

ESSEX COUNTY ARCHERY ASSOCIATION

A meeting of Council will be held at the COURAGE HALL,
MIDDLETON HALL LANE, BRENTWOOD, ESSEX,
on TUESDAY 11th JANUARY 2005, commencing 8 p.m.
The meeting will be held in the room adjacent to the Bar.. Bar facilities etc. will be available

AGENDA

- 1/2005 Apologies for absence
- 2/2005 Matters for any other Business
- 3/2005 Minutes of Meeting 02.11.04 (as circulated)
- 4/2005 Matters arising
- 5/2005 Correspondence
- 6/2005 Chairman's Remarks

- 7/2005 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 |
| 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 |

- 8/2005 2005 Calendar
- 9/2005 Any other business

G.J.Sibley

Hon Secretary 051204.

**MINUTES OF ECAA COUNCIL MEETING HELD AT
OLD HOUSE, BRENTWOOD, ON TUESDAY 11th January 2005**

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

Chairman welcomed all to the first meeting of 2005 in the new venue and extended a warm welcome to Estuary Bowmen. He stated that Maggie Pearce was just out of hospital following a knee operation but was hoping to attend and that Tony Ikel was recovering from chemotherapy but still not back to full strength.

1/05 Apologies for Absence - C.Wooff (Hon.Life Vice President), D.Saville (Ardleigh and Bray League), Mrs.S.Quantrill (Rayleigh).

2/05 Matters for Any Other Business – Points with JAWS.

3/05 Minutes of last Meeting having been circulated were taken as read. 99/04(s) first line should read, “agreed to report” not “agreed to organise”. 99/04(r) ‘closed’ event means closed to the public not closed to any type of archer. 99/04(y) first line should read, “results awaited from first match” not “results received from first match”. With these amendments, the Minutes were seconded by Mrs.E.Line (Abbey), agreed by the Meeting and signed by the Chairman.

4/05 Matters arising – 99/04(f) record for Junior Boy U15, 28T Big Game u/m BB should be deleted from the records as his score of 70 had previously been exceeded.

5/05 Correspondence – (a) Pamphlet with Secretary produced by Kent concerning disability in archers. (b) Change of address for Mr and Mrs M Pearce, 36 Albany Road, Tilbury, RM18 7BH, 01375 847621. Some of the original entry forms for the Indoor have the old address. (c) Still not received Affiliation forms from St.Georges Bowmen. (d) Hillcroft School have paid their fees but not produced any paperwork. John Neal will investigate. (e) Letter received querying a record agreed at meeting of 7th July. The claim was for an Indoor senior record shot on a triple face but was, in fact, shot on a 60cm face. This will be queried with the SRO.

6/05 Chairman's Remarks – Welcome to our new venue. May I remind you all that this is the last meeting before the AGM, which is on 6th February at Marconi Club, Beehive Lane, Chelmsford commencing at 1430. The nominations for the various awards made at this meeting are very sparse, should you wish to make a nomination they will have to be received by 29th January for consideration. Please also remember that nominations for the various posts of Executive and non Executive Officers are needed. This year the County will have four inter-county matches and two Regional championships to host in addition to the 2-day County Target and FITA Championships. I do not consider that it is reasonable or fair to expect Noak Hill archers to undertake the organization of all these shoots. I would therefore ask that clubs with a ground large enough to have room for at least twenty targets offer their services.

7/05 Reports from:

(a) **TREASURER** – Accounts being finalised and audited. Will be presented at AGM. Showing a profit this year so reserves getting back to the level they were before investing in new bosses. Will not be an increase in subscriptions. Am willing to stand for re-election.

b) **LEAGUE SECRETARY** – Andy Harris league going along nicely and pleasing to get the junior scores. Entries coming in for Summer League. Is it permissible for clubs who have registered their Club Colours with GNAS to wear them whilst shooting in the League? Meeting felt this was a decision for the League clubs and a meeting will be convened prior to the AGM to discuss this matter. All clubs will be notified of the meeting and invited to attend. Am willing to stand for re-election.

c) **COACHING GROUP SECRETARY** – Level 1 exams likely to start very soon. Coach and County Coach courses starting at end of January, spaces still spare. Programme for EGAC will be sent out as soon as possible. Next meeting 15th March will be talk by Tony Preston on equipping the new archer, 2nd June will be Carol Edwards on shooting longbow and balancing arrows, 15th September Tony Drabble on compound bows. AGM will be in December. All meetings will be at Courage Hall and a £2 contribution will be collected. Two Child Protection Courses, all well attended. Unlikely running a Level 1 in the near future but will contact other counties if a course is needed. Ratified the new structure for County Coaching Organiser and provisionally proposed John Willson. John Neal still to be contact for correspondence and general information. John Willson responsible for Development, working with new clubs (funding) and Coach renewals. Sandra Quantrill responsible for organising courses. John Neal practical sessions. Asked if there is a Level 1 flash, will make enquiries but there is a badge. Am nominated by Coaching Guild and am willing to stand again.

d) SENIOR RECORDS OFFICER - No report.

e) JUNIOR RECORDS OFFICER - No report.

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

Girls U12	03.10.04	D.Clark	Ch.Tud.Rose	FITA 28 mkd	103	ECAA Champs
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Seconded T.Major (Pilgrim) and accepted by the Meeting. Am willing to stand for re-election.

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

Girls U18	07.11.04	C.Pudney	Mayflower	FITA 18 tri-spot	405	Mayflower Open
Boys U18	05.09.04	P.Glover	Mayflower	Bristol 1	1232	Southend
	26.09.04	P.Glover	Mayflower	Metric 1	1291	E.Ang.Jnr.Champs
	26.09.04	P.Glover	Mayflower	60m (122cm)	333	E.Ang.Jnr.Champs
	26.09.04	P.Glover	Mayflower	30m (80cm)	348	E.Ang.Jnr.Champs
	30.10.04	P.Glover	Mayflower	18m FITA	558	Hawks
	30.20.04	P.Glover	Mayflower	FITA 18x18pass	170	Hawks
	30.10.04	P.Glover	Mayflower	FITA 18x12pass	115	Hawks
	07.11.04	P.Glover	Mayflower	Dble.FITA 18	1131	Mayflower Open
****	13.11.04	P.Glover	Mayflower	Com.FITA 18&25	1139	Dunstable
	13.11.04	P.Glover	Mayflower	FITA 18	571	Dunstable
	05.12.04	P.Glover	Mayflower	Worcester	299	Racketts

****National record claim on Combined FITA

Seconded J.Neal (Black Stag) and accepted by the Meeting. Am willing to stand for re-election.

h) FLIGHT/CLOUT RECORDS OFFICER – Offered the following for ratification:

Gents	24.10.04	S.Osborne	Gyppeswyck	Single FITA Clout 165m	152	Regional Stanford
	24.10.04	S.Osborne	Gyppeswyck	Double FITA Clout 165m	295	Regional Stanford

Seconded M.Pearce (Noak Hill) and accepted by the Meeting. Am willing to stand for re-election.

k) INDOOR ORGANISER – Going well. Letters going to Judges, have all confirmed verbally. Am willing to stand for re-election for 2006.

p) TARGET ORGANISER – No report. Understand he is willing to stand for re-election.

q) FITA ORGANISER – Offer of an organiser.

r) CLOUT ORGANISER – Hope to have entry form for AGM. Query from Woodford re access for the disabled and physically handicapped archers. It is the responsibility of the local council to provide access, not the hirer. GNAS suggest a number of items Woodford could put on their entry form and will make a copy of their report available to them. Copy of this report will also be sent to all clubs.

s) FIELD ORGANISER – Field booked for 2nd October 2005. 28 marked FITA including white peg for U12. Willing to stand for re-election.

t) FLIGHT ORGANISER - N/a.

u) TEAM MANAGER – Secretary reported that 55 had represented the County but names have not been received by him in time to organise Date bars. Have asked twice but not received a reply so can only list the names have received and supply Date bars to them. Have tried to assess the numbers from last year but can only put out what is available. Will need a nomination for Team Manager in time for the AGM.

w) EQUIPMENT OFFICER – No report.

(x) COMPOUND LEAGUE SECRETARY – Entry forms out and slowly being returned. Willing to stand for re-election.

y) BRAY 1 LEAGUE – Results for December waiting to be checked and will be out at weekend. Junior clubs welcome to take part also juniors are allowed to shoot with the seniors. A club asks for a junior Bray 1 league but meeting did not feel there would be enough teams to participate. Willing to stand for re-election.

z) MEMBERS' REPRESENTATIVE – This year it would be nice to see a few more recipients of County awards at the AGM to receive their awards personally. Secretaries, please let your members have details of the date, time and venue.

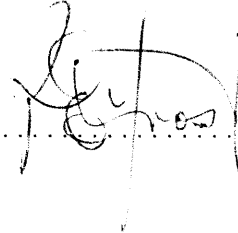
07a/05 Report of SCAS meeting 08.01.05: Matters arising from last meeting - CRB is necessary for each NGB. Each Region/County/Club must have a Child Protection Officer. Secretary - Request for information for Green book. 329 clubs contacted, only 180 responded. Twenty-one clubs not re-affiliated. Clubs should check membership cards from visitors. Treasurer - Accounts in good order and no need to change subscriptions. Press Officer - Events Calendar on SCAS web site. SCAM Organiser - Entry forms available in February. Junior i/c - 21st August at West Essex, senior i/c - 11th September at Andover. Field Organiser - Waiting for ground for 2005. Clout Organiser -Field booked 5th June at Luton. Indoor Organiser - 13th February, entry form on web site, 90 entries so far, still room. Junior Target - 3rd September, five more trophies required, possible one from Essex agreed. Field Liaison - no report. Judges Liaison – Kevin Thurlow appointed Regional Target, Mike Pearce and Derek Sizeman County Target, Stan Bartoz Regional Field assessments. Two new Candidates. Regional Shoot Judges to be finalised at Regional meeting 29th January. Junior Development – July Nationals 163 entries from SCAS, 3 class winners. National, 4 class winners plus Regional Team. Child Protection – Two courses December/January with 45 attendees. Sports Council appointed two full-time coaches. Coaching – see report attached. EAF – Proposals for changes discusses. Disabled – New Centre of Excellence in Kent. GNAS – Ops Committee minutes in Archery UK. AOB – Who has medals for County Championships. SCAS will offer four new Championship medals.

08/05 2005 Calendar – Braintree American 23rd January cancelled due to loss of venue, this also affects their shoot 30th November. March meeting will consider the calendar for 2006.

09/05 Any Other Business – (a) Any junior participating in the JAWS scheme can collect points by attending a National shoot, this could be deemed as representing the Region. (b) All club secretaries have lists of clubs in the County.

Being no other business, the Meeting closed at 9.50pm with thanks to all for attendance and wishes for a safe journey. Next meeting will be AGM 6th February and next Council meeting Tuesday, 1st March 2005.

CHAIRMAN

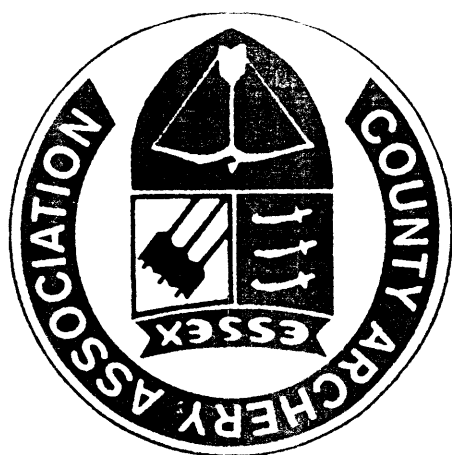
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Essex County Archery Association

G. J. SIBLEY HONORARY SECRETARY
5TH DECEMBER 2005
MARCONI SPORTS & SOCIAL CLUB,
BEEHIVE LANE, CHELMSFORD, ESSEX
TO BE HELD AT

ANNUAL GENERAL
MEETING
2.30 P.M. SUNDAY
6TH FEBRUARY 2005



**MINUTES OF ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE ESSEX COUNTY ARCHERY ASSOCIATION
HELD AT MARCONI SPORTS & SOCIAL CLUB, BEEHIVE LANE, CHELMSFORD
ON SUNDAY 6th FEBRUARY 2005**

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

President welcomed everyone to the AGM and stated that sadly Mrs Iris Morley died on 2nd May 2004. She had been battling with ill health for some years and will be sorely missed by many. Iris was the sister of the late Jack Secombes who will be well remembered by our longer standing members. For many years, sister and brother together were the backbone of Woodford Archers and the Essex Field Championships. The President asked the meeting to stand in remembrance.

President then introduced Brian Wright who gave an explanation of the origins and meaning of the Red Tassel. Three tassels were then presented, one each to Claire Stanford, Robin Frost and Tony Ikel,

10/2005 PRESENTATION OF TROPHIES:

THE BALDWIN TROPHY – Presented to Tony Ikel.

THE BILL GRIGGS TROPHY - Awarded to Matthew Webb.

THE BILL TUCKER AWARD - Awarded to Martin Skinner.

THE LUDORUM TROPHY - Awarded to Pat Spragg.

THE MILLENIUM TROPHY - Awarded to Philip Glover.

THE THELMA DAVISON SALVER – Presented to Lyn Burton.

JOE DORMER SHIELD - Presented to Clinton Abbot.

THELMA DAVISON CUP - Presented to William Duncan.

11/2005 COUNTY TEAM AWARDS:

SENIOR COLOURS/DATE – Ladies: M.Lang (Black Stag). Gents: T.Nash (Mayflower), D.Foster (Abbey), T.Maher (Oakfield), S.Osborne (Gyppeswyck). JUNIOR COLOURS/DATE – Girls: A.Maher (Oakfield), C.Pudney (Mayflower), Boys: A.Mockett (Oakfield), L.Willett (Rayleigh), M.Judd (Mayflower), O.Humphreys (Mayflower), L.Barrett (Noak Hill). SENIOR and JUNIOR DATE ONLY – Ladies: M.Cornish (Grampian), P.Spragg (Oakfield), J.Ikel (Oakfield), L.Hastings (Grampian), L.Benee (Racketts), J.Osborne (Gyppeswyck), S.Romain (Racketts), H.Waterhouse (Black Stag), H.Osborne (Gyppeswyck), M.Reynolds (Ascham), E.Reader (Rayleigh). Gents: J.Neal (Black Stag), S.Spragg (Oakfield), R.Markham (Mayflower), M.Webb (Racketts), M.Skinner (Chelmsford TR), D.Collins (Ardleigh), K.Godsall (Grampian), G.Summers (Grampian), I.Malcolm (Abbey), D.Dalmasio (Oakfield), B.Simpson (Deben), A.Toy (Albemarle), M.Vaughan (Mayflower), A.Devlin (Oakfield), P.Norris (Mayflower), T.Pow (Mayflower), A.Purser (Mayflower), J.Rockall (Black Stag), A.Vaughan (Mayflower), P.Glover (Mayflower), P.Lees (Rayleigh), J.Forrester (Albemarle), A.Johns (Rayleigh), M.Markham (Mayflower), M.Osborne (Gyppeswyck), L.Jarrold (Mayflower).

12/2005 SUMMER LEAGUE AWARDS:

Division 1	Priory	Mrs.V.Foster (Ascham)	M.Dellow (Priory)
Division 2	Colchester	Mrs.P.Spragg (Oakfield)	P.Roberts (Colchester)
Division 3	Malgrave	Mrs.J.Krausbauer (Holdens)	C.Bushell (Malgrave)

An award from EGAC was made to Brian Purnell for services to Coaching.

13/2005 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE were received from Mrs.M.Pearce (Noak Hill), M.Pearce (Noak Hill), D.Foster (Abbey), G.Charnick (Abbey), T.Ikel (Oakfield).

14/2004 MINUTES OF AGM 01.02.04 having been circulated were taken as read. Accepted by the meeting from a proposal by D.Stanford (Individual), seconded P.Gillard (Noak Hill) and signed by the President.

15/2005 MATTERS ARISING: 17/2004 – Rushgreen have re-affiliated.

16/2005 PRESIDENT'S REMARKS: My opening remarks are to express many thanks to the organisers of our county championships for all their efforts on behalf of Essex archers. As we are all aware, without them there would be no championships. These individuals are well supported by the members of their clubs and we also owe them a great debt of gratitude. Let me name the organisers; Mick Pearce of Noak Hill Archers for the Indoor Championships, Woodford Archers for the Clout Championships and Andy Reeves of Noak Hill Archers for the Target Championships. The Field Championships, as always, was well organised jointly by Robin Frost and Chris Bushell and was hosted by Panther Bowmen. As a trial the Target Championships were held over two days, with the junior championships being held on the Saturday and the senior championships on the Sunday. I believe this was very successful, and recall that during the presentations on the Sunday, Andy Reeves made special mention about the excellent conduct of the juniors on their day.

The FITA championships were also to have been run over two days but, unfortunately there was no organiser for this tournament. However, I understand we do have a volunteer for 2005/6 and very much hope we will be confirming his appointment at this meeting. Our juniors acquitted themselves well at the Junior National Championships. Very well done to all of them. The SCAS Junior Inter-County Championships were held on 29th August, once again organised by Graham Sibley, and hosted by West Essex Bowmen. As always Betty Sibley organised the catering for the officials and working party, and most enjoyable it was too. Graham Sibley also again organised the Senior SCAS team event at Andover on 12th September. Congratulations to all our record breakers in 2004 – both County and National. Members of the Coaching Group have been busy training new coaches, running Wicken Bonhunt Personal Performance weekends and the JEDI (Junior Essex Development Initiative) courses. I always feel it a bit risky attempting to list names of the workers for fear of inadvertently missing somebody out. Therefore, suffice it to thank everyone involved in the work of the Essex Guild of Archery Coaches. You are all doing a fine job! To my knowledge there are three people retiring from positions they have held for a number of years; Tony Ikel who has done an excellent job as Team Manager. Over the years he has invested a great deal of time fulfilling this task and, speaking for myself as President and Tom before me, he always kept us informed with comprehensive reports after the matches. As we all know, Tony has been beset with ill health during the past year necessitating major surgery, and I am sure we all wish him the very best of health in the future. Although Jenny Radford carried the title of “Editor” for The Essex Bowman magazine, I know she would want me to include Graham’s name in my remarks because he has been a great support to her over the 12 years they have been running the magazine. The presentation has been improving all the time and in the last couple of editions the pages have been brought to life with coloured photographs. What a fine job they have done for us. On behalf of the membership, to all three mentioned, I want to say a very big “thank you” for all your time and dedication. It is very sad to realise that we may no longer have The Essex Bowman magazine, or is there somebody out there willing to take on the job? As so many young people nowadays are doing media studies, might there be one or two of them willing to have a go? I am sure Jenny and Graham would be only too happy to give some guidance to a new and inexperienced Editor. No doubt all our members are aware by now that the venue for Council Meetings has been changed to The Courage Hall in Brentwood. This certainly solves the problems of parking, and I hope we will see growing numbers attending the Meetings during 2005. 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. I wish you all good health and happiness in 2005.

17/2005 REPORT FROM HON.SECRETARY: Report tabled listing tournaments and champions in 2004. 52 clubs listed comprising 778 gents, 243 ladies, 340 boys, 97 girls, total affiliation 1458, however, since writing the report total now stands at, 820 gents, 257 ladies, 389 boys and 104, total 1570. In 2003, 41 archers shot for the County, in 2004 63 archers shot, of whom 55 received colours/date bars today. Other eight not yet qualified for award. Report seconded S.Spragg (Oakfield) and accepted by the Meeting with thanks offered to Graham Sibley for all his work.

18/2005 REPORT FROM HON.TREASURER: Audited Balance Sheet and Accounts tabled. Finances healthy and Reserves heading back to where they were before investing in new target equipment. After many tribulations have changed bank details and now paid interest. Report seconded by B.Purnell (Individual) and accepted by the Meeting with thanks to Martin Skinner for all his work on the County's accounts.

19/2005 REPORT FROM SENIOR R O: At a later date the lists will be up-dated. Tony Ikel was thanked for his work during the year and was wished a speedy return to better health.

20/2005 REPORT FROM JUNIOR R O: Thanks to clubs for junior scores, without them there would not be a junior team. If you have not sent in scores, please do so. This is the last year I will stand as JRO. Report seconded P.Gillard (Noak Hill)) and accepted by the Meeting with thanks to Andy Reeves for his work during the year.

21/2005 REPORT FROM COMPOUND R O: Report tabled listing top six gents, top two ladies, top eight junior boys. In absence of CRO the report was accepted by the Meeting with thanks to Maggie Pearce for work during the year.

22/2005 REPORT FROM FIELD R O: Listing of Field records tabled showing three new records. 2004 championships incorporated white peg for Under 12 and despite telling competitors to put in a claim only one did so. There will only be one such chance again in 2005 please pass the word. Report seconded I.Malcolm (Abbey) and accepted by the Meeting with thanks to Robin Frost for his work with the Field.

23/2005 REPORT FROM FLIGHT/CLOUT R O: Report tabled, seconded R.Hutchins (SEAC) and accepted by the Meeting with thanks to Eric Davies for his work.

24/2005 REPORT FROM LEAGUE SECRETARY: Well done to medal winners and well done to all who took part, without you there would not be a league. Very little to report, the fact that this is the league's 40th year covers it all. Remind Individual members they must supply club details. Good luck to all who have entered this year and thank you for keeping it going. Seconded D.Stanford (Individual) and accepted by the meeting with thanks to Marlene Hutchins for her work with the leagues.

25/2004 REPORT FROM COACHING GUILD SECRETARY: Report tabled listing 2005 calendar and showing number of Coaches to be 93 from 54 clubs. Anyone wishing to become a Coach should get in touch very soon. Seconded Mrs.C.Stanford (Pilgrim) and accepted by the Meeting with thanks to John Neal for all his work on behalf of the Guild.

26/2005 REPORT FROM TEAM MANAGER: Report tabled thanking everyone for their good wishes also thanking those who answered the call to shoot for their county. Giving up the post of Team Manager and offering help to whoever takes over. In the absence of Team Manager, report was accepted by the Meeting with thanks to Tony Ikel for managing the team, wishing him well and hoping to see him amongst the ranks very soon.

27/2005 REPORT FROM GENERAL MEMBER: Report tabled raising various issues from the past year. Report seconded Miss M.Lang (Black Stag) and accepted by the Meeting with thanks to Agnes Stevens for her work during the year.

28/2005 REPORT FROM TOURNAMENT ORGANISERS: (a) Indoor – Everything in hand. In his absence, thanks were offered to Mike Pearce for all his work with the tournament. (b) Target – At Junior tournament in 2004 it was left to parents to inform the organisers if they could not stay with their junior(s) but some juniors were left without any supervision. 2005 parents must sign a letter stating if they cannot stay with their junior(s). Entry forms available for senior and junior tournaments and will be sent to all clubs with next Minutes. Junior tournament, 18th June, £7 or two from one family £5 each. Senior tournament, 19th June, £8. Considering a junior 6-dozen round for 2006. Report seconded Mrs.E.Line (Abbey), accepted by the meeting with thanks to Andy Reeves for all his work. (c) Clout – Entry forms tabled. Thanks offered to Woodford for organising and hosting the shoot. (d) Field – Will be 1st Sunday in October, 28 marked arrowhead round, white peg for U12. Hoping to host SCAS Regional Championships, if agreed will be last Saturday and Sunday in July, Combined round both days; 24 targets (12 marked, 12 unmarked). Report seconded D.Stanford (Individual), accepted by the meeting with thanks to Robin Frost for all his work. (e) FITA – No tournament in 2004.

29/2005 REPORT FROM EDITOR OF 'ESSEX BOWMAN': Balance Sheet and Report tabled. Thanks to everyone who supported the magazine but now giving it up due to lack of spare time. Report and Balance Sheet seconded by R.Markham (Mayflower) and accepted by the meeting with thanks to Graham and Jenny Radford for all their work with the magazine.

30/2005 ELECTION OF (2) TELLERS: Mr.J.Willson and Mr.P.Gillard were elected.

31/2005 ELECTION OF VICE-PRESIDENT: Mrs.M.Hutchins and Mrs.A.Stevens were nominated and seconded. On a Paper Vote, Mrs.M.Hutchins was elected.

32/2005 ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN: Mr.R.Frost was nominated, seconded and elected.

33/2005 ELECTION OF VICE-CHAIRMAN: Mr.J.Neal was nominated, seconded and elected.

34/2005 ELECTION OF HON.SECRETARY: Mr.G.Sibley was nominated, seconded and elected.

35/2005 ELECTION OF HON.TREASURER: Mr.M.Skinner was nominated, seconded and elected.

36/2005 ELECTION OF GENERAL MEMBER: Mrs.A.Stevens was nominated, seconded and elected.

37/2005 ELECTION OF SENIOR RECORDS OFFICER: Mr.A.Ikel was nominated, seconded and elected.

38/2005 ELECTION OF JUNIOR RECORDS OFFICER: Mr.A.Reeves was nominated, seconded and elected.

39/2005 ELECTION OF COMPOUND RECORDS OFFICER: Mrs.M.Pearce was nominated, seconded and elected.

40/2005 ELECTION OF FIELD RECORDS OFFICER: Mr.R.Frost was nominated, seconded and elected.

41/2005 ELECTION OF FLIGHT/CLOUT RECORDS OFFICER: Mr.E.Davies was nominated, seconded and elected.

42/2005 ELECTION OF LEAGUE SECRETARY: Mrs.M.Hutchins was nominated, seconded and elected.

43/2005 ELECTION OF COACHING GUILD SECRETARY: Mr.J.Neal was elected by the Guild.

44/2005 ELECTION OF TOURNAMENT ORGANISERS:
Clout – Woodford. Target – Mr.A.Reeves. FITA – Mr.R.Markham. Field – Mr.R.Frost/Mr.C.Bushell. Indoor – Mr.M.Pearce.

45/2005 ELECTION OF EQUIPMENT OFFICER: Mr.A.Reeves was nominated, seconded and elected.

46/2005 ELECTION OF TEAM MANAGER: No nomination.

47/2005 ELECTION OF HON.AUDITOR: Treasurer will make Recommendation.

./2005 ELECTION OF 'ESSEX BOWMAN' EDITOR: No nomination.

48/2005 AMENDMENT TO CONSTITUTION: Page 5: Para 10 (a)(b) County Teams and Colours.

The Executive propose: "Field Colours: That any Essex archer who competes in a field archery tournament and becomes eligible for a County representative team award shall qualify for County Colours. The composition of the team is at the organiser's discretion and will be announced either prior to the tournament or on the day. To become eligible for County Colours, an archer must have been a representative member of a team on **NO LESS THAN THREE OCCASIONS.**"

Agenda items 62/03(c), 96/03, 48/04(a), 55/04(a), 99/04(s) refer. Seconded C.Smith (Pilgrim) and agreed by the Meeting.

49/2005 AMENDMENT TO CONSTITUTION: Page 7: Para 10(f) Junior Millennium Trophy.

Mr/Mrs.T.Major (Donors) and the Executive, by way of clarification, make the following proposal: "A junior archer may qualify for the 'Junior Millennium Trophy' in the year they become 18 provided they meet the following criteria:

(1) The "cut off" point will be 31st July and, provided at least three Championships have been shot as a junior by that date, they will be eligible for this trophy. (2) If a junior reaches the age of 18 on or after 1st August and shoots in the senior competition thereafter, their scores will be compared to those of the juniors who shot in the under 18 category and, for the purposes of the Millennium Trophy, their placing will be determined accordingly." Seconded A.Toy (Albemarle) and agreed by the Meeting.

50/2005 MATTERS FOR DISCUSSION (AT THE DISCRETION OF THE PRESIDENT): (a) Future Inter-County Matches – After lengthy discussion it was agreed that until a Team Manager is elected, no decision can be made. Also agreed that the role of Team Manager be clarified with the suggestion that it could be divided with different people doing different parts. This to be on the Agenda of next meeting.

Being no other business, the President closed the Meeting at 4.25pm offering thanks to all the Officers for their hard work over the past year and wish all who carry on into 2005 all support. She thanked everyone for attending, wished them a safe journey home and looked forward to seeing them at the next County meeting on 1st March.

PRESIDENT 
ECAA AGM/ 06.02.05/MH

ESSEX COUNTY ARCHERY ASSOCIATION

A meeting of Council will be held at the COURAGE HALL,
MIDDLETON HALL LANE, BRENTWOOD, ESSEX,
on TUESDAY 1st MARCH, 2005, commencing 8 p.m.

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

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61/2005 Appointment of County Child Protection Officer
- 62/2005 REPORTS FROM:
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| | z) Members Representative |
- 63/2005
62/2006 Calendar 2006
64/2005
63/2007 Any other business

G.J.Sibley

Hon Secretary 070205

**MINUTES OF ECAA COUNCIL MEETING HELD AT
OLD HOUSE, BRENTWOOD, ON TUESDAY 1st March 2005**

Present: Mrs.I.Major (President), R.Frost (Chairman), J.Neal (Vice Chairman), G.Sibley (Secretary and Hon.Life Vice President), Mrs.M.Hutchins (Vice President and Minutes Secretary), T.Major (Vice President), M.Skinner (Treasurer), Mrs.A.Stevens (General Member) and representatives from Ardleigh, Albemarle, Noak Hill, Oakfield, Black Stag, Rayleigh, Abbey, Pilgrim. Total attending = 18.

Chairman welcomed all on such a dreadful evening.

51/05 Apologies for Absence – T.Ikel (SRO), Mrs.J.Ikel (Oakfield).

52/05 Matters for Any Other Business – None.

53/05 Minutes of last Meeting having been circulated were taken as read, seconded by M.Pearce (Noak Hill), agreed by the Meeting and signed by the Chairman.

54/05 Matters arising – 5/05(e) Confirmed that the score was shot on a single face.

55/05 Correspondence – (a) Holdens 30th Anniversary Lunch, details to be sent to all clubs. (b) At the GNAS AGM there is a proposal to increase fees by £1 per member for 2005/6 to come into effect from 1st May 2005 for new members and any renewals after this date. (c) Minutes of Operations Committee Meeting received.

6/05 Chairman's Remarks – Welcome to this meeting and we will see how it works with this venue in the future.

57/05 Matters from the AGM – (46/2005) Appointment of Team Manager - no nominations. (50/2005) (a) Future County Matches – without a Team Manager there cannot be Inter county matches. It was stated that it was unfortunate all the matches were at Home this year. Noak Hill agreed to host three of the matches and is willing to arrange Field Party and, when given the Target List, will do the rest. Framlingham will be contacted with a view to hosting Essex/Cambs/Norfolk match in May. Team Manager's brief is to liaise with other Counties involved in the shoot, do the paperwork and be at the match. John Neal offered to continue his quest for a Team Manager. (b) Ranking for Team Selection – dealt with at the November meeting, proposal for change was defeated, thus it is as per the Constitution. Appointment of Team Manager will be on Agenda of next meeting.

58/05 Appointment of Essex Bowman Editor – No nominations, will be on Agenda of next Meeting.

59/05 Appointment of Minutes Secretary – Marlene Hutchins was nominated, seconded and unanimously re-elected.

60/05 Appointment of SCAS Reps (3) – John Willson, Graham Sibley and Robin Frost were nominated, seconded and unanimously re-elected.

61/05 Appointment of County Child Protection Officer – John Willson was nominated, seconded and unanimously elected.

62/05 Reports from:

a) TREASURER – Nothing to report.

b) LEAGUE SECRETARY – Following the League Secretaries Meeting, ask that this meeting ratify the following addition to League Rule 17: "Those members whose club has registered their club colours with GNAS will be permitted to wear their registered club colours whilst shooting in the League. A club with registered club colours has the option of fielding a team of archers with some wearing club colours and some wearing green and/or white. Clubs wishing to wear their registered club colours at League matches must also register their club colours with the League Secretary when entering the League. Clubs who have not informed the League Secretary of their registered colours must shoot in green and/or white. In all cases it is understood that club colours only apply to Polo/T-shirt, Sweatshirt/Jumper, Jacket/Fleece/Body warmer. Garments worn below the waist will be green or white". Addition ratified by meeting and will be included in League Rules and amended in the Constitution. The Minutes of the League Meeting along with Fixture Lists for 2005, etc. will be sent to clubs competing in the Summer League within the next few days.

c) COACHING GROUP SECRETARY – Level One Course being assessed. Total 16 Coach and 11 County Coach on courses and debating with SCAS for funding. Next Guild meeting 15th March with Tony Preston. Request from clubs for Coaching Clinics. Lot of enthusiastic Coaches and over the next few years will be able to offer their services to clubs. Any club interested in a Coaching Clinic should contact John Neal.

d) SENIOR RECORDS OFFICER - Following offered for ratification:

Ladies Recurve	28.11.04	P.Spragg	Oakfield	FITA 25 3-spot	556	Beds
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Seconded A.Reeves (Noak Hill) and accepted by the Meeting. Had the Organiser not failed to register this score it would have been a World Record. M.Pear (Deben) shot 583 at the same tournament but has not claimed a County record.

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

Boy U14	21.11.04	M.Markham	Mayflower	D.FITA 25 single spot	1070	Herts
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Boy U16	29.01.05	S.Horne	Mayflower	Bray 1	270	Club
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Seconded Mrs.E.Line (Abbey) and accepted by the Meeting.

f) FIELD RECORDS OFFICER - Nothing to report.

g) COMPOUND RECORDS OFFICER - Nothing to report.

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

k) INDOOR ORGANISER - Problem with Judges, which hope to rectify. Fourteen spaces left in last session. Help would be appreciated on day prior to shoot at 6.30pm. There will not be Equipment inspection; it is up to the archer to contact a judge if in any doubt. Assembly will be before the practice, not after.

p) TARGET ORGANISER - Judges to be arranged.

q) FITA ORGANISER - Will be at Mayflower School, dates as per calendar. Entry forms out very soon.

r) CLOUT ORGANISER - Entry forms sent to all clubs.

s) FIELD ORGANISER - As shown on calendar. SCAS Champs at end of July, two-day (Individual Saturday, Team Sunday). Entry forms with Minutes of this meeting.

t) FLIGHT ORGANISER - N/a.

u) TEAM MANAGER - None.

v) EQUIPMENT OFFICER - May need to replace Egerton bosses for next year I still at Courage Hall.

w) COMPOUND LEAGUE SECRETARY - Postal League to start in April.

x) BRAY 1 LEAGUE - Results in for this month and one for next month. Longbow finished, Division 3 compound and Divisions 3 and 4 finished.

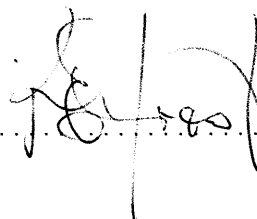
z) MEMBERS' REPRESENTATIVE - Lyn Burton, who was awarded the Thelma Davison Trophy at the AGM, has been critically ill but I am pleased to report she is now out of hospital. President hopes to present her with the trophy at the County Indoor this month. You may also be interested to know Lyn has recently been selected for the Development Squad at Lilleshall.

63/05 2006 Calendar - Will be on the Agenda until it is finalised at the November meeting. Dates will closely follow those of 2005. Abbey may have difficulty with the venue of their Indoor shoot.

64/05 Any Other Business - (a) In FITA, if scores are equal, results are decided on 10s then 9s. (b) Asked if Essex would support a member from outside Essex as Rep to EAF. This agreed and Secretary will nominate in writing. (c) Proxy for GNAS AGM on 25th April will again be taken by Dennis and Marion Saville. Letter of instruction will be sent with minutes of this meeting. (d) Proxy for SCAS AGM will be taken by Reps (see item 60/2005),

Being no other business, the Meeting closed at 9.10pm with thanks to all for attendance and wishes for a safe journey. Next meeting will be Tuesday, 2nd May 2005.

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 3rd MAY, 2005 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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- 71/2005 Report of GNAS Annual Meeting
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46/2005 Appointment of Team Manager
50/2005 Future County Matches
xx/2005 Appointment of Essex Bowman Editor
- 74/2005 REPORTS FROM:
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| | z) Members Representative |
- 75/2005 Calendar 2006
- 76/2005 Any other business

G.J.Sibley

Hon Secretary 110305

**MINUTES OF ECAA COUNCIL MEETING HELD AT
COURAGE HALL, BRENTWOOD, ON TUESDAY 3rd May 2005**

Present: Mrs.I.Major (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), T.Major (Vice President), M.Skinner (Treasurer), Mrs.A.Stevens (General Member) and representatives from Ardleigh, Albemarle, Noak Hill, Oakfield, Black Stag, Abbey, Pilgrim, SEAC, Mayflower. Total attending = 24.

65/05 Apologies for Absence – E.Davies (Clout R.O), J.Willson (Rayleigh).

66/05 Matters for Any Other Business – Given to Chairman.

67/05 Minutes of last Meeting having been circulated were taken as read. With the addition of 62/05(y) last sentence to read, "...recurve finished", seconded by M.Pearce (Noak Hill), agreed by the Meeting and signed by the Chairman.

68/05 Matters arising – 61/05: written to GNAS and reply received.

69/05 Correspondence – (a) Affiliation fees increased by £1 for senior and junior archers. Other fees to remain same. (b) Change of Secretary for Oakfield: Miss Linda Roberts, 141 Riverway, Loughton, Essex IG10 3LN. Tel 0208 508 9363. (c) Notice of Ouse Valley Archers World Record Double FITA 900, 12TH June. (d) Member obtained a grant from Basildon Distribution Fund. Help is available if contact Basildon Council. (e) Clout results to hand.

70/05 Chairman's Remarks – Winter has gone and summer season is rapidly approaching. Previous years I would be asking for scores to be submitted to the various Records Officers to aid in the selection of representative teams for the inter County matches soon to be shot. Unfortunately as there have not been any nominations so far for the position of Team Manager it would be most likely that only the senior and junior SCAS Champs will be used for selection. There have been two matches where selection has taken place, the Indoor at Rayleigh and the match at Framlingham. Thanks must be recorded to Mrs Agnes Stevens who has been persuaded to act as Team Manager for these shoots. The GNAS AGM has taken place and Dennis Saville who agreed to act as the representative for Essex will give a report. I am a little disappointed at the response by clubs in the County that only a small number took the time to advise Dennis of their wishes regarding voting. A reminder that the County Target Champs will take place on 18th June for junior and 19th June for senior archers at Noak Hill. County FITA Champs will take place on 23rd July for junior and 24th July for senior archers at Mayflower ground, Billericay. For the field archers, the SCAS Champs will be held over 30/31st July at Panther Bowhunters ground, Galleywood. Welcome return to Tony Ikel and Roy Hutchins both having been ill.

71/05 Report of GNAS AGM – Given by Dennis Saville and will be circulated with the Minutes of this Meeting. A vote of thanks was offered to Dennis and Marian Saville for preparation of the Report. Question asked what was GNAS going to do with the extra money it will be getting from the increase in fees.

72/05 Report of SCAS AGM – Given by Graham Sibley, who stated that one Rep attended and carried only the proxy votes of Ardleigh and Pilgrim. Meeting dealt with reports as found in 'Green Book'. One change of Office, Chris Carroll stood down and a volunteer from Hamps will take over as Treasurer – no name as yet. Honorary membership of GNAS was discussed, happy with regard Mary Matthews but not in giving honorary membership to people working at one Championship and disregarding others who have worked over the years with no thought of recognition. The new 'Green Book' is now out.

73/05 Matters from the AGM – (46/05) Appointment of Team Manager – Mrs Joan Ikel offered to take on the post. Graham Sibley will liaise with Counties for the first match. (50/05) Future County Matches – Situation no longer applies. (xx/05) Appointment of Essex Bowman Editor – no offers.

74/05 Reports from:

a) **TREASURER** – Received final accounts from Indoor Organiser. Some adjustments to be made for medals but will have a profit from the Shoot. Affiliation fees, please add £1.

b) **LEAGUE SECRETARY** – Nothing to report.

c) **COACHING GROUP SECRETARY** – Level One Course assessment continues. Coach and County Coach Course one more session before the summer break. Next Guild meeting 2nd June with Carole Edwards, this will be on a Thursday rather than Tuesday. JEDI nearing conclusion for 2004/5, 70m and Cadet head-to-head on 14th May. Coach Course assessment in December, County Coach Course assessment in March.

d) **SENIOR RECORDS OFFICER** – Following offered for ratification, were with the SRO prior to the 3-month limit:

Barebow	24.10.04	T.Carter	Malgrave	FITA 18	455	All-Brit BB Champs
	20.03.05	D.Lillis	Noak Hill	FITA 25	458	ECAA Champs
Recurve	30.10.04	K.Godsall	Grampian	FITA 18	563	Amphill Hawks

Seconded A.Reeves (Noak Hill) and accepted by the Meeting. Will be sending list of Recurve, longbow and barebow records for distribution. Gents Top Ten: 1.M.Pearl (Deben), 2.M.Webb (Rackets), 3.T.Hodder (Mayflower), 4.K.Godsalls (Grampian), 5.D.Lawless (Braintree), 6.Martin Skinner (CTR), 7.S.Osborne (Gyppeswyck), 8.D.Collins (Ardleigh), 9.R.Markham (Mayflower), 10.S.Spragg (Oakfield). Longbow: 1.I.Malcolm (Abbey), 2.K.Davis (Harlow), 3.C.Clayton (Rayleigh), 4.T.Riddick (Grays), 5.D.Foster (Abbey), 6.G.Radford (Racketts), 7.P.French (Colchester), 8.S.Spragg (Oakfield), 9.T.Maher (Oakfield). Ladies Top Ten: 1.P.Spragg (Oakfield), 2.K.Hodder (Mayflower), 3.M.Lang (Black Stag), 4.J.Osborne (Gyppeswyck), 5.L.Benee (Racketts), 6.S.Romain (Racketts), 7.M.Saville (Ardleigh), 8.E.Lines (Abbey), 9.L.Roberts (Oakfield), 10.B.Knight (Colchester). Longbow: 1.H.Waterhouse (Black Stag), 2.A.Stevens (Abbey), 3.C.Stanford (Pilgrim), 4.J.Osborne (Gyppeswyck), 5.A.Tyler (Colchester), 6.L.Fisher (Colchester), 7.P.Spragg (Oakfield).

e) JUNIOR RECORDS OFFICER – No records. Top Ten: 1.A.Johns (Rayleigh), 2.J.Rockall (Black Stag), 3.M.Markham (Mayflower), 4.P.Lees (Rayleigh), 5.P.Norris (Mayflower), 6.J.Guiton (Rayleigh), 7.M.Judd (Mayflower), 8.A.Mockett (Oakfield), 9.L.Willett (Rayleigh), 10.A.Devlin (Oakfield).

f) FIELD RECORDS OFFICER – Nothing to report.

g) COMPOUND RECORDS OFFICER – Up-to-date list will be given at each meeting for distribution.

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

k) INDOOR ORGANISER – Profit made. 2006 meeting will be 19th March, same venue, Record Status.

p) TARGET ORGANISER – Entries coming in, 39 senior, 7 juniors, some from outside County. Record status.

q) FITA ORGANISER – Ground booked at Mayflower County High School. Transport organised. Entries coming in. Will be an expensive shoot to run this year and may run at a loss unless very full entry. Quicks sponsorship for faces.

r) CLOUT ORGANISER – Went well and weather fine. Results out. Organisers changed colour of flags but should re-consider. Profit made.

3) FIELD ORGANISER – As per calendar in October. 28 Arrowhead, marked distances. All details on Entry form.

SCAS Champs at end of July, two-day, 12 marked and 12 unmarked on both days. Individual Saturday, Team Sunday. Entry forms tabled.

t) FLIGHT ORGANISER - N/a.

u) TEAM MANAGER – Indoor 27th March Essex 3410: P.Walker 585, D.Collins 573, M.Webb 571, D.Lawless 560. M.Skinner 564. M.Lang 548. Middlesex 3375, Kent 3374, London 3208. Thanks to Agnes Stevens for acting as Team Manager for the match. Next match at Framlingham, Essex/Cambs/Norfolk. Team selected according to Constitution. Intercounty entry forms to be sent to Team Manager.

w) EQUIPMENT OFFICER – Nothing to report.

(x) COMPOUND LEAGUE SECRETARY – Nothing to report.

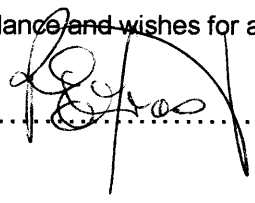
y) BRAY 1 LEAGUE – Winter league finished. Apologies for late results. Hoping for entry forms in July.

z) MEMBERS' REPRESENTATIVE – Congratulations to the Recurve archers who shot in the Indoor County match held on Easter Sunday. Essex won by 35 points. Thanks must go to Graham Sibley and Robin Frost for organising this and the forthcoming match in the absence of a Team Manager. Good luck to all archers selected to shoot this Sunday against Cambridge and Norfolk. Some time ago GNAS advised they were looking into Rose Awards for Longbows. Although no further articles have appeared, archers are already claiming their awards. I telephoned Nick Nicholson of GNAS who advised he had sneaked them into an Operations Committee meeting. I have since found reference to them in the July 03 Minutes. Rose awards are as follows: White 225, Black 300, Blue 375, Red 450, Gold 525, Purple 600.

75/05 2006 Calendar – Will be on the Agenda until it is finalised at the September meeting.

76/05 Any Other Business – (a) Members notified of the passing of Malcolm Smith and offered a few moments silence in his memory. (b) Roy Hutchins thanked all the clubs and individuals who sent cards and/or telephoned to see how he is progressing. (c) Location of GNAS AGM: Colin Wooff stated he had written in 2002 to GNAS asking if this could be brought up at the AGM. Reply was that, at the meeting, there was no feeling for the venue to be changed with 62 in favour of Lilleshall and 1 abstention. Would like to see the GNAS AGM moved to a more convenient point to allow others to attend and a rotation of venues was suggested. SCAS have a large majority of people and think we are being ignored. This subject will be put to the next Regional meeting in July. (d) Clout Champion gent and lady Trophies have never been engraved with the names of winners. Suggested these be up-graded and will be looked into and considered. (e) Pat Spragg is in hospital and the meeting wished her the best of health for the future. (f) Secretary of SCAS received a letter asking that Longbows be included at the senior Intercounties. (g) Clare Stanford stated that she was very happy and very honoured to have been awarded the Red Tassel and thanked the Red Tassel Committee. (h) Anne Thompson, who did the scores at County Championships with husband Bill, has sadly passed away.

Being no other business, the Meeting closed at 9.30pm with thanks to all for attendance and wishes for a safe journey. Next meeting will be Tuesday, 5th July 2005.

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 5th JULY 2005 commencing 8.00 p.m

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| | z) Members Representative |
- 85/2005 Calendar 2006
- 86/2005 Any other business

G.J.Sibley

Hon Secretary 090605

MINUTES OF ECAA COUNCIL MEETING HELD AT COURAGE HALL, BRENTWOOD, ON TUESDAY 5th July 2005

Present: Mrs.I.Major (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), T.Major (Vice President), M.Skinner (Treasurer), Mrs.A.Stevens (General Member) and representatives from Ardleigh, Albemarle, Noak Hill, Oakfield, Black Stag, Abbey, Pilgrim, SEAC, Mayflower, Rayleigh. Total attending = 22.

77/05 Apologies for Absence – D.Stanford (Pilgrim), Mrs.C.Stanford (Pilgrim), Mrs.T.Sharman (Suffolk College).

78/05 Matters for Any Other Business – Agreed this matter be announced now. At the Target Championships, two Red Tassels were awarded. John Neal and Martin Skinner were the worthy recipients.

79/05 Minutes of last Meeting having been circulated were taken as read, seconded by P.Lawrence (Noak Hill), agreed by the Meeting and signed by the Chairman.

80/05 Matters arising – None.

81/05 Correspondence – (a) Received full minutes of GNAS Operations Committee meeting held 2nd April. (b) Change of Secretary for Abbey Bowmen: Mrs.E.Line, 37 Bennetts Castle Lane, Dagenham, RM8 3XX. Telephone 0208 270 8473 (c) Paul Bonner and his son returned to Essex shooting Field. (d) A bench in memory of Bill Tucker has been placed in a Colchester park. (e) Change of Secretary for Braintree Archers: C.Parker, Brickhouse Barn, Braxted Road, Kelvedon, CO5 9BS. No telephone number available. (f) Meeting of Region to be held on Saturday 9th July. New Treasurer is Peter Hudson (Hamps).

82/05 Chairman's Remarks – At Indoor World Champs held in Denmark, Michael Peart shot extremely well and was unlucky not to win a medal. He has since shot in Madrid. At the Intercounties match 12th June at Noak Hill, it was disappointing that Kent was not represented. Target Champs were well attended, tank you to the members of Noak Hill who worked hard to ensure the ground was laid out. FITA Champs in a few weeks.

83/05 Matters from the AGM – (a) Future County matches now assured with the appointment of a Team Manager. (b) Essex Bowman Editor – still no offers.

84/05 Reports from:

a) **TREASURER** – Received accounts for Target Champs. After adjustments for cost of medals, should make a profit.
b) **LEAGUE SECRETARY** – Two matches shot, no problems reported. Andy Harris entry with minutes of this meeting.
c) **COACHING GROUP SECRETARY** – Level One Course nearing completion, second course finishing in November. Let down by speaker for September meeting of Guild so will try for an alternative. JEDI completed in May. Many people have received letter from GNAS concerning upgrade to Coach. Please await instructions from Essex CCO.
d) **SENIOR RECORDS OFFICER** - Following offered for ratification:

Gents Recurve	01.05.05	N.Norris	Mayflower	Warwick	394	Fakenham
Ladies Lgbow	05.06.05	H.Waterhouse	Black Stag	Windsor	602	Abbey
Girl U18 BB	18.06.05	J.Reeves	Noak Hill	Bristol 2	70	Ex.Champs <u>Nat.record claim</u>
Boy U18 BB	18.06.05	L.Barrett	Noak Hill	Bristol 1	242	Ex.Champs
Gents BB	19.06.05	D.Oates	Noak Hill	Western	599	Ex.Champs
	19.06.05	D.Lillis	Noak Hill	Hereford	449	Ex.Champs
	19.06.05	M.Lawrence	Noak Hill	York	469	Ex.Champs

Seconded Mrs.M.Saville (Ardleigh) and accepted by the Meeting.

Gents Top Ten: 1.M.Peart (Deben), 2.M.Webb (Rackets), 3.K.Godsalls (Grampian), 4.T.Hodder (Mayflower), 5.D.Lawless (Braintree), 6.Martin Skinner (CTR), 7.R.Markham (Mayflower), 8.D.Collins (Ardleigh), 9.S.Osborne (Gyppeswyck), 10.S.Spragg (Oakfield). Longbow: 1.I.Malcolm (Abbey), 2.K.Davis (Harlow), 3.C.Clayton (Rayleigh), 4.T.Riddick (Grays), 5.D.Foster (Abbey), 6.G.Radford (Racketts), 7.P.French (Colchester), 8.S.Spragg (Oakfield), 9.T.Maher (Oakfield). Ladies Top Ten: 1.P.Spragg (Oakfield), 2.K.Hodder (Mayflower), 3.M.Lang (Black Stag), 4.J.Osborne (Gyppeswyck), 5.L.Benee (Racketts), 6.E.Lines (Abbey), 7.S.Romain (Racketts), 8.M.Saville (Ardleigh), 9.L.Roberts (Oakfield), 10.B.Knight (Colchester).

Gents Longbow: 1.I.Malcolm (Abbey), 2.K.Davis (Harlow), 3.C.Clayton (Rayleigh), 4.T.Riddick (Grays), 5.D.Foster (Abbey), 6.P.French (Colchester), 7.T.Maher (Oakfield), 8.S.Spragg (Oakfield), 9.G.Radford (Racketts).

Ladies Longbow: 1.H.Waterhouse (Black Stag), 2.A.Stevens (Abbey), 3.C.Stanford (Pilgrim), 4.J.Osborne (Gyppeswyck), 5.A.Tyler (Colchester), 6.L.Fisher (Colchester), 7.P.Spragg (Oakfield).

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e) JUNIOR RECORDS OFFICER – Following offered for ratification:

U14 Boy	16.04.05	M.Markham	Mayflower	FITA 720	543	Clophill
	30.04.05	M.Markham	Mayflower	Metric 1	1125	Lilleshall
U16 Boy	15.05.05	J.Guiton	Rayleigh	40m on 80cm face	303	Club
U18 Boy	24.04.05	A.Johns	Rayleigh	FITA 900	752	Thirsk
	23/24.04.05	A.Johns	Rayleigh	Dble.FITA 900	1469	Thirsk

Seconded T.Ikel (Oakfield) and accepted by the Meeting. Top Ten: 1.M.Markham (Mayflower), 2. M.Judd (Mayflower), 3. A.Mockett (Oakfield), 4.S.Home (Mayflower), 5.M.Bainbridge (Ascham), 7.M.Reynolds (Ascham), 7.A.Devlin (Oakfield), 8.H.Elmes (Ascham), N.Milcalf (Black Stag), 10.W.Duncun (Ascham).

f) FIELD RECORDS OFFICER – Nothing to report.

g) COMPOUND RECORDS OFFICER – No report.

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

k) INDOOR ORGANISER – No report.

p) TARGET ORGANISER – Very enjoyable 2-day event. Juniors behaviour was excellent. 106 seniors, 65 juniors. Every centre had to be changed. Thank you to Harry Grove, Arthur Toy and Tom Major, also thanks to those who helped put away the targets. Thank you to the Judges who worked well over the two days. Apologies for minor errors on the junior scores. One trophy which cannot be presented until end of second day is to the Most Improved, this going to Mstr.B.Brown of Rayleigh. Trophy given to John Willson who will pass it over.

) FITA ORGANISER – With only thirty entries received, 10 juniors and 30 seniors, is the shoot still viable? Decided to leave for one more week and then decide (a) hold entire shoot on the Saturday only or (b) cancel with the loss of over £500. More entries promised but will still make a considerable loss.

r) CLOUT ORGANISER – No report.

s) FIELD ORGANISER Nothing to report.

t) FLIGHT ORGANISER - N/a.

u) TEAM MANAGER – The 4-way match on 12th June was reduced to a 3-way when Kent withdrew because they had trouble making a team. Twelve people declined to shoot for Essex and Maureen Cornish had to drop out because of injury. Results were Senior Recurve – Essex 4699, Middx 4602, London 4223. Senior Compound- Middx 3342, Essex 3288. Longbow - Essex 1187, Middx 616. Junior Recurve - Essex 2868, Middx 2681. Full details attached. Thank you to all the archers for carrying on in spite of the cold strong winds, to the Noak Hill field party and caterers and the Judges, Robin Frost and Tony Ikel.

w) EQUIPMENT OFFICER – Straw bosses used for the Indoor Tournaments will need to be replaced. Found a supplier at £89 per boss with free delivery. Recommend that 14 be replaced. Seconded D.Saville (Ardleigh) and agreed by the meeting with 1 abstention.

(x) COMPOUND LEAGUE SECRETARY – No report.

y) BRAY 1 LEAGUE – Entry forms with minutes of this meeting, closing date 5th September.

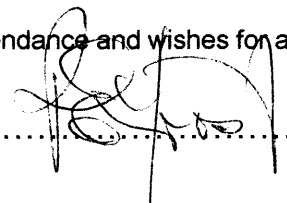
z) MEMBERS' REPRESENTATIVE – The Intercounties at Framlingham on 8th May results were Recurve – Cambs 4976, Essex 4930, Norfolk 4785. Compound – Essex 4222, Norfolk 4173, Cambs 3870. Juniors – Cambs 4128, Essex 3756, Norfolk 3280. Longbow – Essex 1390, Norfolk 553, Cambs 290. Junior Longbow – Cambs 874. Full details attached.

Vote of thanks offered to Agnes Stevens for acting as Team Manager at the match.

85/05 2006 Calendar – In draft form. Similar to previous year's dates with inclusion of Guild meetings. Copy will be sent to Organisers.

86/05 Any Other Business – (a) Thank you from Graham Sibley to everyone involved with the card sent from Target Champs, it was greatly appreciated. (b) London Youth Games 25th June at Crystal Palace had 192 entries. Redbridge was No.1 overall and won the Fair Play trophy. (c) Must be a 50-yard space between archers shooting and those walking to the target. (d) The GNAS Ascham Mazur trophy for the highest American score of the year was awarded to Pat Spragg. In her absence it was given to Joan Ikel who will pass it over.

Being no other business, the Meeting closed at 9.15pm with thanks to all for attendance and wishes for a safe journey. Next meeting will be Tuesday, 6th September 2005.

CHAIRMAN  050705/mh

ESSEX COUNTY ARCHERY ASSOCIATION

A meeting of Council will be held at the COURAGE HALL,
MIDDLETON HALL LANE, BRENTWOOD, ESSEX,
on TUESDAY 6th SEPTEMBER 2005, commencing 8.00 p.m.
The meeting will be held in the room adjacent to the Bar.. Bar facilities etc. will be available

AGENDA

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| 87/2005 | Apologies for absence | |
| 88/2005 | Matters for any other business | |
| 89/2005 | Minutes of meeting 05.07.05 (circulated) | |
| 90/2005 | Matters arising | |
| 91/2005 | Correspondence | |
| 92/2005 | Chairman's Remarks | |
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| 93/2005 | Any matters from Annual General Meeting | |
| | Essex Bowman Editor | |
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| 94/2005 | 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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| 95/2005 | Calendar 2006 | |
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| 96/2005 | Any other business | |

G.J.Sibley

Hon Secretary 270705

**MINUTES OF ECAA COUNCIL MEETING HELD AT
COURAGE HALL, BRENTWOOD, ON TUESDAY 6th September 2005**

Present: 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), T.Major (Vice President), M.Skinner (Treasurer), Mrs.A.Stevens (General Member) and representatives from Ardleigh, Albemarle, Noak Hill, Oakfield, Black Stag, Abbey, Pilgrim, SEAC, Mayflower, Individual. Total attending = 23.

87/05 Apologies for Absence – Mrs.I.Major (President), J.Willson (Rayleigh), Mrs.T.Sharman (Suffolk College).

88/05 Matters for Any Other Business – Items with the Chairman.

89/05 Minutes of last Meeting having been circulated were taken as read. With the correction of 82/05 'tank' to read 'thank', these were seconded by M.Pearce (Indoor Organiser), agreed by the Meeting and signed by the Chairman.

90/05 Matters arising – None.

91/05 Correspondence – (a) Application by Tony Ikel for Assessment for Appointment of Regional Field Judge was agreed by the Meeting, signed and to be dealt with by the Chairman. (b) Congratulations offered to Mike Pearce on passing Assessment for County Judge. (c) New address for Tom and Kerry Hodder, 54 The Gore, Basildon SS14 2BT. (d) Albemarle 'Bring and Buy' 19th November at 2pm. (e) Details of 2005 National Judges Conference. (f) County Champions for 2005 notified to the Region. (g) New club - Hillcroft Archers, K.Robbins, 201 Raedwald Drive, Bury-St-dmonds. (h) Entry for Field Champs circulated. (i) GNAS Tournaments 2006, mostly at Lilleshall. Details with Secretary. (k) Stake-holders conference for 'Thank you London' on Friday, 23rd September 1.30/4pm in Chelmsford.

92/05 Chairman's Remarks – Over the past year Essex has been the host for all the Intercounty matches and, on behalf of the County I would like to say 'thank you' to the clubs and their members who have made this possible. The Team Manager has been busy making selections for the various teams and I will say again, if you wish to be selected then send in your scores to either the Records Officer or the Team Manager. SCAS Field Championships were held at Panther Bowhunter ground at the end of July with some 65 entrants generating a number of County and National Records. Rayleigh Town club hosted the SCAS Junior shoot attracting juniors from as far as Hastings, 28 targets were needed. West Essex club hosted the SCAS junior Intercounty with 18 targets. It was disappointing that the County FITA was cancelled due to lack of interest but the Target Championships were well attended by both the juniors and seniors. Is this the way to go next year?

93/05 Matters from the AGM – Essex Bowman Editor – no offers for the present time. Hopefully someone will agree to take the role; the EB is the pivot for County information.

94/05 Reports from:

a) **TREASURER** – Nothing to report. Comment made that GNAS have not distributed Affiliation cards for some time.
b) **LEAGUE SECRETARY** – Last match of Summer League to be shot 25th September. No reason to convene a league meeting this year. Entry for 2006 will be with Minutes of November meeting. Andy Harris League to start in October with 37 teams in 4 Divisions. Fixture list will be sent out this week.

c) **COACHING GROUP SECRETARY** – Next meeting 15th September with a talk on Compound by Richard Wilkins. AGM to be 1st December. Coach and County Coach courses come to an end in a few weeks time. Coach Assessment 2nd week in December, County Coach Assessment in Feb/March. Level 1 finalise in October. Programme for 2006 in planning stage and will be submitted at AGM.

d) **SENIOR RECORDS OFFICER** - Following offered for ratification:

Ladies Longbow	03.07.05	H.Waterhouse	Black Stag	Dble.National	697
Grays					

Gents Longbow	02/03.07.05	K.Davis	Harlow	Dble York	787	Herts Co
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Seconded C.Wooff (L.V.P) and accepted by the Meeting.

Not receiving scores so there is no change in the Top Ten Recurve or Longbow. It was asked why County does not consider the 18/12-arrow pass on the Head to Head. Will look into this.

e) **JUNIOR RECORDS OFFICER** – Following offered for ratification:

U14 Boy	02.07.05	M.Markham	Mayflower	50m on 122cm face	317	Club
	02.07.05	M.Markham	Mayflower	40m on 122cm face	326	Club
	02.07.05	M.Markham	Mayflower	30m on 80cm face	303	Club
	02.07.05	M.Markham	Mayflower	Metric 3	1294	Club
	30.07.05	M.Markham	Mayflower	D.Jnr.National	1230	Club
	31.07.05	M.Markham	Mayflower	Jnr.National	636	Club
U16 Boy	24.04.05	S.Horne	Mayflower	Dble.FITA 900	1326	Thirsk

Seconded T.Ikel (Oakfield) and accepted by the Meeting. Top Ten: 1.M.Markham (Mayflower), 2.A.Johns (Rayleigh), 3.P.Lees (Rayleigh), 4.M.Judd (Mayflower), 5.J.Guiton (Rayleigh), 6.S.Horne (Mayflower), 7.A.Mockett (Oakfield), 8.D.Bennett (Rayleigh), 9.E.Reader (Rayleigh), 10.M.Reynolds (Ascham).

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

Gents Recurve	30.07.05	M.Skinner	Ch.Tud.Rose	FITA 24 com Single	286	SCAS
	31/07/05	M.Skinner	Ch.Tud.Rose	FITA 24 com Double	567	SCAS
Gents Trad	31.07.05	D.Lillis	Noak Hill	FITA 24 com	166	SCAS
Gents Longbow	31.07.05	I.Malcolm	Abbey	FITA 24 com Single	148	SCAS
	31/07/05	I.Malcolm	Abbey	FITA 24 com Double	275	SCAS
JB Longbow	30.07.05	R.Klarnner	Ch.Tud.Rose	FITA 24 com Single	25	SCAS *NR
Cub Girl Trad	31.07.05	D.Clark	Ch.Tud.Rose	FITA 24 com Single	102	SCAS *NR
	31.07.05	D.Clark	Ch.Tud.Rose	FITA 24 com Double	195	SCAS *NR
Cub Boy Rcurve	30.07.05	H.Hannan	Ch.Tud.Rose	FITA 24 com Single	92	SCAS *NR

Seconded Mrs.A.Stevens (Abbey) and accepted by the Meeting.

g) COMPOUND RECORDS OFFICER – Offered the following for ratification, all received within the time limit:

Boy U18	28.03.05	P.Glover	Mayflower	Sh.Warwick	432	Taverham
	17.04.05	P.Glover	Mayflower	FITA 70m (720)	644	Clophill
	01.05.05	P.Glover	Mayflower	50m on 80cm face	323	Lilleshall
	30.05.05	P.Glover	Mayflower	30m on 80cm face	355	Osterley
	30.05.05	P.Glover	Mayflower	50m on 80cm face	331	Osterley
	03.07.05	P.Glover	Mayflower	York	1180	J.Nat.Champs
	23.07.05	P.Glover	Mayflower	FITA 900	853	Belfast
	23/24.07.05	P.Glover	Mayflower	Dble.FITA 900	1684	Belfast
Boy U16	19.06.05	G.Fenton	Mayflower	Bristol 1	1166	Essex Co
	02.07.05	G.Fenton	Mayflower	40m on 80cm face	320	Lilleshall
	02.07.05	G.Fenton	Mayflower	Metric 2	1278	Lilleshall
Girl U18	12.03.05	C.Pudney	Mayflower	Portsmouth	549	JEDI
	14.05.05	C.Pudney	Mayflower	FITA 70m	488	JEDI
	18.06.05	C.Pudney	Mayflower	Bristol 2	1166	Essex Co
	19.06.05	C.Pudney	Mayflower	Western	732	Essex Co

Seconded A.Reeves (Noak Hill) and accepted by the Meeting.

h) FLIGHT/CLOUT RECORDS OFFICER – Offered the following for ratification:

Boy U18	05.06.05	P.Lees	Rayleigh	1-way Clout single	122	Club
	05.06.05	P.Lees	Rayleigh	2-way Clout double	251	Club

Seconded M.Peart (Ind.Org) and accepted by the Meeting.

k) INDOOR ORGANISER – Nothing to report. All in order.

p) TARGET ORGANISER – Next year's event will be over two days.

q) FITA ORGANISER – With only 85 entries the event was cancelled. Short Metric could be considered for next year. Have tried moving shoot to different month but outcome still the same.

r) CLOUT ORGANISER – No report.

s) FIELD ORGANISER No report.

t) FLIGHT ORGANISER - N/a.

u) TEAM MANAGER – Match v Kent 7th August, senior recurve won by 97 points, senior compound lost by 239 points, Longbow lost by 71 points, junior recurve lost by 77 points, junior compound put in a very good score but Kent did not field a team. SCAS Intercounty 21st August, Essex won recurve and compound. Michael Markham won trophy for highest boy score. For the Kent match 11 senior and 4 juniors refused. For the Intercounties 4 refused. For the forthcoming match on 11th September, Senior SCAS Team Champs, 8 refused. Therefore, it is very important that archers put in their scores for team selection.

w) EQUIPMENT OFFICER – Nothing to report.

(x) COMPOUND LEAGUE SECRETARY – Nothing to report.

y) BRAY 1 LEAGUE – Entry closed with 22 clubs.

z) MEMBERS' REPRESENTATIVE – Several archers have expressed their disappointment in the cancellation of the FITA Champs. It has been suggested that the lack of entries might be due to (a) July being a busy month for tournaments and holidays and (b) not running a Short Metric alongside for newer and older archers also Longbow. Panther Bowhunter club hosted the recent SCAS Field Champs. This was a very friendly weekend of shooting in which Essex archers did us proud with several County and National records being broken. A warning to all clubs to be very careful with cash at tournaments. At a recent shoot, men made themselves known to the organisers and archers by showing an interest in the sport. They returned later in the day to run away with the Raffle money.

95/05 2006 Calendar – Oakfield Shoots to be Saturday 24th June and 2nd September. Clacton Open 9th July. Amendments for 2005, West Essex Indoor 27th November and Racketts Indoor 11th December.

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96/05 Any Other Business – (a) SCAS ask if Essex will host the Indoor in February. This agreed in principle and Executive will discuss. (b) Last meeting of SCAS, which should have nominated Officers, was cancelled. Next meeting scheduled for 22nd October is very near the November meeting. (c) Letter received from Secretary of SCAS referring to suggestion that Suffolk form their own Association. After long discussion in which it was mentioned that this is a Constitutional matter, it was agreed to reply with our comments, await the outcome and leave for the Executive to make the final decision. (d) Owners of Oakfield ground have put in for Planning Permissions to erect enlarged Indoor facilities. (e) GNAS have presented Essex with four new Champion's medals. These will replace the recurve Gent York, Recurve Lady Hereford, Recurve Gent and Lady FITA medals. Executive will decide to whom the medals used at present will be presented.

Being no other business, the Meeting closed at 10.05pm with thanks to all for attendance and wishes for a safe journey. Next meeting will be Tuesday, 1st November 2005.

CHAIRMAN *S. C. New*
060905/mh

ESSEX COUNTY ARCHERY ASSOCIATION

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| 99/2005 | Minutes of meeting 06.09.05 (circulated) | |
| 100/2005 | Matters arising | |
| 101/2005 | Correspondence | |
| 102/2005 | Chairman's Remarks | |
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| 103/2005 | Report of SCAS Meeting 22nd October 2005 | |
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| 104/2005 | 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 |
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| | | z) Members Representative |
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| 105/2005 | Calendar 2006 | |
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| 106/2005 | Any matters for the Annual General Meeting | |
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| 107/2005 | Any other business | |

G.J.Sibley

Hon Secretary 300905

**MINUTES OF ECAA COUNCIL MEETING HELD AT
COURAGE HALL, BRENTWOOD, ON TUESDAY 1st November 2005**

Present: Mrs.I.Major (President), J.Neal (Vice Chairman), G.Sibley (Secretary and Life Vice President), C.Wooff (Life Vice President), Mrs.M.Hutchins (Vice President and Minutes Secretary), T.Major (Vice President), M.Skinner (Treasurer), Mrs.A.Stevens (General Member) and representatives from Ardleigh, Noak Hill, Oakfield, Black Stag, Abbey, Pilgrim, SEAC, Mayflower, Grays, HNA, Priory, Rayleigh, Individual. Total attending = 29.

Meeting taken by Vice Chairman in the absence of Chairman.

97/05 Apologies for Absence – R.Frost (Chairman), C.Bushell (Malgrave).

98/05 Matters for Any Other Business – Items with the Chairman.

99/05 Minutes of last Meeting having been circulated were taken as read, agreed by the Meeting and signed by the Chairman.

100/05 Matters arising – 96/05c Very little response from letter sent to Suffolk, those who did do not mind either way. 96/05e Distribution of new GNAS medals will be decided by Executive.

01/05 Correspondence – (a) Newsletter circulated by Secretary in absence of EB. (b) Change of Secretaries: Gipping Valley – B.Norman, 69 Edinburgh Gardens, Claydon, Ipswich IP6 0DT. 01473 830063. Racketts – Mrs.G.Adams, 27 Denver Drive, Burnt Mills, Basildon, Essex SS13 1TF. 01268 724118. (c) Albemarle Bring and Buy, 19th November 2-4. (d) Clacton Indoor 8th January 2pm.

102/05 Chairman's Remarks – No specific remarks. As this is the last meeting before end of year, wish everyone merry Christmas, good autumn shooting and not too much frostbite.

103/05 Report of SCAS Meeting 22nd October 2005 – Membership 1645 as at 30th September. A new Treasurer so difficult to produce information, however, he is happy with the accounts. Field Officer outlined tournaments during the year. Mentioned S.Gooden 12th in World Champs, five points behind the champion. The positions of others in British Champs were listed. Junior tournament at Rayleigh and a number of youngsters from the County did well. Essex won County team. Intercounties - senior tournament, Essex came 4th, junior tournament Essex 1st Recurve, 1st compound, highest Recurve (Michael Markham). Administration problems with English Archery Federation still ongoing. New draft Constitution in the offing.

104/05 Reports from:

a) **TREASURER** – Apart for a few exceptions, affiliation fees are in, three clubs have not rejoined. Field accounts show a small profit.

b) **LEAGUE SECRETARY** – Reiterate that there is no reason to convene a league meeting this year. Entry form for 2006 with Minutes. First Andy Harris League results out soon. To commemorate 50-years of the Summer League, certificates were given to each club who entered in 2005. The Andy Harris League entrants will have a certificate at the end of the season to commemorate 40-years.

c) **COACHING GROUP SECRETARY** – Level 1 being submitted to GNAS, Level 2 ends in December. County Coach assessment in February. JEDI begins this weekend with a number of archers wishing to participate. Speakers for next year agreed and will be stated at AGM 1st December.

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

Longbow Jnr Boy U18	16.07.05	O.Humphreys	Mayflower Jnr	Sh.National	257	Club
	20.07.05	O.Humphreys	Mayflower Jnr	Sh.Warwick	209	Club
Longbow Jnr Boy U16	30.07.05	J.Vidgeon-Hart	Mayflower Jnr	Jnr.National	341	Club
	07.08.05	J.Vidgeon-Hart	Mayflower Jnr	Sh.Windsor	362	West Essex
Longbow Ladies	29.08.05	H.Waterhouse	Black Stag	American	527	Holdens
	29.08.05	H.Waterhouse	Black Stag	Dble.American	969	Holdens
	04.09.05	H.Waterhouse	Black Stag	Western	484	Southend
Recurve Ladies	04.09.05	M.Lang	Black Stag	FITA 70m	593	Meriden

Seconded Mrs.E.Line (Abbey) and accepted by the Meeting. SRO request that clubs send in scores.

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

Recurve U14 Boy	10.08.05	M.Markham	Mayflower	FITA 720	555	Club
	18.08.05	M.Markham	Mayflower	National	604	Club
	20.08.05	M.Markham	Mayflower	Metric 1	1173	Kirby Muxloe
	20.08.05	M.Markham	Mayflower	70m on 122 face	287	Kirby Muxloe
	23.08.05	M.Markham	Mayflower	Jnr.Warwick	422	Club
	27/28.08.05	M.Markham	Mayflower	DbleMetric I	2202	Norfolk
	30.08.05	M.Markham	Mayflower	Sh.National	612	Club
	31.08.05	M.Markham	Mayflower	St.Nicholas	740	Club
	01.09.05	M.Markham	Mayflower	Long National	524	Club
	02.09.05	M.Markham	Mayflower	Bristol 3	1230	SCAS
	04.09.05	M.Markham	Mayflower	Bristol 2	1144	Club

Seconded T.Ikel (Oakfield) and accepted by the Meeting. JRO request that Clubs send in scores.

Top Ten: 1.Michael Markham (Mayflower), 2.Michael Judd (Mayflower), 3.Aaron Mocket (Oakfield), 4.Steve Home (Mayflower), 5.Myfanwy Reynolds (Ascham), 6.Max Bainbridge (Ascham) 7.Andrew Devlin (Oakfield), 8.Nathan Milcalef (Black Stag), 9.Harry Elmes (Ascham), 10.Corrin Jeffcock (Colchester).

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

Gents Recurve	09.10.05	R.Frost	Individual	FITA 3D Forester Mkd	342	Bucks County
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Seconded M.Skinner (Ch.Tudor Rose) and accepted by the Meeting.

) COMPOUND RECORDS OFFICER – Offered the following for ratification.

Boy U16	20.08.05	J.Curtis	Mayflower	Jnr Warwick	410	Club
Boy U12	20.08.05	A.Curtis	Mayflower	Sh.Jnr.Warwick	166	Club
Girl U13	16.07.05	L.Gibley	Mayflower	Sh.Jnr.National	586	Club
	20.08.05	E.Vidgeon-Hart	Mayflower	Sh.Jnr.Warwick	347	Club

Seconded T.Ikel (Oakfield) and accepted by the Meeting. Agreed on a show of hands with 2 against and 1 abstention that scores for archers shooting 'down' cannot be accepted for record purposes. Top Ten: Gents -1.A.Toy (Albemarle), 2.G.Summers (Grampion), 3.H.Grove (Albemarle), 4.M.Vaughan (Mayflower), 5.J.Neal (Black Stag), 6.S.Hart (Colchester) Ladies – 1.L.Hastings (Grampion), 2.J.Ikel (Oakfield), 3.M.Cornish (Grampion), 4.C.Hart (Colchester). Boys – 1.P.Glover (Mayflower), 2.T.Pow (Mayflower), 3.G.Fenton (Mayflower), 4.A.Vaughan (Mayflower), 5.C.Abbott (Mayflower), 6.J.Forrester (Albemarle), 7.L.Jarrold (Mayflower), 8.J.Phillips (Rayleigh), 9.H.Abbott (Mayflower). Girls – 1.C.Pudney (Mayflower), 2.E.Vidgeon-Hart (Mayflower).

h) FLIGHT/CLOUT RECORDS OFFICER – Gents trophy refurbishment will be dealt with by Executive.

k) INDOOR ORGANISER – Entry forms with Minutes of meeting.

p) TARGET ORGANISER – Nothing to report.

q) FITA ORGANISER – No report.

r) CLOUT ORGANISER – No report.

s) FIELD ORGANISER – This year's shoot took place on 2nd October at Galleywood as in previous years. Round was 28 Target marked FITA although, sadly as a result of an administrative oversight we didn't have Record Status or Arrowhead Status. The weather on the day was good with some sunshine for the most part although a little overcast later. There were 51 entrants with only four no-shows on the day. Tom Major graced the proceedings as Lord Patron. The shoot got off to quite a good start and finished quite early. We did all get a little worried when one group had not returned some 45-minutes after everyone else but, when they finally arrived, they couldn't work out what all the fuss was about! This is the first year I can recall where the number of archers shooting without sights outnumbered those with sights; quite a refreshing change. Certainly everyone I spoke to seemed to enjoy the shoot. We would like to thank all that helped put this shoot together including Tom Major and Martin Skinner for helping lay out the course the day before, Steve and Sue for looking after the catering, Tony and Hannah our Judges for the day, Claire keeping us organised around the trophies (including chasing up those which didn't arrive on the day). Gail for helping with admin and, as mentioned, Tom for acting as Lord Patron.

t) FLIGHT ORGANISER - N/a.

u) TEAM MANAGER – At the SCAS Intercounties Team Championships in September, we did not win any medals but our Recurve team missed bronze by just nine points. Compound team was last. Recurve team – D.Lawless 1028, K.Goodsall 1018, M.Skinner 1012, Mrs.E.Line 1005, Res: A.Reeves 938. Compound team – J.Neal 1158, P.Glover 1124, G.Summers 1122, Mrs.J.Ikel 1087, Res: H.Grove 1072, A.Toy 1055. Thank you all for shooting on what must have been the coldest day of the summer. It was good to see all the members of the team supporting one another and I would like to thank Roger Glover for taking over some of my Team Manager duties whilst I was shooting. We were due to have an indoor junior Intercounties match this month which London hosted in 2004 and we did in 2003. When I phoned the other Managers, the new Kent man did not know anything about it. I left messages with Middlesex but no replies, London did not wish to host it again so soon. After consultation with Graham Sibley I agreed with London that it should be cancelled this year. Thanks offered to Joan for an excellent job during the summer. Question asked if Junior Longbow archers could shoot but it was felt that would make too many disciplines.

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- (w) EQUIPMENT OFFICER – Nothing to report.
- (x) COMPOUND LEAGUE SECRETARY – Nothing to report.
- y) BRAY 1 LEAGUE – Waiting for scores to come in.
- z) MEMBERS' REPRESENTATIVE – Disappointed how few clubs are submitting scores.

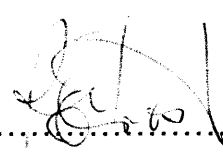
105/05 2006 Calendar – Addition of HNA shoots. Calendar will be amended.

106/05 Any Matters for the AGM - (a) Proposal put forward that "Life Membership for archers who have been in the Association for x years at a cost of five times the Individual Membership (currently £5)". Meeting felt that this needed further explanation and will be looked into. (b) Proposal put forward that "The Association further reviews the awarding of Junior Colours and recommends they be awarded for representing the County at least 4 times in two years". Amendment put forward that the final three words, "in two years" be struck out. This agreed. Voting for proposal minus last three words, 12 in favour, 9 against, 2 abstentions.

107/05 Any Other Business – (a) Bray League Secretary asked if a junior shoots in the senior team, can he/she shoot for the junior team in a different fixture. Meeting felt this was permissible. (b) SCAS Indoor being organised by Graham Potts. (c) HNA website is Havering Nalgo Archers.co.uk

Being no other business, the Meeting closed at 10pm with thanks to all for attendance.

Next meeting will be Tuesday, 10th January 2006.

CHAIRMAN 

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