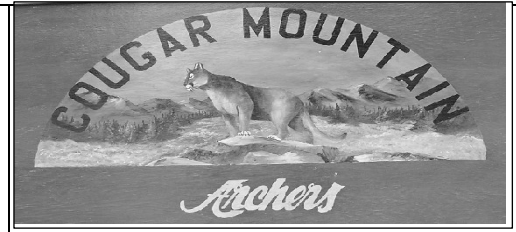


# COUGAR MOUNTAIN

## News Briefs

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### **CLUB MEETING:**

Our next meeting will be June 7<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.

Tournament season is full speed ahead, hear details of what took place at recent shoots attended by our members.

Come to meeting, help make final plans for our tournaments on the 12<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup>.

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

These past few months have presented challenges to the club in maintenance and repairs, but with the support from the members we are making headway as the State Field shoot and our invitational approach. At the last two meetings I have passed around job assignment sheets for each of the shoots for members and volunteers to sign up on. For the State Field shoot, one of the areas we need additional volunteers is as chaperones for the younger shooters, that is the Cubs and Youth classifications. Also, there are several opening for the invitational shoot and if you are available to help out please contact me and I'll go through the list. We seem to be on pace to have everything in order for the shoots and if the weather holds out, we could have some good turn outs.

*Jim Clawson*

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

Work Party -- 6/4

Work Party -- 6/11

Hosting State Field 6/12

Our Annual 42 target-- 3D Tournament Fathers Day 6/19

## **UPCOMING ARCHERY ACTIVITIES**

### **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.

## Events Continued

### July

July 4 Bowhunters Unlimited 4th of July Novelty

July 16&17 Shasta Mountain Archers

July 17 West Point Rod & Gun Apple Time 28 3D

July 17 Mount Madonna Bug Shoot

July 31 Diablo Bowmen Red Devil 3D 28 targets **NEW DATE**

July 9 Opening of A Zone Archery Deer. With proper tag you are able to hunt from that date to end of October

**Please email to me Members**, any news of your attendance at tournaments, hunting information, 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

***You may still have one day to get your Hunting Applications to DFG. Deadline is June 2nd.***

Go to California Outdoor Heritage Alliance on web, (<http://www.outdoorheritage.org/>) for current information on Proposed law changes in California. After getting their website, click on **State of Affairs**, and you will be able to read the latest information. What I place in this newsletter may be outdated by time you would read and act on. Thus by each person checking for legislative needs we will be on time.

They represent CBH/SAA and many other Hunting & Fishing Organizations here in California. Best lobbyist group sportsman have had for many years. Check out their website they are indeed friends of yours as outdoor people themselves.

Pasted below is a current proposed bill which will affect each of us most likely.

#### **AB 809 (Feuer) - Long Gun Registration - OPPOSE**

AB 809 (Feuer/D-Los Angeles) proposes to expand the current handgun registration law to include all long guns by requiring the Attorney General to permanently maintain a registry of all firearms purchasers.

Under the bill's provisions, those who purchase or transfer a shotgun or rifle would be required to register that firearm by submitting their name, address, place of birth, phone number and occupation to the California Department of Justice.

At this point, it is unclear whether or not California's existing handgun registration law is helping to fight crime in any meaningful way. COHA believes it is unnecessary to greatly expand the handgun registration law to include all firearms - particularly given that traditional sporting arms make up a very small fraction of all firearms related homicides in California each year.

COHA is working with CWA and other sporting interests to defeat this unnecessary and intrusive legislation. AB 809 is currently in the Assembly Committee on Appropriations. • [Assembly Appropriations Committee](#)

## Is Bowhunting out of state a Possibility for you in the future?

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)

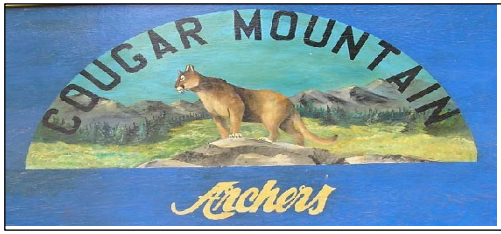
## Oroville Feista Days Cougar Mountain Float Photos are printed on the last page.

Yes several of our members put together a float for archery and club promotions on May 7<sup>th</sup> in Oroville. The members I know of were: Paul Harder, John Sheldon, Darryl McElmurry plus I am sure many of their family members and other members living in Oroville worked to make it a great day for Cougar Mt. Archers. As you see, many people were assisting in archery promotion also, with a CLUB FLOAT IN THE PARADE.

Our Membership Thanks You All, Good Job / Well Done.

If interested in a family recreation, check out our club: **Cougar Mt. Archers P.O.Box 42 Challenge, CA. 95925**





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