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Presidents Message

The First Annual Harvard 70m Indoor Shoot was a huge success and the BOD of SAAM would like to congratulate the Harvard Archery Club for putting on a very successful shoot. SAAM is looking forward to supporting this event in the coming years so if you missed it this year, be sure not to miss it next year. With all the outdoor events coming up I look forward to seeing everyone shooting outside this summer. *Richard Hart*

Tournament Spotlight

2009 Gold Cup

The **2009 Gold Cup** will be held on **May 22nd—24th** at Brookdale Park in **Bloomfield, NJ** and is hosted by the Bloomfield & Fairfax Archers. The application for this event is now available on the SAAM website or you can check the [Bloomfield Archers](#) web site for additional information.

2009 CT Senior Games—Archery

The **CT Senior Games** Archery competition will be held on **Friday, May 29th** at **Trinity College** in Hartford, CT. The senior games are open to any athlete who has achieved at least 50 years of age. For information please check the [CTSG](#) Web site or click here for the [application](#).

1st Annual, [Arthur J. LeBlanc Memorial](#), Take a Shot at Cancer

This event is the first of its kind: an archery fund-raiser, with all proceeds going to the Dana Farber Cancer Institute to benefit cancer research where tournament participants will raise money by having friends and family pledge to support them. This event will be held on **Saturday, May 23rd, 2009** at **Coolidge Park** in **Fitchburg, MA**. This event will be a 600 round with 20 arrows shot at three distances and since this is a fun event, no dress code will be required. For an application and pledge form check out their [website](#).



Archer's Cup Outdoor Tournament



ACE Archer's is proud to present the **2009 Archer's Cup Outdoor Tournament** to be held on **June 6th & 7th** at the XXX in Mansfield, MA.

This is a two day tournament with the two longer distances shot on Saturday and the two shorter distances shot on Sunday. This event is a Star FITA so the NAA dress code will be observed. The application for this event is available on the SAAM web site as well as the ACE Archer's web site.

FITA 24 Target Field Round

This is the first of two **FITA Field Rounds** to be shot at the **Tiverton Rod & Gun Club** in Tiverton, RI this summer. This event will be held on **June 14, 2009** and will be a 12 target course that will be shot twice for 24 targets on an “unmarked” course. For additional information or to view the course please check out their [website](#).

2009 MA Senior Games—Archery

The **MA Senior Games Archery Competition** will be held on **Sunday, June 14th** at **Springfield Collage** in Springfield, MA. This event is open to archers who are at least 50 years young and who shoot any type of equipment. This event will be an American 900 round with 30 arrows shot at distances of 60yds, 50yds and 40yds. To register or for more information check out the MASG [website](#).



MA Outdoor JOAD Championship & Star FITA

The **MA Outdoor JOAD Championship & Star FITA** will be a One Day event with all four distances shot in one day at the **Wankinquoah Rod & Gun Club** in Middleboro, MA on **June 20th**. Space is limited for this event so preference will be given to JOAD Archers until June 1st after which others will be accepted on a first come basis until the field is full so get your application in soon.

2009 Northeast Outdoor IBO 3D Championship

On **June 20th and 21st** **Wankinquoah Rod and Gun Club** will be hosting the **Archery EXTRAVAGANZA**. This event is one of the largest archery events in New England and includes a 120 target 3D fun Course, an IBO World Qualifier on 40 3D targets and a 10 3D target kids course over the two days. There will be vendors from all areas of outdoors sports, presentations, demonstrations, breakfast and lunch each day, and a roast beef dinner Saturday night for all to enjoy. There is something for everyone at this event so come spend the day! The event location is the club at 92 Pine Street ~ Middleboro, MA 02346. For more information call or email Mike Erwin at 508-866-2565 or merwin10@comcast.net or check out the [links](#) on the SAAM [web site](#).

FITA 24 Target Field Round

This is the first of two **FITA Field Rounds** to be shot at the **Tiverton Rod & Gun Club** in Tiverton, RI this summer. This event will be held on **July 12, 2009** and will be a 12 target course that will be shot twice for 24 targets on an “unmarked” course. For additional information or to view the course please check out their [website](#).

2009 Bay State Games—Archery

The Archery portion of the **2009 Bay State Games** will be held on **July 18th & 19th** at the **Devens Recreation Center** in Devens, MA. This event is a Star FITA and a MA State Ranking tournament. All archers are welcome however only MA residents or members of a MA club are eligible to receive medals. For additional information check out the [BSG](#) website or get an [application](#) on the [SAAM](#) website.

2009 National Senior Games—Archery

The **2009 National Senior Games** will be held from **July 31st—August 7th** at **Stamford University in Palo Alto, CA** however the deadline for registration has already passed.

Applications and information for these tournaments and more are available on the SAAM web site at www.massarchery.org so be sure to check out the web site for more detailed information.

Announcements

Terry Wunderle Archery Clinic—This clinic is being sponsored by Reedy's Archery in Middleboro, MA on June 5th & 6th. For more information on this event please check out the SAAM Web site or contact [Donald Farland](#) to sign up.



SAAM BOD Meeting—The next SAAM BOD meeting will be held on Monday, June 1st at 7:30pm. SAAM BOD meetings are open to anyone who would like to attend and be a part of an active Archery Association.

NAA Intermediate (Level 2) Archery Instructor Class—An NAA Intermediate (Level 2) Archery Instructor Class will be offered this Spring in Willington CT. The class is a 16 hour class and will be held on two Saturdays, June 20 and June 27 from 9 AM to 5 PM. The cost will be \$150. You must be 18 years or older, have Level 1 Certification or 6 months Archery experience and a current NAA membership to attend. No equipment required. Details and registration forms will be out soon. The course will be taught by John Sahi, NAA Level 3 and Regional Coach. If you have any questions, please call John at 860-428-0979.

SAAM BOD—SAAM is currently seeking names of individuals who would like to become an active member of the SAAM Board of Directors and help shape the state organization. If you would like to nominate yourself or someone else for the BOD please send their name to the Nominating Committee for consideration.

The **Harvard Archery Club** would like to thank everyone who participated in the 1st **Harvard 70M Indoor Shoot** on **Sunday, April 19th**. If you won a medal and did not pick it up and would like it mailed to you please send an e-mail to Samuel Saidel Goley and let him know. Thanks again, SSG.



Wanted: Mathews Conquest Apex 7, left handed, prefer max of 50 lbs., draw length is flexible since I can get different cams. If you have this bow and would like to part with it please contact Katrina Weiss.

To remove your name from our mailing list, please reply to this message and request to be removed.

Questions or Comments? E-mail us at massarchery.org@gmail.com.