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Fall 3D Classic
State Champions**

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Flight Deadline

The deadline for the Winter issue of FLIGHT will be December 17, 2007. Please submit articles of interest to the editor prior to that date. Send us your letters, stories or photos. This is your newsletter and we encourage your contributions!

From the Publicity Director

Good Bye Summer and Hello Fall! Now that we have concluded our last two VBA tournaments for the year, we would like to thank everyone who participated at the 3-D Fall Classic hosted by Belvoir Bowhunters and the State Closed hosted by Two Rivers Archery club. If you missed these two tournaments, then you missed a lot in addition to the opportunity to put your archery skills to work on their range. The food was great and plentiful! Each of these clubs went to much work and expense, not to mention the hospitality which was outstanding! We thank each of you! Once again, Congratulations to all of you!

VBA News. We would like to welcome Singers Glen Bowbenders back to the VBA. Their range is located on Bowbender Lane in Singers Glen, VA.

The 'After the School Archery Program' (ASAP) has begun in the VBA. Jerry Wenzel, NFAA Master Coach, has accepted the responsibility as the ASAP Coordinator. This program will provide continued archery instruction to youths that have been introduced into archery by NASP, summer camps and other archery programs.

Archery education is very important in order to continue to interest youths and other organizations in archery. Another avenue is the IBEP classes that we conduct. For those that are current instructors or who have taught IBEP classes in the past, please let me know who you are so that we can bring our list of instructors up-to-date. These folks dedicate a large amount of volunteer time to teach these classes, and we thank you.

Some of our seniors participated in the 2007 Virginia Senior Games held in May at Virginia Beach. The Compound Finger winners were Jerry Wenzel and Betty & Dean Gordon. The Compound Release winners were Mary Wenzel, Ed Bickham and Stan Parmentier. Great shooting, folks!

We continue to participate and work with organizations such as the Trailblazer, NWTF, DGIF, NASP, Boy and Girl Scouts, Sportsmen Shows and exhibits and many other events that are held throughout the year, as they are a great asset to us and to let folks know what we do. At the January VBA meeting, we asked that you please bring your club brochures to be included in our hand-out packets. Please try to remember to do this.

DGIF News. There is a proposal to have the 2008-2009 Urban Bowhunting season begin on the 1st Saturday in September and continue until the last Saturday in March.

Frankenfish, commonly known as 'Snakeheads', have become a big issue with the DGIF. This is a native Asian fish that resembles a bowfin with a snakeskin pattern over its body and teeth like the northern pike. They can live in very poor water, live out of water for a prolonged time, wriggle short distances and breathe air like a turtle. They are abundant in Virginia tributaries of the tided Potomac.

Note in the Hunting & Trapping Regulation Book that VBA is one of the many organizations listed under 'Working Together For Our Wildlife'.

There is a possibility of a budget freeze on spending, promotions and

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From the Hunting Vice-President

This column is being written on Sept. 7th and a quick check of the Virginia Department of Game and Inland Fisheries (VDGIF) web site reveals very few public remarks regarding the proposed changes to state regulations used to govern wildlife, hunting, trapping, fishing and boating. Inputs on the various proposals range from 0 to 60. These are extremely small numbers given the amount of time the items have been posted but that may also reflect general concurrence with the proposals and a lack of controversy. By the time you get this, the public comment period will have expired and your last chance to have input will be in person at the VDGIF meeting at 9:00 AM on Oct. 16th at 4000 West Broad Street, Richmond VA. I plan to be there to represent the VBA and make our views, consolidated at the September VBA Quarterly Meeting, known.

Moving on to another topic, the International Bowhunter Education Program in Virginia needs help. If you enjoy hunting and believe that you would like to give something back to the sport that adds so much to your life, now is your chance. Specifically, the program needs instructors. Each year the demand for classes outstrips the capacity of the IBEP program to provide instructors, and that trend will soon get worse as instructors who are youth challenged (like me!) begin to retire from the scene. So, we need a push NOW to train instructors. The training takes a day, and when you teach, the classes last one day.

How do you become an instructor? Call me or send an e-mail and I'll take it from there. My contact data is in page 2 of the FLIGHT. I plan to gather names over the rest of this year and will work with others to schedule training sessions when the weather starts to break in the spring. This is important because it is about hunting, teaching others about the ethics of our sport, and meeting the needs of hunters who require IBEP certification to hunt at numerous places around the U.S. and the world. We can get you the training needed to pitch the classes – in other words, we can train the trainer.

Right now you are thinking about the IBEP and whether you want to get involved. Please act on your instincts NOW before you put this magazine away and you lose the thought. If you don't want to participate or can't, OK. But if you are intrigued and want to take the next step let me hear from you before involvement in other activities takes this topic off your mind. Make a spur- of-the-moment decision to call me or send an e-mail and I promise you won't regret it! Thanks in advance to those of you who will get involved.

My last topic centers on the use of various types of trail cameras and other devices to locate deer and other big game. I'm hearing from some folks that the use of such devices is OK but there is a limit. For some people, using multiple cameras to saturate an area exceeds their concept of ethical use of the cameras. Others have more tolerance, but reach their limit when hunters use signals via cell phones or other transmission devices connected to remote cameras to be alerted that game is in the area and then immediately move to that area in search of an animal. This, to them, is akin to searching for game from an airplane and then landing near an intended animal for a hunt.

What's an acceptable limit? Your thoughts would be appreciated since this topic is gaining momentum on the national stage and I'll be asked for the VBA opinion, which I can get from your reps at the quarterly VBA meeting – provided they go and provided you discuss this in your Clubs. So, let me hear from you directly or through your Club rep.

Finally, remember that a successful hunt can be defined as coming out of the woods safely and in good health. My best wishes to you this hunting season for lots of "successful" days afield combined with an occasional harvest.

Regards,

Dave Burpee, VBA Hunting Vice President

2007 FALL 3D CLASSIC



**2007
Fall 3D Classic
Overall Winners**

VBA 3D Fall Classic 2007 - Hosted by Belvoir Bowhunters

Rank	Name	Style	Day 1		Day 2		Total	
			Score	Xs	Score	Xs	Score	Xs
SC	Kay Core	AFBHFS/R	250	7	243	5	493	12
SC	Kimberly Dobbins	AFFS/R	188	2	185	1	373	3
SC	Robin Vogel	AFTRAD	212	4	205	1	417	5
2nd	Cay McManus	AFTRAD	152	0	182	3	334	3
SC	Alton Smith	AMBB	201	3	203	0	404	3
SC	David Dobbins	AMBHFS/F	155	0	180	2	335	2
	Gregory Pritchett	AMBHFS/F	207	1	0	0	207	1
SC	Joey Truslow	AMBHFS/R	229	3	233	5	462	8
2nd	Darren Davis	AMBHFS/R	234	6	226	2	460	8
3rd	Joe Cleboski	AMBHFS/R	220	5	219	6	439	11
	Stan Parmentier	AMBHFS/R	206	3	223	2	429	5
	Steve Richards	AMBHFS/R	212	3	198	1	410	4
	David White	AMBHFS/R	211	5	198	2	409	7
	Hon Kwan	AMBHFS/R	225	5	181	1	406	6
	Kevin Brown	AMBHFS/R	202	1	198	1	400	2
	Pat Perkins	AMBHFS/R	190	3	196	1	386	4
	Mark Turney	AMBHFS/R	190	2	181	0	371	2
	Richard Atchison	AMBHFS/R	168	2	196	1	364	3
	Bob Foster	AMBHFS/R	206	0	0	0	206	0
	Tim O'Sullivan	AMBHFS/R	182	3	0	0	182	3
	Jason Johnson	AMBHFS/R	173	1	0	0	173	1
SC	Jarrett Frame	AMFS/F	214	2	239	5	453	7
SC	James Wilbanks	AMFS/R	263	11	256	8	519	19
	Bob McGovern	AMFS/R	226	3	0	0	226	3
	Ron West	AMFS/R	222	4	0	0	222	4
SC	Paul Vogel	AMTRAD	237	3	248	7	485	10
2nd	Hank Megee	AMTRAD	169	1	184	1	353	2
3rd	Joe McManus	AMTRAD	183	2	159	1	342	3
	Dan VanGundy	AMTRAD	166	1	167	2	333	3
	John Peeler	AMTRAD	136	0	158	1	294	1
	Sean Walker	AMTRAD	134	0	134	0	268	0
	Robert Seltzer	AMTRAD	166	1	0	0	166	1
SC	Hunter Davis	CMBHFS/F	260	10	224	5	484	15
SC	Matthew Turney	CMBHFS/R	202	5	205	0	407	5
SC	Matthew Dobbins	YAMBHFS/F	171	2	171	2	342	4

VBA State Indoor Sectional Championship Hosted by The Belvoir Bowhunters



DIRECTIONS: Exit U.S. Route 1 (Richmond Highway) at traffic signal at Pohick Road. This intersection is the entrance to Fort Belvoir at Tulley Gate. Drive to the security control point and visitor center. Obtain a temporary vehicle pass at the visitor center adjacent to the control point by presenting driver's license and vehicle registration. Proceed south on Pohick Road to the first traffic light at Theote Road and turn right. Proceed approximately one-half mile to a stop sign at Warren Road and turn right. Proceed to Tompkins Basin, turning right at the intersection at the bottom of the hill. The new Indoor Range is the long white building (Bldg 778) on the right and set back from the road at the base of the hill. The new Fort Belvoir Archery Center is located in the same building.

Detailed map at: <http://belvoirmwr.com/hunting-odr/index.html> or at <http://www.geocities.com/bbhunters/>

Registration:

By Mail: Must be received by Feb. 22, 2008

Friday: 7 pm – 9 pm

Saturday 7 am – 8 am

Send Pre-Registration form(s) to:

Robin Vogel

7110 Wilburdale Drive

Annandale, VA 22003

rvogel7@verizon.net

Make Check Payable to Belvoir Bowhunters

at the

***Fort Belvoir Archery Center
Tompkins Basin Indoor Range***

Ft Belvoir, VA

February 23 & 24, 2008

The Belvoir Bowhunters welcome you Friday evening (February 24) for Registration and Refreshments from 7 to 9 p.m.

Lodging

Best Western, Mount Vernon 703-360-1300

Econo-Lodge 703-780-0300

Hunter Motel 703-339-5400

Rounds

	Saturday	Sunday
1st	9 a.m. - 12 noon	8 a.m. - 11 a.m.
2nd	12 noon - 3 p.m.	11 a.m. - 2 p.m.
3rd	3 p.m. - 6 p.m.	2 p.m. - 5 p.m.

VBA Membership required to receive awards. Must shoot both days.

Fees: \$20 per person \$40 max per family

Fill out this form completely. Please print clearly and only one person per form.

State Indoor Sectional Championship Registration

Name: _____ **Phone:** _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

VBA #: _____ **Home Club:** _____

Circle those that apply:

Division: Cub Youth Young Adult Adult Senior **Guests** **Gender:** M F

Style: FS FS/F BHFS BHFS/F BH BB TRAD

Class: Archers will be classed after the first days score.

Round Preference: **Sat:** 1st 2nd 3rd **Sun:** will be determined after Sat's round.

2008 VBA SECTIONAL INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIP

Hosted by

Sherwood Archers

February 23th and 24th



Registration Time	Sat. Rounds	Sun. Rounds
Friday: 6:00 – 8:00pm	1 st 9:00 am – 12:00	8:00 – 11:00 am
Saturday: 7:00 – 8:00 am	2 nd 12:00 – 3:00	11:00 – 2:00
'til noon for 3 rd round	3 rd 3:00 – 6:00	2:00 – 5:00 pm

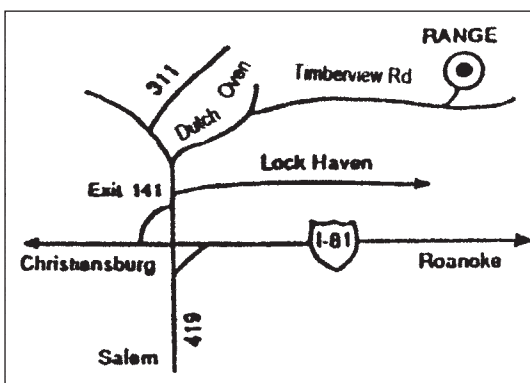
Pre-registration is recommended

Fees: \$20 per archer \$40 max per family

VBA membership is required to receive awards. Must shoot both days.

PLACES TO STAY

- Baymount Inn (3 miles) 540-562-2717
- Quality Inn (3 miles) 1-800-458-4949
- Holiday Inn Exp (5 miles) 1-800-holiday
- Primitive Camping at Sherwood (restrooms & showers)
- Call if you need more information



Make checks payable to Sherwood Archers.

Mail to: James Clippard
5116 Buckskin Lane
Salem, VA 24153

Phone: 540-520-6988
Club: 540-366-3701

Fill out this form completely. Please print clearly and only one person per form.

VBA Indoor Sectional Championship Registration

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

VBA #: _____ Home Club: _____

Circle those that apply:

Division: Cub Youth Young Adult Adult Senior **Guests** **Gender:** M F

Style: FS FS/F BHFS BHFS/F BH BB TRAD

Class: Archers will be classed after the first days score.

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VBA State Closed 2007



2007 VBA Closed.Overall Winners



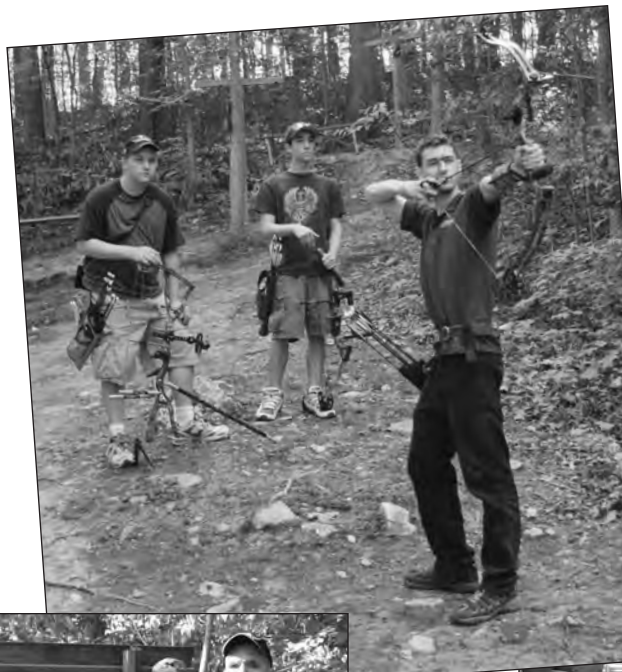
VBA State Closed 2007 - Hosted by Two Rivers Archery

Rank	Name	Style	Class	Field Round		Animal/Hunter Round		Totals	
				Score	Xs	Score	Xs	Score	Xs
SC	Cay McManus	AFBB	AA	482	14	517	13	999	27
SC	Bertha Brugh	AFFS	A	476	17	517	10	993	27
2nd	Auvray Shumate	AFFS	A	477	16	485	5	962	21
SC	Rick Stark	AMBB	AA	495	27	542	15	1037	42
SC	Howard Faris	AMBH	AA	462	0	511	0	973	0
2nd	John Boyd	AMBH	AA	398	0	479	0	877	0
3rd	Joe McManus	AMBH	AA	409	0	465	0	874	0
	Robert Baublitz	AMBH	AA	412	0	462	0	874	0
SC	Tim Ewers	AMBHFS/R	AA	541	52	554	24	1095	76
2nd	Mitch Stonesifer	AMBHFS/R	AA	532	40	559	33	1091	73
3rd	Greg Petefish	AMBHFS/R	AA	535	45	550	22	1085	67
	Arthur Sommers	AMBHFS/R	AA	526	46	558	21	1084	67
	Leo Weigand	AMBHFS/R	AA	538	53	543	21	1081	74
	Vance Cave	AMBHFS/R	AA	525	36	546	22	1071	58
	Bryan Inglish	AMBHFS/R	AA	517	36	541	15	1058	51
	Brian Benson	AMBHFS/R	AA	507	25	529	16	1036	41
	Daniel Bednarski	AMBHFS/R	AA	487	23	502	8	989	31
	Tony Reese	AMBHFS/R	AA	521	35	0	0	521	35
	Ronnie Benson	AMBHFS/R	AA	496	19	0	0	496	19
1st	Larry Kirby	AMBHFS/R	A	517	26	530	8	1047	34
2nd	Darrell Brooks	AMBHFS/R	A	467	23	0	0	467	23
1st	Mark Turney	AMBHFS/R	B	492	14	499	10	991	24
2nd	Justice Percell	AMBHFS/R	B	453	10	516	7	969	17
3rd	Victor Kernus	AMBHFS/R	B	443	14	505	6	948	20
	Gary Sehen	AMBHFS/R	B	432	9	497	5	929	14
	Craig Torres	AMBHFS/R	B	393	11	457	7	850	18
SC	Brad Baker	AMFS/R	AA	549	61	564	31	1113	92
2nd	Robert Kenley	AMFS/R	AA	538	49	560	30	1098	79
3rd	Bill Hamlin	AMFS/R	AA	535	50	558	26	1093	76
	Tim Branham	AMFS/R	AA	541	49	551	18	1092	67
	Conrad Tyree III	AMFS/R	AA	535	39	555	26	1090	65
	James Wilbanks	AMFS/R	AA	530	38	553	29	1083	67
	Matthew Faulkner	AMFS/R	AA	524	35	544	25	1068	60
	Alan Chadd	AMFS/R	AA	512	44	553	23	1065	67
	Victor Riggelman	AMFS/R	AA	521	40	536	18	1057	58
1st	Doug Bradford	AMFS/R	A	520	40	548	23	1068	63
1st	John Bryan	AMFS/R	B	491	22	514	7	1005	29
2nd	Tom Colbert	AMFS/R	B	446	9	510	14	956	23
1st	Craig Ernst	AMTRAD	AA	282	3	306	3	588	6
SC	Uncle Buck Coghill	AMTRAD	B	309	3	369	1	678	4

Rank	Name	Style	Class	Field Round		Animal/Hunter Round		Totals	
				Score	Xs	Score	Xs	Score	Xs
SC	Dewey Cash	CMBB	C	185	0	372	1	557	1
SC	Matthew Turney	CMBHFS	A	475	6	503	6	978	12
2nd	Dakoda Cash	CMBHFS	A	325	1	430	0	755	1
SC	Lucas Kenley	CMFS	AA	524	44	548	20	1072	64
SC	Nicolas Torres	CMFS/F	AA	179	0	352	0	532	0
SC	Sebastain Torres	CMTRAD	AA	147	0	212	1	359	1
2nd	Benjamin Torres	CMTRAD	AA	126	0	116	0	242	0
	Gregory Pritchett	GMBHFS/L		435	7	269	0	704	7
	Walton Wong	GMFS/F		507	26	0	0	507	26
	Ron West	GMFS/R		534	57	561	32	1095	89
	Steve Lester	GMFS/R		518	37	0	0	518	37
	Steve More	GMFS/R		512	10	0	0	512	10
SC	Bill Keen	SMBB	AA	454	17	503	9	957	26
2nd	James Sorrell	SMBB	AA	449	9	488	5	937	14
3rd	Alton Smith	SMBB	AA	395	8	443	2	838	10
SC	David Dobbins	SMBHFS/F	AA	454	8	507	6	961	14
SC	Webb Babcock Jr	SMBHFS/R	AA	516	41	543	26	1059	67
2nd	Gene Kibler	SMBHFS/R	AA	501	24	525	13	1026	37
3rd	Stan Parmentier	SMBHFS/R	AA	480	31	533	18	1013	49
	Don Armstrong	SMBHFS/R	AA	468	21	513	8	981	29
SC	Jerry Wenzel	SMFS/F	AA	465	17	504	8	969	25
SC	Ronnie Lewis	SMFS/R	AA	536	52	554	28	1090	80
2nd	Jim French	SMFS/R	AA	521	36	544	20	1065	56
3rd	James Brugh	SMFS/R	AA	484	18	530	14	1014	32
	Bill Shumate	SMFS/R	AA	478	15	521	9	999	24
	Robert Lyons	SMFS/R	AA	448	11	509	5	957	16
	Don Corner	SMFS/R	AA	513	32	0	0	513	32
	Douglas McFarlan	SMFS/R	AA	495	26	0	0	495	26
SC	John Czekala	SMTRAD	AA	277	0	343	0	620	0
SC	Matthew Dobbins	YAMBHFS/F	AA	357	3	430	1	787	4
SC	Ray Kimble	YAMBHFS/R	AA	408	8	444	3	852	11
2nd	Casey Barbee	YAMBHFS/R	AA	317	3	394	2	711	5
SC	Brandon Armstrong	YAMFS/R	AA	533	39	559	23	1092	62
2nd	Colton Bednarski	YAMFS/R	AA	478	15	518	8	996	23
1st	Kevin Bradford	YAMFS/R	B	480	20	529	9	1009	29



Shooters takin' their best shot at the 80 yd. stick shoot



Bertha Brugh just kickin' back after a hard day on the range



Matt Garst
(Colorado Elk)

THE VBA TROPHY ROOM



Peter Acker (left)
(Colorado Elk)

hiring within the Department. With a ceiling of 190 Conservation Police Officers, they currently have some 160 personnel on board to maintain and support their Hunting, Fishing and Conservation programs.

Susan Alger, Program Coordinator (formerly the Game Warden for 27 yrs. in Fairfax county), has established a new volunteer program entitled 'Complementary Work Force Program.' As a team volunteer, you can assist and support the efforts of the DGIF mission by helping with projects such as permit inspections & issuance, trout stocking, wildlife damage inspections, exhibits, waterway marker inspections, equipment repair & maintenance, research assistance and more. This program is currently in Regions 1 & 5 which covers Dixie, Kingsboro, Belvoir Bowhunters, Cub Run, Manahoac, NORVA and Pr. William clubs. To become a volunteer (as I have), sign up on-line to help our Conservation Police Officers.

For more information regarding the DGIF, and to submit your views and recommendations, go to the DGIF website at www.dgif.virginia.gov. Also, don't forget to sign-up to receive your free "Outdoor Report."

To all our bowhunters who have scouted and taken to the woods, Good luck. Hopefully you have fine tuned your bow, broad heads and have checked all your equipment. Be Safe and have fun!

Best of Luck to All
and Happy Holidays!
Irene Stocksdales



A New Program to Promote Youth Archery

ASAP – After School Archery Program, that is – is now in Virginia. ASAP is a program to provide follow-on archery instruction to youth introduced to the sport in summer camps, NASP or other beginning archery programs. The program was started by NFAA to be presented in community environments such as schools, Recreation Councils, park programs or clubs; and to take beginning archers to a level that will enable them to fully participate in the sport by competing at local shoots and joining archery clubs. It was also intended to enable archery instructors to receive some income for their efforts. ASAP is also supported by USA Archery, the Archery Shooters Association (ASA), the Archery Trade Association (ATA) and the Easton Sports Development Foundation. The latter has made funds available for grants of equipment for use in the program.

VBA has received one of those grants of equipment, including bows, arrows, targets and accessories for use by ASAP participants. We now have a case with 12 bows, sights, six dozen arrows, 12 quivers, accessories for 12 participants and 4 large targets. Jerry Wenzel, a NFAA Master Coach, has accepted the responsibility as ASAP Coordinator within VBA and the VBA ASAP equipment. The equipment is available to any instructor who wishes to present an ASAP session and will take responsibility for the equipment. The program may be presented by any instructor certified by USA Archery, NFAA or NASP, and is particularly suited for Intermediate Level and higher level instructors.

There will be a cost to the participants to cover the expenses such as:

- The cost of registering as an ASAP club and providing ASAP achievement awards.
- The cost of equipment maintenance and transportation.
- The cost of venue use if required.
- Income for instructors and/or clubs running the program.

A sample financial template was presented at the September VBA meeting and is available to interested instructors and clubs. The cost of Individual ASAP programs will vary depending on venue costs and the financial requirements of partner organizations such as club, Recreation Councils or schools.

Any club or instructor interested in ASAP, please contact Jerry at (540) 854-0245.



APPLICATION FOR VBA GAME AWARDS

VIRGINIA BOWHUNTERS ASSOCIATION, INC.

Date: _____

I, _____,
 (Print name as it appears on VBA card) (VBA Number) (Street Address)
 _____,
 (City and State) (Zip Code) hereby certify that I harvested a

_____, (Buck) (Doe) (Bear) (Turkey) this year and that I am a member of the Virginia Bowhunters Association, Inc., and in good standing at that time. I hereby submit an application for one or more of the following VBA awards:

- ☐ Bill Bennett Award (bear, deer, turkey from any state) If first B.B.Award, check here ☐
- ☐ Largest VA Buck by Dressed Weight
- ☐ Largest VA Doe by Dressed Weight
- ☐ Best Rack Score (in the VA System)
- ☐ Largest VA Bear by Dressed Weight
- ☐ Largest VA Turkey by Live Weight
- ☐ Double Grand Slam for: VA. Bear, Deer, Turkey (circle 2) From Spring Turkey Season
- ☐ Triple Grand Slam for VA. Bear, Deer, and Turkey through Deer season, same year.

Pertinent information is provided below:

Signed: _____

VBA Club Affiliation: _____ State Game taken in _____

Date of Bow Harvest: _____ Big Game Tag Number: _____

Weight of Buck/Doe: _____ Weight of Bear/Turkey: _____

(Note: Provide copy of Check Station Transport form or other weight information)

Time of Day: _____ (a.m./ p.m.) Distance of Shot: _____

Type of bow: Compound _____ Recurve _____ Longbow _____ Other _____

Hunting method: Tree Stand _____ Ground Blind _____ Stalking _____ Other _____

Rack Score Using the Virginia System: _____

Name of Official Scorer (print): _____

(Note: Signed score sheet must accompany this application)

(If possible, include a picture with description of game harvested for publication in FLIGHT.)

Print Name and Signature of Witness: _____
 (Person who saw game after it was harvested)

THIS APPLICATION MUST BE RETURNED WITHIN 90 DAYS OF HARVEST (BUT NOT LATER THAN MARCH 1ST AFTER THE SEASON) TO: VBA EXECUTIVE STATE SECRETARY, MARIE BELL, 1223 JEANETTE AVENUE, VINTON, VA 24179.

Note: If possible, please include a picture of yourself with the game giving the name and description of game on back for identification. First, second and third place awards are available for each size category. The first Bill Bennett award is a Plaque and following awards are cast arrows.

2008 VBA CALENDAR OF EVENTS

VBA Meetings

January 12-13
Meeting & Banquet - March 15-16
May 24
September 20-21

State Tournaments

State Indoor Sectional - February 23-24

Belvoir Bowhunters
Sherwood Archers

Spring 3-D Classic - April 19-20

Augusta Archers

State Open - May 24-25

Sherwood Archers

Fall 3-D Classic - August 16-17

Kingsboro Bowmen

State Closed - August 30-31

Two Rivers Archery



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MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

Help Feed Someone Who Is Hungry Today

Hunters for the Hungry is a 501(c)(3) nonprofit charity. Hunters donate deer at participating processing locations. Professional meat cutters skin, cut, wrap, label and freeze the meat. It is then distributed to the hungry through food banks, soup kitchens, church food pantries, the Salvation Army and other direct feeding programs. Since the program began in 1991, over 10.5 million four-ounce servings of venison have been provided to those in need.

All financial contributions are tax deductible to the full extent of the law. A financial statement is available from the Virginia Department of Consumer Affairs. Our tax I.D. number is 54-1650687.

Yes, I/we will help financially to offset the cost of processing and distributing venison to the hungry. Enclosed is my/our contribution.

- ☐ 100 servings - \$20 ☐ 200 servings - \$ 40
☐ 50 servings - \$10 ☐ 500 servings - \$100
☐ \$ _____ other

Please send me a listing of the locations where I can donate deer.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY:

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____

Complete and return to:

Hunters for the Hungry, PO Box 304, Big Island, VA 24526.

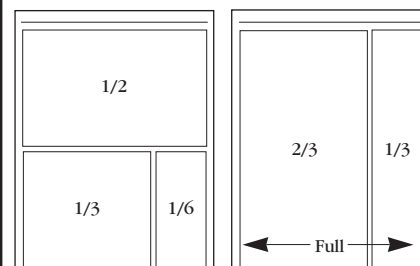
Hunters are also able to donate when purchasing their hunting license. Check the box marked Hunters for the Hungry, and you can make a \$2,00 gift to the program and provide 10 servings of venison for those in need.



Advertising Rates for *Flight*

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1/3 page • 5" x 5" • \$35
1/2 page • 7 1/2" x 5" • \$60
2/3 page • 5" x 10" • \$70
Full page • 7 1/2" x 10" • \$100

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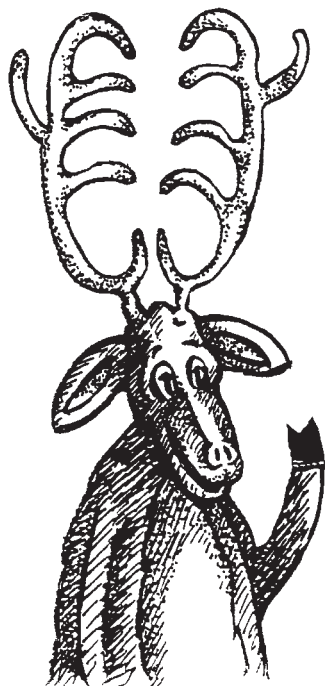
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Wally Whitetail:
"Pleaes hunt safely
and ethically, and
don't forget to send
those success photos
to the Flight editor!"***