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V.B.A. STATE CLOSED TOURNAMENT BUGGS ISLAND ARCHERS HOST - SEPT. 3 & 4

The Buggs Island Archers of Clarksville will host the 37th Annual VBA State Closed Tournament on Sept. 3 and 4 on their home range at the Buggs Island Fish and Wildlife Club in Clarksville.

The registration fee for the two day event will be \$10.00 per shooter with a maximum \$20.00 fee per family.

The Buggs Island Fish & Wildlife Club has something for everyone—Boating, Fishing, Swimming, Free Camping. Also there are several motels in the vicinity.

Clarksville, Virginia

The Lake Motel	(804) 374-8106
The Lighthouse Motel	(804) 374-2123
Slagle's Motor Court	(804) 374-8820
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South Boston, Virginia

Crestview Motel	(804) 572-3022
Von's Motel	(804) 572-4941
Hudson's Motel	(804) 572-2959

So bring the whole family for a fun filled week at the lake.

Schedule of Events:

Friday, September 2	6:00 p.m 9:00 p.m.	Registration
Saturday, September 3	7:00 a.m 10 a.m.	Registration
	10:30 a.m.	Opening Ceremony
	11:30 a.m.	Start Field Round
	7:00 p.m.	Free B-B-Q Chicken Supper
		for All Registered Archers
		\$3.00 - for Others
		\$1.50 - Children 6 & Under
Sunday, September 4	8:00 a.m.	Re-grouping
	9:00 a.m.	Start 14 Hunter/14 Animal
		Round

20-Pin Winners June - July 1983

FIELD

Michael O'Neal, Virginia Beach Anthony Willis, Coeburn Christopher Anthon, Warrenton William Mitchell, Ferrum Frank Herndon, Dryfolk John Lewis, Danville Luther Helbert, Coeburn Hank Megee, Springfield Ann Harper, Madison Heights Ellen Madison, Evington Kenneth Johnson, Norfolk John B. Pric, Jr., Evington Jannie Dillon, Rocky Mount

HUNTER

Johnny Cantor, Pennington Gap Jan Carter, Pennington Gap Luther Helbert, Coeburn William Mitchell, Ferrum Michael Bebber, Ft. Eustis Anthony Willis, Coeburn Donald Ferguson, Gloucester Wayne Conrad, Newport News James Little, Jr., Woodbridge

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Sunday, September 4

8:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m.

ASAP at conclusion of shoot

Registration

Registration Opening Ceremony Start of Tournament B-B-Q Chicken Supper Free to Registered Archers \$3.00 - Others

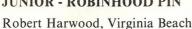
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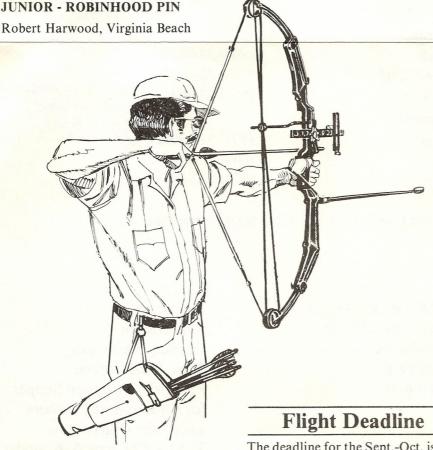
Re-grouping Start of Tournament Presentation of Awards

BUGGS ISLAND ARCHERS

Host Club

Tournament Chairman





The deadline for the Sept.-Oct. issue of FLIGHT will be Oct. 1, 1983. Submit your articles of interest to the editor prior to that date. I encourage readers to send in letters to the editor. Remember, this is your newsletter.

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1st (First) Annual Southwest Virginia Bowhunters Championship

Co-hosted by Caney Ridge Archery Club and Bearcreek Bowmen and sponsored by Mountain Ford Sales of Clintwood, Va.

Date — September 10 & 11 Location — Bearcreek Bowmen Archery range.

Shoot will consist of: one regulation animal round, one safari animal round, and one safari 3-D animal round.

All bowhunting classes will be recognized.



Club News

The Warwick Bowmen club made hosting a big tournament look easy when the 1983 NFAA Mid-Atlantic Sectional Championships were held at its ranges in Newport News, Virginia in June. A finely tuned organization headed by President John Street and led by tournament director Dorothy McGuire showed out-of-staters that Virginia is no stranger to championship competition.

A weekend of superb weather conditions and Warwick's near-perfect ranges provided east coast archers with an ideal scenario for giving their best performances. As professional Larry Wise predicted before the shoot, "With these conditions and Warwick's table-top ranges, some really good scores are going to be shot; to win here, the pros are going to have to shoot in the 550's." And, rising to his own prediction, the five-year Pennsylvania pro turned in scores of 550 and 552 for a 1102 total. But even that fine score was good enough for

only a second-place finish as fellow-Pennsylvanian Jack Cramer bested Wise with a 1107.

The VBA made a fine showing with many of its members placing high in the standings. Warwick Bowmen appearing in the winners circle included David Mullins, Richard "Doc" Metz, Steve McGuire, Joseph Carr, Wayne Conrad, Ron Estrada Sr., Ron Estrada Jr., and Travis Godfrey. Other winners from Virginia were Barry McCarty, Rick Harper, Earlene Reeves, Pat Harwood, Ronnie Lewis, Frank Emswiler, Paul Crowley, Charlie Davis, Eugene Locke, Steve Russel, William Cood, Frank Holmes, Augie Whetzel, Robert Bowe, Ann Harper, Joe McManus, Gary Foley, Cay McManus, Dennis Cline, Johnny Buck, Vicki Moore, Andre Hertzler, Tony Overfelt, Bobby Rogers, Michael Lewis, Robert Harwood and Andrew Caldwell. Among them are seven of twenty-one archers declared Mid-Atlantic Champions.

VBA HIGHLIGHTS

Scheduling sessions will be held at the September meeting.

Dates to remember:

VBA meeting in 1984

January 14-15 March 24-25 June 23-24 September 22-23

Shoots-

Indoor Christiansburg: March 10-11 Open Sherwood June 2-3 Closed Buggs Island Sept. 1-2 Bowhunter Jamboree Sept. 15-16 Mid-Alantic-Baltimore June 16-17

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