

**MINUTES OF ECAA EGM HELD AT
MARGARETTING VILLAGE HALL, WANTZ ROAD, MARGARETTING
ON WEDNESDAY 5th SEPTEMBER 2012**

Present: Mrs I Major (Life Vice President), G Sibley (Life Vice President and Secretary), M Pearce (President), Mrs C Stanford (Vice President), R Frost (Chairman), A Purser (Vice Chairman), M Skinner (Treasurer), Mrs M Pearce (General Member), Mrs M Hutchins (Minutes Secretary), representatives from SEAC, Colchester, CTR, Oakfield, Rayleigh, Pilgrim, Woodford, Priory, Noak Hill, Burntwood. Total in attendance= 18.

82/12 The following proposal has been received from the Coaching Group: "In keeping with Item 49/12 of the County Annual General Meeting of 3rd March 2012 and the subsequent Council Meeting of the 4th July 2012, the Essex Guild of Archery Coaches propose that Mr A E Ikel be elected to the County Executive Committee." Motion carried. Being no other business for the EGM, Meeting closed at 20.10.

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83/12 Apologies for Absence –None received.

84/12 Matters for Any Other Business – Various.

85/12 Minutes of last Meeting having been circulated were taken as read. Minutes accepted by the Meeting and signed by the Chairman.

86/12 Matters Arising – 79/12(b) Organisers should add 'Suffolk' to County entry forms. 79/12(c) Help for Webmaster is in hand. 81/12(d) last sentence being looked into.

87/12 Chairman's Remarks – Trust everyone enjoyed the Olympics and now the Paralympics, including the Opening Ceremonies. Graham Palett (Mayflower) has been invited to attend Lilleshall in October for a 'Talent Selection Competition'. County wish him all the best and hope he returns well satisfied with his time there. Since the last meeting in July there have been two World Record Status shoots. Thanks to CTR for facilities and for the Working Party. Disappointed that Southend was cancelled due to lack of entries, also West Essex. Letter from Oakfield regretting that they have to cancel their shoot on 8th September as access to their field is still blocked due to delays in demolition work on the ground. Two Essex clubs offered the use of their grounds, a lot of support has been received from the 50 entrants and Oakfield would like to thank them all.

88/12 Correspondence – (a) Epping have closed their Queenshall venue and now all shoot at Abercrombie venue. (b) Braintree half-Portsmouth, being sponsored by Perris. (c) Tournament details circulated around clubs, add Racketts Portsmouth and HDSA Bring and Buy. (d) Daily Mail quoted cost of sports in the Olympics. Archery was third highest, £4,408,000 funding given to Archery GB. (e) Received email from Office querying qualifications of Chase Bowmen who are running one-day Coaching sessions on their site. Chase Bowmen are not affiliated to Essex and do not know if they are members of GNAS. Meeting agreed they cannot put Essex Coaches at risk.

89/12 Calendar – 2013 calendar circulated. Tudor Indoor Valentine Shoot is 10th February. Panther Field 20/21 April has been cancelled. Calendar will be agreed at the AGM, any amendments, contact Secretary in good time.

90/12 Any Other Business – (a) FITA Gents Compound Trophy returned in a dreadful state and has not been engraved for two years. The engraving will be done and billed in due course. It will be too expensive to bring the trophy back to its original standard and disappointed to see a trophy being dealt with in this manner. Pass around the word that if anyone receives a silver trophy, it should not be polished, just washed gently. When the trophy has been repaired it will be handed to James King who won it at the FITA. (b) Letter from Daisy Clark read to the Meeting and copy attached to these Minutes. (c) County was asked for £300 to help with expenses for the eight youngsters who helped at the Olympic Games. Names will be given. (d) Archers who go abroad to shoot are not covered by Insurance unless they go as part of an organised team when they are covered by Archery GB. Likewise, archers who come to the UK to shoot are not covered either. Make certain what cover you have when shooting abroad. Suggested Secretary send a letter to the Chairman of the Board expressing concern. (e) More details will be forthcoming regarding the 2-day FITA and the Organiser will let County know if he will be running it again next year as there was a problem with cricket on the ground. (f) FITA trophies and the Trophy Record Book do not match, need to check the criteria. Wright Trophy for Best Improved will go to Grace Butterfield (Mayflower). (g) Many of the FITA results did not tally with arrow score. Should organiser take the signed result or the correctly added result? Chairman will check FITA Handbook or the Rule Book. (h) Junior FITA Star entry forms will be out next year with Dennis Saville as Organiser.

(i) No response from the holder of the Lynn Burton Ladies FITA Trophy. (j) Claire Stanford holds the Book of Trophy Holders and Organisers can check who is in possession of trophies prior to the shoot. (k) Reported that there is not any information regarding meetings, etc. of the EGAC if one does not have email. If Guild Secretary is provided with postal details, a hard copy of the information will be sent out. (l) Top Ten not yet available on the website. This is updated each Saturday. Contact Tony Ikel if a copy is needed prior to this. (m) Suggested that some sort of insignia be presented to Past Presidents to commemorate their 3-year tenure in the position. This will be taken up by the Executive. (n) Suggested that the Vice Presidents, who can be re-elected continually, should also stand down after two terms. A proposal will be put to the next Meeting. (o) Do not know who is in the team for the .County match, Essex v Sussex. Team will be notified. (p) Congratulations offered to Debbie Foreman and Dave Shrimpton on their forthcoming wedding. (q) Colin Wooff wishes to be remembered to all who knew him. (r) Trophies should be returned via the County and not handed over to Individuals. (s) Affiliation forms passed to Treasurer.

Being no other business, Meeting closed at 21.30 with thanks to all for attendance...

Next Meeting will be 14th November 2012 commencing 20.00hrs.

CHAIRMAN
MH/05.09.12

Presented by Junior Records Officer:

COMPOUND

U/9	28/05/2012	REECE JOHNSON	PHOENIX	JUN NATIONAL	523	CLUB
	14/06/2012	REECE JOHNSON	PHOENIX	JUN WESTERN	720	CLUB
	23/06/2012	REECE JOHNSON	PHOENIX	BRISTOL 4	964	DARTFORD
	24/06/2012	REECE JOHNSON	PHOENIX	SHT JUN NATIONAL	574	CLUB
	26/07/2012	REECE JOHNSON	PHOENIX	JNR WINDSOR	878	CLUB
	27/07/2012	REECE JOHNSON	PHOENIX	JUN NATIONAL	574	CLUB
	28/07/2012	REECE JOHNSON	PHOENIX	BRISTOL 4	1088	EASTBOURNE
	04/08/2012	REECE JOHNSON	PHOENIX	SHT JUN WESTERN	772	HDSA
	22/07/2012	REECE JOHNSON	PHOENIX	METRIC 4	1141	COUNTY FITA
U/18	14/07/2012	JAMES HOWELL	MAYFLOWER	METRIC 1	1335	SCAS
	14/07/2012	JAMES HOWELL	MAYFLOWER	60 MTR DISTANCE	335	SCAS
U/21	14/07/2012	JOE FRANKLIN	MAYFLOWER	GENTS FITA	1250	SCAS WRS
	14/07/2012	JOE FRANKLIN	MAYFLOWER	90MTR	281	SCAS WRS
	14/07/2012	JOE FRANKLIN	MAYFLOWER	70 MTR	313	SCAS WRS
	14/07/2012	JOE FRANKLIN	MAYFLOWER	50MTR	319	SCAS WRS
U/12	14/07/2012	GRACE BUTTERFIELD	RECURVE MAYFLOWER	20 MTR	334	SCAS
	07/08/2012	RHIANNON EASTON	NOAK HILL	SHT JUN NATIONAL	772	CLUB
U/18	9/10/6/12	SOPHIE COLE	CTR	DOUBLE METRIC 2	2296	EXMOUTH
	10/06/2012	SOPHIE COLE	CTR	60MTRS ON 122 FACE	301	EXMOUTH
U/16	02/06/2012	MADDIE SPEED	BAREBOW CTR	JNR WESTERN	644	NOAK HILL
	09/06/2012	MADDIE SPEED	CTR	BRISTOL 3	832	JUN TARGET CHAMPS

Copy of letter from Daisy Clark:

As the ECAA have always supported my archery I thought I should update you with my activities this summer.

Earlier in the year I was selected to shoot for the GB ladies Senior Team. This meant I went to Antalya in Turkey for the Archery World Cup (Leg 2) and finished 9th. I went straight from there to Porec in Croatia for the Junior Europa Cup where I achieved bronze in the individual competition and silver in the team event. This was the first time for a while we had been able to send three cadet girls to make up a team.

Five days later I was flying to Amsterdam in Holland to compete in the Senior European Championships. I finished 9th in the individuals competition. A few weeks later I went to Nykobing in Denmark for the European Junior Archery Championships. After a good qualification round I finished in 5th place in the individual round and qualified for the mixed team where we won Silver. They actually delayed this match for another day so that they could televise it on Danish television!

I was involved over the summer as a Young Games Maker at the Lords Archery event. It was very tiring but an amazing opportunity and I thoroughly enjoyed it. After this I went to Val d'isere in the French Alps for the World Field Archery Championships. This was a particularly difficult course at such a high altitude. I was placed 4th at the individual event and got team gold for the Junior girls team consisting of a compound, recurve and barebow girl.

I have had a fantastic time and hope that I am able to make Essex proud. Thank you again for all your continuing support.

Kind regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Daisy Clark', written over a horizontal line.

Daisy Clark