



Newsletter October 2023

Hello everyone and welcome to spring. Hopefully this means more days of nice weather for shooting.

85th Celebration

First, I must start off by congratulating those who participated in the 85th anniversary indoor tournament, and those who worked so hard behind the scenes and during the weekend to make it happen. As always with tournaments we learn from them what we can do next time to improve the experience. Check out the photo of the cake, exceptionally decorated by club secretary Leah, with some help from Josh and the 3D printer. Yes, it did taste as good as it looks.



Club Gear and Fundraising

Our new tournament lights arrived in time and looked great. Thanks to the Bendigo Valley Sports & Charity Foundation for their help with this purchase.

Next on the 'to buy' list are some decent gazebos. Whilst we are all well aware of the terrific weather enjoyed in Dunedin, those who travel to our tournaments are often caught unawares and shelter is required. We are expecting the gazebos may cost upwards of \$2000 - \$3000.

Included with this newsletter you will find raffle tickets and we are asking you to do your best to sell them to friends, family, colleagues, or anyone you can prise \$1 from. Once sold, please return the ticket sheets to me (email is fine) and deposit the money to the club account (03 0903 0379656 00) with your name and 'raffles' as reference.

Please note, this is voluntary, and we accept that selling raffles is not for everyone. However, any help is much appreciated.

Graeme Marett Memorial Tournament

This tournament is scheduled for the weekend of the 18th November. There will be no regular shooting that weekend. Information about entering the tournament can be found on the Archery OSA website (www.archeryosa.com) and our Facebook page. If entering is not for you feel free to come along and watch. This is a World Archery registered tournament held annually in Dunedin.

Annual Subscriptions

The shooting year runs from 1 October to 31 September. At the AGM held in May it was decided the subscriptions will remain the same as the 2022/2023 year. Below is a table with the various categories.

Category	2023/2023 subscriptions
Senior	\$156
Junior	\$120
Family:	
1 st Senior	\$156
Subsequent snr	\$120
1 st Junior	\$ 84
Subsequent jnr	\$ 60
Coaches	\$ 90
Non shooting	\$ 30

Bank account number: Dunedin Archery Club 03 0903 0379656 00

When making payment please include your name and category (S,J,F,C,N).

The category information is vital as the club pays \$35 for each shooting member and \$15 per non shooting member to Archery New Zealand.

Membership Form

I appreciate a number of you have provided information already, but can I ask you to please fill in the 2023-24 Membership form with your details as we are required to confirm these with Archery NZ on an annual basis.

You can fill out the form by visiting this link <https://forms.office.com/r/TWD1yVdpYb>

or by scanning this QR code.

Dunedin Archery Club New Zealand Membership Form



Public Have a Go:

We'll be holding this on Sunday 26th November between 1 and 3 in the afternoon. This is a great way to introduce people to archery and to raise both the profile of and funds for the club. The more volunteers we have on the day the easier it is for everyone. We need people to give out arm guards, finger tabs, collect bows, sell raffle tickets. If you are able to help out at all please let us know. Also, spread the word that this is on!\

Finally, if you have any questions or comments about anything in this newsletter, or suggestions to help move the club forward, please do not hesitate to email me on

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Stephen on president@dunedinarcheryclub.co.nz

As always, if you wish to be removed from our mailing list please, please let me know.

Happy Shooting!

Julie Butler

Treasurer