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The Release



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The MBH State Indoor in March is still on. The tournament will be held March 6th and 7th at 5 different locations. We will run the tournament as close to normal as possible. We will be shooting a NFAA 360 on Saturday (line time 9 and 12) and a Vegas 330 on Sunday with line times set up by the executive secretary and you will be notified by email. The State Outdoor Field will be held in Blue Springs and hosted by IBH. There were no bids for the MBH 600 or the MBH 3D, so if anyone is interested in hosting one of these tournaments please contact the club Secretary. The dates for the youth and MBH 450 will be decided at the August meeting. Archery is once again taking a huge hit because of COVID-19. So far, the NFAA Midwest Indoor Sectionals are still being held with IBH hosting here in Missouri. I have not heard anything about the NFAA Indoor National as of this publication. Once again, whatever style you shoot or format, support your local archery clubs and shops. If we do not support them, they may just disappear.

If you have not heard Butch Herold has been accepted into the MBH Hall of Fame. There should be an article in this Release concerning his induction. Also due to the indoor being held in different places the winners of the Paul Jeffries Scholarships will be posted in the Release.

To all the Sweet Hearts out in Archery land



This Months Issue:

Shootout Flyer

Game Report

Conservation Report

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Membership Application

Small Game Report

Calendar of Events

Please share a copy of the Release to someone who may not have access to a computer or a possible new member.

The **RELEASE** is published monthly and is viewable on the Missouri Bow Hunters Website, and on Facebook. MBH members can have it e-mailed to them by providing an e-mail address on their membership application.

Annual MBH Membership Rates:

Single—\$25.00

Family—\$30.00

Youth—\$12.50 (under 18)



Memberships can be renewed online at WWW.mobowhunters.org, or by filling out the attached form and mailing to: MBH Secretary, 16909 E 44th St S
Independence, MO 64055

Have any news, stories, or pictures to share in the RELEASE?

Submit them to Kathy Russell at gammyrussell@gmail.com

Contact MBH at:

Missouri Bow Hunters
16909 E 44th St. S.
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816-645-2198

E-Mail:

mbhsecretary@gmail.com

Website:

www.mobowhunters.org

Facebook:

Missouri Bow Hunters

Missouri Bow Hunters Life Memberships

For outstanding contributions to the sport of Archery

1953 Paul Jeffries*	1991 Don Roper
1954 Hugh Collins*	1993 Mille Foster*
1954 Pauline A. Reeg*	1993 Earl Foster*
1967 Jim Schulz*	1994 Jerry Reynolds
1980 Earl Hoyt, Jr.*	2000 Gene Towne*
1981 Dick Wood	2006 Jack Davis
1984 Paul Poteet	2006 Dave Williams
1985 Jim Lewis*	
2005 Dr. Charles (Bert) Gray son (Honorary Life Member)*	

*Deceased

Congratulations!

**The Missouri Bowhunters Associations
Board of Directors are proud to announce the
following
Paul Jeffries Scholarship Award Winners**

**Sophia Hunziger
Kristina Taylor
Alex Smith
Evan Miller**



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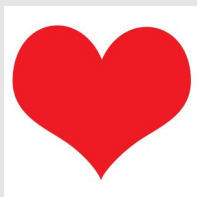
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BofR Meeting Minutes

January 24, 2021

10:00 AM

Facebook Room

1. Role Call – President, VP, Secretary, IBH, Nomo, Northwest MO, Summit, Nodaho, Jeff Blystone, Rock'n Shots, and Terry Whitford
2. Minutes of the last meeting - approved
3. Review financial statements - approved
4. Large & Small Game – Jeff gave an update and due to Covid not much is going on. He sent an updated report on what is going on in Missouri
5. NFAA Director Update – Did not attend
6. Old Business/New Business:
 1. 2021 Tournament Bids:
 - a. 3D – Bill Myers will talk with St. Louis Bowhunters to do a 3-D. Tobi didn't contact Capital City Bowbenders due to Covid.
 - b. MBH 600 – No bids
 - c. State Outdoor – IBH will host on July 10-11th. Going to wait until later in year to give details due to Covid and will update board when things change.
 - d. Youth- Nov. 6 & 7, table details until Aug
 - e. 450 – Dec. 4 & 5, table details until Aug
 2. State Indoor – Motion made & passed to move the 2021 MBH State Indoor to virtual locations with Summit, IBH, Nodaho, Indian Trails. This motion was overturned. New motion made & passed to have 5 locations for state indoor Summit, IBH, Nodaho, Indian Trails, and Ozarks Target Archers. 9am & Noon and possible 3pm line if needed on Saturday. 9am and 11am for Sunday. Hosting clubs can't host another tournament at the same time as the State Indoor.
 3. Scholarship winners for 2021 – Motion made & passed for Sophia Hunziger & Kristina Taylor for the girl winners. Motion made & passed for Alex Smith & Evan Miller for the boy winners.
 4. Hall of Fame Nomination – Motion made & passed to add Butch Herold to the MBH Hall of Fame. Bill Myers will contact Butch's grandson about the news.
 5. CFM Membership – Motion made & approved to accept Jeff's budget proposal of \$1,000 for expenses & affiliate membership dues.
7. Update club charters – all are up-to-date except for Missouri Rock'n Shots who paid NFAA but has not been updated yet.
8. Meeting dates for August - August 22, 2021 in Columbia
9. Additional business – Motion made & passed to pay the website fees of \$485 to Terry Whitford
10. Adjourn – meeting adjourned.



NFAA MIDWEST SECTIONAL

INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIP

February 20-21, 2021

Missouri Shooting Location:

INDEPENDENCE BOWHUNTERS

6423 Railroad St, Raytown, MO 64133

Three ways to register:

1. Complete and Email this registration form to: **ibhsecretary@yahoo.com**
2. Email shooters name and phone, Saturday line time, age and shooting division/style to **ibhsecretary@yahoo.com**
3. Mail the completed form to: **Tobi Forbes 816-645-2198**
16909 E 44th St S, Independence, MO 64055

Hotel: Holiday Inn Express:

816-997-9444 - hot breakfast & pool

Practice Friday Night

6pm-8:30pm \$5.00

Last Name	First Name	Phone
Address	City	State
		Zip Code
Email	<input type="checkbox"/> Male	<input type="checkbox"/> Female
Member ID#	<input type="checkbox"/> NFAA Member	<input type="checkbox"/> USA Archery Member

PRE-REGISTRATION FEE			
Pro Divisions	Adult & Senior Divisions	Junior Divisions	Family*
\$95	\$45	\$35	\$115

Please add \$15 to all late registrations.

*Family Rate Includes 2 Non-Pro Adults and 2 Juniors

Email registration by February 14th to avoid late fees

PLEASE SELECT YOUR CHOICE FOR SATURDAY LINE TIME

8:00 am	11:00 am	2:00 pm
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PLEASE SELECT ONE (1) AGE DIVISION

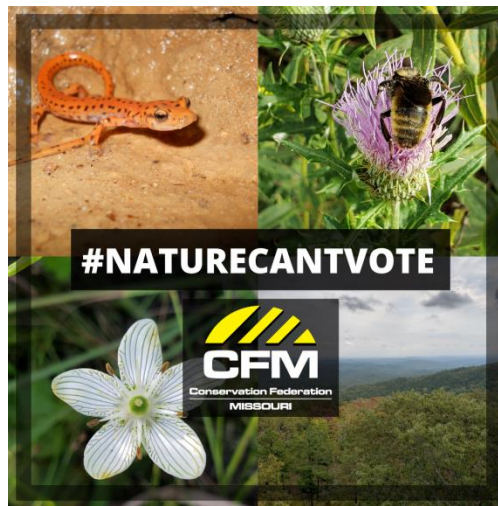
Adult		Junior Age Divisions	
Senior (ages 50-59)		Cub (ages 11 and under)	
Silver Senior (ages 60-69)		Youth (ages 12-14)	
Master Senior (ages 70 and over)		Young Adult (ages 15-17)	

PLEASE SELECT ONE (1) SHOOTING DIVISION

Adult, Senior, Silver Senior & Master Senior Shooting Divisions		Professional Shooting Divisions	
Barebow		Freestyle	
Bowhunter Freestyle			
Traditional		Junior Shooting Divisions	
Freestyle		Barebow	
Freestyle Limited		Bowhunter Freestyle	
Freestyle Limited Recurve		Freestyle	
Barebow Recurve (Adult/Senior Only)		Freestyle Limited Recurve	
Longbow (Adult Only)		Check for Wheelchair Accommodations	

CONSERVATION COMMITTEE REPORT

Here's a great article written by Colton Zirkle about a great tool to keep track of what's happening in the Missouri State Legislature concerning conservation in our state. Please sign up and use this tool, its FREE.



Missouri's Conservation Legislative Action Center

What's a little thing you could do that would make a huge impact? Join the Legislative Action Center (LAC)! Last year the Conservation Federation of Missouri (CFM) launched the LAC as a quick and easy way for conservation-minded folks to contact their elected officials. Once a person logs in, they can take action on pieces of legislation with literally two clicks!

By joining the LAC, for free we might add, not only can you take action, but you will be notified with specific Action Alerts. Any time major legislation comes up, an email will be sent to you outlining the issue and requesting your action. Once you follow the link, a pre-filled letter will appear with CFM and associated affiliate's position on the bill. One paragraph is left blank for you to fill in your own comments if you would like. With one more click, you send your email to your state representative and/or senator. After that, you are able to share the "call to action" with your friends on social media and through email.

The LAC showed its strength in February of 2020 when Missouri conservationists rallied together against HJR-100. This resolution would have effectively removed the constitutional authority of the Missouri Department of Conservation to use science to manage our natural resources and would have transferred that authority to politicians. HJR-100 could have had vast and far-reaching impacts on our conservation legacy. An Action Alert was sent out through the LAC and CFM's social media and over 3,000 emails were sent to our state legislators! Concerned citizens rallied together and "packed the House," to oppose this legislation and it was successfully defeated.

Not all issues are as big as HJR-100, but there are many opportunities to share our united conservation voice. Not all of our action items oppose legislation either, some are letters of support.

Also in 2020, HB-1711 was drafted to expand the beloved Share the Harvest program. It passed overwhelmingly through the support of Missourians contacting their legislators through the LAC. HB-1711 paved the way for Share the Harvest to soon include venison "snack sticks," which will be included in programs like Columbia's "Buddy Packs." In this program, food insecure children are sent home over the weekend with backpacks containing shelf-stable food items. Another beautiful way conservation gives back.

We hope you will sign up for the Legislative Action Center to join us as a voice for the Missouri outdoors. You can sign up at our website: www.confedmo.org/lac.

Stay social,

Colton Zirkle

Education and Communications Coordinator

Conservation Federation of Missouri

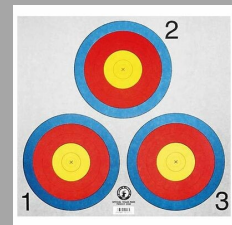
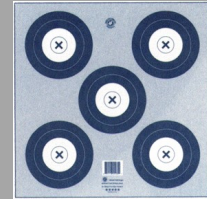
MBH State Indoor Championship

March 6-7, 2021

MBH Membership Required
360 NFAA round/330 Vegas Round
Line Times : 9AM Noon (3PM if needed)



LOCATIONS:
Independence Bow Hunters
Nodaho
Summit Archery
Ozarks Target
Indian Trails



Late fees
Individual \$10
Family Max \$30
Starts Feb. 25th

Registration can be either on line (MBH website)
or thru the mail (Tobi Forbes, 16909 E. 44th St S,
Independence, MO 64055)

Fees

Money Division \$70 (1 Men and 1 Women) 50% payback
Trophy Division
Adult \$35
Individual Child (cub/Youth/YA) \$25
Family (immediate household) \$85 (trophy division)

The deadline for late registration: 2/25/2021

Age Divisions

Adult
Senior (50+)
Silver Senior (60+)
Master Senior (70+)

Divisions

Barebow
Bowhunter Freestyle
Traditional
Freestyle
Freestyle Limited
Freestyle Limited Recurve
Guest

Junior Age Divisions

Cub (11 & under)
Youth (12-14)
Young Adult (15-17)

Junior Shooting Divisions

Barebow
Bowhunter Freestyle
Freestyle
Freestyle Limited Recurve

Fees Due upon Registration



2021 Missouri Bow Hunters

State Indoor Championships

March 6-7, 2021

Local Covid-19 rules apply

Register/Pay Online at
WWW.mobowhunters.org

or

Mail Registration Form to:

Missouri Bow Hunters

16909 E 44th St S

Independence, Mo 64055

Please make all checks payable to MBH

Name

Address

City, State, Zip

Phone

Email

Money Division 50 % Payback

Men \$70

Women \$70

Trophy Division

Individual Adult \$35.00

Youth \$25.00

Family \$85.00

Late fees -\$10.00 individual \$30.00 Family max

***fees do not include MBH Membership**

Late Registration starts 2/25/2021

MBH Membership Required for Participation

MBH DUES TO

WWW.mobowhunters.org or

Missouri Bow Hunters 16909 E 44th St S, Independence, Mo 64055

Preferred Saturday Line Time – mark 1st & 2nd choice

_____ 9:00 am _____ 12:00 pm

Independence ☐ Nodaho ☐ Summit ☐

Indian Trails ☐ Ozarks Target ☐

Money Division ☐

Please Select one (1) Age Division / One (1) Shooting Division

<input type="checkbox"/>	Adult
<input type="checkbox"/>	Senior (ages 50-59)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Silver Senior (ages 60-69)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Master Senior (ages 70 and over)

<input type="checkbox"/>	Junior Age Divisions
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Adult, Senior, Silver Senior & Master Senior Shooting Divisions	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Barebow
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Professional Shooting Division	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Freestyle
Junior Shooting Divisions	
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Bowhunter Freestyle
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Freestyle Limited Recurve

Fees Due upon Registration



LARGE & SMALL GAME COMMITTEE

Last month I told you that Missouri was on its way to another record archery season. Well the final numbers are in and the archery kill was up by almost 9%.

There were 67,180 deer harvested during the 2020-2021 archery deer season.

Hunters checked 61,407 deer during the 2019-2020 archery deer season.

Top counties for this archery deer season were Jefferson with 1,630, Saint Louis with 1,384 and Franklin with 1,315.

A record 28,742 bucks were killed during archery season, again a 9% increase.

Here is a chart of archery harvest the last 10 years. The last 5 years have included crossbows.

		Bucks	B. Bucks	Does	Total	%Change
2011-2012	Archery Deer Totals	18,373	6423	27,875	52,671	
2012-2013	Archery Deer Totals	17,961	6809	29,227	53,997	+ 2.5%
2013-2014	Archery Deer Totals	20,267	5426	24,483	50,507	- 6.5%
2014-2015	Archery Deer Totals	20,395	5156	22,989	48,449	- 4.1%
2015-2016	Archery Deer Totals	20,169	5419	24,171	49,759	+ 2.7%
** First Year Crossbows Allowed all season						
2016-2017**	Archery Deer Totals	21,124	4786	22,498	48,408	- 2.8%
2017-2018	Archery Deer Totals	21,283	5347	25,361	51,991	+ 6.9%
2018-2019	Archery Deer Totals	20,708	5351	26,864	52,923	+ 1.8%
2019-2020	Archery Deer Totals	26,331	5548	29,528	61,407	+ 13.9%
2020-2021	Archery Deer Totals	28,742	6047	32,391	67,180	+ 8.9%

The last 2 years have shown a big increase in archery season kills which has been unprecedented in any previous seasons. I can only believe it's because more and more hunters are using crossbows. We need to keep monitoring it to make sure that's not hurting the deer herd.

Happy Bow Hunt'in
Jeff Blystone

Calendar of Events

2021

Jan 16-17 – Kansas City ShootOut Pro-Am – IBH - Raytown

Feb 20-21 – NFAA Midwest Sectionals – IBH - Raytown

Mar 6-7 - MBH State Indoor – Multiple locations: Indian Trails, IBH, Summit, Ozarks Target, Nodaho

Mar 12-14 – NFAA Indoor Nationals – Louisville, KY

July 10-11 – MBH State Outdoor Championship – IBH – Blue Springs

Nov 6-7 – MBH Youth Championship – Multiple Locations

Dec. 4-5 – MBH State 450 Championship – Multiple Locations

Club Directory

INDEPENDENCE BOWHUNTERS (NFAA/MBH 4-30-21) Indoor range location: 6423 Railroad St., Raytown, MO; leagues and practice at 20 yards. Outdoor range location: William Landahl Park, Argo Rd. & 7 Hwy., Blue Springs, MO. President: Jim Forbes, Secretary: Tobi Forbes, 816-645-2198, 16909 E. 44th St. S, Independence, MO 64055; BofR: Jim Forbes, 816-863-7128. www.independencebowhunters.org

MISSOURI ROCK'N SHOTS (NFAA/MBH 01-24-21) BofR: Kathy Potter, efa@cvalley.net. Range location: 1401 County Road 1255, Huntsville, MO 65259; JOAD program available, call range for more information: 660-651-3175

NODAHO BOW HUNTERS CLUB (NFAA/MBH 11-30-21) Outdoor range location: ¼ mi. east of Graham on Hwy. A, 1¼ mile north on gravel road 16 Lane. Indoor range location: South end of Maple Ave., Maitland, MO. President: Cody Sisk, Secretary: Jeanette Brookshier, 660-939-4177; BofR: Bill Brookshier. www.nodahobowhunters.com

NOMO BOWHUNTERS ARCHERY ASSN. (MBH 01-31-21) Moberly, MO. Outdoor range location: 1.8 miles east of Junction 24 and 63 on Hwy. 24 on south side of highway. Contact & BofR: Charlie Langreder, 1508

Secretariat Dr., Columbia, MO 65202, 573-864-7590; President: Larry Jackson, 660-998-1545; Secretary: Alan Eckhardt, 573-881-4199

NORTHWEST MISSOURI ARCHERY CLUB (MBH/NFAA 6-22-21) 3D range location: from Bethany, Mo. Take Hwy. 136 west 9 miles to Rt. EE, New Hampton, north 12 miles to Rt. M, west 3 miles to Emmett & Leah Seat Conservation Area. Watch for signs to archery range. President: Charles Fosdick, 205 S 23rd St, Bethany, MO 64424, 660-868-0475; Secretary: Teri Fosdick, 660-425-6155; BofR: Ed Criger.

OZARKS TARGET ARCHERS (NFAA/MBH 11/05/21) 5780 S Farm Rd 141; Springfield, MO 65810; 417-874-2910; President/BofR: Amy Francka afancka@springfieldmo.gov; Indoor and outdoor field range.

SUMMIT ARCHERY CENTER (MBH 8-31-21) 1164 Decker Rd., Labadie, MO 63055; 636-742-2531. President: Chris Schmidt, Secretary: Jim Ford; BofR: Jeff Friedmann jf4657@gmail.com.

Commercial Archery Lanes & Shops

Archery Excellence Indoor Range & Pro Shop (NFAA/MBH 10-31-21) Owner: Melinda & Jared Hawley; 811 N Fuller St; Independence, MO 64050; 816-726-2040. Indoor range.

CREED ARCHERY SUPPLY Shop Manager: Derek Fortna; 701 S Missouri St; Macon, MO 63552; derek@creedarchery.com. Indoor range.

INDIAN TRAILS ARCHERY PRO SHOP (MBH 5-21-21) Owner: Faron Teague; 1521 N Hwy 19; Salem, MO 65560; 573-729-9593. Indoor range and outdoor Fita range.



Missouri Bow Hunters Association

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Membership Application

- ☐ Single \$25
☐ Family \$30
☐ Youth \$12.50 (under 18)

Name: _____ DOB: (if under 18) _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Email: _____ Phone: _____

Affiliated Club _____

Referred by _____

Family Members:

Name 1: _____ DOB: (if under 18) _____

Name 2: _____ DOB: (if under 18) _____

Name 3: _____ DOB: (if under 18) _____

Name 4: _____ DOB: (if under 18) _____

Name 5: _____ DOB: (if under 18) _____

Name 6: _____ DOB: (if under 18) _____

Mail Completed Form to:
Missouri Bow Hunters
16909 E. 44th St. S
Independence, MO 64055

For questions call: 816-645-2198 ♦ Join online at www.mobowhunters.org