

ESSEX COUNTY ARCHERY ASSOCIATION

A meeting of Council will be held at the COURAGE HALL,
MIDDLETON HALL LANE, BRENTWOOD, ESSEX,
on TUESDAY 10th JANUARY 2006, commencing 8.00 p.m.

The meeting will be held in the room adjacent to the Bar.. Bar facilities etc. will be available

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| 1/06 | Apologies for absence | |
| 2/06 | Matters for any other business | |
| 3/06 | Minutes of meeting 01.11.05 (circulated) | |
| 4/06 | Matters arising | |
| 5/06 | Correspondence | |
| 6/06 | Chairman's Remarks | |
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7/06 |
REPORTS FROM: | |
| | a) Hon Treasurer | p) Target Organiser |
| | b) League Secretary | q) FITA Organiser |
| | c) Coaching Secretary | r) Clout Organiser |
| | d) Senior Records Officer | s) Field Organiser |
| | e) Junior Records Officer | t) Flight Organiser |
| | f) Field Records Officer | u) Team Manager |
| | g) Compound Records Officer | w) Equipment Officer |
| | h) Flight/Clout Records Officer | x) Compound League Secretary |
| | k) Indoor Organiser | y) Bray League Secretary |
| | | z) Members Representative |
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Calendar 2006 | |
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Annual Meeting | |
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Any other business | |

G.J.Sibley

Hon Secretary 051205

MINUTES OF ECAA COUNCIL MEETING
HELD AT COURAGE HALL, MIDDLETON HALL LANE, BRENTWOOD, ON TUESDAY 10TH JANUARY, 2006

The meeting commenced at 8.25 pm.

Present: Mrs. I. Major (President and acting Minutes Secretary), R. Frost (Chairman), J. Neal (Vice Chairman), G. Sibley (Secretary and Life Vice President), T. Major (Vice President), M. Skinner (Treasurer), Mrs. A. Stevens (General Member), and representatives from Ardleigh, Black Stag, H.N.A., Mayflower, Oakfield, Pilgrim, Priory, Individual. Total attending = 18.

1/06: Apologies for Absence – C. Wooff (Life Vice President), Mrs. B. Wooff (SEAC), Mrs. M. Hutchins (Vice President and Minutes Secretary), R. Hutchins (SEAC), A. Reeves (Noak Hill & JRO/EO/TO), Mrs. M. Pearce (HNA & Comp.RO), C. Richardson (Abbey), J. Willson (Rayleigh).

2/06: Matters for Any Other Business – There were none.

3/06: Minutes of the last Meeting – Having been circulated, were accepted as a true record, agreed by the Meeting and signed by the Chairman.

4/06: Matters Arising – Page 2 para.104/05 (h) It was decided that the Clout trophies for Lady & Gent would cost too much to refurbish and it would be cheaper to buy new ones. A meeting would be convened to discuss the matter.

5/06: Correspondence – (a) Confirmation that Mrs. Hatton is Secretary of Gipping Valley. John Neal has a change of address; 4, Cypress Close, Laindon, SS15 4BF Tel: 01268 419109. (b) Mrs. B. Willis of 224, Beechfield, Hoddesdon, Hertfordshire, EN11 9QF is now Secretary of Harlow Bowmen. Tel: 01992 422579 E-mail address johnwillis@ntlworld.com. (c) There is a regional Judges meeting on 21st April. Also a National Conference of Judges on 25th February. (d) There was a SCAS meeting on Saturday which started at 10.10 am and finished at 11.15 am (thought to be a record). A number of short reports were given. The EAF situation was presented to the meeting but was not discussed. There have not been many comments made on it from members of Council and it will be ratified at the next meeting on 2nd April. (e) We are in front on membership having 1181 with Hampshire 80 behind us with 1100. (f) In the same way that GNAS recognise 1st, 2nd and 3rd class at club level, FITA are working towards doing the same for beginners. Details are on the FITA website. (g) A new FITA Rule book is due shortly. Judges as well as coaches will have to be CRB checked and only GNAS will be accepted.

6/06: Chairman's Remarks – Welcome to the New Year. I trust you all had an enjoyable time over Christmas. This is the last Meeting before the AGM. I understand there are very few nominations for the various Executive and Non-Executive offices in the county.

7/06: Reports from:

(a) **TREASURER** – Last Year's accounts almost completed and will be presented at the AGM. Showing a surplus of just over £1000 and there are no plans to increase affiliation fees. In answer to a question from the floor the Treasurer confirmed that there is no provision for the purchase of any new bosses.

(b) **LEAGUE SECRETARY** – No report.

(c) **COACHING SECRETARY** – The Guild held its AGM in December. The programme for 2006 will be available at the AGM. The last Level I course has finished and the Coaching course went okay with only a couple of referrals for that. Everything went well in the County Coach assessment in February. The JEDI course kicked off in November and is going okay. It is completely full. Currently we will be discussing scheduling some conversions for assistant coaches to Level I and will be setting updates at the same time and most will be done by 2007. Thanks to all the Coaches who are putting in a lot of work.

(d) **SENIOR RECORDS OFFICER** – offered the following for ratification:

Longbow Ladies	23.10.05	Mrs. H. Waterhouse	Black Stag	Portsmouth	445 at Racketts
Junior Boy u/14	15.11.05	Jonathan Burcell		Portsmouth	203 at Club
	11.11.05	Jonathan Burcell		Bray I	76 at Club
Junior Girl u/13	20.12.05	Aishling Maher	Oakfield	Bray I	48 at Club
Bare Bow Junior Boy u/14:					
	25.10.05	Jonathan Burcell		Worcester	70 at Club
	02.08.05	Jonathan Burcell		Junior Warwick	69 at Club
	18.09.05	Jonathan Burcell		Junior National	139 at Club

This proposal was seconded by M. Vaughan (Mayflower) and it was accepted by the Meeting.

T. Ikel confirmed that he would be prepared to stand for re-election as SRO.

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- (e) **JUNIOR RECORDS OFFICER** – No report
- (f) **FIELD RECORDS OFFICER** – Offered the following for ratification:
Gents Compound 02.10.05 N. Wakling Grampian FITA 28 marked 415 ECAA Champs.
This proposal was seconded by T. Ikel (Oakfield) and it was accepted by the Meeting.
- (g) **COMPOUND RECORDS OFFICER** - No report
- (h) **FLIGHT/CLOUT RECORDS OFFICER** - Nothing to report at the moment. E. Davies (Pilgrim) confirmed that he would stand for re-election.
- (k) **INDOOR ORGANISER** – Entries are slowly coming in. M. Pearce (HNA) confirmed that he would stand for re-election.
- (p) **TARGET ORGANISER** – Everything is in place for tournament to go ahead. Entry forms are prepared and will be ready for the AGM.
- (q) **FITA ORGANISER** – No report
- (r) **CLOUT ORGANISER** – Woodford Archers – No report
- (s) **FIELD ORGANISER** – R. Frost reported that the tournament went well last year. If everything goes okay it will be at the same venue in 2006. As it is the 50th time the Field Shoot has been run as the Essex Championships, the round may not be a 28 target marked. Instead it may be a two day shoot on Saturday, 30th September and Sunday, 1st October with the round still to be discussed. It will still have Arrow Head and Record status.
- (u) **TEAM MANAGER** – Nothing to report. However, the Secretary advised the Meeting that a representative of Norfolk said that when their Committee discussed the triangular match in May, between London, Norfolk and Cambridge there was a lack of enthusiasm, saying there was a failure to stick to an agreed format and with the attitude of other counties (they did not want it as a contest), they felt it had *run its course*.
- (w) **EQUIPMENT OFFICER** – No report received
- (x) **COMPOUND LEAGUE SECRETARY** – Entry forms have gone out and are being returned slowly.
- (y) **BRAY LEAGUE SECRETARY** – Scores have been done for this month and should be going out tomorrow by E-mail and in the post. It is going well and scores are getting close in the compound.
- (z) **MEMBERS' REPRESENTATIVE** – Nothing to report.

The Chairman thanked all those people who had submitted reports and for their work on behalf of the County to see that various activities take place. Without your guidance and leadership they would not run as well as they have been.

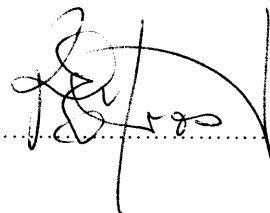
8/06: Calendar 2006 – (a) Hopefully the East Anglian will be on the 30th July. If not, it may be on the 27th August (Bank Holiday Sunday). The venue will be Framlingham. (b) Calendar will continue in the same format. Club dates will go on the calendar as soon as possible so that a draft can be produced. Date changes will be in accordance with 2007 draft.

9/06: Annual Meeting 5th February – The Chairman announced that the hall is booked and the Agenda has been circulated. The start time is 2.30 p.m. at Marconi Sports & Social Club, Beehive Lane, Chelmsford. If you cannot get in the main car park take the Apple Blossom Road turning, follow round and there is a car park at the back.

'06: Any Other Business - There was no other business. However, the following suggestion was made; If Organisers of shoots do not already put their post code on their entry forms they should do so as it helps to locate venue on the internet or via satellite navigation programmes.

There being no other business, the Chairman closed the Meeting at 9.10 pm, with thanks to all for attending and to Mrs. I. Major (President) for taking the Minutes.

CHAIRMAN



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**ESSEX
ARCHERY
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ANNUAL GENERAL
MEETING

2.30pm SUNDAY
5th FEBRUARY 2006

TO BE HELD AT

MARCONI SPORTS & SOCIAL CLUB
BEEHIVE LANE, CHELMSFORD, ESSEX

G. J. SIBLEY HONORARY SECRETARY

15th December 2005

**MINUTES OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE ESSEX COUNTY ARCHERY ASSOCIATION
HELD AT MARCONI SPORTS & SOCIAL CLUB, BEEHIVE LANE, CHELMSFORD
ON SUNDAY 7th FEBRUARY 2006**

PRESENT: G.Sibley (Hon.Life Vice President and Secretary), Mrs.I.Major (President), T.Major (Vice President), R.Frost (Chairman), J.Neal (Vice Chairman), M.Skinner (Treasurer), Mrs.A.Stevens (General Member), representatives from Ardleigh, Pilgrim, HNA, Oakfield, Gyppeswyck, Noak Hill, Southend, Abbey, Ascham, Rayleigh, Priory, Black Stag, Grays, Racketts, Albemarle, Mayflower, Framlingham, West Essex, Individual and Direct.

11/06 PRESENTATION OF TROPHIES:

THE BALDWIN TROPHY – Awarded to Mr Chris Smith (Pilgrim).

THE BILL GRIGGS TROPHY - Awarded to Mr Michael Peart (Deben).

THE BILL TUCKER AWARD - Awarded to Mr Alan Drinkwater (Framlingham).

THE LUDORUM TROPHY - Awarded to Mr Eric Davis (Pilgrim).

THE MILLENIUM TROPHY – Not awarded – no nominations.

THE DAVISON SALVER – Awarded to Miss Chris Higgins (Oakfield)

THE THELMA DAVISON CUP (hc recurve) – Awarded to Miss Esmie Hamilton-Farey (Ascham).

JOE DORMER SHIELD (hc compound) - Awarded to Mstr George Fenton (Mayflower).

COACHING LEVEL ONE CERTIFICATES – Miss C Higgins, Mr D Livings, Mrs E Line, Mr T Harvey.

12/06 COUNTY TEAM AWARDS:

COLOURS/DATE – Ladies: M.Saville (Ardleigh). Gents: T.Riddick (Grays), D.Lawless (Braintree), P.French (Colchester), C.Clayton (Rayleigh), B.Brown (Rayleigh), C.Abbott (Mayflower). DATE – Ladies: M.Cornish (Grampian), L.Hastings (Grampian), J.Ikel (Oakfield), M.Lang (Black Stag), J.Osborne (Gyppeswyck), H.Waterhouse (Black Stag). Girls: M.Reynolds (Ascham), E.Reader (Rayleigh), A.Maher (Oakfield). Gents: D.Collins (Ardleigh), K.Godsall (Grampian), T.Maher (Oakfield), I.Malcolm (Noak Hill), J.Neal (Black Stag), S.Osborne (Gyppeswyck), M.Skinner (Chelmsford), S.Spragg (Oakfield), G.Summers (Grampian), A.Toy (Albemarle), M.Vaughan (Mayflower), M.Webb (Racketts). Boys: A.Vaughan (Mayflower), T.Pow (Mayflower), M.Markham (Mayflower), P.Lees (Rayleigh), M.Judd (Mayflower), A.Johns (Rayleigh), J.Guiton (Rayleigh), P.Glover (Mayflower), J.Forrester (Albemarle), A.Devlin (Oakfield), A.Mockett (Oakfield), G.Fenton (Mayflower).

13/06 SUMMER LEAGUE AWARDS:

Division 1	Priory	Mrs.K.Lord (Priory)	C.Cracknell (Colchester)
Division 2	Oakfield	Mrs.J.Stock (West Essex)	D.Collins (Ardleigh)
Division 3	Noak Hill	Mrs.E.Line (Abbey)	G.Charnick (Abbey)

14/06 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE were received from C.Wooff (Life Vice President), Mrs.M.Hutchins (Vice President), R.Hutchins, C.Bushell, P.Walker, Mrs.L.Squibb, D.Squibb, J.Willson, I.Malcolm, Ms.A.Reynolds.

15/06 MINUTES OF AGM 06.02.05 having been circulated were taken as read, accepted by the meeting and signed by the President.

16/06 MATTERS ARISING: None.

17/06 PRESIDENT'S REMARKS: I have now reached the end of my three-year term of office as President of the Essex County Archery Association and must say I have enjoyed it immensely. I only hope I have acquitted myself satisfactorily. Sadly, some of our members and friends passed away during 2005 and one very special lady, as recently as 23rd January.

Malcolm Smith passed away in April. He was a past member of Barking Archers and The Pilgrim Archers. Malcolm did a great deal for the County over the years within the Coaching Group and was the first Essex archer to qualify for a 1000 FITA Star. In 1991 Malcolm was awarded the Red Tassel for his services to the County.

Terry Hussey was a founder member of West Essex Bowmen. Sadly, shortly after retiring to Clacton he passed away.

Anne Johnson, with her husband Bill, had covered the Essex Championship scoring and also Pilgrim's Whit Shoot scoring for a number of years. Tragically, Anne died suddenly on 2nd April after routine surgery to repair her broken leg following a fall. She was a jolly person with a zest life.

Fred Ithell, with his wife, Frances, had been a long time member of Abbey Bowmen and, since the start of his long illness; he became a member of HDSA Archery club where he continued to shoot until his illness prevented even this little enjoyment he had. Sadly, with the deterioration of his condition, Fred passed away on 12th May.

Terry Harris sadly died on 23rd August following a tragic industrial accident. Terry was a well-liked and popular member of Mayflower Archers.

Ron Halls, late of Colchester & District Archery Club, sadly passed away. I understand Ron was heavily involved in building projects at the club as well as being organiser for Colchester's annual York/Hereford tournament.

Brenda Wooff held a number of county positions during the many years she was in archery; Team Captain for about three years, Clout Organiser, jointly with her husband, Colin, and she was involved in coaching at both club and county level. In 1994 Brenda was awarded the Red Tassel for her long-term services to the Association. Sadly, on the 23rd January 2006, Brenda lost her fight against her illness.

We are sad to lose these dear friends and, on behalf of the membership, I would like to extend sincere condolences to the families and friends concerned.

I realise I am about to repeat the comments made in my *President's Remarks* over the past two years by expressing many thanks to the organisers of our county championships for all their efforts on behalf of Essex archers. Through no fault of our FITA Organiser, Robert Markham, regrettably this tournament did not come to fruition. It must have been particularly frustrating for him to put in all the effort with no final result. Let's hope the tournament will go ahead in 2006. Graham Sibley again organised the SCAS Junior Inter-County Championships which were hosted, as usual, by West Essex Bowmen. Betty Sibley catered for the officials and working party in her usual excellent manner. Graham Sibley also again organised the Senior SCAS team event at Andover. On behalf of the membership I would like to extend our grateful thanks to all concerned. Once again, Essex juniors acquitted themselves well at the 2005 Junior National Championships and quite a few are listed in the 2005 GNAS Junior National Rankings, namely; Charlotte Pudney (Mayflower), Philip Glover (Mayflower), George Fenton (Mayflower), Michael Markham (Mayflower) and John Guiton (Rayleigh). Many congratulations to all of them. The talents of a number of Essex archers (both senior and junior) have been recognised by Peter Suk (head coach at Lilleshall) who has taken them under his wing for development training. Congratulations to all our record breakers in 2005. Members of the Coaching Group continue to train new coaches, run Wicken Bonhunt Personal Performance weekends and the JEDI (Junior Essex Development Initiative) courses. I know the membership appreciate all their efforts to develop our sport within the county. I would like to make special mention of John Willson, who is heavily involved in the development of junior archers in the U.K. I understand that, currently, he has about 600 junior archers under his wing. I am sure we have all missed the interesting and informative news of THE ESSEX BOWMAN magazine. There is no doubt it would entail an enormous commitment from any prospective Editor, as Jenny and Graham Radford are fully aware. Let us hope that this is only a temporary lapse in the magazine and that we can look forward to reading its pages again at some time in the future. I take this opportunity to mention that the next Council Meeting will be at The Courage Hall in Brentwood on Tuesday, 7th March and I hope clubs will send along a representative to keep their members fully informed about the affairs of the County. Finally, I would like to thank all our officers, both Executive and Non-Executive, not forgetting those without an official title, for their work and dedication throughout the past year. It has been a privilege to serve as your President for the past three years and I wish you all good health and happiness in 2006.

18/06 REPORT FROM HON.SECRETARY: Report tabled listing tournaments and champions in 2005. Thanks to Tournament Officers for their efforts in running efficient events. Unfortunately it was not possible to hold the FITA Championships but look forward to next year. 54 clubs re-affiliated comprising 836 gents, 285 ladies, 346 boys, 103 girls, total affiliation 1570. Report accepted by the Meeting with thanks offered to Graham Sibley for all his work.

19/06 REPORT FROM HON.TREASURER: Audited Balance Sheet and Accounts tabled. Report accepted by the Meeting with thanks to Martin Skinner for all his work on the County's accounts.

20/06 REPORT FROM SENIOR R O: Report tabled listing Outdoor Ladies and Gents Recurve and Longbow Top Ten, Outdoor and Indoor Ladies and Gents Recurve, Longbow and Barebow records, Outdoor and Indoor Junior Longbow and Barebow records. Ask that club Record Officers please send in scores. Report accepted by the meeting with thanks to Tony Ikel for his work.

21/06 REPORT FROM JUNIOR R O: Report tabled listing Indoor and Outdoor Recurve records. Report accepted by the Meeting with thanks to Andy Reeves for all his work.

22/06 REPORT FROM COMPOUND R O: Report tabled listing Outdoor records and Top Ten Ladies, Gents, Girls and Boys. Report accepted by the Meeting with thanks to Maggie Pearce for her work.

23/06 REPORT FROM FIELD R O: Report tabled showing all records. County hosted the 2-day Regional Champs at Pantherbowhunters ground at Galleywood with a good entry from the region and about fifteen archers travelling from Wales. By the end of the year nine new County records were ratified, three new National records, two of which were potential National records claimed by juniors shooting from the white peg. At the moment these are still to be ratified. Report accepted by the Meeting with thanks to Robin Frost for his work.

24/06 REPORT FROM FLIGHT/CLOUT R O: Report tabled and accepted by the Meeting with thanks to Eric Davies for his work.

25/06 REPORT FROM LEAGUE SECRETARY: Unfortunately I am not able to be in Chelmsford in time for this meeting to give my report in person. For this I apologise. Many congratulations to League 2005 winning clubs and to the top Lady and Gent of each Division. In Division 1 two teams tied for top place with equal points and in Division 2, three teams tied. In both cases, in accordance with Rule 06 of the League Rules, winners were the teams with the highest average score over all full rounds shot. Looking back to 2005, once again the league ran very smoothly. I did not have any problems reported to me so it seems that the Rules are working. This year was the 50th anniversary of the League and as a small token, each participating club was presented with a certificate to commemorate the event. No league records were broken; still they still stand at: Gent 944 shot on 20th September 1992 by John Lamb (Deben). Lady 912 shot on 8th July 2001 by Kirsten Lewis (Holdens). Team 4381 shot on 15th September 1996 by Rayleigh Town. The fee remained where it has been for some years at £8 per team but it may be that next year we will have to review the situation. A reminder to Individual members of the County, notify in writing which club you wish to represent in the League and have this to the League Secretary no later than 1st April. 2005/6 was also the 40th anniversary of the winter indoor 15-yard shoot now known as the Andy Harris League and a similar certificate to that which was presented for the Summer League will be sent to each club who entered this season. Although this League does not officially come within the bounds of the Association it is run by me and is a popular league allowing those clubs with limited space to shoot for a score. The entry form for next winter will be sent to all club secretaries in July and I look forward to learning that your club will be joining in. Summer League 2006 dates are confirmed as: 21st May, 25th June, 16th July, 13th August, 24th September. Fixture list will be out within the next few weeks. I offer my thanks to all club league secretaries for their support and look forward to our future within the Leagues. Report accepted by the meeting with thanks to Marlene Hutchins for her work with the leagues.

26/06 REPORT FROM COACHING GUILD SECRETARY: Report tabled covering last year's programme, Wicken, JEDI, Coach education, new Coach renewal process, Leader courses and coaching clinics. Also list of accredited Level 1 staff. 2006 programme not yet fully finalised but a draft is available. Report accepted by the Meeting with thanks to John Neal for all his work on behalf of the Guild.

27/06 REPORT FROM TEAM MANAGER: Thanks to all archers who agreed to shoot for the County. Results have been printed in Minutes of County meetings. Please send your scores to the Record Officers. Norfolk dropped out of the forth coming May match but this will still go ahead, may be 2-way but discussions are under way to include another County. Kent dropped out of all this year's inter-county matches owing to illness of Team Manager but he hopes to be back next year. Arrangements for Indoor match under discussion. Report accepted by the Meeting with thanks to Joan Ikel for her work.

27/06a INDOOR ORGANISER: Brief verbal comments regarding forthcoming Indoor match in March.

28/06 REPORT FROM GENERAL MEMBER: At last year's AGM we were unable to appoint a Team Manager and the future of Inter-County matches was in jeopardy. Our thanks must go to Graham Sibley and Robin Frost for organising the first two matches. Obviously this situation could not continue and Joan Ikel volunteered to take on the role. If you wish to be considered for selection, please make sure the relevant records officers are receiving your scores. At the November council meeting I was advised that only four clubs are submitting scores, plus about five archers sending in their own scores. 2005 was a very busy year for all involved in the organisation of the Essex shoots. Besides the various Essex Championships we also hosted all the Inter-county matches, SCAS Field, SCAS Junior Individual, SCAS Junior Team and SCAS Senior Team Championships. All were a great success due to the hard work put in by the organisers backed up by their clubs and working parties. Thanks to all who gave their time on behalf of the County. It was a great shame that due to lack of entries the FITA Champs had to be cancelled just prior to the event. If there are any points anyone would like raised at Council meetings they are welcome to come along or contact the General Member with details. Our Lady President has been very active during the past three years I am sure all clubs and members would like to join me in thanking Iris Major for all the support and friendliness she has given us throughout her term. I hope she has enjoyed it as much as we have enjoyed having her as our President. Finally I would like to take this opportunity of wishing you all a very enjoyable year shooting and hope you all achieve your personal goals. Report accepted by the Meeting with thanks to Agnes Stevens for her work during the year.

29/06 REPORT FROM EDITOR OF 'ESSEX BOWMAN': No report.

30/06 ELECTION OF (2) TELLERS: Mrs.C.Stanford and Mrs.M.Pearce were elected.

31/06 ELECTION OF PRESIDENT: Mr.T.Major was nominated, seconded and elected.

32/06 ELECTION OF VICE-PRESIDENT: Mrs.J.Ikel and Mrs.I.Major were nominated and seconded. Ballot result in favour of Mrs.I.Major.

33/06 ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN: Mr.R.Frost was nominated, seconded and elected.

34/06 ELECTION OF VICE-CHAIRMAN: Mr.J.Neal was nominated, seconded and elected.

35/06 ELECTION OF HON.SECRETARY: Mr.G.Sibley was nominated, seconded and elected.

36/06 ELECTION OF HON.TREASURER: Mr.M.Skinner was nominated, seconded and elected.

37/06 ELECTION OF GENERAL MEMBER: Mrs.A.Stevens was nominated, seconded and elected.

38/06 ELECTION OF SENIOR RECORDS OFFICER: Mr.A.Ikel was nominated, seconded and elected.

39/06 ELECTION OF JUNIOR RECORDS OFFICER: No Nomination received. From the meeting, Mrs.M.Pearce volunteered was seconded and elected.

40/06 ELECTION OF COMPOUND RECORDS OFFICER: Mrs.M.Pearce was nominated, seconded and elected.

41/06 ELECTION OF FIELD RECORDS OFFICER: Mr.R.Frost was nominated, seconded and elected.

42/06 ELECTION OF FLIGHT/CLOUT RECORDS OFFICER: Mr.E.Davies was nominated, seconded and elected.

43/06 ELECTION OF LEAGUE SECRETARY: Mrs.M.Hutchins was nominated, seconded and elected.

44/06 ELECTION OF COACHING GUILD SECRETARY: Mr.J.Neal was elected by the Guild.

45/06 ELECTION OF TOURNAMENT ORGANISERS:

(a)Clout – Woodford. (b) Target – Mr.A.Reeves. (c) FITA –Next County Meeting. (d) Field – Mr.R.Frost/Mr.C.Bushell.
(e) Flight – N/a. (f) Indoor – Mr.M.Pearce.

46/06 ELECTION OF EQUIPMENT OFFICER: Mr.A.Reeves was nominated, seconded and elected.

47/06 ELECTION OF TEAM MANAGER: Mrs.J.Ikel was nominated, seconded and elected.

48/06 ELECTION OF HON.AUDITOR: Previous Auditors as recommended by Treasurer.

49/06 AMENDMENT TO CONSTITUTION: Page 5 (22/6/02) Para 10 Junior Colours – Council propose ‘That the Association further reviews the awarding of Junior Colours and recommend they be awarded for representing the County on at least four occasions’. Comment by the Secretary: “Executive appreciate that this subject was a matter of debate at the 2005 AGM and the earlier Motion was defeated. However, it is felt that the Association would be failing in their duty to members if, from time to time, they did not take time out to review the overall administration and to make adjustment where necessary. The motion recommends an amendment to the part of the Constitution governing the award of Junior colours from one to four representations. In 2005 figures were stated as to the number of Colours, etc. presented. A total of 43 archers from between 2001 and 2003 were reviewed providing a situation where 15 exceeded four representations, 24 exceeded 3 occasions whilst 20 made 2 or less. The original County match requirement was introduced some forty years ago and provided for one Junior match each year. In more recent years, three or four are more the norm. When consideration is given to how long the ‘one’ rule has been in existence, during this period of time the GNAS or FITA would have at least up-dated qualifications approximately every two years. A number of factors need to be put together before selection for team inclusion. For example, the archer, the coaching, the Junior Records Officer and the Team Manager. All of whom rely upon each other for a successful outcome. At the end of the day the Team Manager has to consider the Team content and relate this to the level of the opposition. All in all our Juniors have done exceedingly well over the past few years and we congratulate them. In summing up the situation previous discussions seemed to highlight a number of issues regarding selection and matches. In this respect, is there a need to overhaul the whole Junior system but, as suggested, bring it into the second millennium. I leave you with this thought from an article by a leading Industrialist; that giving every pupil a medal is leaving them unprepared for the working world. It is moved that the Motion be accepted by the Meeting”. Matter was debated at some length providing argument for and against the recommendation. Eventually an amendment was proposed by S.Osborne (Gyppeswyck) that TWO occasions should be acceptable. Motion put to the meeting with 28 votes for, 18 against. Amendment carried.

50/06 MATTERS FOR DISCUSSION (AT THE DISCRETION OF THE PRESIDENT): None.

Being no other business, the President closed the Meeting at 16.45pm.

PRESIDENT *S.A. Major*
ECAAGM/ 05.02.06/MH

ESSEX COUNTY ARCHERY ASSOCIATION

A meeting of Council will be held at the COURAGE HALL,
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on TUESDAY 7th MARCH 2006, commencing 8.00 p.m.

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- 52/06 Matters for any other business
- 53/06 Minutes of meeting 10.01.06 (circulated)
- 54/06 Matters arising
- 55/06 Correspondence
- 56/06 Chairman's Remarks

- 57/06 Any matters from Annual Meeting (05.02.06)

- 58/06 Appointment of Minute Secretary

- 59/06 Appointment of SCAS Representatives (3)

- 60/06 Appontment of Child Protection Officer

- 61/06 REPORTS FROM:
 - a) Hon Treasurer
 - b) League Secretary
 - c) Coaching Secretary
 - d) Senior Records Officer
 - e) Junior Records Officer
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 - u) Team Manager
 - w) Equipment Officer
 - x) Compound League Secretary
 - y) Bray League Secretary
 - z) Members Representative

- 62/06 Calendar 2006

- 63/06 Any other business
GNAS AGM and Representatives

G.J.Sibley

Hon Secretary 050206

**MINUTES OF ECAA COUNCIL MEETING HELD AT
COURAGE HALL, BRENTWOOD, ON TUESDAY 7th March 2006**

Present: T.Major (President), Mrs.I.Major (Vice President), R.Frost (Chairman), G.Sibley (Secretary and Life Vice President), Mrs.M.Hutchins (Vice President and Minutes Secretary), M.Skinner (Treasurer), Mrs.A.Stevens (General Member) and representatives from Ardleigh, Noak Hill, Oakfield, Abbey, Pilgrim, SEAC, Mayflower, HNA, Albemarle, West Essex, Individual. Total attending = 22.

Chairman opened the meeting at 8.10pm with a welcome to the first meeting after the AGM.

51/06 Apologies for Absence – C.Wooff (Life Vice President), Mrs.J.Ikel (Team Manage), A.Richardson (Abbey), G.Rayner (Priory).

52/06 Matters for Any Other Business – Items with the Chairman.

53/06 Minutes of last Meeting having been circulated were taken as read. With the amendment of house number for Secretary of Harlow to read 226, these were agreed by the Meeting and signed by the Chairman. Thanks offered to Iris Major for taking Minutes of last meeting.

54/06 Matters arising – 04/06 New trophies on show. Silver salver for Lady Recurve Clout in memory of Brenda Wooff and silver salver for Gent Recurve Clout.

55/06 Correspondence – (a) Change of Secretary for West Essex issued to all clubs. (b) Change of Secretary for Albemarle, Arthur Toy, 5 Wickford Drive, Harold Hill, Romford, RM3 9SB. 01708 378048. (c) Tudor Archers asking is it time for a reduced rate for occasional archers? Reply stated GNAS have no plans to pursue this course. (d) Copies of all known tournaments tabled. (e) Minutes of Regional meeting 7th January. Meeting lasted from 10-11.15am. Heavily amended EAF Constitution for ratification at Region. (f) Minutes of GNAS Operations Committee 7th January. Query regarding disabled archers. (g) No further change in Field records claim re juniors shooting at white peg.

56/06 Chairman's Remarks – Welcome to the new faces. After the AGM there are new people at various posts, please keep them advised.

57/06 Matters from AGM 5th February 2006 – No Editor for Essex Bowman but offer to run a Website for the County. This is being considered. League trophies for Divisions 2 and 3 were presented.

58/06 Appointment of Minutes Secretary – Marlene Hutchins was nominated by Graham Sibley (Secretary), seconded and re-appointed.

59/06 Appointment of SCAS Representatives (3) – Robin Frost and Graham Sibley were re-elected. John Willson was re-elected in his absence.

60/06 Appointment of Child Protection Officer – In the absence of the present Officer it was agreed to leave to next meeting 2nd May.

61/06 Reports from:

a) **TREASURER** – Nothing to report.

b) **LEAGUE SECRETARY** – Summer League Fixtures and Rules sent to all clubs entered. 15 clubs entered 18 teams and these will be in three Divisions. One match a month May-September inclusive. Andy Harris League ending the season this month. Two matches left for Divisions 1, 2 and 4, one match for Division 3. Final results and lists of Individual scores will be sent out first week in April.

c) **COACHING GROUP SECRETARY** – JEDI meeting this Saturday and mention of other meetings.

d) **SENIOR RECORDS OFFICER** - Offered the following for ratification:

Ladies Longbow	11.12.05	H.Waterhouse	Black Stag	Worcester	210	Racketts
Ladies Recurve	13.11.05	K.Hodder	Mayflower	Comb FITA Triple	1091	Dunstable

Seconded M.Pearce (HNA) and accepted by the Meeting. Top Ten listing attached to Minutes.

e) **JUNIOR RECORDS OFFICER** – Offered the following for ratification:

Boy U16	06.11.05	L.Willett	Rayleigh	Dble.FITA 18 Tri	1027	Mayflower
	13.11.05	L.Willett	Rayleigh	Comb 18/25 Triple	1015	Dunstable
	15.11.05	M.Markham	Mayflower	FITA 18 Triple	536	Racketts
	29.11.05	M.Markham	Mayflower	FITA 25 Triple	548	Beds
	29.11.05	M.Markham	Mayflower	Dble.FITA 25 Tri	1053	Beds

Seconded T.Ikel (Oakfield) and accepted by the Meeting. Junior Top Ten for all ages attached to Minutes.

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f) FIELD RECORDS OFFICER – Nothing to report.

g) COMPOUND RECORDS OFFICER – Offered the following for ratification.

Jnr Boy U18	30.10.05	P.Glover	Mayflower	FITA 18 Tri spot	574	Hawks
Snr Gent	13.11.05	P.Glover	Mayflower	FITA 18 Tri spot	577	Dunstable
	27.11.05	P.Glover	Mayflower	FITA 25 Tri spot	575	Beds

Seconded M.Vaughan (Mayflower) and accepted by the Meeting. Top Ten listings attached to Minutes.

h) FLIGHT/CLOUT RECORDS OFFICER – No report.

k) INDOOR ORGANISER – Target list out. Judges will be updated on the day. Waiting list for places. Help required at 6pm Saturday prior to shoot.

p) TARGET ORGANISER – Apologies for mistake on Junior Entry form, new form with Minutes of this meeting. Record Status, Rose Award both days. Side shoot for senior Western, number of targets dependent on entry for York/Hereford. Adult males who wish to shoot the Hereford can only do so if there are vacancies after the ladies places have been filled. Those males shooting the Hereford will not be entitled to medals nor to claim a Rose Award. Junior boys who shoot on the adult day will be classified as a gent and shoot the York. Junior girls who shoot on the adult day will be classified as a lady and shoot the Hereford. Last year's claim for Junior Girl Under 16 Barebow National Record has been ratified.

q) FITA ORGANISER – One-day event with a Short Metric at HNA ground, not Record Status. Judges been contacted and verbally agreed to Judge. Target faces left from last year can be used. Entry form tabled, will be sent with Minutes and also with results of Indoor. Target list and Results will be on HNA website when produced.

r) CLOUT ORGANISER – Date to be 16th April. Concern was raised on the state of the Ladies toilets last year. They were so bad many ladies used the gents' toilet in preference. Can the Organisers check into this problem? Problem was discussed and something will be done.

\ FIELD ORGANISER – Nothing to report.

~j) FLIGHT ORGANISER - N/a.

u) TEAM MANAGER – London are hosting the Indoor Inter-counties match at the Royal Free Hospital Recreation Club in Hampstead on Sunday 26th March. There are some archers I would expect to see on the Top Ten list but as their scores have not been sent to the SRO I do not have the option to select them.

(w) EQUIPMENT OFFICER – Will decide on number of Bosses to be purchased. Old ones to be sold on a date which will be announced. Not enough manpower to change the centres.

(x) COMPOUND LEAGUE SECRETARY – Entries in and Fixture List being prepared.

y) BRAY 1 LEAGUE – Results ready. Divisions 1 and 2 have two matches this month. If two teams entered, send results of both teams even if one does not have a match.

z) MEMBERS' REPRESENTATIVE – Nothing to report.

62/06 2006 Calendar – Circulated. 2007 will follow the same pattern.

63/06 Any Other Business – (a) GNAS AGM to take place in April. Marion and Dennis Saville volunteered to represent the County and take Proxies from clubs and Individuals. Coaching Conference is on same weekend. (b) Four Challenge medals have been given by SCAS for Essex to present to whosoever it chooses. Two will go to the Target Champs, Compound Lady and Compound Gent. Various suggestions put forward for use of the other two medals including longbow but it was felt that not enough longbow archers compete in the championship rounds to make it a challenge. The final outcome was that they should go to the highest scoring Junior Boy and highest scoring Junior Girl, irrespective of style, at the Indoor Champs. The final decision will be left to the next meeting when scores from the Indoor will be available to see how they compare. (c) Vince Gorham was presented with the Jack Plessey award for organising the Havering Youth Games for 28-years. (d) Proxies for SCAS AGM should be sent to Robin Frost or Graham Sibley. (e) Secretary will soon have email and if club or Individual requires this service, he will need your email address.

Being no other business, the Meeting closed at 9.30pm with thanks to all for attendance.

Next meeting will be Tuesday, 2nd May 2006.

CHAIRMAN

J.C. Neal

070306/mh

ESSEX COUNTY ARCHERY ASSOCIATION

A meeting of Council will be held at the COURAGE HALL,
MIDDLETON HALL LANE, BRENTWOOD, ESSEX,
on TUESDAY 2nd MAY 2006, commencing 8.00 p.m.

The meeting will be held in the room adjacent to the Bar.. Bar facilities etc. will be available

AGENDA

- 64/06 Apologies for absence
65/06 Matters for any other business
66/06 Minutes of meeting 10.01.06 (circulated)
67/06 Matters arising
69/06 Correspondence
70/06 Chairman's Remarks
- 71/06 REPORTS FROM:
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| a) Hon Treasurer | p) Target Organiser |
| b) League Secretary | q) FITA Organiser |
| c) Coaching Secretary | r) Clout Organiser |
| d) Senior Records Officer | s) Field Organiser |
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| h) Flight/Clout Records Officer | x) Compound League Secretary |
| k) Indoor Organiser | y) Bray League Secretary |
| | z) Members Representative |
- 72/06 Report of GNAS Annual Meeting
- 73/06 Report of SCAS Regional AG
- 74/06 Calendar 2006
- 75/06 Any other business

G.J.Sibley

Hon Secretary 030406

**MINUTES OF ECAA COUNCIL MEETING HELD AT
COURAGE HALL, BRENTWOOD, ON TUESDAY : 2nd May 2006**

Present: T.Major (President), Mrs.I.Major (Vice President), J.Neal (Vice Chairman), G.Sibley (Secretary and Life Vice President), Mrs.M.Hutchins (Vice President and Minutes Secretary), M.Skinner (Treasurer), Mrs.A.Stevens (General Member) and representatives from Black Stag, Ardleigh, Noak Hill, Oakfield, Abbey, Pilgrim, SEAC, Mayflower, HNA, West Essex, Individual. Total attending = 23.

Vice-Chairman opened the meeting at 8pm.

64/06 Apologies for Absence – C.Wooff (Life Vice President), R.Frost (Chairman), Mrs.J.Ikel (Team Manager), T.Ikel (SRO), J.Willson (Rayleigh).

65/06 Matters for Any Other Business – Items with the Chairman.

66/06 Minutes of last Meeting having been circulated were taken as read, accepted by the Meeting and signed by the Vice-Chairman.

67/06 Matters arising – None.

8/06 Correspondence – (a) Letter from C.Wooff thanking County for the Ladies Clout Salver in memory of his late wife, Brenda, and being allowed to present it to the winning lady. (b) Pleased to sign request for financial assistance for Philip Glover and wish him well.

69/06 Chairman's Remarks – Vice-President wished everyone good shooting throughout the season and hope all will have good times in the league and other tournaments. Congratulations to all who qualified through the Coach courses held during the winter and ask that they get out and volunteer for coaching activities in need of help.

70/06 Reports from:

- a) TREASURER – Quantity of County medals purchased. Two SCAS medals engraved.
- b) LEAGUE SECRETARY – Winter Andy Harris League finished at the end of March, taking part were 347 archers comprising 243 gents, 55 ladies, 40 boys and 9 girls. Along with final results were lists of all the Individual scores and also a certificate commemorating 40-years of this League. Hopefully every participating club has received these. Entry form for 2006/7 will be sent to club secretaries in July. Summer League commences on 21st May, results immediately after the match please.
- c) COACHING GROUP SECRETARY – Course finished with an almost 100% pass rate. Longbow workshop to be held at Noak Hill on 8th June at 6pm, contact Mitch Vaughan. Program for the year published but is still available by post or email if needed. Very interesting talk by Mike Peart in March, September meeting will be Derek Lovell and December is the AGM. Wicken weekend starts this Friday.
- d) SENIOR RECORDS OFFICER – No report.
- e) JUNIOR RECORDS OFFICER – Offered the following for ratification:
Girl U16 12.02.06 E.Reader Rayleigh FITA Comb 868 EMAS Rutland
Seconded Mrs.A.Stevens (Abbey) and accepted by the Meeting. Junior Top Ten for all ages attached to Minutes. Two top boys now become seniors.
- f) FIELD RECORDS OFFICER – Nothing to report.
- g) COMPOUND RECORDS OFFICER – Top Ten listings attached to Minutes.
- h) FLIGHT/CLOUT RECORDS OFFICER – No claims made.
- k) INDOOR ORGANISER – Small profit and no reason to raise fee for next year. Provisional booking for 18th March 2007, this acceptable to the meeting. Medals went missing in the post so in future will be held until can be given personally.
- p) TARGET ORGANISER – Thirty-six senior entries and six junior entries received to date. Sponsorship for target faces.
- q) FITA ORGANIZER – Entry forms should have been received by all but more tabled. Would like to change date for 2007 to avoid clashing with other shoots.
- r) CLOUT ORGANISER – Weather good and an enjoyable day. Large entry and Woodford worked hard. Results not yet published.
- s) FIELD ORGANISER – Ask that the shoot be moved to the following weekend in order to have a 'try' day on Saturday and Championships on Sunday. This is the weekend of HNA Field Shoot and will be looked into.
- t) FLIGHT ORGANISER – N/a.
- u) TEAM MANAGER – 3-way Indoor match on 26th March at Royal Free Hospital Recreation Centre resulted in a win for London (3405), 2nd Essex (3379), 3rd Middlesex (3378). Congratulations to Matt Webb with the highest score of 590. Next match is the Triple on 14th May.
- (w) EQUIPMENT OFFICER – Purchased two 100m tape measures at £11 each.

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- (x) COMPOUND LEAGUE SECRETARY – Target list out and first match this month.
- y) BRAY 1 LEAGUE – Finished in March, apologies for missing off a longbow team. Will use another system so will not happen again. Entry form for next winter out in July.
- z) MEMBERS' REPRESENTATIVE – Nothing brought to attention.

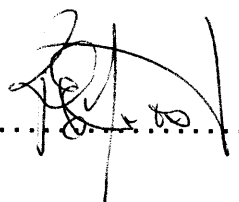
71/06 REPORT OF GNAS AGM 22nd April 2006 – Attached to Minutes. Received proxy votes from C&D.Stanford, R.Frost, Southend, West Essex, Gyppeswyck, Pilgrim, Oakfield, Colchester and Ardleigh. Concern shown over the fact that GNAS did not receive all the proxies known to be sent to them. Query re finance and confusion over the update of the computer system. Ascham Mazur Trophy won by Tommy Hodder, now four Essex archers have won this award, some more than once. Thanks offered to Marion and Dennis Saville for attending the meeting and for report.

72/06 SCAS MEETING 8 APRIL 2006 - Representing Essex - Robin Frost, Graham Sibley and John Willson. Proxies received from Oakfield, Southend, Pilgrim, Ardleigh, SEAC, D&C.Stanford, Racketts, Gyppeswyck, Mayflower. Matters arising - A Abbott still Secretary for EAF. Reports - Secretary - Membership still down but up from January. EAF has new constitution. Agreed to pay last year's and this year's contribution. Green book cost £1400 for 600 copies. SNAC club (Essex) not re-affiliated. Treasurer - Accounts presented but not audited. Will be subject of EGM. No increase in subs this year. Press Officer - Club activities required for web site, Tournament results, dates, etc. Query raised on S.C.A.S. minutes on web site, after discussion will be chairman's observation of meeting. SCAM - entry forms out, six weeks to go 200 + entrants, all entrants by cheque are entered. Junior I/C - Senior I/C - entry forms for both shoots sent to counties. Field - S.C.A.S. champs at Kingsbury House, 29/30 July. Details GNAS web site. Clout - Record status 4th June, Luton. Indoor - No report, will need organiser and venue. Junior - Record status at Rayleigh. Trophies to be returned, four new compound trophies. Liaison - excellent results in GCSE with 20 in Norfolk. C.P. Officer – regrettably two incidents, one at club level. CRB checks will be made before Level 1 and Coach courses. Judges - applications received from six judges for upgrading. Field Liaison - Nationals in N Ireland 27/28 May. World Champs in Wales Sept 2008 help needed. Coaching - No report. Coaching Finance - Not a large amount of money movement. EAF - new constitution agreed and distributed. Now have two reps from each region. Records - No report. Disabled - Development of spotters course and working with blind archers, next course in Sevenoaks in September. GNAS - Minutes of Ops meeting in Archery U.K. A.O.B. - Change of details on membership cards, nothing changed over past two years. Grant application to Kingsbury Co Archers, equipment for venue. Next meeting 15 July 2006. Three S.C.A.S. Silver Badges awarded, Kathy Smith, Ed Goldsmith and John Kavanagh. The afternoon was the A.G.M. where the agenda followed the normal course with all nominations being voted en-bloc. Reports were as the morning meeting.

73/06 Calendar – Change of date for FITA 2007 and change of date for Field Champs 2006 to be looked into.

74/06 Any Other Business – (a) Query regarding how the two new Clout trophies should be engraved. Decided they be returned to original engraver for instructions. (b) Query from an archer re cost of engraving County trophies will be looked into. (c) Following discussion re two remaining SCAS Challenge medals, suggested they go to York Longbow and Hereford Longbow at the Target Championships. Voting in favour 11, against 1, abstentions 8. Motion carried. These will be available for this year. (d) As the CPO was absent, the post could not be confirmed.

Being no other business, the Meeting closed at 9.16pm with thanks to all for attendance.
Next meeting will be Tuesday, 4th July 2006.

CHAIRMAN 

070306/mh

ESSEX COUNTY ARCHERY ASSOCIATION

A meeting of Council will be held at the COURAGE HALL,
MIDDLETON HALL LANE, BRENTWOOD, ESSEX,
on TUESDAY 4th JULY 2006, commencing 8.00 p.m.

The meeting will be held in the room adjacent to the Bar.. Bar facilities etc. will be available

AGENDA

- 76/06 Apologies for absence
- 77/06 Matters for any other business
- 78/06 Minutes of meeting 02.05.06 (circulated)
- 79/06 Matters arising
- 80/06 Correspondence
- 81/06 Chairman's Remarks

82/06 REPORTS FROM:

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| a) Hon Treasurer | p) Target Organiser |
| b) League Secretary | q) FITA Organiser |
| c) Coaching Secretary | r) Clout Organiser |
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| k) Indoor Organiser | y) Bray League Secretary |
| | z) Members Representative |

83/06 Calendar 2007

84/06 Any other business

G.J.Sibley

Hon Secretary 070606

MINUTES OF ECAA COUNCIL MEETING HELD AT COURAGE HALL, BRENTWOOD, ON TUESDAY 4th July 2006

Present: T.Major (President), Mrs.I.Major (Vice President), R.Frost (Chairman), J.Neal (Vice Chairman), G.Sibley (Secretary and Life Vice President), Mrs.M.Hutchins (Vice President and Minutes Secretary), M.Skinner (Treasurer), representatives from Black Stag, Ardleigh, Noak Hill, Oakfield, Albemarle, Burntwood, Rayleigh, Pilgrim, SEAC, Mayflower, HNA, West Essex, Individual. Total attending = 27.

Chairman opened the meeting at 8pm with a welcome to the new 'faces'.

76/06 Apologies for Absence – C.Wooff (L V President), Mrs.S.Richardson, Mrs.A.Stevens (Abbey), G.Rayner (Priory).

77/06 Matters for Any Other Business – Items with the Chairman.

78/06 Minutes of last Meeting having been circulated were taken as read. With the correction of date to read 2nd May, these were accepted by the Meeting and signed by the Chairman.

79/06 Matters arising – None.

80/06 Correspondence – (a) Change of Secretary for Grampian Suffolk: J.K.Cahill, 'Hooters' Dash End, Keddington, Suffolk CB9 7QR. john@cahillcorner.com (b) Request from Suffolk College for support and help. Passed to John Neal and John Willson. (c) New club forming in Ipswich area. (d) Woodford willing to host County Clout 2008. (e) Brochure from Archery Andalusia offering activity holidays.

81/06 Chairman's Remarks – Gradually transferring from 'snail' mail to email. Please ensure Secretary has correct email address. Copy of Minutes is available provided Secretary has information. Congratulations to juniors at various levels particularly to John Guiton on selection to the National Squad. We wish him well.

81/06 Reports from:

- a) **TREASURER** – Received accounts and Balance Sheet for Clout and Target. After offsetting medals, etc., Clout made a profit of £130 and Target came out practically even. Since last meeting have bought new bosses for Indoor use costing £900. Will need to replace stands.
- b) **LEAGUE SECRETARY** – In the Summer League two matches have been shot and results sent out. This month's results sent by email to those whose address I have. Andy Harris Entry form to be issued with Minutes of this meeting. Ask if Rule permitting Individual members contravenes GNAS Rules of Shooting? After long discussion it was agreed that in order to comply, Individual members must nominate one club only on the GNAS form. This will be the club they may represent for League purposes.
- c) **COACHING GROUP SECRETARY** – Next meeting to be 14th September, AGM 5th December, all meetings at Courage Hall. Coach Courses finished and Level 1 upgrade will commence as soon as dates are fixed. Anyone who is an Assistant will need to do one of the sessions. Further details available shortly. Meetings are open to everyone; do not have to be a Coach. Guild information by email if have address.
- d) **SENIOR RECORDS OFFICER** - Offered the following for ratification:

Gents Barebow	18.06.06	M.Lawrence	Noak Hill	York	517	ECAA Champs
	18.06.06	D.Oates	Noak Hill	Western	603	ECAA Champs
Ladies Barebow	18.06.06	A.Mills	Noak Hill	Western	248	ECAA Champs
Ladies Longbow	04.03.06	H.Waterhouse	Black Stag	Portsmouth	447	Racketts
	04.06.06	H.Waterhouse	Black Stag	Albion	375	Abbey
	30.04.06	J.Osborne	Gyppeswyck	L.Warwick	79	Fakenham
Gents Longbow	30.04.06	K.Davis	Harlow	L.Warwick	172	Fakenham
	23.04.06	K.Davis	Harlow	Albion	443	Royal Richmond
	07.05.06	K.Davis	Harlow	St.George	344	Kestrels
	28.05.06	K.Davis	Harlow	York	474	Middlesex
Girls U18 Lbow	19.03.06	H.Osborne	Gyppeswyck	FITA 25	131	ECAA Indoor
	16.04.06	H.Osborne	Gyppeswyck	Dble.Clout 1way	49	ECAA Champs
*****	07.08.05	H.Osborne	Gyppeswyck	Bristol 2	299	Bedford
Girls U13 Lbow	11.05.06	A.Maher	Oakfield	Jnr Warwick	169	Club
	24.06.06	A.Maher	Oakfield	Sh.Jnr.Nat	174	Fairlop Oak
Boys U9 Lbow	24.06.06	A.Maher	Oakfield	Sh.Jnr.Nat	151	Fairlop Oak
	24.06.06	A.Maher	Oakfield	Dble.S.J.Nat 1 way	256	Fairlop Oak

***** Paperwork lost in post but Certificate from GNAS provided and County have presented a plaque for this National Record score. All the above scores seconded by A.Reeves and accepted by the Meeting. SRO asked permission to

destroy unwanted paperwork for 2001/2/3. Agreed.

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e) JUNIOR RECORDS OFFICER – Offered the following for ratification:

Boys U16	29.04.06	M.Markham	Mayflower	FITA 70m	292	WMAS FITA *
	30.04.06	M.Markham	Mayflower	FITA 30m	333	WMAS FITA *

Seconded T.Ikel (Oakfield) and accepted by the Meeting. Junior Top Ten for all ages tabled.

f) FIELD RECORDS OFFICER – Nothing to report.

g) COMPOUND RECORDS OFFICER – Offered the following for ratification:

Girls U13	08.03.06	C.Pudney	Mayflower	Portsmouth	553	W.Wight
	22.04.06	E.Vidgeon-Hart	Mayflower	Sh.Jnr.Warwick	366	Club
Boys U12	20.05.06	H.Abbott	Mayflower	Sh.Jnr.Warwick	432	Club

Seconded D.Saville (Ardleigh) and accepted by the Meeting. Top Ten listings tabled and will be on HNA website also County records on website.

h) FLIGHT/CLOUT RECORDS OFFICER – Been advised of a record, will present at next meeting.

k) INDOOR ORGANISER – Nothing to report.

p) TARGET ORGANISER – Excellent weekend with very good weather and many records broken. Juniors very well behaved. Adult day just one team entered so ask permission to change set-up of team award. Will put forward a proposal for discussion at an EGM to be held prior to next meeting. Ask to arrange York/Hereford for juniors next year, agreed. Award for Most Improved Score for person shooting same discipline in same round won by Tyler Powell (Rayleigh).

q) FITA ORGANIZER – Eighty-five entries received to date. Will use 15 straw bosses and hire 10 bosses from HNA, this will be cheaper than transport for County bosses. All details will be on HNA website. Still room if anyone wishes to enter.

r) CLOUT ORGANISER – Complaint that sae not been returned. Officers not receiving results.

s) FIELD ORGANISER – 30th September to commemorate 50th anniversary of County Field will be FITA 3Di, 10 8 5 scoring, two rounds, 20 targets. Following day will be County Field proper with 24 Marked targets Arrowhead round.

t) FLIGHT ORGANISER - N/a.

u) TEAM MANAGER – Match against Cambridge resulted in win for Cambridge in the Recurve by 86 points. Essex won compound by 111. Essex juniors won by 382. Longbows were unopposed. Cambridge donated a silver salver for the highest combined adult Recurve and compound score; Essex won this by 112 points. Cambridge Chairman and Team Manager say they prefer to keep this as a two-way match. Weather was cold but the 4-way match was 31° in the shade. Kent had ready withdrawn and Middlesex withdrew as most of their team were at a local shoot so it ended as a 2-way match in Kensington Palace Gardens. Adult Recurve team won by 25 points, longbow team won by 1090 and compound and junior Recurve were unopposed. Still not had the full results from London. Spoken to Kent Manager who is hoping to have a team for the SCAS Team Championships and be back to normal next year. Hard to find a team as hardly any scores being sent.

(w) EQUIPMENT OFFICER – Shot on new bosses and no complaints. Few mishaps moving stands and offer to make new ones agreed. Suggestion of 4-leg stands was not agreed. Thanks to Arthur Toy and Harry Grove for changing Centres for the County.

(x) COMPOUND LEAGUE SECRETARY – Nothing to report.

y) BRAY 1 LEAGUE Entry form with Minutes of this meeting. Please provide address, telephone number and email.

z) MEMBERS' REPRESENTATIVE – No report.

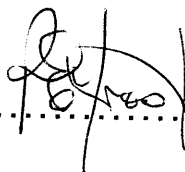
83/06 Calendar – Discussed and various changes made.

84/06 Any Other Business – (a) John Willson confirmed he was willing to continue as CPO. (b) Action has been dropped regarding the Essex/Middlesex incident. (c) Details of Junior Nationals given with lists of winners. (d) Membership of County stands at 1751. (e) New club at Framlingham College. D.Beaumont, Framlingham College, Framlingham, Ipswich IP13 9EY. djboatman@framcollege.co.uk

Being no other business, the Meeting closed at 9.50pm with thanks to all for attendance.
Next meeting will be Tuesday, 5th September 2006.

040706/mh

CHAIRMAN



ESSEX COUNTY ARCHERY ASSOCIATION

A meeting of Council will be held at the COURAGE HALL,
MIDDLETON HALL LANE, BRENTWOOD, ESSEX,
on TUESDAY 5th September, 2006, commencing 8.00 p.m.

The meeting will be held in the room adjacent to the Bar.. Bar facilities etc. will be available

AGENDA

- 85/06 Apologies for ansence
86/06 Matters for any other business
87/06 Minutes of meeting 04.07.06 (circulated)
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G.J.Sibley

Hon Secretary 070806

**MINUTES OF ECAA COUNCIL MEETING HELD AT
COURAGE HALL, BRENTWOOD, ON TUESDAY 5th September 2006**

Present: T.Major (President), Mrs.I.Major (Vice President), R.Frost (Chairman), J.Neal (Vice Chairman), G.Sibley (Secretary and Life Vice President), C.Wooff (Life Vice President), Mrs.M.Hutchins (Vice President and Minutes Secretary), M.Skinner (Treasurer), representatives from Black Stag, Ardleigh, Abbey, Noak Hill, Oakfield, Albemarle, Burntwood, Rayleigh, Pilgrim, SEAC, Mayflower, HNA, West Essex, Priory, HDSA, Individual. Total attending = 27.

Chairman opened the meeting at 8.10pm.

85/06 Apologies for Absence – None.

86/06 Matters for Any Other Business – Items with the Chairman.

87/06 Minutes of last Meeting having been circulated were taken as read, seconded M.Pearce (HNA), accepted by the Meeting and signed by the Chairman.

88/06 Matters arising – None.

89/06 Correspondence – (a) Letter sent to all clubs from GNAS Handicap Advisory Officer asking clubs and archers to submit scores so he can work out new handicap tables. Anyone in need of copy contact Secretary. (b) Meeting of Sport England meeting at Holiday Inn, Basildon on 28th September 9.30am-4pm. If in need of more information, contact Rachel.marek@exdra.co.uk or telephone 01245 702445. (c) English Archery Federation asked for archers to submit names for consideration to go to Commonwealth Games.

90/06 Chairman's Remarks – Please keep reports brief and to the point as we have a lot to get through.

91/06 Report of SCAS Meeting 15th July – Minutes not received but comments re new Rule and Commonwealth Games in India. New Treasurer did not get accounts audited for 2004/5 and proposed an EGM prior to next Regional Meeting.

92/06 Reports from:

a) **TREASURER** – Request to offset loss made by Wicken weekend and can see no difficulty in obliging. This loss was caused by ECC not maintaining the deduction for juniors for which EGAC had already budgeted. After discussion it was agreed by County to underwrite the loss in its entirety with the proviso that if any of the shortfall were recompensed by any other organization, this amount be returned to County. Thanks offered to County. EGAC asked if they should now charge juniors full amount in line with ECC but agreed there should be a slight reduction in their case and will look at this each year.

b) **LEAGUE SECRETARY** – Summer League has one more match to be shot and everything seems to be running well. Andy Harris Fixture list out with forty teams entered.

c) **COACHING GROUP SECRETARY** – Next meeting to be 14th September with Derek Lovell speaking on World Field Championships. Propose to contact all clubs who have Assistant Coaches, these will need to up-grade before the end of the year. Two sessions arranged 6th October in evening and 13th October, Saturday afternoon. Need to attend either of the sessions but will probably run another if some cannot make these dates. If do not attend one of the sessions, on 1st January when up for renewal, they will cease to hold a certificate. AGM to be 5th December. Full Level 1 starting January next year.

d) **SENIOR RECORDS OFFICER** - Offered the following for ratification:

Junior Longbow	14.05.06	A.Gilham	Rayleigh	Metric 2	233	Club Champs
Ladies Longbow	18.06.06	H.Waterhouse	Black Stag	Hereford	484	ECAA Champs
	24.06.06	H.Waterhouse	Black Stag	National	401	Fairlop Oak
	24.06.06	H.Waterhouse	Black Stag	Dble.National	773	Fairlop Oak
	23.07.06	H.Waterhouse	Black Stag	Ladies FITA	559	ECAA Champs
	23.07.06	H.Waterhouse	Black Stag	70 metres	104	ECAA Champs
	23.07.06	H.Waterhouse	Black Stag	60 metres	141	ECAA Champs
	23.07.06	H.Waterhouse	Black Stag	30 metres	223	ECAA Champs

Seconded by J.Wilson (Rayleigh) and accepted by the Meeting.

Records in the EB are no longer valid and those presented at the AGM are current, updated by the ones presented at County Meetings.

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e) JUNIOR RECORDS OFFICER – Offered the following for ratification:

Boys U16	18.06.06	M.Markham	Mayflower	Bristol 1	1114	ECAA Champs
	24.06.06	M.Markham	Mayflower	*70 metre	572	GNAS Premier
	24/25.06.06	M.Markham	Mayflower	*Dble.FITA 720	1127	GNAS Premier
	01.07.06	M.Markham	Mayflower	60m (122cm)	307	GNAS Jnr FITA *
Girls U16	06.05.06	E.Reader	Rayleigh	FITA 70m	338	Essex JEDI
	03.06.06	R.Jerman	Rayleigh	Bristol 2	1026	Club

Seconded T.Ikel (Oakfield) and accepted by the Meeting.

*As FITA 720 and FITA 70 metre are same round, JRO asks that one be dropped. Agreed by meeting that the name of FITA 720 be erased.

f) FIELD RECORDS OFFICER – Nothing to report.

g) COMPOUND RECORDS OFFICER – Offered the following for ratification:

Girls U18	17.06.06	E.Vidgeon-Hart	Mayflower	Bristol 4	1066	ECAA Champs
Boys U18	29/ 30.04.06	G.Fenton	Mayflower	Db.Metric 1	2458	WMAS FITA *
	10.06.06	G.Fenton	Mayflower	N.Western	666	Club

Seconded J.Willson (Rayleigh) and accepted by the Meeting. Compound records on HNA website.

h) FLIGHT/CLOUT RECORDS OFFICER – Nothing to report.

k) INDOOR ORGANISER – Date for next tournament is 18th March 2007 with Record Status. Hall hire £982.80.

m) TARGET ORGANISER – Nothing to report.

p) FITA ORGANIZER – Held on 23rd July and was a good day but incurred a slight loss. Will apply for Record Status for next year as soon as receive a reply from Senior Judge.

q) CLOUT ORGANISER – No report.

r) FIELD ORGANISER – Entry forms out, if more needed contact Chairman. Perpetual trophy donated by Clearcut Engraving offered to the County. This accepted with thanks. It has been suggested that it be awarded for a Team Shoot-out at the end of the match and this will be discussed between the Organisers.

s) FLIGHT ORGANISER - N/a.

t) TEAM MANAGER – At the SCAS Junior Inter-counties Team Championships on 20th August, the Recurve Team won the Histed Trophy and gold brooches and the Compound Team won bronze brooches. Recurve Team – Rebecca Willson 1190, Tyler Powell 1102, Andrew Devlin 1075, John Guiton 1010. Reserves Emily Reader 1091 and Michael Judd 1116. Compound Team 0 – Charlotte Pudney 1116, Clinton Abbott 1110, Reece Powell 962. Reserves Sophie Brown 933, Edward Hazelden 755. The teams for the SCAS Adult Inter-counties Team Championships on 17th September will be Recurve – Pat Spragg, Derek Lawless, Mark Cosgrove, Martin Skinner, Peter Walker. Reserve Yvonne Wade. Compound – Philip Glover, Joan Ikel, Mitch Vaughan, Warren Stroud, Harry Grove. Reserve Steve Spragg. Whilst I have enjoyed being Team Manager, I would be grateful if someone else would consider having a go at the job next year as we will be hosting some of the matches and with everything else going on in my life at the moment, this will be an extra burden I could do without. I will be happy to help whoever wants to take on the job. Is it permissible to take scores from Result sheets for ranking purposes? This agreed by the meeting but stated that it was not obligatory for ROs to collect the scores; these should still come from archers or club ROs even if they are duplicated. They must be within the same time frame as for record claims. Record claims must still come via ROs. As other Counties only provide tea and biscuits was it necessary to do a full tea. Agreed that tea and biscuits would suffice.

u) EQUIPMENT OFFICER – Stands have been started.

w) COMPOUND LEAGUE SECRETARY – All going well.

x) BRAY 1 LEAGUE – Closing date today, forty-two clubs entered but possible some were in the post today, which have not yet seen.

y) MEMBERS' REPRESENTATIVE – Due to missing the July meeting I would like to now thank Andy Reeves and the members of Noak Hill for their hard work in making the Junior and Senior Target Championships a great success again this year. Thanks must also go to Mick Pearce for taking on the running of the FITA Championships backed by Maggie and members of HNA. He made it a very enjoyable shoot and once again on the County calendar. Hopefully next year it will not clash with other big shoots and we will see more entries. Last weekend several of our juniors took part in the Junior Individual SCAS Championships. I am told they produced some good scores and were a credit to Essex County.

z) CHILD PROTECTION OFFICER – Pleasure to say 'No report'. Any clubs who need a Child Protection course should contact John Willson.

93/06 Calendar – Tabled with amendments since last meeting. This is the final version and will be circulated.

94/06 Any Other Business – (a) Reported that still awaiting County directive to go ahead with ECAA Website. In the absence of EB it is necessary to have communication and request that this website is given a degree of urgency. Chairman will contact Rob Markham and stated that permission must be obtained from everyone before their details can be used on the website.

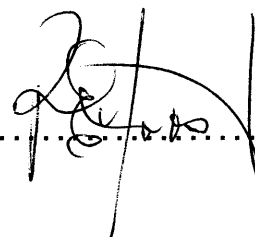
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(b) The issue of 'Individual' members was raised and stated that this had been dealt with fully at the last meeting. The Minutes from this meeting were reiterated: "After long discussion it was agreed that in order to comply, Individual members must nominate one club only on the GNAS form. This will be the club they may represent for League purposes". They may also represent this named club at Open Shoots. Comment made that they are allowed to shoot with any club but not for them. If an Individual (Direct) member does not nominate a club, at Open shoots they come under the banner of GNAS. It was mentioned that the only advantage to being an Individual (Direct) member is being able to vote at the GNAS AGM and receiving any relevant paperwork. (c) At the Junior FITA held last weekend eleven teams took part. County Team's winner was Essex with Rayleigh Town winning Individual Team. Junior archers have asked for a Junior FITA Star in Essex. As there is no precedent for a Junior FITA Star, Chairman will ask how long it will take to qualify. (d) Graham Sibley was wished good luck as he goes into hospital next month for an eye operation.

Being no other business, the Meeting closed at 9.50pm with thanks to all for attendance.
Next meeting will be 7th November 2006 at Courage Hall, Brentwood.

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CHAIRMAN

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ESSEX COUNTY ARCHERY ASSOCIATION

A meeting of Council will be held at the COURAGE HALL,
MIDDLETON HALL LANE, BRENTWOOD, ESSEX,
on TUESDAY 7th November, 2006, commencing 8.00 p.m.
The meeting will be held in the room adjacent to the Bar.. Bar facilities etc. will be available

AGENDA

- 95/06 Apologies for absence
96/06 Matters for any other business
97/06 Minutes of meeting 05.09.06 (circulated)
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101/06 Report of SCASA meeting 21.10.06
- 102/06 Reports from :
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- 103/06 Calendar 2007 / 2008
104/06 Matters for the Annual Meeting
105/06 Any other business

G.J.Sibley

Hon Secretary 071006

**MINUTES OF ECAA COUNCIL MEETING HELD AT
COURAGE HALL, BRENTWOOD, ON TUESDAY 7th November 2006**

Present: T.Major (President), Mrs.I.Major (Vice President), R.Frost (Chairman), J.Neal (Vice Chairman), G.Sibley (Secretary and Life Vice President), Mrs.M.Hutchins (Vice President and Minutes Secretary), M.Skinner (Treasurer), Mrs.A.Stevens (General Member), representatives from Black Stag, Ardleigh, Abbey, Oakfield, Burntwood, Rayleigh, Pilgrim, SEAC, Mayflower, West Essex, Individual. Total attending = 23.

Chairman opened the meeting at 8.05pm.

95/06 Apologies for Absence – G.Rayner (Priory), Mrs.J.Ikel (Oakfield), J.Willson (Rayleigh).

96/06 Matters for Any Other Business – Items with the Chairman.

97/06 Minutes of last Meeting having been circulated were taken as read. With the amendment of 92/06(p) to read "...a slight profit" and 92/06(x) to read "...twenty-two clubs", these were seconded by Mrs.I.Major (Pilgrim), accepted by the Meeting and signed by the Chairman.

98/06 Matters arising – 94/06(a) Website 90% complete. What would members like to see on the website? Name of 'ECAA.net' has been obtained and 'New Essex Bowman' suggested.

99/06 Correspondence – (a) Affiliations in. Four clubs not re-affiliated, Basildon Disabled, Reynolds, Suffolk College and SNAC. (b) Two clubs have over 100 members (seniors and juniors). (c) New Secretary: Black Stag – Paul Whiteman, 65 Cavendish Gardens, Barking IG11 7DU. 0208 5916687. paulwhiteman@merton.gov.uk. Blue Arrows – Alan Munson, The Priory, Flowton, Ipswich IP8 4LH. 01473 658425. Southend – Annette Salmon, Cosy Cottage, 63 Orchard Avenue, Hockley SS5 5BA. 01702 201763. (d) Secretary of SCAS asks if there is a nomination to be put to GNAS. Details in UK Archery. (e) Regret the passing of Ted Morley, late of Woodford. (f) Date bars ordered and received. (g) Following from the discussions at last two meetings re 'Individual' members; GNAS and Region supported the views of Essex. (h) Reports from Officers for the AGM to be with Secretary no later than mid-January.

90/06 Chairman's Remarks – This is the last meeting of 2006 and the next time we will meet here will be in 2007. During the past year a large number of people within the County have given up their time to ensure that County events have been arranged by organising, catering, field party etc. At the same time the Team Manager has been striving to ensure that team selection has been made so Essex was well represented at the various home and away inter county events. Also during the year the elected officers and officials have been working on your behalf, not always obvious, to ensure that the County stayed at the forefront of archery. This is your County and it is up to you to continue with this effort in the coming year. There are too many people involved to name them all individually and I am certain that all of you who have contributed to the running of the County during the past year will know who you are. On behalf of the County may I record grateful thanks for your efforts with the hope that you continue to contribute the same enthusiasm in the coming year.

101/06 Report of SCAS Meeting 21st October - Mention made of the fact that John Willson was given the Coach Award for Thurrock/Basildon/Southend. He has also been put forward for Coach of the Year. EAF asked for further monies stating that it costs £700 per archer to represent England. The figure turned out to be about half that amount but no details were available. Essex could be running the SCAS Indoor next year subject to confirmation.

102/06 Reports from:

a) **TREASURER** – Awaiting new chequebook. Request for monetary help from one of the archers representing England in the Commonwealth Games in India was discussed. Proposed by T.Ikel (Oakfield) that the sum of £250 be donated to Matt Webb and possibly for the other two archers representing England should they wish to put in a claim, mentioning that, where possible, they should shoot for Essex. Seconded M.Vaughan (Mayflower). Suggestion put forward that a fund be set up for this type of expenditure possibly from a slight increase in fee.

b) **LEAGUE SECRETARY** – Summer League ended, Results, Table and Individual scores sent to all clubs who participated. Entry form for Summer 2007 sent by email or will be sent by post. Andy Harris League underway and first results sent out. Following the discussions at the last two meetings regarding 'Individual' members, I ask that the Meeting ratify the following amendment to Rule 13 which now reads: "...inform the League Secretary ... which club they wish to represent." Replace this with "... inform the League Secretary ... the name of the club they have nominated on their GNAS form. If they have not nominated a club, they must inform the League Secretary which club they wish to represent." Seconded J.Neal (Rayleigh) and agreed by the Meeting. GNAS now refer to 'Individual' members as 'Direct' members. To stay in line I ask permission to change references in the Rules from 'Individual' to 'Direct'. Seconded T.Ikel (Oakfield) and agreed by the Meeting.

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c) COACHING GROUP SECRETARY – Last meeting in September had Derek Lovell speaking on World Field Championships. AGM to be Tuesday, 5th December. Programme for next year not quite finalised but will be on the County website when it is available. Everyone who qualified as Assistant County Coach in 2001 must complete an up-grade. So far have run two up-grade sessions and will be running one more which should see the end of the exercise. Planning to run a further Level 1 course starting Feb/March and will be publicising details soon. Wicken weekend will be 11/12/13 May. SCAS Coaching Conference is in March. John Willson proposes to organize courses on Child Protection and First Aid. Contact him for details. Question asked that if a club does not have juniors, do they still need a CPO. Answer was 'Yes' as this also covers vulnerable adults of whom there may be many.

d) SENIOR RECORDS OFFICER - Offered the following for ratification:

Ladies Longbow	02.09.06	H.Waterhouse	Black Stag	Western	512	Oakfield
Gents Recurve	06.08.06	A.Purser	Mayflower	FITA 700	565	Oxford
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Seconded by M.Pearce (Ind.Org) and accepted by the Meeting.

e) JUNIOR RECORDS OFFICER – Offered the following for ratification:

Boys U16	22.07.06	M.Markham	Mayflower	FITA 900	809	EAF Jnr Nats
	22/23.07.06	M.Markham	Mayflower	Dble.FITA 900	1580	EAF Jnr Nats
	27.08.06	M.Markham	Mayflower	70m (122cm)	295	Norfolk FITA *
Boys U9	16.09.06	J.Adams	Mayflower	Sh.Metric 4	460	Club
Girls U16	23.07.06	E.Reader	Rayleigh	Metric 2	1077	Essex FITA
	23.07.06	E.Reader	Rayleigh	50m (122cm)	295	Essex FITA
	29.07.06	E.Reader	Rayleigh	Jnr.National	590	Club

Seconded Mrs.A.Stevens (Abbey) and accepted by the Meeting. List of top archers tabled.

Five scores submitted outside the 3-month time limit could not be considered. This agreed by the meeting with 1 abstention, however, the 3-month time limit is part of the Constitution so must be adhered to. Archers may submit their own applications to a CRO, they do not have to go through their club ROs.

f) FIELD RECORDS OFFICER – Offered the following for ratification:

Gents Comp U/L	01.10.06	N.Wakelin	Grampian	24 mkd a'head	353	ECAA F Champs
Recurve	01.10.06	M.Pearl	Deben	24 mkd a'head	329	ECAA F Champs
Barebow	01.10.06	N.Bonner	Individual	24 mkd a'head	279	ECAA F Champs
Longbow	01.10.06	P.Clark	Ch.Tud.Rose	24 mkd a'head	147	ECAA F Champs
Lady Comp U/L	01.10.06	M.Wakelin	Grampian	24 mkd a'head	334	ECAA F Champs
Recurve	01.10.06	P.Spragg	Oakfield	24 mkd a'head	273	ECAA F Champs
Boy U18 C U/L	01.10.06	G.Fenton	Mayflower	24 mkd a'head	293	ECAA F Champs
U15 Recurve	01.10.06	A.Devlin	Oakfield	24 mkd a'head	210	ECAA F Champs
BB	01.10.06	C.Lowe	Ardleigh	24 mkd a'head	38	ECAA F Champs
Girl U18 Lbow	01.10.06	H.Osbourne	Gyppeswick	24 mkd a'head	24	ECAA F Champs
U12 Recurve	01.10.06	S.Cole	Ch.Tud.Rose	24 mkd a'head	264	ECAA F Champs
BB	01.10.06	D.Clark	Ch.Tud.Rose	24 mkd a'head	220	ECAA F Champs

Seconded T.Major (Pilgrim) and accepted by the Meeting.

With the withdrawal of the 28 target round and any new records no longer being kept by GNAS, all 28 target records will be archived. In the event that a record is claimed on a 28 Target FITA round, these will still be recognised. This agreed by the Meeting.

g) COMPOUND RECORDS OFFICER – All covered by JRO report. List of top compound archers tabled. If a junior becomes a senior during the year is he/she eligible to receive the junior trophies. Reply that rounds shot as a junior are eligible for consideration for the trophies.

h) FLIGHT/CLOUT RECORDS OFFICER – Two Clout records submitted outside the 3-month time limit.

k) INDOOR ORGANISER – Entry forms tabled. Section on the form for email address and hope to send the majority of paperwork by email to save postage. If no email address, will only receive one target list and result sheet unless sent sae. This year will also give juniors one medal per age group regardless of style. Will like help on the day prior to the shoot. Sponsorship in form of free faces being supplied by Linecutter Archery which means that the fee can remain as last year. Thanks to Matt Webb and James Sinclair for their generosity.

m) TARGET ORGANISER – No report.

p) FITA ORGANIZER – Applied for Record Status.

q) CLOUT ORGANISER – No report. Results not sent out from this year's tournament.

r) FIELD ORGANISER – Good shoot and nice to see new people shooting. 2007 tournament on calendar but this clashes with English Field Shoot in Cheshire. Will be 24 arrowhead, entry forms out when available.

s) FLIGHT ORGANISER - N/a.

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t) TEAM MANAGER – At the SCAS Inter-counties Team Championships on 17th September, the Recurve team finished in 6th place and the compound team were 7th. Recurve team scores: Peter Walker 1058, Pat Spragg 1030, Martin Skinner 982, Mark Cosgrove 976. Reserves: Derek Lawless 975, Yvonne Wade 928. Compound Team scores: Philip Glover 1192, Mitch Vaughan 1152, Warren Stroud 1140, Joan Ikel 1083. Reserves: Harry Grove 1090, Steve Spragg 1062. I would like to thank all the archers for undertaking such a long journey and giving of their best on the day. There was supposed to be a Junior inter-counties match but once again I was unable to get the other counties interested in competing so, after discussing the matter with Robin and Graham a few weeks ago, I had no option but to cancel the match.

u) EQUIPMENT OFFICER – No report.

w) COMPOUND LEAGUE SECRETARY – League finished, entry forms for next year tabled.

x) BRAY 1 LEAGUE – First match shot and results out shortly.

y) MEMBERS' REPRESENTATIVE – I would like to make everyone aware that had it not been for the kind sponsorship received from Linecutter Archery, this year's target championships would have run at a loss. I am sure members will all join me in thanking Matt and James for their support and wish them success in their new venture:

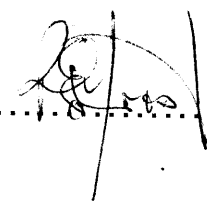
z) CHILD PROTECTION OFFICER – No report.

103/06 Calendar – Wicken weekend 11/12/13 May and will be same weekend the following year. East Anglian FITA to be 1st July in Ely, Cambs. Southern Counties Indoor Champs 22nd April in Hornchurch.

104/06 Any Other Business – (a) It is hoped that forms for submitting scores to Record Officers will be available for downloading from the website. (b) Agreed by the Meeting that in the Constitution all references to 'Individual' members be changed to 'Direct' members. (c) AGM will be at Marconi Sports and Social Club. (d) Insurance is due to be discussed at the SCAS Coaches Conference. (d) The photocopier used by the Secretary which has been serviced regularly and in good condition is no longer needed and offered to any club.

Being no other business, the Meeting closed at 9.50pm with thanks to all for attendance and wishes for a safe journey home and hopes for a happy Christmas.

Next meeting will be 9th January 2007 at Courage Hall, Brentwood.

CHAIRMAN 
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