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your contributions!

From the President

I never stop being impressed by VBA members who are committed to our sport and step up when a challenge arises. The latest example came over the winter months, when some members of our Virginia Senate and House introduced legislation that would allow a new device called an "Airbow" (http://www.crosman.com/airbow) to be used during the statewide archery season. This new device shoots an arrow with a standard broadhead out of a scoped rifle using compressed air, at an advertised 450 FPS speed. While I believe the legislators who proposed this legislation had good intent, this device is really an "Airgun", and has no place being used as a legal hunting device during the archery season. In fact, if it had passed, Virginia would have become the first state to approve its use during archery season! But fortunately, we have great members like our Shannon Nesselrodt, Ed Bickham and Curt Lytle who stepped up to speak at public hearings, mobilize a grass roots movement among our clubs, and personally contact legislators to explain our concerns. Through their efforts, we were able to effectively communicate our concerns, and through a letter writing campaign, let them know how many of our members felt this way. Through their efforts, a compromise was reached. The Airgun was approved for use by handicapped hunters for use during the state archery season, and may be used by any hunter during muzzle loader and modern gun seasons. I think this is a reasonable, fair use of this weapon. I would like to publicly thank Shannon, Ed and Curt for leading this effort, and all of you who participated in the letter writing campaign or contacted your State Representative to express your concern. Well Done!

While I don't normally do re-runs of my article, I have recently been hearing some of our newer members asking what the Virginia Bowhunters Association does for them. I addressed that back in 2016, and since the question seems to have surfaced again, I would like to provide the answer I gave back then.

Let's start off with the purpose of the VBA. Article 2 of our Constitution provides the following mission statement: "The purpose of this Association shall be to foster, expand an perpetuate the use of the bow in hunting all legal game; to cooperate with conservation organizations, Game and Fish Commission, and Forestry Services in their efforts for preservation of our natural resourced and wildlife; to promote and encourage all approaches to competitive archery activities within the State of Virginia; and to generally require the highest standards of sportsmanlike conduct in all phases of archery. "

Since our Constitution charges the VBA to support bowhunting, let's go there first. As illustrated above, a large part of what your elected Officers and club Delegates do is to represent your club (and the bowhunting community at large) on a wide variety of issues that impact, or potentially could impact, bowhunting throughout the Commonwealth. Representatives of the VBA regularly attend meetings, write letters, and contacting the state leadership in order to make sure your voice and opinions are heard. If you are a bowhunter, you can be assured the VBA

is protecting your right to bowhunt in the Commonwealth, and sounding the alarm whenever an issue surfaces anywhere in the state that threatens this important part of our outdoor heritage!

And let's not forget that the VBA sponsored the International Bowhunters Education Program to both educate hunters and teach new instructors throughout the state years before the VDGIF decided to sponsor this important bowhunting safety course. Your VBA continues to sponsor it today, and all VBA clubs have the opportunity to host IBEP classes for their members through the VBA's IBEP Coordinator.

What about that portion of our archery community that are strictly target shooters? What does the VBA do for you? First off, do you use the VBA Shoot Card to plan your weekend shooting? Every September the VBA hosts the club Delegates for a meeting where we work out the shooting schedule for the next year, and de-conflict any dates where two clubs in the same zone both have shoots scheduled. That allows you to attend both on different dates, instead of having to choose one over the other. And have you noticed that the shooting styles, rules and guidelines are the same at any VBA club where you shoot? That's because the VBA offers a forum where your club Delegates can discuss and approve changes so you don't find the same equipment you shot with last week puts you into a completely different shooting class the next week when you shoot at another club. Another key point – did you know that the VBA inspects the ranges of member clubs? This is done both to ensure they are laid out in a way that ensures your safety when you shoot on your club's ranges, as well as to make sure archers are not impeded by obstacles when shooting in tournaments. Then there are the State Championships – State Indoor, Spring 3-D Classic, Fall 3-D Classic, State Open and State Closed. These competitive shoots not only give you a chance to test your skills but also to recognize those archers which truly excel in their class and style. They also serve as tune ups for these same archers who compete at the National Level. All because your VBA and club Delegates make this happen!

In short, if you are connected to the sport of archery in anyway, the VBA is there for you, with ongoing programs that live up to our mission statement to promote bowhunting and archery across the Commonwealth. It ensures the sport we all love will be here for our children to enjoy just as much as we do. I don't think you can find a better value for your money!



From the Executive Vice President

With two of the VBA state tournaments in the record books for the year with a good turn out, I would like to stress how important it is that you not only support the VBA at shoots but also your local clubs. Many of the local clubs are small and may not have a lot of resources to not only upgrade their facilities but may not be able to maintain their current way of operating. That's where the membership comes in, the membership needs to support the club by simply coming to tournaments and participating in its events and by bringing in friends that may not even know such events take place. I hope to see an increase in the number of shooters at all of the VBA state shoots and also at the local club shoots and annuals.

With Turkey season and the tournament season well under way now please send me any photos and or articles of hunting success or tournament success or even those, OOPS did I do that, moments so that way we all can be amazed or have a chuckle at what you have done.



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From the Field Vice President

The 2018 Virginia Bowhunters Association State Indoor Sectionals were a success and congrats to the hosting clubs. Thanks for all your hard work and time. This State Indoor Sectional Tournament is the first official VBA tournament of the year and it was held at Belvoir Bowhunters, Bowhunters of Rockingham, Sherwood Archers, and Kingsboro Bowmen. In 2016 the VBA had 144 competitive archers participate in the Indoor State Sectional and in 2017 the VBA had 164 archers competing from across the Commonwealth of Virginia participate. This year I am proud to say that we had 179 total registered archers participated in the 2018 Indoor State Sectional. Thank you to the hosting clubs, Irene Stocksdale, Marie Bell, Chris Holloman, Tim Seymour and a special thanks to Lowell Hertzler for running an exceptional shoot. Congratulations to all that competed in the great sport of indoor archery.

179 Total archers participated in the VBA State Shoot.

- 65 Belvoir Bowhunters
- 33 Sherwood Archers
- 19 Kingsboro Bowmen
- 62 Bowhunters of Rockingham

Awesome job New River Bowhunters on hosting a superb VBA State 3-D shoot. Tony Hall, Alan Duncan made the execution of this shoot seem smooth as silk. Thank you and the New River team for all the hard work and effort. Congratulations to all that competed in the great sport of 3-D archery. The total number of classed shooters were 58 during the Spring 3-D State shoot. If you have not seen this beautiful 3D range please check them out on our Facebook page at https://www.facebook.com/media/set/?set =a.2065632196990806.1073741832.1756414917912537&type=3. Once again, thank you to the hosting clubs, Irene Stocksdale, Marie Bell, and Tim Seymour for your exceptional support.

GROWTH: At the State Indoor Sectional there were 17 guest archers and at the Spring 3-D State shoot there were 27 guest archers. These folks could be potential club members. If you haven't notice I will continue to circle back to "Growing the Great Sport of Archery" through Recruitment, Retention and Re-engagement. As you know when that bow is in your hand it becomes addictive in nature. Thus archery sells itself with positive folks supporting the sport. With that being said, when we conduct our various club shoots and State Championship shoots it's recommended we engage with the guest archers. Look at showing them the positive attributes of your club, the VBA and even other clubs in the area. Have membership forms ready to go. We should all be doing our part to grow the sport. As archers and bowhunters we have a duty to participate in archery events to support the clubs and the sport. The more I reach out to the good people in the Great State of Virginia, I am surprised at all these new clubs popping up across the state. If you find a new club in the area please email me at dalebakari@hotmail.com and the membership chair Larry Readal at lreadal@gmail.com. Let's see how many new clubs we can bring into the VBA fold.

COACHING: If you have a weekend open, think about becoming a certified archery instructor. The State organizations, the VBA, and VBA Clubs always needs volunteer instructors. Archery Instructors and Coaches are the foundation of USA Archery's programs, camps and the athlete development pipeline. Obtaining a certification not only provides you with valuable knowledge and hands-on skills, but also boosts the marketing value of your program. USA Archery, the National Field Archery Association and the Archery Shooters Association jointly recognize all certification levels.

COMPETITION: During the 2018 State Indoor Sectional we had four archers so focused they decided to place one arrow into another thereby earning the "Robin Hood Pin" at the 2018 State Indoor Sectionals. These 4 archers are Tom Korbini from Massanutten Archery Club (MAC); Jeff McManus from Staunton River Archery Club (SRAC); John Weller (Manahoac Bowmen); and Steve Richards from (Belvoir Bowhunters). Congratulations to all of our 2018 Indoor Sectional and Spring 3-D State Champions.

The total number of classed shooters were 58 during the Spring 3-D State shoot with about 27 of them being guest. Just in case some of you were not aware, this is the first year with the Beginner Bowhunter Open Class added to the VBA records; congratulations to Eddie Hickerson on being added to the record books with a score of 254 and 8 (11s).

COMMUNICATION: The Tournament Committee always need volunteers. We have the 2018 State Field Championships (Open & Closed) and the Fall State 3-D Championship shoot on the horizon. You can get the latest information on our website at http://vbarchers.com/ or via Facebook at https://www.facebook.com/VirginiaBowhuntersAssociation/

Congratulations to our Double and Triple Crown Winners of 2017:

Double Crown: Denny Cline (RU); Tony Hall (HF); Jenifer Stoner (FTRD); Regina Stroop (FHC); Paul Vogel (STRD); Mike Westfall (TRD), Triple Crown: Mike Hand (MSMTRAD); Regina Stroop (AFBHFS/R); Logan Weller (YAMFS/R); Mike Westfall (TRD).

Bakari Dale, Field Vice President 🕎

AGENDA ITEMS

- 1. Sect.15.1.10, Registration Fees, PG. 12: Add Sect. E: A 80% refund will be sent to preregistered shooters upon a written request submitted within two weeks of tournament. The host club may keep 20% of fee and send refund within 14 days to shooter. EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATLEY. Passed 33-1.
- 2. Require the posting of all agenda items with submitting club name to the Flight issue, directly following the VBA quarterly meeting. Posting of voting results of agenda items to include the roll call votes for each item in the Flight Magazine, following the votes. EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY. Passed 30-4, amended see VBA Homepage at www.vbarchers.com.
- 3. Bowhunters of Rockingham would like for the VBA to donate a 48"x48" block target to the town of Shenandoah for their new range. EFFECTIVE IMMEDIATELY. Passed 18-5, and 2AB.
- 4. Sherwood Archers proposes that the format for the State Indoor Tournament be changed to allow each of the hosting clubs to choose to hold 2 rounds each day, instead of the normal 3. Shooting times will be the club's choice. Also, we propose to give the club's the option to opt out of the Friday night registration. Each hosting club would be responsible to show changes and advertise it in the Flight and Contracts. EFFECTIVE, 2019. Passed, 33 and 1 AB, Amended.

DGIF ADVISES CAUTION ON WEBSITES SELLING FISHING LICENSES

RICHMOND, VA – The Department of Game and Inland Fisheries (DGIF) is putting out an advisory to the public about websites claiming to sell Virginia fishing licenses. We want to remind you that <u>GoOutdoorsVA</u>. <u>com</u> and <u>dgif.virginia.gov</u> are the only official websites to purchase fishing and hunting licenses, and permits. If you have a smart phone, you can access the <u>Go Outdoors Virginia mobile app</u> for license purchases.

Some of the sites we are aware of are: <u>fishinglicense.org</u>; <u>fishandgamelicenses.org</u>; <u>recreationallicenses.org</u>; <u>org</u>; <u>lice nses.org</u>; and <u>hunting-license.org</u>.

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Virginia Bowhunters Association

Twenty Third ANNUAL AWARDS BANQUET has been Re-Scheduled

Saturday June 9th, 2018 Southern Kitchen Restaurant 9576 South Congress Street, New Market, VA. 22844 Off I-81 & Exit 264

Social Hour: 5:00 p.m. Dinner: 6:00 p.m. Awards Ceremony: 7:00 p.m.

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To Display Your Big Game Animal and for Banquet Information Contact: Shannon Nesselrodt @VBAhuntingvp@outlook.com

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VBA State Indoor 2018



2018 Bowhunters of Rockingham Champions



2018 Bowhunters of Rockingham Winners

VBA State Indoor Championship Hosted by Belvoir Bowhunters, Bowhunters of Rockingham, Kingsboro Bowmen and Sherwood Archers

Rank	Name	Style Style	Day	One	HO W		Day Tw		•	Best	
SC	Raylan Dishman	PWMBB	Score 233	Xs	I/O Xs 1	Score 203	Xs 4	1/0 Xs	Score 223	Xs 3	1/0 Xs 1
SC	Anastasia Dale	CFBB	158	0	0	0	0	0	158	0	0
SC	Haley Berry	CFMHFS/R	264	10	1	266	15	3	266	15	3
GUEST	Emma Stubbbs	CFTRAD	126	1	0	0	0	0	126	1	0
SC	Phoenix Dishman	CMBHFS/F	250	11	1	271	11	6	271	11	6
SC	Michael King	CMBHFS/R	294	27	10	291	31	7	294	27	10
SC	Wyatt Moss	CMFS/R	300	43	11	0	0	0	300	43	11
2nd	Daniel Hollowman	CMFS/R	232	6	1	274	18	3	274	18	3
SC	Keishi Rulz	CMTRAD	81	2	0	141	1	1	141	1	1
SC	Abbegael Allen	YFBB	30	0	0	32	1	0	32	1	0
Class A					_	_	_	_			_
SC 2nd	Steven Leonard	YMBHFS/R YMBHFS/R	295 269	36 9	7 1	0 269	0 11	0 1	295 269	36 11	7 1
3rd	Justin Berry Jacob King	YMBHFS/R	258	14	2	268	18	2	268	18	2
Class B	Ü										
1st	Salvatore Del Vecchio	YMBHFS/R	184	7	3	0	0	0	184	7	3
Class A SC	Chase Daniel	YMFS/R	0	0	0	290	24	8	290	24	8
2nd	Seth Moss	YMFS/R	277	19	2	290	0	0	277	19	2
Class B								_			_
1st Class C	Nathaniel Hollowman	YMFS/R	192	2	1	227	3	0	227	3	0
1st	Gabriel Holloman	YMFS/R	191	4	0	193	5	1	193	5	1
GUEST	Justin Dove	YMFS/R	296	37	8	292	3	7	296	37	8
Class B	Mission Minkows	VAEDD	000	4.5	4	0	0	0	000	4 -	4
SC Class C	Vivian Vickers	YAFBB	269	15	4	0	0	0	269	15	4
1st	Makenzieanne Wygans	YAFBB	169	0	0	130	1	0	169	0	0
Class A	Δ	\/A EDI 150 /D	000	00	0	0	0	0	000	00	0
SC	Ana Moss	YAFBHFS/R	290	20	2	0	0	0	290	20	2
Class A SC	Jennette Leonard	YAFFS/R	297	37	11	0	0	0	297	37	11
2nd	Alexis Carmine	YAFFS/R	283	24	5	295	28	5	295	28	5
Class B	Ella Moss	VA EEC/D	270	01	2	0	0	0	070	01	2
1st		YAFFS/R	279	21	3		0	0	279	21	3
GUEST Class A	Ethan Guynn	YAMBB	173	1	1	0	0	0	173	1	1
SC SC	Jared Jackson	YAMBHFS/R	294	33	8	0	0	0	294	33	8
2nd	Sawyer Dishman	YAMBHFS/R	285	20	3	290	25	7	290	25	7
GUEST	Josh Kirkpatrick	YAMBHFS/R	199	1	0	202	4	0	202	4	0
Class A	Lean Martin	\/A.B.4E.O./D	000	40	10	000	40	47	000	40	47
SC	Logan Weller	YAMFS/R	298	49	19	300	48	17	300	48	17

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Rank	Name	Style		One	1/0 Y-		Day Tw		0	Best	1/0 Y-
Class B			Score	Xs	I/O Xs	Score	Xs	I/O Xs	Score	Xs	I/O Xs
SC	Cay McManus	AFBB	260	12	1	257	7	4	260	12	1
GUEST	Raven Funk	AFBH	280	13	2	0	0	0	280	13	2
Class A	ravorr and	7 (1 1) 11	200	10	_	O	O	O	200	10	_
SC Class B	Regina Stroop	AFBHFS/R	300	41	14	297	39	17	300	41	14
1st	Randi Wines	AFBHFS/R	277	21	2	280	31	6	280	31	6
2nd	Ellena Parks	AFBHFS/R	278	21	1	278	26	5	278	26	5
3rd	Casey Hamrick	AFBHFS/R	271	17	2	0	0	0	271	17	2
Class A											
SC	Lisa Zuber	AFFS/R	298	49	11	300	49	13	300	49	13
2nd	Nadine Mohler	AFFS/R	292	31	8	300	36	8	300	36	8
3rd	Karin Eppard	AFFS/R	297	33	7	0	0	0	297	33	7
	Claire Maxey	AFFS/R	0	0	0	291	24	10	291	24	10
	Cassie Swartwood	AFFS/R	290	29	6	288	27	8	290	29	6
Class B											
1st	Holly Rigney	AFFS/R	289	23	2	277	19	5	289	23	2
2nd	Amber Shifflett	AFFS/R	278	24	4	288	32	4	288	32	4
3rd	Melissa Miller	AFFS/R	283	21	3	282	23	6	283	21	3
	Debra Ramos	AFFS/R	0	0	0	281	18	1	281	18	1
	Christina Tremblay	AFFS/R	237	12	1	270	13	4	270	13	4
Class C	•										
1st	Sarah Ingram	AFFS/R	269	13	3	266	17	3	269	13	3
2nd	Catherine Williams	AFFS/R	259	11	5	246	7	3	259	11	5
GUEST	Cassandra Hughes	AFFS/R	0	0	0	276	13	1	276	13	1
Class A											
SC	Paula Schasberger	AFTRAD	251	6	0	236	0	0	251	6	0
2nd	Jessica Craig	AFTRAD	234	4	1	239	5	0	239	5	0
Class B											
1st	Jill Delligati	AFTRAD	190	1	0	230	7	1	230	7	1
2nd	Wendy Moore	AFTRAD	197	2	1	210	0	0	210	0	0
3rd	Charlene McManus	AFTRAD	202	6	0	209	3	1	209	3	1
Class A											
SC	Rick Stark	AMBB	293	31	9	292	28	2	293	31	8
Class C	1. (() 4	41400	004	0		007	•	•	007	0	•
1st	Jeff Mcmanus	AMBB	231	8	1	237	8	3	237	8	3
GUEST	Justin Bowling	AMBH	289	8	1	0	0	0	289	8	1
Class A											
SC	Darryll Diehl	AMBHFS/R	300	59	23	300	57	16	300		23
2nd	Greg Sisk	AMBHFS/R	300	58	22	0	0	0	300	58	22
3rd	Josh Saufley	AMBHFS/R	297	43	11	300	47	20	300	47	20
	Mike Shupe	AMBHFS/R	0	0	0	300	45	5	300	45	5
	Logan Weller	AMBHFS/R	299	44	7	300	44	13	300	44	13
	Josh Shull	AMBHFS/R	300	40	7	296	33	8	300	40	7
	Levi Cameron	AMBHFS/R	298	44	8	0	0	0	298	44	8
Class B		A			_	-	_	_			_
1st	Eddie Mitchell	AMBHFS/R	296	37	7	0	0	0	296	37	7
2nd	Tom Miller	AMBHFS/R	296	35	10	295	40	8	296	35	10

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Rank	Name	Style	Day Score	/ One Xs	I/O Xs	Score	Day Tw Xs	o I/O Xs	Score	Best Xs	I/O Xs
3rd	Brian Benson	AMBHFS/R	294	35	5	0	0	0	294	35	5
	James Blake	AMBHFS/R	291	29	9	294	34	13	294	34	13
	Danny Korbini	AMBHFS/R	290	24	2	292	30	4	292	30	4
	Alex Wilson	AMBHFS/R	292	27	6	0	0	0	292	27	6
	Darrell Estess	AMBHFS/R	291	28	6	292	26	8	292	26	8
Class C											
1st	Brandon Sikes	AMBHFS/R	289	26	6	0	0	0	289	26	6
2nd	John Weller	AMBHFS/R	277	9	5	275	16	2	277	9	5
GUEST											
	Andrew Custer	AMBHFS/R	293	40	9	0	0	0	293	40	0
	Tracey King	AMBHFS/R	292	32	9	0	0	0	292	32	9
	John Stubbs	AMBHFS/R	265	15	3	0	0	0	265	15	3
Class C											
SC	Nitin Sharma	AMFS/F	277	20	2	277	13	1	277	20	2
2nd	Bakari Dale	AMFS/F	266	10	5	0	0	0	266	10	5
Class A		7 3, 1									
SC	Zack Myers	AMFS/R	0	0	0	300	58	25	300	58	25
2nd	Roman Bond	AMFS/R	300	56	19	300	57	21	300	57	21
3rd	Trent Diehl	AMFS/R	300	55	17	300	49	17	300	55	17
Siu	Isaac Mack	AMFS/R	0	0	0	300	54	19	300	54	19
	Garrett James Satchell	AMFS/R	299	41	11	300	54	19	300	54	19
	Shawn Smith						50				
		AMFS/R	300	53	16	300		15	300	53	16
	Jeremy Price	AMFS/R	300	49	16	300	53	14	300	53	14
	Kirby Gillespie	AMFS/R	300	53	12	299	58	15	300	53	12
	Daryl McKenzie	AMFS/R	300	52	14	0	0	0	300	52	14
	Dwayne Hensley	AMFS/R	300	51	19	299	49	8	300	51	19
	Marcus Diehl	AMFS/R	300	50	10	299	49	15	300	50	10
,	Rodney Williams	AMFS/R	300	44	12	299	43	8	300	44	12
\	Daniel Bailey	AMFS/R	300	42	12	0	0	0	300	42	12
	Zane Rigney	AMFS/R	300	41	13	294	44	11	300	41	13
	Bruce Maxey	AMFS/R	0	0	0	300	40	16	300	40	16
	Clint Wheelbarger	AMFS/R	299	50	17	298	48	13	299	50	17
	Charles Daniel	AMFS/R	0	0	0	299	46	13	299	46	13
	Alan Reedy	AMFS/R	299	43	11	299	45	13	299	45	13
	Steven Blackwell	AMFS/R	0	0	0	299	41	9	299	41	9
	Travis Montgomery	AMFS/R	298	40	13	0	0	0	298	40	13
	Scott Carmine	AMFS/R	298	36	10	0	0	0	298	36	10
	Justine Bryant	AMFS/R	0	0	0	298	36	8	298	36	8
Class B	0 11 0 11	A N 4EO /D	007	40	4.0	0	0	0	007	40	40
1st	Scott Dillard	AMFS/R	297	43	13	0	0	0	297	43	13
2nd	Chris Pegg	AMFS/R	297	24	2	289	35	8	297	24	2
3rd	Joshua Shifflett	AMFS/R	296	29	11	295	34	9	296	29	11
	Wesley Hamrick	AMFS/R	295	30	6	0	0	0	295	30	6
	Joseph Dawkins	AMFS/R	294	38	6	0	0	0	294	38	6
	Robert Garber	AMFS/R	292	34	7	283	24	4	202	34	7
0 1 2	Donald Hanger	AMFS/R	291	24	5	290	27	10	291	24	5
Class C	Olevilatavila av III. II	A N 4 E O / D	000	10	^	000	00	0	000	00	0
1st	Christopher Holloman	AMFS/R	283	16	2	289	28	3	289	28	3
2nd	Rodney Roberts	AMFS/R	289	25	1	287	28	3	289	25	1

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Rank	Name	Style	Day Score	/ One Xs	I/O Xs	Score	Day Tw Xs	o I/O Xs	Score	Best Xs	I/O Xs
3rd	Darrell Lovern	AMFS/R	0	0	0	286	33	6	286	33	6
	Nathan Fry	AMFS/R	284	26	6	0	0	0	284	26	6
	Allen Smith	AMFS/R	277	10	2	0	0	0	277	10	2
	Dylan Bond	AMFS/R	262	15	2	262	13	0	262	15	2
GUEST											
	Brad Baker, Jr.	AMFS/R	0	0	0	300	60	21	300	60	21
	Russell Newton	AMFS/R	298	42	7	0	0	0	298	42	7
	Hunter Sheelbarger	AMFS/R	298	40	10	295	33	9	298	40	10
	Gary Davis	AMFS/R	268	14	1	0	0	0	268	14	1
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SC	Robert Jennings	AMTRAD	246	0	0	231	1	1	246	0	0
2nd Class C	Jeff Moore	AMTRAD	218	42	1	245	9	3	245	9	1
1st	Jeff Del Vecchio	AMTRAD	175	1	1	0	0	0	175	1	1
2nd	Scott Allen	AMTRAD	106	0	Ó	91	1	0	106	0	0
SC	Doreen Rizopoulos	SFBHFS/R	252	10	3	231	4	0	252	10	3
SC	Brenda Bond	SFFS/R	300	52	14	300	43	3	300	52	14
SC	Robin Vogel	SFTRAD	263	10	3	249	8	2	263	10	3
2nd	Wendy Moore	SFTRAD	0	0	0	203	4	0	203	4	0
SC	Vance Cave	SMBHFS/R	300	52	15	0	0	0	300	52	15
2nd	Brian Baldridge	SMBHFS/R	300	46	10	0	0	0	300	46	10
3rd	Franklin Jones	SMBHFS/R	298	47	15	300	46	9	300	46	9
	Joseph Heavner	SMBHFS/R	299	33	11	298	32	9	299	33	11
	Terry Ridgepath	SMBHFS/R	298	47	17	297	32	10	298	47	17
	Richard Danyliw	SMBHFS/R	296	35	8	0	0	0	296	35	8
	Tom Korbini	SMBHFS/R	281	13	4	281	20	4	281	20	4
SC	Tony Hall	SMFS/F	263	8	2	0	0	0	263	8	2
GUEST	David Payne	SMFS/F	226	53	3	243	9	0	243	9	0
SC	Tom Lynch	SMFS/R	300	58	20	0	0	0	300	58	20
2nd	JR Ingram	SMFS/R	300	47	8	300	51	7	300	51	7
3rd	David Constantine	SMFS/R	292	37	11	299	35	8	299	35	8
ord	Jeff Warf	SMFS/R	295	47	15	298	47	9	298	47	9
	James Hutchison	SMFS/R	297	33	6	288	25	5	297	33	6
	Richard Danyliw	SMFS/R	296	28	4	295	41	12	296	28	4
	David Estep	SMFS/R	295	40	8	0	0	0	295	40	8
	Jeff Richards	SMFS/R	0	0	0	292	36	11	292	36	11
	Patrick Donegan	SMFS/R	291	28	5	285	31	3	291	28	5
	Dale Michael	SMFS/R	284	30	2	289	21	7	289	21	7
	Shawn Murphy	SMFS/R	0	0	0	280	20	3	280	20	3
SC	Terry Ballowe	SMTRAD	258	12	3	264	10	0	264	10	0
2nd	Jeff Moore	SMTRAD	0	0	0	252	6	0	252	6	0
3rd	Michael Light	SMTRAD	238	5	1	236	5	0	238	5	1
	Walter Spaulding	SMTRAD	200	2	2	196	0	0	200	2	2
	Keith Matheny	SMTRAD	192	3	0	196	3	0	196	3	0
	Jerome Michonski	SMTRAD	194	6	1	0	0	0	194	6	1
	Ron Buzalsky	SMTRAD	107	0	0	146	1	1	146	1	1
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Rank	Name	Style		One			Day Tw			Best		
			Score	Xs	I/O Xs	Score	Xs	I/O Xs	Score	Xs	I/O Xs	
SC	Doug Bradford	SSMBB	250	3	0	0	0	0	250	3	0	
2nd	Steve Moore	SSMBB	248	10	3	0	0	0	248	10	3	
SC	Patrick Hamp	SSMBHFS/R	297	38	7	299	48	8	299	48	8	
2nd	Ralph Santmyer	SSMBHFS/R	296	33	3	297	38	9	297	38	9	
3rd	Paul Vogel	SSMBHFS/R	0	0	0	296	34	8	296	34	8	
	Ronnie Benson	SSMBHFS/R	291	24	8	0	0	0	291	24	8	
	Steve Richards	SSMBHFS/R	290	25	7	285	29	6	290	25	7	
SC	Jim Little	SSMFS/F	281	17	4	284	20	7	284	20	7	
SC	Steve Moore	SSMFS/R	290	25	5	0	0	0	290	25	5	
2nd	Jarrett Frame	SSMFS/R	280	29	5	289	23	5	289	23	5	
3rd	Kevin Brown	SSMFS/R	285	23	6	287	29	6	287	29	6	
SC	Robert Pecora	SSMTRAD	236	12	6	0	0	0	236	12	6	
2nd	Teddy Breeden	SSMTRAD	235	4	1	0	0	0	235	4	1	
3rd	Dan Brewer	SSMTRAD	201	7	3	0	0	0	201	7	3	
SC	Mary Wenzel	MSFFS/R	264	13	3	258	9	2	264	13	3	
SC	Howard Farris	MSMBB	272	17	6	273	14	4	273	14	4	
2nd	James Sorrell	MSMBB	259	15	1	259	10	4	259	15	1	
SC	Ed Bickham	MSMBH	0	0	0	121	1	0	121	1	0	
SC	Bill Swick	MSMBHFS/R	264	17	5	0	0	0	264	17	5	
SC	Jerry Wenzel	MSMFS/F	241	7	1	240	6	1	241	7	1	
SC	Lowell Hertzler	MSMFS/R	297	39	9	299	46	20	299	46	20	
2nd	Ted Lytton	MSMFS/R	294	37	7	293	45	10	294	37	7	
3rd	Marvin Huffman	MSMFS/R	0	0	0	287	30	5	287	30	5	
	Robert Lyons	MSMFS/R	266	11	2	0	0	0	266	11	2	
SC	Mike Hand	MSMTRAD	202	3	0	203	6	1	203	6	1	







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VBA INDOOR RECORDS 2018



STYLE		BEST ROU	IND COUNTS		1941-2016
	NAME			X'S	INCIDE OUT V'
		YEAR	BEST ROUND		INSIDE-OUT X'S
AFBB	Cay McMannus	2017	269	12	4
AMBB	Dwayne Martin	2014	294	20	5
AMBH	Kris Hale	2014	267	18	4
AMBHFS/F	Jim Little	2014	280	26	6
AFBHFS/R	Regina Stroop	2018	300	41	14
AMBHFS/R	Darryll Diehi	2015&18	300	59	23
AMFS/F	Denny Baird	2014	284	23	6
AFFS/F	Sidney Davis	2015	255	6	1
AFFS/R	Valerie Murdoch	2014	300	54	20
AMFS/R	Jedd Greshock	2017	300	60	27
AFTRAD	Jenifer Stoner	2017	282	13	2
AMTRAD	Mike Westfall	2017	272	20	5
SFBHFS/R	Thoy Baker	2015	264	15	4
SMBHFS/R	Jim Little	2017	274	11	2
SFFS/R	Brenda Bond	2018	300	52	14
SMFS/R	Tom Lynch	2017	300	58	22
SMBB	Troy Stoner	2016	233	6	1
SFTRAD	Robin Vogel	2018	263	10	3
SMTRAD	Paul Vogel	2014	279	21	4
		2015	300	45	11
SSMBHFS/R	Patrick Hamp				
SSFFSR	Bertha Brugh	2014	289	17	6
SSMFS/R	Herb Hawse	2015	300	49	10
SSMFS/F	Jim Little	2018	284	20	7
SSFTRAD	Sanda O'Shea	2015	206	2	0
SSMTRAD	Paul Vogel	2017	277	16	6
MSMBB	Denny Cline	2017	281	14	4
MSMBHFS/R	Bill Swick	2014	269	12	1
MSFFS/R	Mary Wenzel	2015	269	9	5
MSMFS/R	Ted Litton	2017	300	45	12
MSMFS/F	Jerry Wenzel	2015	272	17	7
MSMTRAD	Russell Hatchl	2015	237	9	1
PWMBB	Raylan Dishman	2018	223	3	1
PWMBHFS/R	John King	2016	172	6	3
PWFBHFS/R	Mia Kull	2014	219	6	3
CFBB	Kylie Marisa	2014	258	5	2
CMBB	Luke Hatchi	2014	236	8	0
CMBH	Ethan Mullins	2014	258	5	2
CFBHFS/R	Clara Layton	2016	289	28	7
CMBHFS/R	Colton Morris	2016	289	28	7
CMBHFS/F	Phoenix Dishman	2018	271	11	6
				54	17
CFFS/R	Chessea Neville	2017	300		
CMFS/F	Phoenix Dishman	2016	169	0	0
CMFS/R	Wyatt Moss	2018	300	43	11
CMTRAD	Dheeraj Reddy Indela	2015	245	8	1
YMBB	Sawyer Dishman	2017	228	5	0
YFBB	Vivian Vickers	2014	221	6	2
YFBHFS/R	Jennette Leonard	2016	291	31	5
YMBHFS/R	Chris King	2016	299	45	9
YMFS/R	Logan Weller	2016	300	42	11
YFFS/R	Jeanette Leonard	2016	296	36	10
YMTRAD	Koen Beugelsdijk	2014	300	0	0
YAFBHFS/R	Kelsey Baird	2015	297	42	13
YAMBHFS/R	Chris King	2017	299	42	9
YAMFS/R	Kevin Clayton	2015	300	58	19
YAFFS/R	Jeanette Leonard	2018	297	37	11
YAFBB	Vivian Vickers	2018	269	15	4
"	Logan Weller	2017	138	2	1

2018 VBA STATE OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP

Hosted by Sherwood Archers

www.sherwoodarchersroanokeva.com

May 26th & 27th

Registration Times: Sat. 7-8am Shotgun start 9:00

Registration Fees: \$20.00 per adult, \$5 each for 1st two

youth with a \$50 maximum per family.

28 Field targets 1st Day and 1/2 Hunter-1/2 Animal 2nd Day Shoot both days for awards.

Breakfast and Lunch served daily. Dinner Sat. evening.



La Quinta Inn (3 miles) 540-562-2717 Exit 141 Baymont Inn (3miles) 540-795-2114 Exit 141 Holiday Inn Express (3 miles) 54-562-3229 Exit 141 Primitive Camping at Sherwood w/bathrooms

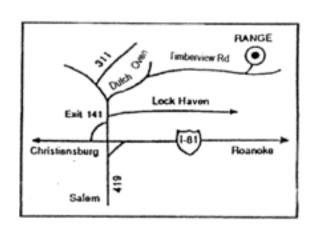
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Registration for VBA State ChampionshipPlease print clearly

Name					V BA	· #			
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Division:	PeeWee	Cub Y	outh	Young Ad	lult Adult	Senior S	Silver Si	r. Ma	ster Sr.
<u>Gender</u> :	M F	Style:	FS/R	FS/F	BHFS/R	BHFS/F	ВН	BB	TRAD
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VBA 2018 Spring 3D Classic

hosted by New River Bowhunters



VBA Spring 3D Classic 2018

		-	Day 1	Day 2	Best
Rank	Name	Style	Score 11s	Score 11s	Score 11s
SC	Sydney Farley	FY	0 0	92 0	92 0
SC	Nick Shupe	AHC	224 4	0 0	224 4
2nd	Willy Whitlock	AHC	221 5	0 0	221 5
SC	Eddie Hickerson	BBO	254 8	0 0	254 8
2nd	Johnny Waddle	BBO	242 6	244 5	244 5
3rd	Cody Bowman	BBO	234 0	0 0	234 0
	Brian Moore	BBO	202 2	0 0	202 2
SC	Cathy Williams	FBO	198 3	155 2	198 3
2nd	Millissa Miller	FBO	140 0	167 0	167 0
SC	Brandy Stowers	FHC	0 0	252 8	252 8
SC	Cay McManus	FTRD	202 1	213 3	213 3
2nd	Jessica Craig	FTRD	199 5	0 0	199 5
3rd	Charlene McManus	FTRD	168 2 238 5	167 2	168 2 253 7
SC	Danny Korbini	HC		253 7	
2nd	Brian Benson	HC	247 6	244 7	247 6
3rd	Eric Hicks	HC	223 3	0 0	223 3
	Jonathan Sullivan	HC	218 1	0 0	218 1
	Ethan Huff	HC	193 3	0 0	193 3
	Paul Whitlock	HC	176 1	0 0	176 1
SC	Tony Hall	HF	208 1	0 0	208 1
SC	Tony Hall	LB	0 0	184 2	184 2
SC	Randy Patterson	MBO	255 11	0 0	255 11
2nd	Robby Moore	MBO	252 10	0 0	252 10
3rd	Rodney Williams	MBO	245 7	249 7	249 7
	Russell Newton	MBO	238 7	0 0	238 7
	Eric Floyd	MBO	236 7	0 0	236 7
	Joey Warf	MBO	0 0	210 3	210 3
SC	Luke Hudson	MBR	225 8	0 0	225 8
2nd	Dillon Baker	MBR	224 8	0 0	224 8
SC	Michael Light	RU	169 1	193 0	193 0
2nd	Denny Cline	RU	191 1	0 0	191 1
3rd	Jeff Moore	RU	188 1	183 1	188 1
	Jared Chisom	RU	176 1	159 2	176 1
	Windy Moore	RU	128 0	149 0	149 0
	Darrell Brooks	RU	64 0	0 0	64 0
SC	Jeffery McManus	TRD	134 1	119 0	134 1
SC	Locksley Hutchens	MSR	0 0	250 6	250 6
2nd	Jim Gregory	MSR	247 9	0 0	247 9
3rd	David Smith	MSR	246 6	0 0	246 6
	Charles Vipperman	MSR	0 0	244 4	244 4
	Clarence Roten	MSR	226 7	243 7	243 7
	Frankie Farley	MSR	235 6	242 6	242 6
	Jimmy Peak	MSR	0 0	236 7	236 7
	Lee Weddle	MSR	234 3	0 0	234 3
	Edward Harrell	MSR	211 2	0 0	211 2
SC	Tom Korbini	SHC	224 3	234 4	234 4
2nd	John McKinzie	SHC	224 5	227 3	227 3
3rd	Earle Hickerson	SHC	211 6	0 0	221 6
SC	E. H. Braden	MCBH	235 5	0 0	235 5
2nd	John Hoffman	MCBH	229 7	0 0	229 7
SC	Paul Vogel	STRD	212 1	229 8	229 8
2nd	Mike Hand	STRD	113 0	0 0	113 0

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VBA Spring 3-D Classic Records
Using IBO format, starting Spring 2014
Best round counts for placement and records

Style	Name	Year	1st Round	2nd Round	Record Score/11's
FBH	Rylan Brown	2017	228/6	0	228/6
CUB	Parker Harris	2016	238/3	238/9	238/9
YH	Chris King	2016	258/10	267/17	267/17
YHF	Ethan Mullins	2014	156	132/1	156
YMR 13-14	Chris King	2015	254/14	255/11	255/11
YMR 15-17	Kevin clayton	2014	245/5	0	245/5
FY	Kelsey Baird	2014	233/5	232/4	233/5
HC	Jeremy Dean	2017	258/8	259/13	259/13
FHC	Regina Stroop	2017	252/8	266/16	266/16
HF	Tony Hall	2016	191/3	215/11	215/11
MBR	Shannon Nesselrodt	2017	243/5	0	243/5
AHC	Kirby Gillespie	2017	254/10	241/9	254/10
FBR	Regina Stroop	2016	232/7	0	232/7
MBO	Randy Patterson	2016	267/17	0	267/17
FBO	Karin Eppard	2016	241/6	238/6	241/6
MBF	Denny Baird	2014	191	174	191
RU	John Demmer	2014	231/8	243/6	243/6
LB	Grayson Partlow	2014	224/1	225/6	225/6
TRD	Paul Vogel	2014	191/4	234/7	234/7
FTRD	Robin Vogel	2015	206/6	228/6	228/6
FSR	Jonell Frantz	2016	234/6	0	234/6
MSR	Clarence Roten	2015	252/10	241/6	252/10
SHC	Patrick Eppard	2017	256/10	230/8	256/10
MCBH	Joel Lecker	2016	256/13	0	256/13
MHC	Ronnie Layman	2017	242/8	243/6	243/6
STRD	Paul Vogel	2015	0	246/10	246/10
SMC	Lowell Hertzler	2017	239/6	0	239/6
SFHC	Melinda Wilson	2016	234/5	0	234/5
BBO	Eddie Hickerson	2018	254/8	0	254/8



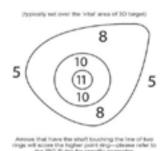


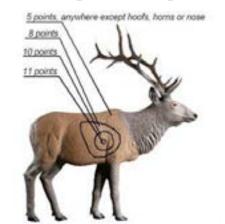


2018 IBO World Qualifier & 3-D ARCHERY SHOOT Sunday, May 12th, 2018

Fort Belvoir, Outdoor Archery Range
10155 Johnston Rd. Fort Belvoir VA 22060
Registration: 0800 to 1000 AM
This is a qualifying event for the IBO World
Championship.













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- > Food
- > IBO Rules & Classes
- > 30 targets
- <u>Unmarked distance</u>
 <u>up to 50 vards</u>
- Scoring: 11-10-8-5-0

IBO Qualifiers: \$20

Non-Qualifiers: \$15 for adults, \$5 for each additional family for a max of \$25 per family

For more information contact:

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BELVOIR BOWHUNTERS 2018 BOWFISHING TOURNAMENT Saturday, June 16, 2018



Registration: \$20 per shooter



Registration begins at 7 AM

Shotgun start: 7:30 AM

Check-in / Weigh-in at 2 PM at Pohick Regional Bay Park

Cash prizes for the longest, heaviest, and biggest 5 fish stringer, any combination of Carp, Gar, and/or Snakehead fish!

Small non-motorized watercraft with proper post access may launch from the area near Bldg 778 between NW point and children's playground on Ft Belvoir. All other watercraft must launch from Pohick Regional Bay Park. ALL Federal and State Game Regulations and Boating Regulations must be followed!



2018 Belvoir Bowhunters' Annual Pig Roast and 3D Shoot



Come join us on
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The "Dave Proctor Bowhunter Award for the Virginia Bowhunters Association"

The "Dave Proctor Bowhunter Award" program has been created by the VBA in memory of and with great respect to David Proctor who served the VBA as Hunting VP and Executive VP for many years in a dedicated and exemplary manner, giving us all an example of a true Virginia sportsman and bowhunter.

The "Dave Proctor Award" is effective for the harvest of all big and small game beginning January 14, 2018. Game harvested shall be reported to the VBA Secretary each year on the form provided by the VBA. The reporting year shall coincide with the end of the end of the regular Virginia archery season, the first Saturday in January of each year, through the end of the season the next year. The reporting form shall be mailed to the VBA secretary no later than 30 days after the end of the reporting year.

The "Dave Proctor Bowhunter Award" is available to current members of the VBA. Any game reported must have been taken while a member of the VBA, game harvested prior to becoming a member are not eligible. Each level achieved must be completed before a member can begin accumulating points for the next award level. All game taken must be harvested according to rules of "fair chase" and in compliance with all game

laws and regulations of the state or locality in which harvested. All game reported for this award must have been harvested by means of legal Virginia archery equipment. Game reported may be from Virginia or wherever the travels of the VBA member may take them, across the country or around the world. Any member known to report illegal kills or falsifying game reported will forfeit all accumulated points and will be disqualified from participating in the "Dave Proctor Award" program thereafter.

There shall be three (3) levels of achievement for the "David Proctor Bowhunter Award". All award levels will be achieved according to the points system as listed below:

FIRST AWARD - "Virginia Bowhunter"

A total of fifty (50) points are needed to achieve the "David Proctor Virginia Bowhunter" award level. At least four (4) different game species are required, one (1) of which must be a big game animal. Members achieving this award will be presented with a "VBA David Proctor Virginia Bowhunter"

Certificate recognizing their achievement and will be acknowledged in the Flight newsletter.

SECOND AWARD - "Southern Bowhunter"

A total of one hundred (100) points are needed to achieve the "David Proctor Southern Bowhunter Award". At least four (4) game species are required, two (2) of which must be big game animals. Members achieving this award will be presented with a special edition "VBA David Proctor Southern Bowhunter" Sheath Knife recognizing their achievement and will be acknowledged in the Flight newsletter.

THIRD AWARD – "Ultimate Virginia Bowhunter"

A total of one hundred fifty (150) points are needed to achieve the "David Proctor Ultimate Virginia Bowhunter Award". At least four (4) game species are required, three (3) of which must be big game animals. Members achieving this award will be presented with a special edition VBA David Proctor Ultimate Bowhunter Custom Embroidered Hunting Jacket recognizing their achievement, will be honored as a special "Ultimate Bowhunter" guest of the VBA president at the next VBA banquet, and will be acknowledged in the Flight newsletter.

POINTS SYSTEM

DEER Whitetail, Coues, Mule, Blacktail

Buck - 10 points

Doe - 5 points

Button Buck - 5 points

ELK Rocky Mountain, Roosevelt

Bull - 15 points

Cow - 10 points

CARIBOU Mountain, Barren Ground, Woodland

Bull - 15 points

Cow - 10 points

MOOSE Alaska – Yukon, Canadian, Wyoming (Shiras)

Bull - 15 points

Cow – 10 points

ANTELOPE

Buck - 10 points

Doe – 5 points

BEAR Black

Boar - 15 points

Sow – 10 points

Brown, Polar, Grizzly

Boar - 25 points

Sow - 25 points

MOUNTAIN SHEEP & GOAT

Male - 20 points

Female – 20 points

MOUNTAIN LION

Male - 20 points

Female - 20 points

WILD PIG Russian Boar, Javeline, Feral Hog

Male – 10 points

Female - 10 points

TURKEY 15 points

SMALL GAME

Rabbit, Squirrel, Groundhog, Carp, Gar, Raccoon,

Bobcat.

Fox (red or grey), Opossum, Skunk, Coyote

1 point - Maximum of 5 points per species each year

SMALL GAME BIRDS

Quail, Grouse, Pheasant, Dove, Crow, Water Fowl

2 points - Maximum of 6 points per species each

year

Note: Any big game animal taken scoring the Pope & Young minimum score or higher will earn an extra 5 points.

Note: This Awards Program is based on an awards program that Dave

Proctor developed in 1984 and managed for the Bowhunters Of

Rockingham. The BOR award is called the "Southern Bowhunter Award".

Many BOR members have worked to achieve these awards over the years.

Note: Snakes and other types of nongame animals do not qualify for this

award. Protected species do not qualify for this award.

Note: Should a VBA member harvest and report a recognized game animal not listed here, the VBA Hunting VP shall assign a points value for

that animal in keeping with the scale and difficulty as listed above.

Lowell Hertzler

for Shannon Nesselrodt, VBA Hunting Vice President

16 NEW CWD POSITIVE WHITE-TAILED DEER IN NORTHWEST VIRGINIA

RICHMOND, VA- Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) was confirmed by the Virginia Department of Game and Inland Fisheries (DGIF) in 14 deer in Frederick County and two deer in Shenandoah County during the 2017 deer hunting season. Fifteen of the deer were harvested by hunters and one deer was killed by a vehicle. Approximately 1,500 deer from Frederick, Clarke, Warren, and Shenandoah counties were tested for CWD during the hunting season. Since 2009, 38 CWD-positive deer have been confirmed in Frederick (35) and Shenandoah (3) Counties.

The Virginia CWD Containment Area borders are expected to remain the same – the four counties named above - for the fall 2018 hunting season. DGIF plans to collect CWD samples from the Containment Area on the first two Saturdays of the 2018 firearms deer season.

DGIF appreciates the assistance of deer hunters for the excellent cooperation during CWD sample collection this past fall. DGIF would also like to thank the cooperating road-kill contractor and deer processors for their assistance. We look forward to continuing these partnerships in 2018.

CWD has been detected in 24 states and three Canadian provinces. The disease is a slow, progressive neurologic (brain and nervous system) disease found in deer, elk, and moose in North America which ultimately results in death of the animal. It is spread through urine, feces, and saliva. Symptoms do not appear for several years and include staggering, abnormal posture, lowered head, drooling, confusion, and marked weight loss.

There is no evidence that CWD can be naturally transmitted to humans, livestock, or pets, but the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention advise hunters to test all deer harvested from known CWD-positive areas and to not consume any animals that test positive for the disease. Regulations pertaining to CWD, maps of affected states, and more information about the disease and what DGIF is doing about it can be found on the DGIF website at: <a href="https://www.dgif.wwww.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.wwww.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.wwww.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.wwww.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.wwww.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.wwww.dgif.www.dgif.wwww.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.wwww.dgif.wwww.dgif.www.dgif.wwww.dgif.www.dgif.wwww.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.www.dgif.wwww.dgif.www.dgi

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VIRGINIA BOWHUNTERS ASSOCIATION DAVID PROCTOR BOWHUNTER AWARD GAME REPORT FORM

NAME	VBA #	
Address		
City		
State	Zip	
e-mail	Phone	
BIG GAME ANIMALS HARVESTED		
Species	Male Female P & Y* Date of Kill	
Species	Male Female P & Y* Date of Kill	
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SMALL GAME ANIMALS HARVEST	ED	
Species	Number Harvested Date of Kill	
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(To be completed and mailed to the VBA Secretary at any time or within 30 days after the end of the Virginia big game archery season each year.)

^{*} Note: Credit for Pope & Young points must be accompanied by a scoresheet from certified P&Y or B&C scorer. Mail to: Marie Bell, VBA Executive Secretary, 1223 Jeanette Avenue, Vinton, VA. Or e-mail VBABowhunters@Cox.net



APPLICATION FOR VBA INDIVIDUAL ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

Robin Hood Any VBA member that telescopes an arrow in the highest scoring area on the target. (3-D targets and Maple Leaf Animals, the arrow would only need to be in the kill area). The Robin Hood must be shot at a VBA sanctioned shoot on a VBA approved range. The scorecard must be signed by 2 witnesses, accompanied by \$5.00 and sent to the VBA Executive State Secretary.

500 Pin Any VBA member that scores 500 or better at a VBA sanctioned shoot on a VBA approved range. The round must be shot from the adult stakes on a field, hunter or field/hunter combination round. The scorecard must be signed by 2 witnesses, accompanied by \$5.00 and sent to the Executive State Secretary.

Perfect Animal Any VBA member that shoots a 20 or higher on each of the 14 unit animal targets for a total score or 280 or more. The round must be shot from the adult stakes on a VBA approved range at a sanctioned VBA shoot. The scorecard must be signed by 2 witnesses, accompanied by \$5.00 and sent to the VBA Executive State Secretary.

500 Pin

Perfect Animal Pin

Name:		_ VBA Number:	—
Address:			
Phone No:	E-mail:		
VBA Tournament:		Date:	_
	Award Applying	for: (please circle below)	

Mail the application along with your witnessed score card and \$5.00 to: Marie Bell, Executive State Secretary 1223 Jeanette Avenue Vinton, VA. 24179

Robin Hood Pin

Note: Please make your \$5.00 check payable to "VBA"

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Application for VBA Game Awards



Date:		
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(Print name as it appears on VBA Card)	(VBA Number)	(Street Address)
(City and State)	,(Zip Code)	(Phone No (Home or Cell)
Your Email Address, (Buck) (Doe	I hereby certify that !) (Bear) (Turkey) this ye	t I have harvested a ear and that I am a member of the
		ng at that time. All animals, Carp & Gar must bruary 1 st of the next year. I hereby submit a
application for one or more of the followin		<u> </u>
☐ Bill Bennett Award (bear, deer, tu☐ Largest VA Buck by Virginia Scoring		If first BB Award check here.
Largest VA Bear by Virginia Scoring	Largest Carp by length	
Largest VA Turkey (Bearded) by Vin Largest Doe by Pennsylvania (PA) G Double Slam for VA Bear, Deer, Tui Triple Slam for VA Bear, Deer and T	rginia Scoring System Girth System rkey (circle 2)	
Pertinent information is provided below: VBA Club Affiliation: Date of Bow Harvest:		sken In
Time of Day: (a.m		
Type of bow: Compound:		
Hunting method: Tree Stand:	Ground Blind:	Stalking: Other:
Rack Score:		
Name of Scorer (print):		
Note: Must use the guidelines from the V www.vbarchers.com. Signed score sheet must accompany this a All Turkey entries must have weight certification.	application and a copy	of the DGIF game tag or confirmation numb
(If possible, include a picture with description	on of game harvested f	for publication in FLIGHT.)
Print Name and Signature of Witness:	(Parsan who saw a	, ame after it was harvested)
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THIS APPLICATION MUST BE RETURNED WITHIN 90 DAYS OF HARVEST (CUT OFF DATE IS MARCH 1st)
MAIL TO: VBA EXECUTIVE STATE SECRETARY, MARIE BELL, 1223 JEANETTE AVENUE VINTON, VA. 24179

Note: First, second and third place awards for Buck, Doe by Weight, Turkey and/or Bear. The Carp and Gar winner(s) will receive first place award only. The first Bill Bennett award is a Plaque and following award are cast arrows.

2018 VBA Calendar of Events

VBA meetings

Banquet June 9, meeting June 10 Scheduling meeting Sept 15 Meeting Sept 16

Tournaments 2018

Open May 26 & 27
Fall 3D Aug 18 & 19
Closed Sept 1 & 2



Just a reminder that the VBA has a \$500.00 Conservation Scholarship Available each year [providing funds are available]. Written request for the scholarship must be submitted to the VBA President by March 1st for approval by the directors. VBA members and their immediate family members are eligible. Scholarship can be used at any institute of higher learning for Forestry or Wildlife Conservation/Law Enforcement.



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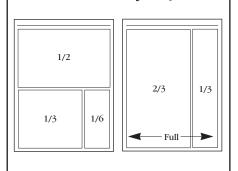
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is green,
flowers
are blooming,
mushrooms are
popping and Turkeys
are gobbling and
that means it's time
to get outside
and have an
adventure.

ORDER OF THE GOLDEN FEATHER

NOMINATIONS DUE IN MARCH

The VBA Order of the Golden Feather was created to honor those persons who have given unselfishly of their time and talents toward the betterment of archery and archers. Recipients are persons who possess the virtues of sportsmanship, character, morals, integrity and friendship. As a reflection of the substance for membership, only 80 people have been elected to the Order in the past 71 years.

To be qualified, a candidate must be member in good standing of the VBA at the time of nomination, must have a minimum of ten successive years' membership in the VBA and must be sponsored by three VBA members of good standing or by a VBA Club.

This article is a reminder that candidates must be submitted to the Board of Directors at the March meeting for this year. Nominations must be in writing and be signed by sponsoring individuals or a Club officer. Successful nominees have always performed duties or had an impact outside their immediate club.

Details can be found in Article 16 of the VBA By-Laws.