



Lakeside Bowmen



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Hello all Lakeside Bowmen Archers,

Welcome back from the holiday break, I hope everyone had a relaxing and happy holiday season.

First, I would like to say a huge thank you to all club members who donated goodies for the Christmas Hampers raffles that we ran at the Club Challenge shoot in November. The hampers were overflowing with Christmas goodies and the Club made a total of \$361 on the raffle. Apologies for not making mention of this in the December newsletter.

Sunday 20th January was our 1st club shoot for 2013 with 30 archers being brave enough to get out there in the heat and fling their arrows around. There were a few hot faces and tired archers by the time the 2 rounds were done. A great turn out of members, in spite of the heat. Thanks everyone.

Congratulations to the Handicap Winner for the day, John Remington-Gurney who scored himself a \$5 scratchie.

Adrianna Speight's name came up for the Members Draw which was worth \$140. Sorry Adrianna, you need to be there for the draw. It has now jackpotted to \$160 for the February draw.

For the **March Club Shoot**, Score Recorder Cameron will be heading out to Alice Springs for the Nationals. Warren has volunteered to do the nominations and score recording for the day, however member's scores will not be put into the computer until Cameron returns. Please remember to nominate BEFORE 8.30am on the day. The Handicap winner for March will be announced at the Club April shoot, but we will still do the members lucky draw so hang around because you need to be there if your name comes out.

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IMPORTANT – LAKESIDE'S ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING : Lakeside's Annual General Meeting will be held on Sunday 17th March 2013 immediately after the Club Shoot. All members are asked to attend this very important meeting – we need members in attendance to form a corium for the meeting to be able to proceed. To nominate for a position, you must be a full member.

ALL COMMITTEE POSITIONS will become vacant.

Please consider taking on a Committee Position, no previous experience on a Committee is required, just a willingness to work together as a Team, and some of your time. Taking on a Committee Position is not as daunting as it may seem as the Committee works together as a TEAM to make decisions and achieve great things for the Club.

It really is important that all Committee positions are filled, Lakeside has a large membership (over 150 at the moment) so that is a lot of work maintaining the facilities, planning, and just day to day running of the club. Please see **attached Nomination Form** for a Committee Position, these will also be made available on the Club Notice Board. Nominations for a Committee position must be received by the Secretary 2 weeks before the AGM. If you are interested, talk to another Committee Member to see what the position entails.

Positions are:

- President
- Vice President
- Secretary
- Treasurer
- Range Captain
- Score Recorder
- Shoot Director
- Canteen Co-ordinator
- Membership Secretary
- Risk Management Officer
- Public Relations Officer

As well as Elected Officers, other positions can be appointed for example, Assistant Range Captain.

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WORKING BEE – FEBRUARY 3rd - ALL HANDS ON DECK PLEASE!!

We will need as many helpers as possible attending this working bee because there is a lot of preparation work that needs to be done for the State IFAA Titles in May that Lakeside will be hosting (I know, May sounds like a long way down the track) but we need to get the IFAA ranges ready in time for this event. We also need to do general maintenance on the ABA ranges and work around the clubhouse.

There is a huge amount of work to be done on the IFAA ranges, pulling up distance pegs, cleaning and painting them, bales to be filled, target numbers to be sorted, and arrows directing participants onto the range, targets to be pasted, and the list goes on. Please come along and help out.

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GOOD NEWS – ARREST MADE!! – Police have arrested a person over the break in and robbery of equipment in the shed. Some items have been returned to the Club, but I believe the trailer and ride on mower have not been recovered yet. A big thank you to Alan for taking the time to go and identify our equipment, to Roy and John for collecting it from the Police, John for the loan of his trailer, and to Warren, Peter Cole, Lee, Roy and all others who helped make repairs to the club house / shed after the break ins.

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Ladies Day : March 2nd : POSTPONED!! Unfortunately the Coaching Team has had to postpone the Ladies Day on 2nd March as it clashed with a Council activity. At the time of setting the calendar we didn't have the dates for Council activities and have only just received notification of dates. When a new date is organized it will be added to each Newsletter.

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Membership Cards : As we seem to have an increasing number of people shooting at the club who are not probationary, full members, or ABA members we ask that when you are at the club please display your club membership card, either on your shirt or on your quiver. We are in the process of issuing all members with a plastic cover to keep your membership cards in, so if you are at the club and don't have a plastic cover, ask for one. Unauthorised people shooting at the club pose a risk to every member who may be there lawfully, as they have not been part of the Club coaching session, or understand the safety aspects of the sport. If there is an accident these people are not covered by the Club or ABA for insurance purposes.

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Members Sign In : It would be appreciated if ALL members could continue to sign the register book before practice, or going out on the ranges. This is to help the club to keep a record of who is using the club facilities. It also may help in future funding for grants. Non Lakeside members MUST be ABA members, and at the moment DON'T need to pay the \$5 visitor fee.

2013 Massey Archery Club Safari (New Zealand)

Massey's annual Safari is in the month of February, any Lakeside members are welcome, and the shoot fees are free. It's a wonderful weekend and the Massey members are so very friendly. Myself and Jane Bell are regulars over there. Anybody who would like more information can talk to Jane Bell or Martin Brown.

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Nominating for Branch (Interclub) Shoots : If you are intending to shoot at a Branch (Interclub Shoot) please nominate to Branch Score Recorder **BY 8PM ON THE MONDAY BEFORE THE SHOOT**. If you think you might be able to attend, but unsure due to work or family commitments, it is best to nominate, and if you find you can't make it, contact the Branch Score Recorder as early as possible to advise. It is much easier for the Branch Score Recorder than just turning up on the day to shoot without previously nominating.

Branch Score Recorder is Leanne Pickett, 0434 037 613 or 282 7078 (5.30pm – 8.30pm) or email abasqscorer@gmail.com

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Block Coaching Commences 2 nd February	Working Bee 3 rd February 8.00am start Helpers needed!!
Branch ABA Titles 16 th & 17 th February Barambah Club (Nanango) Please see details earlier in this newsletter for nominating	Club Shoot 24 th February – nominate BEFORE 8.30am All new full members and range cleared probationary members are invited to shoot. New and probationary members are FREE for their 1 st club shoot
Pin Shooters Sighting in Tuition – 3 rd March, 9am to 12 This is a FREE tuition session for any sighted shooters who may need help setting their bow sights. Numbers are limited to 6, please contact President, Lee Alderman to secure a booking	Branch 3D Titles 9 th & 10 th March Pacific Club Please see details earlier in this newsletter for nominating
AGM & Club Shoot 17 th March - nominate BEFORE 8.30am All new full members and range cleared probationary members are invited to shoot. New and probationary members are FREE for their 1 st club shoot	National Safari 23 rd March to 1 st April Dead Centre Bowhunters – Alice Springs Refer to Archery Action for further information and nomination details

2013 National Safari : This event will include the National IFAA, ABA and 3D Championships being held at Alice Springs, with National IFAA commencing the week before Easter. Details of this event are included in Archery Actions. All ABA members can compete and will be graded according to the equipment they shoot, and their shooting ability.

This will be a great event and provides even new archers an opportunity to compete at a National event. Believe me, you will not regret it, and the experience of shooting at a National Event is second to none!! You will meet a whole new group of people who share the love of archery, you will also meet some very interesting characters, and you will be guaranteed to have a great time. Camping facilities will be provided at the Dead Centre Club grounds, free of charge.

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CORRECTION FOR CLUB CALENDAR : August 24th & 25th Branch IFAA Titles will be held at Renegades and NOT Lakeside. Please mark this correction on your calenda.

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Chef Martin's January Recepte

Butterscotch Self Saucing Pudding

Ingredients: ¾ cup of castor sugar, 1 ¼ cups SR flour, 100g melted butter, 1 egg, ½ cup milk, 4 tbls golden syrup, 1 tbls cornflour, 1 ½ cups boiling water.

Method:

Step 1 : Preheat camp oven, combine ¼ cup of brown sugar, and all of the flour into a bowl. Add the melted butter, egg, milk & 2 tbls of the golden syrup and stir until combined, spoon into greased camp oven.

Step 2 : Combine the remaining ½ cup of brown sugar and cornflour. Sprinkle over the pudding mixture.

Step 3 : Combine boiling water with the remaining 2tbls of golden syrup. Pour over the top of the pudding mixture and bake for 40 min or until skewer comes clean out of pudding. Serve with ice cream or double cream.

ENJOY!!