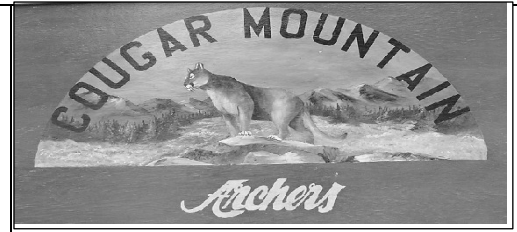


# COUGAR MOUNTAIN

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### **CLUB MEETING:**

Our next meeting will be April 5<sup>th</sup> at Mountain Mikes Pizza in Oroville, located in shopping center 1901 Oro Dam Blvd. Meeting will start at 7PM, come a little earlier enjoy pizza, salad and fellowship with other members and guests. Turkey season has started, so possibly you will learn of a new piece of land open for hunting, most importantly with turkeys living on it. Also tournament season is full speed ahead, hear details of what took place at recent shoots attended by our members.

### **PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:**

Well, it's getting closer to our shoots all the time. We've had some good work parties and seemed to making progress. Hopefully, this last storm didn't do to much damage to the trails or facilities. Hope to see you at the next club work day March 26, weather permitting or at the next club meeting on April 5th.

*Jim Clawson*

### **UPCOMING CLUB DATES TO PLACE ON YOUR CALENDAR PLEASE TRY TO ATTEND, TO GET OUR RANGE IN SHAPE FOR UPCOMING TOURNAMENTS AND SUMMER ENJOYMENT.**

Work Party – 3/26  
Meeting Night-- 4/5 Mikes Pizza Oroville 7PM  
Club Shoot -- 4/10  
Work Party -- 4/16  
Club Shoot – 5/8  
Work Party -- 5/14  
Work Party -- 5/28, 29 & 30 if possible, “Holiday Camping Weekend at Range”  
Work Party -- 6/4  
Work Party -- 6/11

## **UPCOMING ARCHERY ACTIVITIES**

### **March**

March 26, Opening Spring Turkey season.  
March 27, Ishi Bowhunters – Red Bluff, 42 targets  
March 27, Lodi Bowmen - Cartoon Classic 42 Target Marked  
March 27, Yahi Bowmen- Spring Fling 28 – 3D 3 arrow.

### **April**

April 3, West Valley Bowhunters 42 Animal Tournament, Orland

April, 10, Lodi Bowmen Traditional Gold Country 42 Target 3D Unmarked

April 16 & 17, Either / or both days - added registration fee, Maya Around the World, 3D 42 animals.

## **May**

May 1, Paradise Bowhunters normal date is Easter April 24th. At their February meeting as Redding is May 6,7 & 8, **Paradise Bowhunters voted to hold their April 42 target Mike Martin Open on May 1st.**

May 6, 7 & 8, Redding Western Classic Trail Shoot & NFAA 3D Championships. 70 Raglin 3D Targets.

May 15, Ishi Archery Club Rock Festival 3D Tournament 42 targets

May 15, Diablo Bowmen Red Devil Cartoon Shoot 42 targets

May 15, Yahi Bowmen Bill Sullivan Traditional Tourney 28 3D Marked 3 arrow

May 15, West Point Rod & Gun Summer Fun 28 3D marked yardage

May 21, [Madera Field Archers Annual 3D unmarked](#)

May 28 & 29, [CBH/SAA 2011 Broadhead Championships, Tejon ranch.](#)

## **June**

June 4 & 5, Nevada County Sportsman Annual 42 target 3D

**June 12, State Field Championships, Pre-Registration, Cougar Mountain Archers in North Area.**

**June 19, Cougar Mountain Archers, Annual 42 Target 3D tournament.**

June 25 & 26, IBEP--Bowhunter Education Class in Paradise. Email: [bjoe@ccxn.com](mailto:bjoe@ccxn.com) for a flyer or info.

## **NEW CLUB SHIRT DISCUSSIONS & DECISIONS TO BE MADE:**

Recently it was determined that the vendor that provided our Club shirts is no longer in business and as such this subject has been discussed at the last two meetings. It was recommended that we contact Novel Tee's to see about using the logo from last year invitational as a club design and Jerry Johnson contacted them and they can do this for us. At this last meeting it was agreed to consider the following colors: Black, Forest Green, Maroon & Navy. At this next meeting on April 5th, it is anticipated that a vote whether or not to proceed with new shirts and pick the color will take place. Cost for the shirts will be in the \$18.00 range per person. If you are not able to attend and would like to provide input, please call Jim or Julie Clawson at 530-891-0316 or email Jim at [JMC6@PGE.COM](mailto:JMC6@PGE.COM).

**MEMBERS TRAVELED SOUTH TO WOODLAKE:** Julie Clawson took 1st place and Jim Clawson placed 2nd at Woodlake Antelope Archers over the weekend of March 5th and 6th.

Please email to me Members, any news of your attendance at tournaments and or hunting information and include photos if you have any, so they may be printed in our newsletters. These bits of info, show that our membership does own archery equipment and enjoys relaxing at a tournament with other archers or Nature with our Lord while attempting to place food on the dinner table. (Editor note.)

Hunting News in your Future:

by your Editor Joe Becker

Turkey Seasons will open March 26<sup>th</sup>, now is the time to do your pre-season scouting. Following the general spring turkey season will be another couple of weeks when you will be able to harvest bearded birds with your archery equipment only.

During your time in the outdoors hunting turkeys, DFG should have published our 2011 Mammal and Fur bearers regulations and drawing information. So each of us are able to purchase our new Hunting Licenses for

2011 and tag applications of each specie we desire to hunt this summer, fall and winter in California. Remember your applications will need to be mailed in May.

**Also this year DFG will finally after several years of promises get their Automated License Purchase System in operation for Fishing & Hunting Licenses. Please do not wait until deadline dates or the day you desire to fish or hunt to learn how this new system is going to work.**

**It is a computer, and all should know after we have lived with them for several years now. They have a mind of their own, and sometimes cause many heartaches.**

If you do not have an International Bowhunter Education Program Certificate, and may desire to attempt harvesting an animal with your bow in one of the Mandatory Bowhunter Education states or countries. Or if you are a new bowhunter and just learning about bowhunting. A class will be held in Paradise on June 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> at the Becker (your editor) Residence the first day and at the Paradise Bowhunters Range second day.

Email [bjoe@ccxn.com](mailto:bjoe@ccxn.com) for a flyer with class information. You must pre-register for this class so enough student materials are available. If you would rather travel south to Roseville area, classes are being held on different dates for southern Sacramento Valley.

Contact Jim Williams for those classes: [jewilliams88@netzero.com](mailto:jewilliams88@netzero.com)



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