



Nominations for 2023 Board and Officers Sept 21

Nominations for 2023 Board and Officers will be taken at the next member meeting on Wednesday September 21, 2022 at 7 PM. After the meeting nominations will be closed. Ballots will then be mailed to all members which must be returned by mail NLT October 1st.

If you are interested in running for an office or to be a board member please contact one of the current board members or officers and/or attend the meeting to place your name in nomination.

Duties include attending the monthly board meetings and member meetings and assisting in directing the club by managing schedules and budget and planning activities. We encourage all members to take an active interest in the club and its affairs.

Presidents Corner September 2022

Hi All

Well, it's September and the days are getting shorter, the leaves are starting to turn and Football is back. That also signals the end of the outdoor season for archery. We have one more shoot but for the most part we are done. (More on that in a bit).

August saw the annual JOAD State outdoor Championship on the 20th and the ISAA State outdoor Championship on the 21st. These were both held on the flats and the Wapsi Warriors JOAD coaches and parents set them up and ran the events. After the JOAD tournament we had to reset the field Saturday afternoon so we could hold the ISAA the next day. Thank you to everyone who helped us with the set up, running, and tear down of these tournaments. We had a really good turn out for each of the events with 39 shooters each day. We got a little damp on Saturday but everyone soldiered through and the whole 720 round was shot. The Sunday shoot had a beautiful day and fun was had by all. Thank you to the kitchen staff for both days, we couldn't do this without you.

We had some Cub Scouts out on the 10 of September to do some service projects and a little fun at the same time. The boys started out the day tracing some of the 2D animal templates onto paper and then they painted them for targets. While the targets dried, they went and picked up roughly a hundred 5-gallon buckets of sticks (estimated by the pack leader) up by the gate and put them in the burn piles. They then came back and were taught how to shoot and had a great time shooting at their own targets. I saw one of the boys at the grocery store with his mom later that day and he was still all grins and excitement.

Upcoming

September 17 and 18 is the Deer Slayer which will be a 28 target 3D shoot and a Club family fun day. Saturday the 17th will include not only the 3D shoot but also the Clout at Noon on the Flats, a game feed (potluck) at 6PM and possibly a Candlelight shoot immediately after (if there is interest). The Clout, in case you didn't know, is an event that has you shooting 180 yards (for men) or 120 yards (for women) at a pole in the ground on the flats. Closest to the pole gets the higher points and most points wins. It is harder than it sounds as you have to lob them in and aiming is really tricky. The Clout, game feed and Candlelight shoot are open to any Waltonian member free of charge. Come out and have some fun!

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Presidents Corner (Cont.)

September also is the time to nominate next years officers and board members. The process starts this month with anyone who is interested, putting their name in to be put on the ballot. If you would like to try for a spot on the board or one of the four officers, please let a board member know as soon as possible. The deadline for the names to be added to the ballot is the next membership meeting on the 21st. once the meeting is over the ballots will be printed and sent out so we can have them mailed back before the board meeting on the 5th of October. Please consider getting involved.

Well, that is about it from me for now. Keep shooting and stay safe.

Mary Bisinger

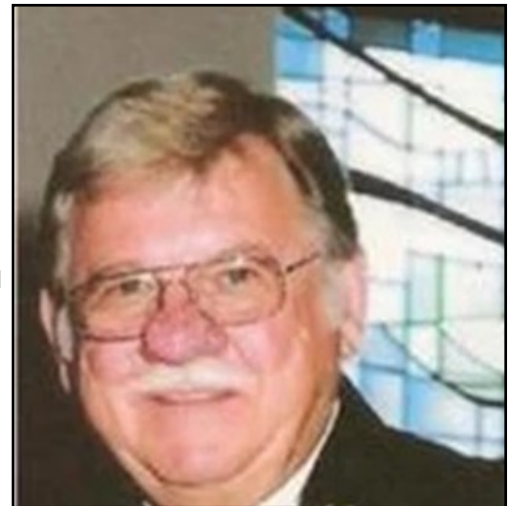
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Art Foster

Carl Mally

After the recent Art Foster Traditional Shoot someone asked about Art and I realized a lot of the members now never met or knew him. So here is a bit about him. Art was a preacher's son with a big voice and personality to fit. In some ways, naming the traditional shoot after him did not entirely fit because Art was not just a traditional archer. He practiced all forms of archery including compound and recurve target as well as 3D bowhunting and traditional archery. His brothers Fred and Lloyd shot also as did his sons Aaron and Wesley. His wife Wanda also came out to club events. Art, surprisingly since he was over six foot, was a submariner in the Navy. He worked as a contracts manager at Rockwell, traveling all over the world spending time in France and Saudi Arabia, among other places. He remained a club member even as he was living overseas. He used his business expertise to help the club, being instrumental in resetting up the corporate structure and setting up the loans to build the indoor range. Despite his executive background he was never above helping where needed whether setting up 3D animals, hauling bales, grading roads or working in the kitchen. Art was an archery merit badge counselor for the Boy Scouts, setting up sessions for the boys to earn their badge on several occasions. His other great passion besides archery was marbles, having a large collection. It was a shock to all of us when he suddenly had a heart attack in 2006 at the age of 64. He has been missed since then.



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Club Tees, Hats, ETC. OR SALE!!!

Styles and colors are posted
 on the bulletin board in the main room of the clubhouse.



Waltonian Archers Event Calendar

September

Saturday 17th	7 AM - 3 PM	Deer Slayer 3D
	12 PM	Club Clout Shoot
	6 PM	Club Old Timers Game Feed
	Dark	Club Candlelight Shoot
Sunday 18th	7 AM - 1 PM	Deer Slayer 3D
Wednesday 21st	7 PM	Member Meeting/Officer Nominations

October

Wednesday 5th	Club Officer/Board Ballots must be received by mail	
Saturday 8th	7 PM	Indoor Vegas 450

November

Saturday 5th	7 PM	Indoor Vegas 450
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December

Saturday 3rd	7 AM - 1PM	Indoor 2D/3D
Saturday	1 PM - 5 PM	Open House
Saturday	6 PM	Club Chili Cookoff

For full schedule go to: <https://www.waltonianarchers.net/Shoots.htm>

There is a \$5/member fee for Indoor Open Shooting. If you're shooting often, the club offers Unlimited Open Indoor Shooting for \$200/yr. Full list of prices and fees are posted at the club and on the webpage

Area Shoots/Events

Sept 17/18—Dubuque Field Archers, 3D Brush Shoot—46 targets. 7AM-1 PM both days

Sept 17/18—Iowa Bowhunter Championship, Archery Paradise of Iowa City, info at Fin and Feather

Sept 23/24 - Bownanza on the Mountain, Sundown Mountain Resort, Dubuque, www.sundownmtn.com

Sept 24/25—Waverly Archery Club, 3D Shoot, 40 Targets/3 Forest loops, Pancake brkfst 7—10:30 AM

Cub Scouts

Scouts were out for a service project—and some fun! They're making their own targets and got a chance to shoot later.



JOAD State Outdoor Target, August 20st



ISAA State Outdoor, Aug 21st

