



MAA **Maine Archery Association** MAA



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It's been a couple of months since we have sent out a newsletter. Lots going on and even more to come in the months ahead.

### **MAA Shooter of the Year**

We are half way through this year's Shooter of the Year series. There has been great turnout and a lot of new faces. With that said there is still time to get in on the fun. There are three more Blue/White tournaments and an entire month of Vegas shoots. For those that have already posted scores this is your chance to either improve on those or maybe even get in enough scores to qualify for a second division. Below are the details for the competition.

- The series will run from November 1 – March 7
- Target Faces will rotate between Blue/White and Vegas
- Each shooter must post a minimum of 2 Blue/White and 2 Vegas scores. You may post additional scores and the highest two scores on each face will count towards Shooter of the Year.
- Scores may be posted anytime during the series
- Shooters must post scores from at least two different shops.
- Cost will stay the same - \$10/individual, \$8/children and \$20/family max.
- Shooters must be members of the MAA/NFAA

Please remember to renew your MAA/NFAA membership when it comes do.

### **Maine State NFAA Indoor Championship**

This year's NFAA Indoor State Championship will be held on March 12, 13 & 14 at Old Town Archery Center & Pro Shop in Old Town. Enclosed please find a registration form for the tournament. Old Town Archery is working to partner with local businesses to offer our members some discounts during this year's tournament. As those partnerships are finalized we'll put all the details on Facebook and the web site.

### **NFAA Sectionals**

We've also include a copy of the registration form for this year's 35<sup>th</sup> annual N.E. Indoor Sectional tournament. It will be at Lunenburg on March 26<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup>. Hotel information is also included on the registration form.

### **Hunting Accomplishments**

There has been some interest in having a page on the web site where people can submit hunting pictures. Maybe we can have some kind of big game awards at the state tournament. Maybe by species and size? Please send us your pictures or those of another member for posting. Also if you have thoughts as to how we should determine awards and what those might be please contact one of the board members.

Along those lines if you have any suggestions on ways to improve the association please let us know. We want to make sure the association is serving the members and that you find value in what your paying for with your annual membership. As always you can reach us via the web site.

### **Facebook**

With great thanks to Pam Gallant for all her work on this the MAA created a Facebook Fan page to help share information and schedules with all of our members. Please sign up to be a Fan of the MAA Facebook page. Let us know what your think!

In order to keep costs down we will continue to post all schedules, scores and updates on the MAA website and would love to have email address from our members. There is also a comprehensive schedule of the Maine shoots in addition to regional and national tournaments.

If you have any questions or concerns please feel free to contact any board member of the MAA. Contact information is on the website.

**Look forward to seeing everyone throughout this year's tournament series. Good luck!!!!!!!!!!!!**