

Arizona JOAD Leadership Summit

July 26, 2009

The first meeting of the Arizona JOAD Leadership took place on Sunday, July 26, 2009 at Corner Archery...thank you Rhonda for hosting this event.

- ASAA President Mike Cullumber defined the purpose of this first meeting and outlined the goals for this group.
 - JOAD Leadership meets a couple of times each year as a starting point.
 - Expanding to a once-a-year conference to include JOADs, JOAD parents, JOAD leaders and coaches and other interested archery parties.
 - The clubs represented at this meeting are all different. But each is generally a combination of recreational archers and competitive archers.
- Bob Pian, National JOAD committee member, and Lynn Clinton Van Patter, ASAA JOAD Coordinator were introduced.
- AZ JOAD Coordinator will serve to help facilitate discussions with and among the JOAD clubs in the state and between the national organizations.
- Roundtable introductions took place:
 - Rhonda Crabtree, Corner Archery
 - Rhonda serves as the JOAD Coordinator and lead instructor for the Corner Kidz JOAD Club. Corner Kidz currently serves approximately 80 youth each Saturday morning through four different level courses.
 - Corner Kidz charges \$8/per session and offers discounts for multiple family members. There is no minimum age limit.
 - Mickey Richard, Mesa Targeteers (Independent)
 - Mickey serves as an Independent instructor providing instruction at Archery Headquarters on Saturday mornings serving approximately 60 youth through three levels of instruction...Beginner, Intermediate and Advanced (requires NAA membership and tournament participation) A fourth level of instruction is offered through a Chandler Parks and Recreation program.
 - Mesa Targeteers charges \$10/per session and offers discounts of \$8 for multiple family members.
 - A beginner course at Bear Mountain Archery is offered on Tuesday evenings serving a maximum of eight participants.
 - Mickey was accompanied by Paula Simpson, herself a Level II instructor.
 - Ted Harden, Archery Headquarters
 - Ted serves as lead instructor for Team Archery Headquarters for approximately 30 participants.
 - Offers two Friday night Basic Beginner courses for youth and adults.
 - An advanced course for individuals with own equipment is held at 7:30 p.m. on Friday nights.
 - Classes can hold a maximum of 12 shooters per class with optimal size at eight.
 - Team Archery Headquarters charges \$10/per session.
 - Shooters participating in the courses at Archery Headquarters can take part in the monthly tournaments.
 - Ed Votruba, Papago Fita Archers/Archery Headquarters
 - Head Coach for the Papago JOAD Sidewinders.
 - JOADs can attend one or both of the classes held on Thursday afternoon (during the academic year) and Saturday mornings. Family participation is encouraged and many parents also shoot.
 - Papago JOAD Sidewinders does not charge a fee.
 - Ed also offers a Sunday session at Archery Headquarters from 4:00 - 6:00 p.m. for JOAD and adult archers at \$15/session
 - Ed and Angi Lopez host the Big Dog tournament every Saturday morning at 9:30 a.m. A nominal fee is collected to participate in the tournament.

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- Kari Jill Granville, Sun Devil Archery
 - Head coach for the Sun Devil team
 - Currently a level III instructor working on Regional Certification.
 - Offers private lessons at \$50/session
- Gary Yamaguchi, Papago FITA Archers
 - Assistant coach for Papago JOAD Sidewinders
 - Transitioning to Paseo Vista
 - Currently a Level II instructor transitioning to Regional Coach
 - Certified Judge
- Angi Lopez, Papago FITA Archers
 - Basic Certification
 - Provides administrative support for the Papago JOAD Sidewinders and the Sunday afternoon course at Archery Headquarters.
- Glenn Liptack, Papago FITA Archers
 - Assistant instructor for Papago JOAD Sidewinders
 - JOAD parent and shooter
- Paula Simpson, Mesa Targeteers
 - Works with Mickey Richards supporting the same programs.
 - Offers instructions to youth in exchange for their services in support of programs. No youth is turned away for lack of ability to pay.
- Mike Cullumber, Papago FITA Archers/Paseo Vista/ASAA
 - Mike will head the new archery program at Paseo Vista Park when facility opens in October/November. This will be similar to the Papago FITA Archery program with participants paying \$30 for individual membership and \$65 for family membership.
 - Fee structure has not been set for weekly JOAD program as this will be done in consultation with the City of Chandler.
 - Range is a City of Chandler park and will be fiscally supported by the city.
- Lynn Clinton Van Patter, Papago FITA Archers/ASAA
 - JOAD parent and shooter
 - 2009 ASAA JOAD Coordinator and Membership Coordinator
 - Basic Level Instructor
 - Preparing for Intermediate Level Instructor in August
- Bob Pian, Arizona Jr. & Collegiate Archery (Club Leader)
 - Active in service to archery since 2002
 - Continental (Coparco) Judge
 - Tournament Director, planner and range designer
 - Former JOAD and World Team Archer parent
 - Community Archery Coach Certified
 - USAA National JOAD Committee Chair
 - NADA Member (Instructor/Coach Support Association)
 - ASAA/BASF Designated Contact
 - ASAA Vice President

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Discussions/Announcements:

- Ad Hoc Committee was formed to develop and prepare an Inter-club JOAD tournament schedule.
 - Committee members are Ted Hardin and Angi Lopez. Their responsibilities will include creating a schedule for tournaments in consultation with the tentative national and international schedule distributed by Mike Cullumber.
 - Ted and Angi will look at the later part of September to schedule an Inter-club JOAD tournament at Papago Park. The tournament will follow a skill-based format and will not qualify for USAA/ASAA recognized records, but will permit JOADs to qualify for the JOAD Star pin program if the tournament format allows.
 - The purpose of these tournaments is to encourage all youth archers, new and experienced, to participate in fun competitions while learning tournament rules, procedures and etiquette.
 - Tournament entry fee will \$10
 - Will be a Saturday afternoon event (3:00 p.m.)
 - First tournament scheduled will be scored as an Indoor 300 round. (18 meters)
 - Awards will be certificates/ribbons for placement and personal best scores.
- Easton Sports Development wants to give money to this sport. Go to www.ESDF.org for more information about grant funding from this organization.
- Diane Watson has been named the new national JOAD Coordinator for USAA.
- AZ Cup is to be held April 8 – 11, 2010 at Ben Avery. ASAA would like to ask each of the JOAD clubs in Arizona to support this event with volunteers for this tournament. ASAA would like to give revenues generated from this tournament back to the JOADs of Arizona.
- It was noted that Usery Mountain is looking to grow the archery program and would be interested in a JOAD program. Mickey will be contacting Jennifer Johnston at Usery for discussions on the matter.

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- Ben Avery Shooting Facility is in discussions with administration to use a portion of the air pistol range for an indoor archery range. BASF is anxious to see the re-introduction of the JOAD program there, and with the opportunity of an indoor range in conjunction with the outdoor facilities the possibilities could be the catalyst for this program to take off again. Bob has had extensive discussions with Mike Raum, AZGF and Lynn has had some limited discussions via email on this topic with Mike Raum.

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- Coaching clinics were discussed:
 - Intermediate Level course will take place August 15 & 16 at Precision High School
 - Two Transitional Regional Coaching Courses are being offered in Chula Vista, CA
 - October 3-9, 2009
 - November 5-12, 2009
 - For information go to <http://www.usarcher.org/contents/index/5061>

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