

## **TWJA**

Our archery club has grown rapidly and we now have close to a 100 signed up members.

Our volunteer base has traditionally been small but we hope that with the arrival of so many new members we will be able to expand our volunteer core.

We have significant equipment and logistical requirements in our sport and between running sessions and construction of our outdoor venue volunteer burn out is a real issue.

Please step up to the plate and offer us your help!

### **OUR SPONSOR**

Without the annual generous support of Canadian Tire and owner Brian Gascon our club would not be where we are today. Please support them in kind.

### **WHERE DOES MY MONEY GO?**

Archery is a relatively cheap sport but running an archery club is not. Your registration fees and drop-in fees are spent on a number of expensive items that need constant upkeep and replacement.

Examples are the target bags (\$200) , frames (\$130), medium 3-D targets (Average \$400), big 3-D targets (\$800-\$1800) ,nets (\$2400) , arrows (\$5/arrow) , Bows (\$200), finger tabs, arm guards, cleaning equipment , trolleys etc.

Our facility costs us \$35/hour (\$105/Sunday afternoon) and a single target paper \$1.85.

All money is obviously plowed back into the sport and we just keep enough funds in reserve to allow for unforeseeable damage or expenses.

### **IF FUNDS ARE AN ISSUE**

If purchasing equipment is financially difficult, remember that archery qualifies for the Canadian Tire JUMPSTART! program that will cover the cost of a full set of equipment. Please contact Canadian Tire for further details. Click the Jumpstart tab on the home page for more information.

### **RULES**

We ask that all archery club members new and old review the "Shooting rules and regulations" in detail by activating the button on this page.

An important rule is that new members and novices will have to demonstrate that they can safely shoot at the longer club distances indoor before being allowed to do so by the sanction of one of the club coaches.

This is to improve safety and to protect equipment, the wooden floor and walls.

Welcome to our sport and club!

### **The TWJA Executive:**

- Jaco Fourie -President
- John Sandhals -Vice President
- Lorna Sandhals -Secretary
- Rita Wacholz -Promotion and media
- Scott Trent -Competitions and logistics
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