DECEMBER 2022

COOK INLET ARCHERS

QUARTERLY NEWLETTER



CONGRATULATIONS COOK INLET ARCHERS!

CIA took delivery of its new classroom/assembly hall earlier this year in October. This has been a long-time vision coming inspired by so many CIA members, some of whom are still with us! We truly do have so much to be thankful for. Bitter sweet but in the interest of time and space, CIA had to reluctantly say goodbye to the refer van and cook shack that had faithfully served the club for so many years. Quite a bit of internal work to the building has already been completed and we expect to be able to use it at our next monthly 3D shoot this December. It would be an honor to introduce our new building to the CIA family. If you recall, one of the main reasons for our building is to be able to provide instruction support to ADFG in its endeavors to certify bow hunters in the immediate area. With that said, CIA would like to get a by-name-count of members who would seriously consider becoming ADFG instructor certified. Please reach out to any one of your board members this month so we can push for a select instructor course ASAP...Perhaps an instructor course hosted in our very own classroom. "If I am to be credited for having great wisdom and foresight... It is only because I have stood atop the shoulders of giants..." Sir Winston Churchill

MESSAGE OF APPRECIATION

A great military leader once said, "I am expected to take less of the credit and most of the blame..." So in that spirit, CIA leadership will like to express a heartfelt thank you to the few wonderful volunteers that continue to tirelessly show up each month to set up 3D targets for the shoot and tear them down too, service the static range and pillow loop, direct the placement of our awesome building single-handed, account for each and every CIA expenditure, timely fulfill all required quote requirements for our new building subcontracts, process and entertain new CIA memberships, Update and monitor the CIA website, provide personally owned heavy equipment, ATVs and snow-machines, and execute the monthly CIA 3D shoots etc, etc... All on a volunteer's salary too! In all seriousness, there would be no CIA without your volunteerism. We are all indebted to you for your time and dedication! THANK YOU! MEMBERSHIP OCTOBER-to-OCTOBER

INDIVIDUAL \$25/YR INDIVIDUAL \$200/LIFE FAMILY \$30/YR COUPLES \$250/LIFE

3D SHOOTS

MEMBERS \$20 NON-MEMBERS \$25 YOUTH (13-18 YRS) \$5 KIDS (12 & UNDER) FREE

WEBSITE

www.cookinletarchers.com



DECEMBER 3D SHOOT AND POTLUCK

A special reminder to our valued members and guests. Our CIA December 3D shoot is FREE FREE FREEFREEFREE! Additionally, we will be doing a potluck lunch in our NEW BUILDING! Bring a dish and let us all try a bit of your home cooking...you are under no pressure to do so. Just come out with family and hang while we enjoy this special season of remembrance and sacrifice.

CIA will supply a couple of hams for a main course but side dishes and desserts are welcome. We would like advance notice if you are bringing crock pots or warmers as we have limited power for those. Please reach out to us beforehand.

IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- For those of you that have yet to renew your membership for 2022-2023, please be advised that renew must be completed before the end of December.
- Our December General Membership Meeting will be on December 13th at 7:00pm at our new CIA Assembly Building

VOLUNTEERISM

This is worth re-mentioning. We will never turn away a volunteer no matter how great or small the task. So, members who volunteer to setup 3D targets on Saturday before the Sunday shoot will continue to have their shoot fees waived this league season. Additionally, volunteers who help with Saturday setups and Sunday take-downs will also receive a raffle ticket for each day they volunteer that will be drawn at the end of the league season. Substantial archery prizes will be given during the drawing. Reach out to any of us if you would like to volunteer for anything else. Ultimately, CIA intends to create a culture of volunteerism.



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SOCIALS

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS

The CIA Leadership and Board have agreed to hosting general membership meetings every other month starting in October 2022. These meetings are designed to keep CIA members abreast of the latest information and status of past, present, and future initiatives to include current finances. They are also intended to provide a forum for members to communicate and provide input as necessary. Transparency is what we aim to promote and achieve.

SHOOTS

Our 3D archery shoots are held every third Sunday of the month from October through May. Generally, registration opens at 9am and the shoot starts at 10am. See monthly shoot flyers for more details. Also, see PG 4 for CIA EVENTS SCHEDULE for shoot and general membership meeting dates.

Please note that we will continue to conduct shoots using the SHOTGUN method. This method seems to be working out just fine as our shoot numbers continue to steadily increase. Please show up a little earlier if you have any special needs requirements.

HUGE THANK YOU TO OUR SPONSORS

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RANGE RULES

PLEASE BE SURE TO LOCK THE GATE AFTER YOU ENTER AND WHEN YOU LEAVE.

NO BROADHEADS. NO CROSSBOWS. NO CAMPING. NO FIRES. NO HUNTING PER MOA ORDINANCE. PLEASE CLEAN UP AFTER YOURSELVES OR DOGS WHILE USING THE RANGE.

Rules are posted at the range.





WORKING TOWARDS EDUCATION, DEVELOPMENT AND RESPECT FOR BOWHUNTERS AND A FIRST-CLASS FACILITY FOR PROMOTING AND IMPROVING THESE IDEAS.



BECAUSE THEY DESERVE OUR BEST!

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Sat, Dec 10, 2022	TAA: Trad Shoot
	Registration: 10:00am, Start: 10:30am
	Location: Birchwood Recreation & Shooting Park
Tues, Dec 13, 2022	General Membership Meeting
	Time: 7:00pm, Location: CIA Assembly BLDG
Sat, Dec 17, 2022	Setup Holiday Shoot (Volunteer)
	Time: 9:30am til done
Sun, Dec 18, 2022	FREE Holiday Shoot
	Registration: 9:30am, Start: 10:30am
Sat, Jan 14, 2023	Setup Snowshoe Shoot (Volunteer)
	Time: 9:30am til done
Sun, Jan 15, 2023	Snowshoe Shoot
	Registration: 9:30am, Start: 10:30am
Sat, Feb 11, 2023	TAA: Trad Shoot
	Registration: 10:00am, Start: 10:30am
	Location: Birchwood Recreation & Shooting Park
Tues, Feb 14, 2023	General Membership Meeting
	Time: 7:00pm, Location: CIA Assembly BLDG
Sat, Feb 18, 2023	Setup Frostbite Shoot (Volunteer)
	Time: 9am til done
Sun, Feb 19, 2023	Frostbite Shoot
	Registration: 9am, Start: 10am
Sat, Mar 11, 2023	TAA: Trad Shoot
	Registration: 10:00am, Start: 10:30am
	Location: Birchwood Recreation & Shooting Park
Sat, Mar 18, 2023	Setup Shamrock Shoot (Volunteer)
	Time: 9am til done
Sun, Mar 19, 2023	Shamrock Shoot
	Registration: 9am, Start: 10am
Sat, April 1, 2023	Alaska Bowhunter Assoc. Banquet
	Time: 5:00pm, Location: EGAN Center
Sat, April 8, 2023	TAA: Trad Shoot
	Registration: 10:00am, Start: 10:30am
	Location: Birchwood Recreation & Shooting Park
Tues, Apr 11, 2023	General Membership Meeting
	Time: 7:00pm, Location: CIA Assembly BLDG
Sat, Apr 15, 2023	Setup Easter-Egg Shoot (Volunteer)
	Time: 9am til done
Sun, Apr 16, 2023	Easter-Egg Shoot
	Registration: 9am, Start: 10am
Sat, May 20, 2023	Setup Lost Arrow Shoot (Volunteer)
	Time: 9am til done
Sun, May 21, 2023	Lost Arrow Shoot, Awards, & Elections
	Registration: 9am, Start: 10am
May 27-28, 2023	TAA: Massey Shoot
	Registration: 10:00am, Start: 10:00am
	Location: TBA

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