

LAS VEGAS ARCHERS BYLAWS

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ARTICLE I

Duties and Responsibilities:

- 1) The President shall preside at all meetings, appoint all committees and chairmen, and shall in general perform the duties incident to this office. The president shall vote only to break a tie vote on all issues coming before the membership.
- 2) The Vice President shall perform the duties of the President if the President is unable to act.
- 3) The Secretary shall keep all records of Las Vegas Archers, Inc, serve all notices of meetings and upcoming events, conduct correspondence, file annual list of officers with the Secretary of State, keep corporate papers current, mail annual membership renewals and ballots and present a written report of minutes at each monthly meeting.
- 4) The Treasurer shall receive and deposit all monies of Las Vegas Archers, Inc., keep accurate records of receipts and disbursements and subject to an audit at any time. The Treasurer shall present a financial report at each monthly meeting. The Treasurer's financial report shall include the following:
 - a) Savings accounts
 - b) Checking accounts
 - c) Petty cash on hand
 - d) Individual tournament income to include registration fee receipts, food income receipts, beverage income, income receipts and incidental income
 - e) Safe deposit box contents
 - f) All disbursements and receipts for the preceding month
 - g) Initiation fees and new or old membership dues for the preceding month.
 - h) Copies of the Treasurer's financial report shall be available to the membership upon request.
- 5) Range Master – Range Master will be appointed by the president with board voting rights. Responsibilities include but are not limited to overseeing any activity at the range. Range Master would assemble a committee of their choosing to assist with planning and execution of all Club sponsored shoots ensuring awards for shoots, target maintenance, general range maintenance (including to ensure the range continually meets NFAA, State and Club tournament standards), adequate supply of scorecards, awards, targets, and related items necessary for club shoots, provide scores to club secretary for record keeping. Schedule 1 full year of shoots (as well as applying for 1 NBHA shoot) to be provided to club Secretary for publication. Maintain a fully stock of beverages year-round, as well as ensuring food options during club sponsored shoots. Working alongside the club Treasurer to ensure timely payment of all required fees for utilities, taxes, NFAA insurance and leases. Interface as necessary with applicable local, state and federal entities with regard to property codes, lease, ownership requirements and regulations. Obtaining raffle items for including but limited to the Safari and Silver Dollar shoot.

ARTICLE II

Official Club Uniform:

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1. The official uniform of the Las Vegas Archers shall be:
 - a. Shirt, vest, jacket or hat with LVA tepee emblem.
2. Official Las Vegas Archers uniform patches or insignia shall only be worn with dignity, respect, and pride.

ARTICLE III

Camping Units on range:

1. Club members with camping units parked on range, which are unoccupied, must have a name and phone number clearly posted on the exterior of the camping unit for fire and other notification purposes. Members not posting their information on their camping units will be required to remove their camping unit from the range when unoccupied.
2. Units must not be camped on site for more than 14 days in a 30-day period.
3. All units must pay the current camping fee (\$10) per night.
4. Units shall be maintained such as needed for emergency evacuation.
5. Parking spots are not reserved, and are on a first come, first serve basis.
6. Unit should not be left plugged into electrical service for safety reasons.
7. The Las Vegas Archers are not responsible for damage, vandalism, or an act of God, which occurs to any camping unit or vehicle parked on range.

ARTICLE IV

Range Security:

1. For the combination or keyed locks used for range security, the combination or keys shall be changed no later than sixty (60) days following the date the annual membership dues are due. The new combination shall be known by all members of the Board of Directors and shall be given to any club member in good standing upon request. If a range security problem occurs, as determined by the Board of Directors, the combination or keys may be changed at any time.

ARTICLE V

Silver Dollar Invitational:

1. Any member registered for the Silver Dollar Invitational who works to support the event shall have his/her registration fee returned.

ARTICLE VI

Archery Equipment Inspection

1. Archery equipment shall be inspected for compliance with NFAA equipment rules at all club championship events, class rounds, the Silver Dollar Invitational, and any other shoot where awards are based on NFAA styles.

ARTICLE VII

Championship Award:

1. All championship awards for all NFAA and Las Vegas Archers styles shall be awarded annually at the Club Christmas Party or other club party as scheduled by the Board.

ARTICLE VIII

Shooting Fees:

1. The Vegas Archers Board shall set the annual Silver Dollar Invitational fee schedule.

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2. The Las Vegas Archers Board will set shoot fees for member and guest competitors at the beginning of the year.
3. The Las Vegas Archers club members in good standing may participate in any club championship for a championship status. Guests can compete for awards for the day but cannot compete for championship status.
4. For Las Vegas Archers sponsored shoots, members shall be charged a shooting fee for each posted score. Peewees shall shoot free. Guests can compete for awards for the day but cannot compete for championship status.

ARTICLE IX

General Shooting Rules and Conducts:

1. NFAA policies on 3D will be followed.
2. For class and novelty shoots NFAA rules shall apply with the following exceptions:
 - a. Open class for any person male or female whose equipment does not conform to established NFAA equipment rules. Any one may register in open class at their discretion.
 - b. Peewees shall receive awards at Las Vegas Archers sponsored shoots.
5. The Club Outdoor Championship shall be a one-day event. The Championship round shall consist of fourteen- (14) field, fourteen- (14) hunter and fourteen (14) animal targets. Official NFAA targets shall be used. First, second, and third place awards shall be given. Guests can compete for awards for the day but cannot compete for championship status.
3. The Club Target Championship (Stan Magee, Memorial shoot) will be a (1) day event. The Championship shall be based on the (900) NFAA target round, commonly called the "American Round". Distances shoot shall be sixty (60), fifty (50), and forty (40) yards in that order. Young Adult, Youth, and Cub targets shall be provided at the prescribed NFAA yardage. Five (5) ends, six (6) arrows each end, shall be shot at each yardage for a total of fifteen (15) ends. A minimum of one (1) practice end shall be allowed at the maximum yardage only. The targets prescribed by the NFAA shall be used. First, second, and third place awards shall be given. Guests can compete for awards for the day but cannot compete for championship status.

The 3D Animal Championship shall be a one-day event. The championship round shall consist of a minimum 20 animal targets. Distances shall be unmarked. Range shall be inspected prior to completion for safety. First, second, and third place awards shall be given. Guests can compete for awards for the day but cannot compete for championship status.
4. For Las Vegas Archers novelty shoots guests shall be eligible for awards. All Peewees shall receive awards.
5. Las Vegas Archers club members' participation in the Club Indoor Target Championship. If multiple locations and dates are scheduled for the indoor championship then each shooter may shoot different styles so long as they participate at the different locations and pay an entry fee for each style. If a member shoots the same style at a different location, only their first score from the first location will be used for determining club championship status. Guests shall not be eligible for championship awards.
6. When the Club schedules a work party the scheduled areas of work will be closed and the remaining portions of the range will be open.
7. All animal and plant life will be held in high regard on any archery range occupied by the Las Vegas Archers, i.e. no hunting, removal, or destruction of animal or plant life that is not warranted.

Annual Silver Dollar Invitational

1. The annual Silver Dollar Invitational shall be a two (2) day event.

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2. Sixty (60) targets, two (2) arrows per target. Shoot forty (40) targets on Saturday, twenty (20) targets on Sunday.
3. All NFAA styles shall be eligible to compete.
4. All shooting groups shall have a target captain, each range shall have a range captain. The Range Master whose decision is final shall decide rule disputes not settled by the target or range captain.
 - a. Shooters wishing to register a protest of equipment, shooting rules or sportsmanship must do so in writing to the Range Master, with a \$30.00 dollar fee, no later than thirty (30) minutes after the days shooting has been completed. Fee shall be returned for any upheld protests.
5. Forty-five (45) minutes maximum shall be allowed for repair of equipment failures (releases are considered equipment arrows are not). A non-repairable bow may be replaced by a bow of like shooting style. One (1) practice target shall be allowed for repaired equipment.

Scoring:

6. Two (2) arrow scoring. Silver spots shall be counted for Spot awards and tiebreakers. Arrows must touch the orange/silver spot, ten (10) ring or any part of the target face. Orange/silver spot Eleven (11), ten ring 10, and rest of target face eight (8)
7. The entire target must be scored before the arrows are pulled. Double scoring shall be used.
8. Score cards shall be turned in thirty (30) minutes after shooting completion. On Sunday the shooter and both scorekeepers must sign scorecards.

Awards:

1. Awards shall be given for first, second and third place in all NFAA styles and classes for men and ladies, young adult, youth and cub. All other cubs shall receive an award.
2. Awards shall be given for the most Silver Spots in men and ladies ADULT styles only.
3. The Sandbagger Award shall be given for the highest overall score.
4. There shall be a peewee division. The rules are as follows:
 - a. Boys and girls must be seven (7) years of age or younger.
 - b. Peewee may compete as a Cub if desired for classification and championships.
 - c. Two (2) shooting styles, sight and non-sight.
 - d. Boys and girls shall compete as a group, and all shall receive awards. There shall be no provision for peewee champions at club championship shoot.
 - e. Peeweess shall shoot from half the cub distance as safety dictates.
5. The NFAA Constitution and by-laws shall be used for reference when final or more specific detailed rules and guidelines are required.

ARTICLE X

Club Participation Points Program (CPP Program) intended to promote LVA, NBHA, NFAA, and the sport of archery in general. The program is designed to allow each member to support Las Vegas Archer's either monetarily or through point's event participation depending on his or her time and physical ability. A Points Event Sign In sheet will be provided at each CPP Program event. It is the member's responsibility to ensure he/she/they are registered for each point's event along with the correct number of points to be credited to the account. All Points Event Sign In sheets will be maintained by Club Secretary for two membership calendar years and the record of points will be stored digitally. All memberships with the exception of Juvenile members and Life Members are required to earn 12 points each membership calendar year and will be charged a \$10 penalty for each missed point. If any member does not pay any missing point fees then their account will be placed on hold until they have paid for all missed point fees. A hold status is similar to not

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renewing and the next years gate code will not be shared until their membership and CPP penalty is current and hold status has been removed.

CPPP Qualification:

1. LVA Scheduled work party
2. LVA promotional assistance
3. LVA Sponsored shoot participation
4. New member sponsorship
5. Club work requirements

CPPP Points:

1. Bring in a new membership (1 point per new membership) (must be the sponsor on new members application) (new members are considered anyone who has not been a member prior or someone whose membership has lapsed for 2 years or greater)
2. Physically attend a monthly club member meeting (1 point per meeting) (signing in required excludes members under 16 years of age)
3. Work Parties (1 point per hour worked)
4. Host a shoot (Single Day Shoot 6 points), (Two Day Shoot 12 points) with 100% of proceeds going back to the club.
5. Obtaining raffle items (1 point per \$50 dollar value of raffle items)
6. Volunteer to work at an LVA hosted shoot (2 points) per day (Setup/teardown, targets, booths, registration, raffle (not including donation items), food, drinks stations, cooking, clean up)
7. Donate food (dish) for shoot (2 points) must be organized with tournament host prior to shoot
8. Paid shoot participation (shooting in an LVA sponsored shoot) (1 point per shoot)
9. Hold Club, State or NFAA elected office (12 points)
10. Additional points opportunities pending board approval

ARTICLE XI:

Bylaws changes:

1. These by-laws may be amended, changed, deleted or added to by a majority vote of the membership present at any regular or special called meeting. Thirty (30) days prior notice shall be given to the entire membership for proposed major changes.

ARTICLE XII:

Publication of changes:

1. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to publish for the entire membership any and all changes to the Constitution or By-laws, within thirty (30) days of the approval of these changes.

September 15, 2022

Date

Date

Brady Anderson
President, Las Vegas Archers