic was now getting heavy, rain began to fall and visibility was bad. After several hours of tailgating large trucks using their lights I arrived at the caravan park. After 11 hours of driving I slept well.

The next morning I was able to find a mechanic kind enough to resolve the issue. The overflow pipe on the fuel filter had perished and dislodged. Problem one solved. Alas not the headlight as it was a brand specific sealed beam. Roadie arrived later that day and we contributed to the geriatric soup that is the mineral hot pools. We arrived at the event on Friday and set up camp.

There are other reports of this fine event but my comment is that we should be having more events like this one. The ranges were challenging, the novelty events were new and the highlight was the workshops. My congratulations to the organisers, I will be back next year.

The return trip was like Ulysses: “alone and a long way home”.

The Odyssey Part 2-Roadie’s Birthday Party

Several weeks passed and again the bus was packed for a new “Odyssey” this time south and west to Roadie’s new field archery course at Carwarp, south of Red Cliffs. As a member of the White Rose Archery Klub, I had arranged with Roadie to arrive early to help put the finishing touches to the new field course. The trip from Canberra was an uneventful 900km drive. Again with the lack of traffic and my propensity for back roads saw me arriving late Wednesday night rather than Thursday as I had planned.

The Gower family property is magnificent. Red desert soil, outstanding sunsets. As I settled in my sleeping bag the rain began. Soft pitter patter on the roof lulled me to sleep only to be woken an hour or so later by by torrential rain and wind. It did not look good for the weekend.

However, the morning dawned crisp and clear, the rain soaking into the newly ploughed fields. Thursday was spent building the field and catching up. Tom Panic arrived from Queensland and set up his camp. Friday saw us placing out the targets as more archers arrived from Mannum SA, Dunolly and Swan Hill. On Friday night the campfire blazed as old friends met again after too long a break. The wine and beer flowed as the stories were told.

On Saturday archers from Broken Hill arrived and the group gathered for the inaugural shoot of the new field course. The White Rose Field Archery Course turned out to be a challenging 30 target round that included a mixture of 3D and paper targets scattered through the saltbush and red dirt of the original site of the homestead. Old cars, ancient farm machinery and the ruins of the house provided a backdrop to a great days shooting.

Trevor, the owner of the property joined us and as with many other events we settled in around the campfire to drink, talk bows, politics, current affairs and to solve the problems of the world.. Roadie's Birthday was toasted and we wished him well for many years to come. Soon the group thinned and quiet descended on the camp.

Sunday was a repeat of the previous day's shoot. Many arrows were lost and broken but what an outstanding weekend. We all mucked in to retrieve the targets and soon it was time to say goodbye until we meet again.

A few of us stayed on overnight and we all thought we had made a bad choice when the storm hit that night. I lay in my bus that night wondering whether I would be able to make it out of the farm. Red ploughed dirt and lots of rain was good for the crop but not good for a 2WD bus and caravans!

Monday morning dawned wet and cold. Haste was made to pack up the camp. Saying my goodbyes I was the test bunny to try out the access road. The bus made it out but only just I found out later that all made it out OK but the road to Roadie's Houseboat was badly damaged.

I would highly recommend attendance to the next shoot at Roadie's in August, the weekend before the Golden Triangle Shoot Dunolly, both in Victoria. Well worth the trip!

The White Rose Archery Klub is looking to increase its membership. If you would like to support Roadie contact him and join the White Rose club. Membership is only \$30.

See you on the next one.

James Murray

Archer at Large (or is that just Large Archer?)

Where's Rossy?



Brian Ross, TAA's Clup Representative Coordinator has been entertaining us over the last couple of issues with his hunting stories. We will all have to tune in to Issue 7 for Rossy's Part Three "*What do I Hunt*". Answering this question he links his ecology background to the animals he chooses to hunt.

As the owner operator of *Cockatours* this time of year is a very busy one for our Rossy and his crew. He is currently somewhere up in the Far North of our wonderful country with a bus load of very lucky people.

Merchandise News

TAA by popular request are currently working on a supply and demand response for 100% cotton long sleeved shirts. Button through or half button in a lightweight cotton suitable for sun protection in all Australian areas.

The sleeves can be rolled up or left long giving versatility. The colour is similar to our caps. Two generous button up pockets and a smart TAA logo can be seen on the shirt modelled by TAA Vice President Greg Smith.

These will be available by pre order only. Watch this space !

Merchandise can be ordered through 'Contact Us' on the website or by emailing secretarytaa@traditionalarcheryaustralia.org

Flyers for the range of TAA merchandise can be found on the
TAA Website
www.traditionalarcheryaustralia.org
Menu bar/Merchandise



I now have many photos of people wearing Towball Beanies.

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I will make a collage up for the next issue.

However one can't go past this gem!

Jessie and Brian Henwood are very well known in the archery world here in Australia, having travelled extensively in our country and meeting Aussie Characters along the way.

They are New Zealanders who just wanted to be part of this silly/fun trad archery craze. Jessie keeps in contact through Facebook wishing us all a good morning and good night everyday.

Thank You Jessie and Brian for joining in, a lovely couple of inspirational nonagenarians.

Leslie 



Fully Brushed Cotton Caps with
Ajustable strap \$20
New stock has just arrived!



If you've got this far and you're reading this, **THANK YOU** for reading our newsletter we hope you've enjoyed it. Also, a big thank you to the Contributors. Editor

Want to be a Stringer (that's a freelance journalist) for Sticks and Strings, you can! If you've got an interesting story, a fantastic photo or something to share. Submit your contributions to the editor Beth Allott at membershipofficer@traditionalarcheryaustralia.org or Leslie White at secretarytaa@traditionalarcheryaustralia.org or through the "contact us" button on the web www.traditionalarcheryaustralia.org.

Shoot reviews should be a maximum of 400 words and 5 to 8 photos, inclusion of top scores if they enhance the story. Permission from subject should be sought for all photos.

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Cover Photo: Chinchilla State Muster 2022. Archers having a rest and chat on one of the many logs around the range. Photo Dave McGuire.



TAA Shoot Calendar 2022-2023 (Version 05/07/2022)

The Archery shoots included on this calendar have been confirmed at the date of posting. The clubs involved may alter the information as circumstances change. TAA ask that you check with the club contact for further details and also to confirm the date. The shoots listed are either Traditional only shoots or shoots that promote Traditional Archery but are inclusive for non-traditional archers. Thank you to all clubs involved who have submitted their dates to us this is much appreciated. **TAA Muster Event, Festival or TAA Club Event.** Cards may be required.

July	Club	Name of Shoot	Club Contact
2 nd -3 rd			
9 th -10 th	Abbey Medieval Festival Caboolture Qld Check Website: https://abbeymedievalfestival.com		
9 th -10 th	Lakeside Bowmen QLD	Jules Trad Shoot	secretary.lakesidebowmen@gmail.com
9 th -10 th	Wammenusking Sports Club WA	Wammenusking Friendly Shoot	Andrew: 0429 657 014
16 th -17 th			
23 rd -24 th			
29 th -30 th 31 st	Mossman Archery Club QLD	Invitational Shoot/Sleepover	Ph: 0435 734 640
August			
6 th -7 th	White Rose Archery Klub VIC	Traditional Shoot	Roadie: 0417 858 684
13 th -14 th	Golden Triangle Archers VIC	Traditional Shoot	Phone: 0408 546 767
20 th -21 st	Townsville QLD	Traditional Shoot	Wayne: 0429438925
20 th -21 st	Coffs Coast Archery Club NSW	NSW TAA State Muster Nominations OPEN	Darren: 0419 993 141 Steve: 0419 984 300
27 th -28 th			
September			
2 nd -3 rd -4 th	Tully Bowhunters QLD	Invitational Shoot: Bill Baker Shield	Greg: 0428 312 340
10 th -11 th			
17 th -18 th	Break O'Day TAS	2 Day Invitational Tournament	brady.j.young@hotmail.com
17 th -18 th	North Burnett Field Archers QLD	6 th Annual Trad Shoot	Pauleen: 0428877647
24 th -25 th	South West Bowmen WA	Interclub Shoot	Bonnie: 08 9734 3213
October			
1 st -2 nd			
8 th -9 th			
15 th -16 th			
22 nd -23 rd	Tenterfield Trad Archers NSW	Blacked Out Shoot	Noel: 0421 285 859
29 th -30 th	Barambah Bowhunters QLD	TAA National Muster and AGM (29 th) Nominations OPEN form on website	Leslie: 0414 369 627
November			
5 th -6 th	Coffs Coast Archery Club NSW	Two Day 3D Shoot	Steve: 0419 984 300
13 th	Maydaan NSW	Maydaan Cup	tom-deridder@hotmail.com
19 th -20 th			
26 th -27 th			
December			
3 rd -4 th			
10 th -11 th			
17 th -18 th			
Holidays			
January 2023			
Holidays			
February 2023			
4 th -5 th			
11 th -12 th			
18 th -19 th			
25 th -26 th			



Traditional Archery Australia's

NSW State Muster 2022

20th & 21st August 2022- Woolgoolga NSW

Field Course and Novelties as per the current TAA Shoot Guidelines.



General Information:

- **For the competition you must shoot timber arrows and be a financial TAA Member**
- **Nominations:** can be done online. Go to the club's Website www.coffscoastarchery.com and open the "TAA NSW State Muster 2022" page. At the bottom of that page, you will find an online form, complete all the fields and click the 'send' button. Should you have any problems, please email your details to: coffscoastarcheryclub@outlook.com.au and a member will do a manual nomination. **Please complete all nominations by the 7th of August 2022.**
- **Registration:** (at Club grounds), from Friday 4 pm and completed by 8:00 am Saturday.
- **Shoot Divisions:** Men's, Ladies, Junior's and Cub's
- **Styles:** Longbow, Modern Recurve, Traditional Recurve, Asiatic, Hybrid, Historic and Roadie Para Division
- **Fees:** Can be paid at the time of registration (day of the event) OR via Bank Transfer at least 2 weeks prior to the event. (EFT Payments: Acc: Coffs Coast Archery Club, BSB: 533000, Acc No: 100157294, Ref: Your Name)

Adults: \$60.00*

Juniors: \$30.00

Cubs (<13 with Adult): \$15.00

Family: \$120.00

On-Grounds Camping: \$5.00 per person per night



Itinerary for the NSW Muster Weekend

Saturday

- **Muster: 8.30 am.** Form shoot groups of 4.
- **Shoot Rounds:** Two 10-shot ranges of 3D targets, with a 3-arrow walk-up format.
- **3 Novelties Events:** Choose from- Hunt Round, Speed Round, Running Target and Rolling Disc.
- **Lunch:** BBQ style, will be available 12:30pm – 01:30pm

Sunday

- **Muster: 8.30 am**
- **Shoot Rounds:** Two 10-shot ranges of 3D targets, with a 1 arrow format.
- **1 Novelty Event:** Remaining unattempted event from Saturday; Hunt Round, Speed Round, Running Target or Rolling Disc.
- **Lunch:** BBQ style will be available for pre-ordered food only from 12:00 pm – 01:00 pm.
- **Event Presentation and TAA Raffle as early as possible to facilitate early departure.**

Accommodation and Camping

- **Camping Grounds:** Camping is available at the club grounds, cost of \$5 per person per night. We have a Flat Camping area but no access to electricity or town water. **Looking for accommodation? Our major sponsor the SEAVIEW TAVERN is an excellent option in the nearby township of Woolgoolga.**
- **Club Ground Facilities:** Basic Portable Toilets and 3 Basic Hot Showers
- **Meals:** Breakfast (from 7am) and Lunch BBQ food available Saturday and Sunday, (please pre-order Sunday lunch)
- **Early & Late Camping available:** by arrangement Call Steve on 0419984300 (Camping available 18th-22nd August)
- **All Pets Welcome:** Owner responsibility expected
- **Physical Address:** Woolgoolga Creek Rd. Directions: 1.5km West of Round-about, then turn Right off Woolgoolga Creek Rd, just before Pacific Highway overpass.
- **Website:** www.coastcoastarchery.com or **Facebook** or **Email:** coffscoastarcheryclub@outlook.com.au *

Adult shoot fee includes a contribution to the TAA Young Archers Development Fund and Forestry NSW major event fees.



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Traditional Archery Australia Inc.

Fifth Annual National Muster

29th-30th October 2022



Hosts Barambah Bowhunters & Field Archers
Bow Hunters Road Nanango Queensland

Open to ALL Financial TAA Members ~ AGM 29th October 5PM

TAA Shoot and Equipment Guidelines apply

Camping is available: Phone Joh 0407 455 016 for details

**Barambah Bowhunters and Field Archers Club will offer breakfast and lunch
for purchase Saturday and Sunday**

Saturday Dinner ~ order on the nomination form and pay at registration.

**Nominations: By 10th October 2022 ~ find the red Button on the
TAA Website Home Page**

Questions to Leslie White TAA Secretary Phone: 0414 369 627

**Tomahawk & Knife Throwing and Hog Hollow will be held in addition to the Field
and Novelty Events in the Shoot Guidelines.**

Join a TEAM and enjoy the real spirit of camaraderie.

Entry Fee: Adults \$60*

Juniors (17 and under) \$30

Cubs (12 and under) \$10

Family \$130 includes two adults and children under 18yrs

Divisions: Male, Female, Adult, Junior, Cub

**Equipment Divisions: Longbow, Recurve, Modern Recurve,
Hybrid, Primitive/Historic, Asiatic, Roadie Para**

Wood/Bamboo Arrows

**Arrow Craftsmanship Award: Bring along your matching set of
arrows details on the TAA Website**

**There will be a club raffle to raise funds for Barambah Bow Hunters. Donations would be
gratefully received.**

***Ten dollars from every adult fee goes towards the TAA Development Grant
Fund. TAA Clubs can apply for a grant through this fund. This helps our TAA
clubs with growth, safety and traditional craft skills. Keeping our clubs viable,
running and safe benefits all of us.**

**Small pets only these are the responsibility of the owner. Dogs must be leashed at
all times. No pets on the range. Dog camp area only.**

**Shoot, Equipment, Tomahawk & Knife and Team
Guidelines can be accessed on the TAA Website**

www.traditionalarcheryaustralia.org

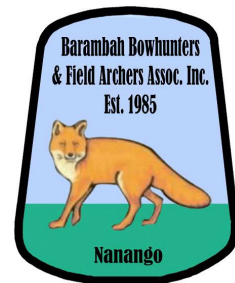


TAA National Muster

29th-30th October 2022

Hosted by Barambah Bowhunters & Field Archers

Bow Hunters Road Nanango



Nomination Form

Nominations are now open for the TAA National Muster.

This Shoot is open to All Financial TAA Members. TAA Membership forms can be found on the TAA Website. Check the Muster Flyer for full shoot details.

Traditional Equipment as per the TAA Equipment Guidelines. Shoot Format as per the TAA Shoot Guidelines. Both Documents are available on the TAA Website

www.traditionalarcheryaustralia.org

Please fill in this form and email to: secretarytaa@traditionalarcheryaustralia.org

The form can be filled out online using PDF Fill and sign. Forms will be available at both the Qld and NSW Musters. For further information regarding the shoot or for help nominating.

Phone: TAA Secretary Leslie White 0414 369 627 OR email: as above address

Full Name:

TAA Number: Phone Number:

Email Address:

Address:

Please Tick the Relevant Boxes (Three Ticks required)

Shoot Division				Equipment Style			
Adult		Male		Longbow		Recurve	
Junior (17 and under)		Female		Hybrid		Modern Recurve	
Cubs (12 and under)				Asiatic		Primitive/Historic	
						Roadie Para	

For organisation of catering and other preparations please nominate by 10th October 2022

The TAA Executive Committee invite archers and their families to a complementary snack and get together at the clubhouse on Friday evening. 'Perry's Famous Aussie Tacos' will be on offer free to all who join in, see flyer. Registrations will be open from 4PM. Please give Joh at Barambah a heads-up for meals on this form.

Saturday	Yes/No	Sunday	Yes/No	Will you have a visitor (non-archer) needing club meals?
Breakfast		Breakfast		
Lunch		Lunch		
Dinner				



NBFA 2022 Trad Weekend

September 17th & 18th

3D Course / Novelties / Night-time Activities

The club is located at
461 Gayndah-Mundubbera
Road Mt Debateable,
Gayndah QLD 4625
If lost please phone
us for help.



For further information
contact: Pauleen Dakin on
0428877647 or email
nbfarchers@hotmail.com
Early camper please
contact us by email.

Muster will be at 8:30am sharp

Divisions:

- Male, Female
- Adult, Juniors, Cubs
- Long Bow, Recurve & Self Bow
- Cub = Under 13 Junior = Under 17*

Club Ground Facilities include 2
flushing toilets, a porta potty
and 2 showers.

Our Club Canteen Will be available
all weekend. There will be a Hot Meal
Available Friday Night until late.

Shoot Fees:

Family — \$80.00
(2 Adults & 2 Juniors)
Adult — \$40.00
Junior — \$20.00

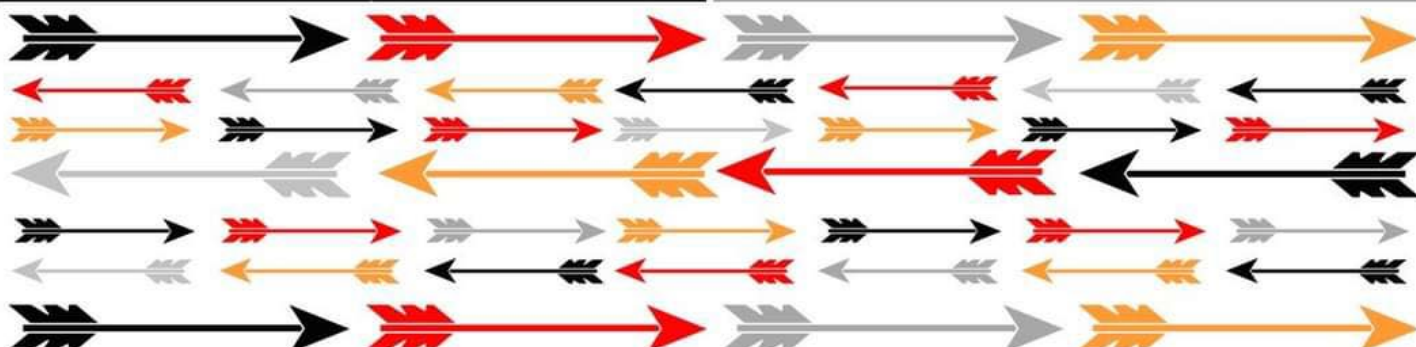


Archers will Require:

- Wood Arrows with a minimum of 12' of feathers.
- 5 Flu Flus with rubber blunts
- 5 Flu Flus with field points

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Traditional Archery Australia Inc.

National and State Title

TAA Club Nomination Form

Incorporated number: 1400344

Extract Form from The TAA National and State Muster Guidelines found on the TAA Website. Clubs wishing to nominate for a 2023 TAA Muster do so using this one page form. TAA's aim is to have these on our calendar at the start of 2023 ready for planning.

Club Name: _____

Nominating for (circle): National State Both

Proposed Date: _____

Club Contact: _____

(Full Name)

Position held at club: _____

TAA Member Number _____ Email: _____

Postal Address: _____

Outline the club's ability to hold a TAA Muster Shoot

Post completed form to: PO Box 927 Morayfield QLD 4506 or scan and email to the TAA National Secretary email: secretarytaa@traditionalarcheryaustralia.org

Office Use:

Date Received:

Reply Date:

Outcome: