

# NORTHERN VIRGINIA ARCHERS

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VBA State Open May 28, 2017

Summer is here, schools are out, and days are getting hot so sit back and enjoy your copy of NORVA's newsletter.

If you joined as a new member this year, it is possible that this is your first newsletter. As many existing members are aware, our domain name for NORVA's Webpage and email almost expired on us. Additionally, due to some changes with our provider, our email and group accounts were deleted. As a result, during the last several months we had to use an outdated email list. Simply, newsletters and alerts did not include our newest members. So let's start fresh - Welcome to NORVA's June 2017 Newsletter!

Particularly for our new members, the following is a list of club officers and council members. We are all here to help. At the same time, please be sure to contact the appropriate person with your questions:

- **Club President** - [Joe Wolfe](#) - Club Organization, General Management
- **Vice President** - [John McKenzie](#) - General Management
- **Secretary / Treasurer** - [Kevin Brown](#) - Renewing Member Dues, VBA Cards, Reimbursements, Merchandise
- **New Membership Chairman** - [Gerry Petraitis](#) - New Member Orientation and Enrollment

- **VBA Representative** - [Kevin Brown](#) - NORVA representative at the VBA
- **Field Course Captains:**
  - Lane 1-14** - [John Parker](#) - Field Targets, Signs, Markers, Benches, Walkways
  - Lane 15-28** - [Mark Finkenstaedt](#) - Field Targets, Signs, Markers, Benches, Walkways
  - Cadre** - TBD
- **3-D Course Range Captain** - [Willy Whitlock](#) - 3-D Range Targets, Signs, Walkways
- **3-D Course Cadre** - [Richard Danyliw](#), Russell Whitlock, Paul Whitlock
- **News Editor** - [Matt Bortniker](#) - Newsletters and Email Announcements
- **Tournament Chairman** - [Rodney Roberts](#) - Shoots, Preregistration and Scores
- **Academy Chairman** - [David Grant](#) - Archery Lessons
- **Media Chairman** - [Uwe Jacobs](#) - Website, Photo Gallery, Facebook, Mailing List

### Announcements

New members and existing, we really would like to get to know you and what better way to introduce yourself than to submit a short biography or archery related story to be included in NORVA's monthly newsletter. It can be as short as 4 or 5 bulleted items (longer is also good!). Accompanying photographs make a nice touch but are not necessary.

Here are some easy biography starters:

How did you become interested in archery?

How long have you been shooting?

Do you shoot recurve or compound? What make bow(s) do you use?

Do you go out just for fun, compete, hunt?

What are some of your special interests that are not archery related?

Anything you would like to add?

Send your biographies and/or stories to: [newseditor@novaarchers.org](mailto:newseditor@novaarchers.org).



June 03 NORVA Shoot

## **June 01, 2017 Club Meeting**

John McKenzie hosted the club meeting. Here are the highlights:

The club's grill was in bad condition. Instead of having to purchase a new one, Rodney Roberts donated one. Thank you Rodney!

There were 51 shooters at the VBA State Open that was hosted at NORVA. A special thanks to the volunteers that helped prepare the ranges during the work party and to Joe, Mark, Kevin and Susan for manning the food station. And, a big thank you to Rodney for coordinating the event.

NORVA thanks Safari Club international (SCI) for their \$500.00 donation.

### **Secretary/Treasurers Report**

Kevin Brown reported that all invoices are paid, leaving a balance of around \$16,000.00. As of the meeting, we have 410 members with two new in attendance.

### **Media Report**

It has been reported during the last several months that our domain name was set to expire on June 4, 2017. In addition, due to some changes with the host provider, our email list was deleted where we have been limping along on an outdated backup list. Kevin Brown renewed NORVA's domain name and he transferred an up-to-date members list. To help prevent similar problems like this from happening again, Kevin is looking into options that will allow all board members and the Webmaster to access the administrative area for the Website.

### **VBA**

NOVRA membership supports Section 15.1.6B and voted in favor to add the following: If any club is awarded one of the four outdoor tournaments, that club would be ineligible to win another of the outdoor tournaments that year unless they are the only club bidding. The justification is to spread outdoor tournaments to more clubs for VBA shooters.

Membership voted to bid on the State (unmarked) 3-D Fall Classic.



June 03 NORVA Shoot

### Upcoming NORVA Events

July 06, 2017	7:00pm	NORVA Membership Meeting
July 08, 2017	10:00am	NORVA New Member Orientation
July 16, 2017	9:00am	NORVA Shoot - Field, Hunter, 3-D Pin

For more archery events and to populate your google calendar, visit our Webpage at: [NovaArchers.org](http://NovaArchers.org)



June 03 NORVA Shoot