

# Point-On

Santa Cruz Archers newsletter ~ February/March 2018

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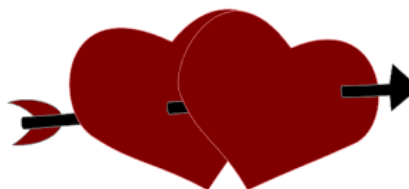
## Valentines Novelty Shoot

Saturday, February 17, 5:00 - 7:00 PM

Where: SCA Indoor range

Cost: \$3 per member and \$5 per guest

*Come for fun shooting games and treats with archery family and friends.*



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## Club History – The Early Days

Santa Cruz Archery Club aka: Santa Cruz Archers is exploring our history in what we thought was our 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary year. However, we have learned our club was first chartered with the NFAA in 1956! We are actively trying to rediscover the history of our now 62 year old club. If you can help with old records, news clippings, photos, stories from charter members, this would really help. We have already learned the Indoor

Range is the second built in that location. The first building was made of wood and burned down in 1978.

Here is a picture sent to us by Deanna Delaney!



1950s or 1960s at original indoor range

Pictured are: Cal Crates, Berta Anstiss, and Maurice Anstiss. Maurice maintained the grounds and club charter for years before Cal Delaney came and revived the club. We think this is where our founding date of May 10, 1968 came from.

*Archers identified by Robin MacAngus*

Meeting	Outdoor Shoot	Work party
Indoor 300	10:00 Shared Adventures 1:00 Public Class	Indoor 450
SA Shoot	Community Shoot	Critter Getter

Indoor shoots: \$1 members, \$3 guests  
 Outdoor shoots: \$3 members and guests  
 Critter Getter shoots: \$3 members, \$5 guests

**January Critter Getter - Stump Shoot, plus Hamburgers**



**2nd Vice President Report - Larry Yien**

I'm not sure how she found out, but Katniss Everdeen came out to the range this last Saturday to shoot the Critter Getter Stump shoot. I'm sure it was Katniss. I recognized her terrific form and intense focus as she drew back her bow and loosed her arrows. Wow! We all had a great time, jolly laughter, good cheer, and awesome shooting was had by all.

On January 27th 2018, we hosted the first Stump shoot of the year! Just in case you didn't hear we have a new critter getter format which means we shoot up to 3 arrows at each foam critter. If you hit the critter you get a leather coin. We've brought back the scalp rewards this year and with every 4 leather coins earned you can turn them in for a Santa Cruz Archer's scalp.

We had 20 archers shoot at the January Critter Getter. 11 recurves, 7 longbows, and 2 primitive bows. After 14 targets and a bunch of fun we were greeted at the barbecue pit to some juicy hamburgers and fixings. It doesn't get any better than that folks! Special thanks to Dan V., Jack O., Katie, and Erica for their great contributions in re-inventing the new Critter Getter format as well as implementing the scalp program. Also big thanks to Ted D. with manning the BBQ pit and cooking some great Hamburgers. Finally thanks to all the good-natured archers who attended.

Please mark us down in your calendar for the last Saturday of every month at 9am at the Santa Cruz Archery Range. Members - \$3, Guests - \$5. We will have a BBQ after the shoot. The club is providing the burgers. Archers are encouraged to bring side dishes or drinks.



**Primitive - scalps won**

Larry - 3  
Jack - 1



scalp

**Longbow - scalps won**

Andy - 3	Ted - 1
Dan - 3	Jim - 2 guest
Marty - 3	Farid - 1 guest

**Recurve - scalps won**

David - 5	Mark - 2
Don - 2	Robyn - 1
Gabrielle - 2	Travis - 2 guest
Denise - 2	Joe - 1 guest
Henry - 2	

Pictures from Critter Getter & BBQ below



**Dec/Jan Indoor 450 Board Scores**

Archer	M/F	Age	Style	Score	X
Don Moonshine	M	SS	BB	317	2
Carl Wakeland	M	S	BHFS	427	12
Chuck Aring	M	A	LB	197	1
Jeanne Burke	F	SS	TRAD	165	0

**Dec/Jan Indoor 300 Board Scores**

Archer	M/F	Age	Style	Score	X
EunKyung Lee Otte	F	S	TRAD	184	1

**Note from Indoor Range Captain:** Turn in your signed scorecards for *all* club shoots whether it is a board score or not. Those scores could win you a 2018 Club Championship award!



**December Meeting Minutes**

By Andy Sterbenz  
12/5/17

**President – Andy Sterbenz**

1. Thanks to the outgoing officers from 2017 and congratulations to the incoming officers for 2018.
2. Thanks to all who helped with replacing bales on the indoor range.
3. Thanks to Gabrielle, Robyn and everyone else for setting up the club dinner. There are awards from the club shoots to be claimed.
4. Still need to replace bales on the field range.
5. The State Indoor Shoot is here on January 6 and 21. See flyer
6. The Regional Board meeting is this week. Any items to bring up?

**1st VP – last vacant month**

**2nd VP – Marty Vaden**

Archers attended the November Stump Shoot. No stump shoot in December, due to Look What I Got for Christmas 3D Shoot that day.

**Secretary – Steve Andrews (Absent)**

**Treasurer – Susan Bertram** We are solvent and the insurance was paid this month.

**Outdoor Range Captain – Tyson Sheppard**

Target 14 was re-baled. Targets 2 and 21 need attention.

**Indoor Range Captain – Robyn McCool & Mark Hersey**

a. Thanks to the work party for replacing the indoor bales

b. Scoreboard update: nothing posted. Put cards in the box. Write “board score” on top of card if score qualifies.

**Publicity Chair & Newsletter Editor – Gabrielle Garrett**

- a. Newsletter is out. Copies on the web soon.
- b. Flyers for the State 900 are on the counter.

**Membership Chair – Lynn Rollins**

107 members, 41 are working members.

**Key Master & Web Master – Henry Bertram**

Sorry we missed the party

Remember – Don Moonshine is the incoming web master

**Novelty Chair – Belle Leporini**

No report, but there are cookies.

Old Business:

- a. Look What I Got for Xmas Shoot  
Saturday, December 30  
14 animals in hats  
Set-up at 7:30, rolling start at 9:00
- b. MTBA Considering hosting the CBH annual meeting in January 2019. Would anyone here be available to volunteer to assist during 2018 for planning/coordination?  
- Brief discussion, no action
- c. Outdoor Bale Replacement: Can we assemble a work party to tackle the worst sites? It takes 3 people to stack the top bale. Shoot for the January work party.
- d. Logo gear vendor (sweatshirts) report by Belle. Samples on hand of embroidered items by Central Coast Shipping and Screen Printing. Discussed setting up an order for sweatshirts (by



size and type). Mark moved we spend up to \$680 to pay for dye setup for embroidery, large and small screen printing, and order 2 dozen hats. Second by Erick. Passed All to None, one abstaining. See Belle to sign up for the shirts order. Needed by Feb. 1.  
Once the dye is set up, anyone can go in and get a single embroidered item.

**New Business:**

- a. Need to reauthorize sponsoring Shared Adventures for 2018. The program uses the indoor range on the morning of the third Saturday of the month.
  - Erick moved we authorize 2018, second by Tyson, passed all to none.
- b. State Indoor will be here on Sat, 1/6/18 and Sun, 1/21/18, 10 a.m. both days. Shooters need to pre-register so we have enough score cards on-hand.
- c. Next Board Meeting: Sometime in January. Consensus is Tuesday, January 16.

**New member introductions and voting** (Working members need to sign up for a target)

- a. Those completing the process and being voted into membership:

Trevor Hennessey, recurve shooter  
Chuck Aring, recurve shooter  
Steve Maraldo, compound shooter  
Voted in all to none.

- b. Those introducing themselves and starting the process:

Tyler Smith, compound shooter  
Josh Mason, trad shooter  
Chris Birch, all styles  
Joe Fenton, recurve  
Ellen Baker, recurve



## January Meeting Minutes

By Andy Sterbenz  
1/2/2018

**President –Andy Sterbenz**

- A. Congratulations to all on keeping the Regional Club of the Year Trophy
- B. Range was inspected on 12/9/2017. Good until 2019.
- C. Exit road was or is being repaired
- D. We are hosting the Regional 3-D shoot on Sunday, May 20. (unmarked)
- E. Board meeting Tuesday, January 16
- F. State Indoor is here on 1/6 and 1/21

**1<sup>st</sup> VP – Cody Leporini**

The Look What I Got for Xmas shoot went really well. We had a rolling start which worked well.

**2<sup>nd</sup> VP – Larry Yien**

No December stump shoot

- 1. Starting this month, the stump shoot scoring will change. Every animal hit earns you a plain leather shield. At the end of the shoot, you exchange plain shields for embossed shields. At the end of the year, embossed shields earn bigger prizes. Also, we'd like to add an informal BBQ following the shoot.
- 2. Larry brought in a club shirt from the 60's, which had an in-stink-tive shooting logo.
- 3. As the hunting chair, Larry plans to schedule some hunter safety events

**Secretary – Robyn McCool (absent) No report**

**Treasurer – Susan Bertram. We are solvent.**

**Outdoor Range Captain – Tyson Sheppard (absent)**

- 1. Target 21 got new bales last month.
- 2. Thanks to those who replaced the bench on target 22 and added a bow rack on 17.

**Indoor Range Captain –Mark Hersey (absent)**

- 1. Scoreboard Update: new scores posted last weekend.

- 2. Marty purchased a new case of spray glue for the target supply cabinet.

**Publicity Chair & Newsletter Editor – Gabrielle Garrett**

The December/January newsletter is on the website. Articles and photos for next newsletter are needed.

**Membership Chair – Lynn Rollins**

2017 ended with 110 members, 42 are working members .

2018 renewals are coming in this month.

**Key Master – Henry Bertram**

Renew by February 1 or your key card will be deactivated.

**Web Masters – Don Moonshine & Henry Bertram**

- The website calendar defaults to 2017. It will be reset to 2018 sometime soon.
- The transition to Don is in progress.

**Novelty Chair – Marina Sturm**

- There will be a Valentines Novelty shoot on 2/17. The games are still TBD.

**Old Business:**

**Look What I Got for X-mas Shoot results**

- Thanks to all who helped with set-up and take-down. We had 17 archers and great weather.

**State indoor Saturday, 1/6 and Sunday, 1/21**

- Staffing. Henry, Andy and Marty will be there both days. Belle and Gabrielle may help on the 21<sup>st</sup>.
- Registration. Only 6 so far. Be sure to submit before Friday so we can print enough score cards.

**MTBA Board Meeting Notes:**

**Regional Shoot schedule**

Field Round, April 8, Kings Mountain

Unmarked 3D, May 20, Santa Cruz Archers

900 Round, August 5, Black Mountain Bowmen

450 Round, November, various sites and dates

**Valor Games 2018**

- 1. BHU is sponsoring the archery event at the 2018 Valor Games
- 2. Volunteer instructors are needed for Saturday, 6/2/18

- 3. Info is available at [www.valorgamesfarwest.com](http://www.valorgamesfarwest.com)

- 4. Volunteers need to register in advance so they can get on the access roster for Coast Guard island.

**Outdoor Bale Replacement** - Remains an on-going work party item.

**Outdoor Range Markers Update**

Marty is finalizing the list of markers needed.

**Logo Gear Purchase Update**

If you signed up for a sweatshirt, please contact Belle and pre-pay by February 1 so she can place the order.

**B. New Business:**

**Need to authorize advertising budget for 2018.**

- 1. Two shoots with two CBH ads each = 4 ads
- 2. Full page ads in the newsletter run \$165
- 3. Erick moved a \$660 advertising budget, to run ads in April, May, August and September. Second by Jack. Passed by all.

**Regional 3D Shoot Sunday, May 20**

Staffing – Andy plus volunteers

Cooking- BBQ dogs, burgers and beans.

**C. New Member Introductions and Voting**

Those completing the process and being voted into membership. Working members sign up for a target to maintain.

- 1. Chris Berge, trad archer and electrician. Passed by all.

Those introducing themselves and starting the process. See the membership chair after the meeting.

- 2. Michael Fletcher, new compound archer.



**SCA Board of Director Meeting 1/16/18**

Members Present:

X	Andy Sterbenz	X	Cody Leporini	X	Larry Yien
	Susan Bertram	X	Henry Bertram	X	Tyson Sheppard
X	Robyn McCool	X	Mark Hersey		Lynn Rollins
X	Gabrielle Garrett		Don Moonshine	X	Jack Mills
X	Marina Sturm	X	Erick Sturm	X	Belle Leporini
X	Marty Vaden				

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1. Upcoming event details were confirmed.
2. Club Internal Competition – same as last year, with the addition of Critter Getter Stump Shoot awards by Larry Yien for 2018.
3. Newsletter change – No more ads. Instead there will be an Archery Resources page to include all shops, instructors, etc. in our area.
4. Constitution and By-Laws revision request. No changes will be made.
5. SCA social media platforms discussed. We cannot access the google page, twitter page and the public Facebook page. Will try to find owners so we can access. Gabrielle will look into and try to remove the second Facebook page.
6. Outdoor Shoot discussed – No changes will be made. We will still offer the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of each month, except when another big shoot conflicts with it.
7. Club history discussed. Search for records including scrapbook made by Jack but is now missing. Put out request to find missing history on our Facebook page, etc. Search back rooms of club building.
8. Stump Shoot name will change starting with the 1/27 “Critter Getter” & BBQ. Larry Yien is trying to generate more interest as a hunt and fun social event combined.
9. Range maintenance - Tyson. Old bales from Target 16 need to be removed from the creek bed and put in the brush pile. We are not allowed to drop bales in the creek as it spreads invasive weeds. Andy to follow up on this.

Meeting duration: 7:30 – 8:38 PM

### Upcoming Events Outside of Club

DATE	TOURNAMENT	HOST LOCATION
Sat 3/3/18	Al Hartford/Fred Bear 3D – unmarked/28/2	Bowhunters Unlimited – Stevens Creek Park
Sun 3/4/18	North American 3D – marked/28/3	El Dorado Hills Bowmen
Sun 3/11/18	Cabin Fever/Spring WarmUp – Paper 28/3	Straight Arrow Bowhunters - Redding
3/24 & 25/18	Cartoon Classic 3D & Paper - marked/42/2	Lodi Bowmen

See the State CBH/SAA complete calendar and details at <http://cbhsaa.azurewebsites.net/EventCalendar>

### UPCOMING NFAA EVENTS

Feb 9-11, 2018 The Vegas Shoot, Southpoint Hotel, Las Vegas, NV

Mar 10-11, 2018 NFAA Indoor Nationals, Duke Energy Convention Center, Cincinnati, Ohio

Apr 20-22 First Dakota Classic, NFAA Easton Yankton Archery Center, Yankton, S Dakota



### THANKS TO ALL WHO HELP MAINTAIN AND IMPROVE OUR RANGE!

Working members can put in hours by coming to any or all work days, the first Saturday of the month, beginning at 9:00 AM. If you want to offer any special work or make donations to our club, contact President, Andy Sterbenz, or Outdoor Range Captain, Tyson Sheppard first or email [scarchers@comcast.net](mailto:scarchers@comcast.net). We ALWAYS need help picking up garbage and taking full garbage bags from the range. Take a bag if you can. No permission needed!

### Track your club work hours in the log book

Working members are required to contribute 16 hours of service per year. Others may log their hours as well. We need all the help we can get! Locate the red notebook hanging on the back wall of the indoor range. Log your hours on the page that matches your last initial. Thank you!



Santa Cruz Archers (Non-Profit Organization)

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## ARCHER OF THE MONTH LARRY YIEN



Larry pictured with vintage club shirt that belonged to charter member Maurice Anstiss (seen on page 1)

Most of us know Larry Yien as a longbow hunter and primitive archery expert in our club, but when you ask him how he got started in archery, you will be surprised he began as a bowhunter shooting a compound bow for 3 to 4 years before joining Santa Cruz Archers in 1988. He bought a second hand recurve bow soon after and fell in love with a new bowstyle. Then he met Jack Mills who helped him make his first longbow. This changed his life.

For the next 8 years he shot recurve and by 1994 started dabbling in longbow. Longbow was a lot like recurve, just harder. He wanted to meet other archers outside of the club and signed up to compete with a World Archery Team in Darrington, Washington in 1996 with no aspirations to win. All the same, he didn't want to come in last so he practiced hard. The team set 3 new World Records that year. After that he joined the U.S. team in New Zealand, South Africa, Scotland and New York. Larry Yien has won 8 gold medals at IFAA World Championships - 5 team and 3 individual. Each World Archery Team has 7 archery styles competing against other nations. Larry also won silver individual medals in Scotland and New York.

Larry tells that the whole reason for target archery for him was, and is, to become a better bowhunter. His favorite archery activities these days involve backpack

bowhunting, foraging and primitive survival skills. Favorite location – Eastern Sierras.

Larry's other favorite pastimes are fishing and bicycling. He is known as Dr. Larry at Santa Cruz Dental and is married to Jacquie Low. They have two kids, ages 24 and 21.

You can view Larry Yien's Archery on the internet, YouTube and Masters of the Barebow Vol 3 DVD



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## CLUB ARCHERY RESOURCES

### Archery Equipment and Services

Bullseye Archery – [www.bullseyearcheryshop.net](http://www.bullseyearcheryshop.net)

5299 Scotts Valley Dr, Scotts Valley

Predator's Archery – [www.predatorsarchery.com](http://www.predatorsarchery.com) 7350 Monterey St, Gilroy

Jim Cox Adventures – <http://jimcoxarcheryshop.com>

28 Quail Run Circle, Ste D, Salinas

### Archery Instruction Services

Beginner classes at SCA Range – Reserve at [scarchers@comcast.net](mailto:scarchers@comcast.net) for 3<sup>rd</sup> Sat. 1-3 PM

Henry Bertram [henrybertram@comcast.net](mailto:henrybertram@comcast.net) Level 3 Instructor. Specializes in ages 9+, recurve and FITA, beginning to advanced. Offers Archery Instructor Level 2 Certification as needed.

Ian Garner [archerysantacruz@gmail.com](mailto:archerysantacruz@gmail.com) Level 3 Instructor. Specializes in ages 12+, all bowstyles, beginning to advanced.

Gabrielle Garrett [bullseyearchery1@gmail.com](mailto:bullseyearchery1@gmail.com) Level 2 Instructor. Specializes in ages 4+, Genesis bow and traditional, beginners. Offers Level 1 Archery Certification, ages 18+.

JOAD (Junior Olympic Archery Development) – with Level 3 instructor, Ian Garner.

[archerysantacruz@gmail.com](mailto:archerysantacruz@gmail.com)

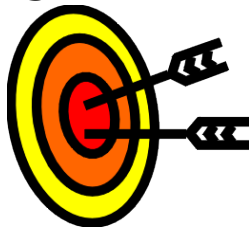
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## Community Shoot night continues!

Every 4<sup>th</sup> Friday! On Community Shoot Night a club member will open the gate by 7:30 p.m. or earlier and anyone is welcome to come and shoot at the indoor range. This is a good time for practice or we may actually conduct a 450 Round that night, depending on who is there and what is decided. Whoever gets there first for any Friday shoot leaves the gate open. **Make sure to tell all guests about using the front gate to exit and to lock all the doors and the gate at the end.**



**Show Club Spirit with logo wear, patches, mugs, and decals available at the indoor range!**

Club Logo Products Available at indoor range

- Cotton tee – dark blue, light blue, or dark green \$15
- Long sleeve shooter shirt, polyester – dark blue, \$30
- Black fleece vest - \$35
- Light blue sports cap - \$10 CLEARANCE
- SCA 12 oz mug - \$10
- SCA decal - \$1.00



## JOIN THE REGIONAL ARCHERY CLUB - MTBA



**Mission Trail Bowhunters Association (CA 56)** is our regional club. You are automatically a member if already a member of CBH/SAA and one of the 6 local clubs in our region.

**If you are a member of SCA but not a member of CBH/SAA there is a \$10 member fee to join.** To shoot in any of the MTBA regional tournaments and have your score count for club points and individual awards, plan to join. Find out more at:

<https://sites.google.com/site/missiontrailbowhunters>



## JOIN THE STATE AND NATIONAL ARCHERY ASSOCIATIONS - COMPETE IN THEIR TOURNAMENTS AND GET THEIR NEWS MAGAZINES!



California Bowmen Hunters/ State Archery Association is our State Club or governing body. CBH/SAA offers several types of memberships: Individual - \$40, Family - \$50, Youth unattached - \$20.

Becoming a member gets you a subscription to monthly news and eligibility to shoot for score and prizes in any official State tournament. If you join the National Field Archery Association (NFAA) you automatically become a member of your State Association.

<http://cbhsaa.azurewebsites.net/JoinCBH>



### National Field Archery Association (NFAA)

This membership qualifies you for national tournaments, certified instructor programs, an Archery Magazine subscription and more. Membership in your State Archery Association is included with this membership of \$70.

To join online go to:

[www.nfaausa.com/membership](http://www.nfaausa.com/membership)



**The next Point On newsletter deadline will be March 27, 2018.** Submit your archery news and pictures OR addition to our new Club Archery Resources section to [go2garrett@sbcglobal.net](mailto:go2garrett@sbcglobal.net)

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