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28th Annual Al Souza Turkey Shoot

The turkey shoot is just around the corner so mark you calendar and pass the word.

Sunday, November 18

**Registration
7:30-8:45**

Shoot starts at 9 a.m.

**28 Targets
Marked Yardages**



**3 arrows
11-10-8 Scoring**

Fees:

**Adult (12 and over) :
\$18 CBH/SAA member
\$20 non-members**

**2 flights, sight and
non-sight**

**First Place and every 6th
shooter thereafter wins a
Turkey**

Dates to Remember

October

12 Club Meeting
13 Work Party
14 Club Shoot

November

9 Club Meeting
10 Work Party
11 Club Shoot
18 Turkey Shoot

December

15 Holiday Party

New Members

John Alexander

Ian Alexander

Loren Miles

Tracy Jacqnemin

Intro to Archery Classes

The September 8, September 16 and October 6 classes each had 14 archers. We hear from the participants that the classes are still on a waiting list.

We have one class left this year—October 16.



To all members who volunteer your time for these classes—Neal, Ken, Cookie, Mike, Martin, Steve, Evan, Doug, Carl, Monique

THANK YOU!

These classes are a great way to interact with other archery enthusiasts, and promote not only archer but the Redwood Bowmen club.

Neal and Dawnel will review the contract with EBPRD and work on the 2013 class schedule.

****For those of you who are certified instructors, please bring a copy of your certificate. We'll frame it and hang it on the wall. We're proud that we have

Range Improvements

Major improvements were made to the targets, target foundations and pathways on the practice range and on the hill. If you haven't seen the improvements, do so. Everything looks great.

A lot of hard work and many hours went into this effort. The members of Redwood Bowmen owe a debt of gratitude to Morgan and his crew for donating their time, equipment and expertise to this project.

Also, a great BIG THANKS to all the members who helped out —

Art, Norm, Mike, Carl, Miles, Laura, Cookie, Steve, Neal, Monique, Jonathan, Jack, Henry, Ric, Wendy, Joyce, Lou, Evan, Dave, Tito, Ken and 5 others whose names were not captured. You know who you are, so let me know and I'll get you in next month.



November means it's time for...

ELECTIONS! Not only is November election time for citizens in the US; we, the members of Redwood Bowmen, have the challenge of electing our new leadership team.

*Don't tell people
how to do things,
tell them what to
do and let them
surprise you with
their results.*

George S. Patton

Be sure to attend the October meeting, find out who is interesting in running for the varied offices and most importantly — make sure you VOTE!

Redwood Bowmen Holiday Celebration



December really is just around the corner—reservations have been made for December 15 at ELIOS, 260 Floresta, San Leandro.

Members and their guests have the choice of Prime Rib (31.95), Breast of Chicken Picatta (26.75) or Flame broiled Halibut (31.95).

The meal includes: mixed green salad, fresh vegetables, bread, coffee, tea or soda, dessert (choice of vanilla ice cream, rainbow sherbet, rice or tapioca pudding). We will have a dedicated room and three dedicated servers.

Let Ken Closser know what you'd like for dinner and send him a check.

Please check one;

- ☐ *Prime Rib \$31.95*
- ☐ *Breast of Chicken Piccata \$26.75*
- ☐ *Flame Broiled Halibut \$31.95*

all entrees include

Bread roll, Salad, Veg, Coffee / Tea / Soda, Ice Cream or Pudding

"Please" mark your choice, mail in to;

Ken Closser

1594 Wainwright Ave

San Leandro, CA 94577

Out and About

Rumor has it that Carl went hunting. How did it go?

Competition results:

CBH State 900—results pending

SAC Pacific Coast Championships

Doug Scott M S FS — 3rd

Dawnel Scott F S MS — 2nd

Arrows in the Vineyard

Doug Scott M S FS — 2nd

Dawnel Scott F S MS — 2nd

Santa Cruz-Bad Boys of Banciforte

Norm Leabig BB —2nd

Mike Stratman M S FS

Greg Lim M S FS

Dave Brewer M FS — 3rd

Dawnel Scott F S MS — 1st

Sorry Mike and Greg—I could not remember your placing. Let me know and I'll get it in next time.



Target Talk is the voice of Redwood Bowmen membership. If you have a special topic, please send me information – where did you compete, how did you place? Hunting trips planned, hunting successes? dawnel@sbcbglobal.net

Remember to volunteer

Each and every member has a stake in the club's future. All it takes is for every member to contribute every reasonable effort toward the goal of making Redwood Bowmen a premier archery club.

This is my 5 minutes on the soap box and something I'm very passionate about, so please bear with me.

The Redwood Bowmen club was founded in 1939—it is one of the oldest archery clubs in the Bay Area. In this, we have a legacy to uphold.

While reading the older issues of Target Talk, I've learned that the club had hundreds of members. This is no longer the case. Fortunately, we have numerous new members who are brimming with energy and looking for ways to contribute. And we have those members who are there day-after-day, unselfishly giving time and resources in order to maintain the rangehouse, the range and the wellness of the club. Unfortunately, we also have established members who, after paying their dues, wash their hands of any other responsibility to the club. Making things even more complicated, we have members who are territorial about jobs they consider "theirs" and are offended when someone helps out.

We live in a world where our daily lives are filled with busy schedules and often times, home and work activities compete with our time for fun and relaxation (archery). If you make a commitment to the club, do your best to keep this commitment. Each and every member is important to the success of the club. We all have something to contribute. Let's work together to make this club successful.

THERE IS MORE THAN ENOUGH WORK TO KEEP EVERYONE BUSY!

—Dawnel



Minutes from last meeting:

Date: 9/14/12

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SWEARING IN OF NEW MEMBERS. John Alexander, Ian alexander, Loren Miles, Tracy Jacqnemin were sworn in as new members by President Karl Kresge

MINUTES OF THE LAST GENERAL AND BOARD MEETINGS. Secretary was not in attendance--Minutes from the last month's general meeting were not read. Laurie will record minutes for this meeting.

TREASURER'S REPORT. Treasurer's report was given. A motion to accept was made and seconded.

CORRESPONDENCE None

COMMITTEE REPORTS

1. Range: Major work on the weekend of Sept 20-22. Any members who can help out, please be there. Ken has source for cardboard. Can get 1 pallet every 3 months. Dave Brewer also brought cardboard. Morgan is donating his time. Motion was made and seconded to give Morgan membership for next year for his services.
 - A. The bow that was found on the range has been turned over to the Park Rangers
 - B. Cart needs to be replaced
2. Rangehouse: Roof repair. Steve will Ask Loren about it.
3. Classification: No report.
4. Social: Ken needs to know as soon as possible about banquet attendance.
5. Sunshine: Myra Dudley had 2nd knee surgery. Clifford Keick had kidney stone surgery.
6. Target Talk: Target Talk was sent out.
7. East Bay Regional Parks: Archery classes continue to be full attendance.
7. Leg. Rep: Nothing from Leg Rep. Jack not present.
8. Turkey Shoot—Flyer in October CBH

OLD BUSINESS. None

NEW BUSINESS. Elections: Nominations in October, vote in November.

GOOD OF THE CLUB. Nothing to report. Meeting adjourned.