

Georgia Bowhunters and Archery Association (GBAA)

Georgia Archery News

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So far ... the weather has been very supportive for the 2010 GBAA outdoor archery tournament schedule. The **State Spring Turkey** (on May 8/9) and the **State Target** (on May 22/23) were absolutely beautiful weather weekends. Participation for the Spring Turkey was down from last year with 41 shooters that came out on Mothers Day weekend. As for the State Target, the first 900 Round held in several years; the view of 20 colorful target butts was spectacular, but there were only 31 shooters to enjoy the event. See RESULTS included on pages 3 and 4.

It seems that we are getting all the HOT weather out of the way for the upcoming **State Field Championship** to be held in Savannah, GA. I just know the weather will be great ... this time. Please come out and support the Ogeechee Bowmen of Savannah as they host the State Field Championship the weekend of July 10/11, 2010. See information / registration flyer attached.

Fort Gordon will host the **State 3D Championship** the weekend of August 7/8, 2010. They need your support in hopes to surpass last year's great attendance. See information / registration flyer attached.

GBAA Executive Committee Nominations

As indicated in the last news letter, GBAA Executive Committee nominations were kept open until the end of the State Spring Turkey on May 9th, 2010. This resulted in no additional nominations. At that time, only the Bowhunter Director position had more than one nomination. And there was to be an election between Geoffrey Wilk (current Bowhunter Director) and Bill Millican. However; recently, Geoffrey Wilk has decided to step down at the end of his term.

Bill Millican will be the new GBAA Bowhunter Director at the completion of the State 3D Championship in August. Who is Bill? See Bill's resume on the following page.

Upcoming Events

GBAA State Field Ogeechee Bowmen - Savannah, GA	July 10-11
NFAA SE Sectional Marked 3D Shepherdsville, KY Gainsville, FL Ft Lauderdale, FL	July 10-11
GBAA State 3D Fort Gordon – Augusta, GA	August 7-8

2010 All Events Points

All Events Champion is determined on a point system awarded for the completion of at least 3 of the 5 state tournaments. The **NEW** current point status for all qualified shooters is shown below.

ADULT					
Place	Name	Indoor	Turkey	Target	Total
1	James Padgett	5.0	9.0	6.0	20.0
2	Jon Cannon	6.0	7.0	5.0	18.0
3	Charles Cumber	5.0	5.0	6.0	16.0
4	Todd Hatfield	5.0	5.0	5.0	15.0
5	Jason Powell	5.0	5.0	5.0	15.0
MALE YOUNG ADULT / YOUTH / CUB					
Place	Name	Indoor	Turkey	Target	Total
1	Austin Harbin	7.0	7.0	7.0	21.0
2	Allyn Fry	7.0	7.0	6.5	20.5
3	Terrence Cumber	6.5	7.0	7.0	20.5
4	Liam Carson	6.0	6.5	7.0	19.5
5	Chad Cumber	6.0	6.5	6.5	19.0
FEMALE YOUNG ADULT / YOUTH / CUB					
Place	Name	Indoor	Turkey	Target	Total
1	Analeigh Wilk	7.0	7.0	7.0	21.0

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My name is **Bill Millican** and I am interested in becoming the next Bowhunting Director for the GBAA in the upcoming 2010 election. Archery tournaments and bowhunting has been a passion of mine since late 1966 and taken me across the United States and Canada.

I have achieved success using both traditional and compound equipment while working in many aspects of the archery industry from local pro shops (Buckskin Archery, Bill's Archery and Bass Pro Shops) to major archery manufacturers (Scrape Juice, Muzzy Products and Impact Archery).

Teaching archery to novice archers has been a great experience through involvement with many different organizations from Lets Get Wild Outdoor Program, Women in the Outdoors, Archery in the Schools, JOAD, Pennington Youth Hunt and the National Bowhunter Education Foundation.

Participation in archery events from local 3-D tournaments to national competitions include achievements in a few of the following:

Cobb County Limited and Traditional Club Champion, NFAA Wyoming National Bowhunt-1st Place, Georgia Games Gold Medal Winner (Twice), Georgia Senior Olympics Gold Medal Winner, GBAA State Field Championships-1st Place Senior Limited and the most recent GBAA State Indoor Championships-1st Place Senior Limited.

Bowhunting has taken me across the United States and Canada allowing me to harvest many different big game animals to include more than 100 Whitetail Deer, 3 Pronghorn Antelope, 2 Barren Ground Caribou, 2 Mule Deer, Georgia Alligator, Feral Hogs, Javelinas and many small game. Through these successes, I have achieved the rank of Expert Bowhunter in the NFAA Art Young Big Game program.

Being successful in both tournament archery and bowhunting has allowed me to gain sponsorship from the following manufacturers: Mathews, Victory Archery, Mossy Oak, Stealth Cam, Timber Hawk, Black Hawk, Impact Archery, Muzzy Products and Bohning Archery.

I am a NFAA Life Member and am an Associate Member of the Pope & Young Club both since 1984, now serving as an Official Measurer.

I have served as the Georgia State Chairman for the National Bowhunter Education Foundation since 2000 and Area Manager for Suburban Whitetail Management of North Georgia.

Starting new organizations and expanding others from archery ranges to bowhunting programs has been achieved through the formation of the Cobb County Archery Association, Suburban Whitetail Management to the most recent endeavor of starting the new Gwinnett Archery club.

I have written several different articles published in both local and national magazines.

It has been a great experience working with our state legislators on bowhunting and conservation issues since 1995 and being a member of the Piedmont Sub-Committee Deer management program for the Georgia Department of Natural Resources from 1999 through 2014.

Using my skills, it is my desire to work with the GBAA as the Bowhunting Director to bring more archers to the organization through our many different venues. First is the kids, starting new programs and teaching archery skills will only strengthen the membership of the GBAA. Finally, bringing attention to the archery tournaments and then working to educate the members and non-members of the varied programs in the state of Georgia. All of these programs and ideas will be self-sustaining and funded outside of the GBAA.

I would appreciate your vote.

Thanks,
Bill Millican
billsarchery@bellsouth.net

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State Spring Turkey Results (May 8/9, 2010):

AMFS - Adult Male Freestyle				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
1	Travis Clark	200	212	412
2	Patrick Reinhardt	192	198	390
3	Joseph G. Vines	188	201	389
4	Charles Cumber	192	192	384
5	Andy Johnston	186	191	377
6	Todd Hatfield	190	177	367
7	Geoffrey Wilk	155	208	363
8	K. Scott Stone	184	174	358
9	Jason Powell	140	153	293
AMBHFS - Adult Male Bowhunter Freestyle				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
1	James Padgett	177	192	369
2	Travis Mccauley	188	173	361
3	Jon Cannon	191	168	359
4	Greg Ledger	180	166	346
*5	Robert Benedetto	165	177	342
*5	Ryan Meagher	167	175	342
7	Dustin Thompson	178	157	335
8	Mike Bowling	151	168	319
9	Bud Overton	157	145	302
10	Keith Barden	156	144	300
11	Jamey Jones	124	145	269
12	Howard Solki	141	121	262
AFBHFS - Adult Female Bowhunter Freestyle				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
1	Frankie Mccauley	184	189	373
2	Rebecca Jones	167	174	341
3	Amber Overton	95	114	209
AMTRADM - Adult Male Traditional - Modern				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
1	Charles Newsome	89	71	160
AMTRADWW - Adult Male Traditional - Wood on Wood				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
1	Tim Wehner	81	65	146

SMRLS - Senior Male RLS				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
1	Charlie Sr Stone	192	202	394
2	Don Melton	186	186	372
3	Jack Baker	161	189	350
GUEST (Adult) Male				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
1	Ken Graham	156	159	315
YAMFS - Young Adult (15 - 17) Male Freestyle				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
1	Trevor Overton	147	143	290
YMFS - Youth (12-14) Male Freestyle				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
1	Terrence Cumber	176	180	356
2	Chad Cumber	123	144	267
3	Christopher White	115	92	207
CMFS - Cub (8-11) Male Freestyle				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
1	Brandon Solki	158	164	322
2	Liam Carson	138	137	275
CFFS - Cub (8-11) Female Freestyle				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
1	Ansleigh Wilk	194	212	406
CMBB - Cub (8-11) Male Barebow				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
1	Austin Harbin	105	79	184
2	Oliver Huffman	63	81	144
3	Chris Newsome	36	58	94
CMFSLR/L - Cub (8-11) Male Freestyle Limited Recurve / Longbow				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
1	Allyn Fry	59	69	128

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State Target 900 Round Results (May 22/23, 2010):

Note – Eight (8) new GBAA 900 Round state records

AMFS - Adult Male Freestyle				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
**1	Jim Pruitte	891	892	1783
2	Tim Meyer	886	882	1768
3	Charles Cumber	852	854	1706
4	Jason Powell	827	843	1670
5	Todd Hatfield	840	820	1660
AMBHFS - Adult Male Bowhunter Freestyle				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
1	Ricky Diederich	871	856	1727
2	Travis Mccauley	836	840	1676
3	James Padgett	843	831	1674
4	Jon Cannon	845	822	1667
5	Tim Wehner	787	792	1579
6	Jamey Jones	762	803	1565
7	Tom Boots	827	INC	827
AFBHFS - Adult Female Bowhunter Freestyle				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
**1	Frankie Mccauley	808	841	1649
2	Rebecca Jones	797	794	1591
AMFSLR/L - Adult Male Freestyle Limited Recurve / Longbow				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
**1	Phillip Baldowski	740	742	1482
SMRLS - Senior Male RLS				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
1	Roberto Pasquini	866	864	1730
2	Lynwood Bunn	867	861	1728
3	Patrick Eischen	837	844	1681
4	Lannie Leblanc	810	800	1610
5	Bobby Barrow	787	780	1567
6	Augustus Fitch Iii	776	556	1332
SMFNG - Senior Male FNG				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
1	Bill Millican	784	785	1569
2	Jake Veit	682	698	1380

YAFFS - Young Adult Female Freestyle				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
**1	Kailey Johnston	889	889	1778
YMFS - Youth Male Freestyle				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
1	Terrence Cumber	835	824	1659
2	Chad Cumber	760	783	1543
YFFS - Youth Female Freestyle				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
**1	Maddy Williford	823	812	1635
CMFS - Cub Male Freestyle				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
**1	Liam Carson	721	739	1460
CFFS - Cub Female Freestyle				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
**1	Ansleigh Wilk	869	868	1737
CMFSLR/L - Cub Male Freestyle Limited Recurve / Longbow				
Place	Name	SCR 1	SCR 2	SCR Total
**1	Austin Harbin	684	647	1331
2	Allyn Fry	457	419	876

*** New State Record

2010 GBAA STATE FIELD CHAMPIONSHIP

July 10-11, 2010

Hosted By: Ogeechee Bowmen of Savannah

- Schedule: Both days assembly at 8:30 AM and start shooting at 9:00 AM.
- Saturday: 28 Field and 14 Animal Targets.
- Sunday: 28 Hunter Targets.
- NFAA or USAA membership is required to shoot for the State Championship. A Guest class is available for non-NFAA/USAA members. Guests CAN NOT shoot for the State Championship.
- NFAA membership is available at the event prior to registration.
- Please mail pre-registration in with your check, postmarked by July 5th, 2010. You may also complete online registration at www.gbaa-archery.com by July 9th, 2010.
- LATE registration will be available at the shoot - minimum 1 hour prior to shoot time!!!

Mail to: **Ricky Diederich**
PO Box 227
Meldrim, GA 31318

Make checks payable to: **Ogeechee Bowmen**

Directions: From I-95 and Hwy 204, take Hwy 204 West about 2 miles and turn Right onto Bush Road. Go about 2 more miles and turn Right onto Scott Stell Road. Follow this road to the range at the back-right corner of the L. Scott Stell Community Park.

Hotel Information: Numerous hotels/motels and restaurants are located at Exit 94 at I-95 and Hwy 204.

For more information contact: Ricky Diederich at (912) 667-4534 or email to mail@ogeecheebowmen.com

Name: _____ Date: _____ E-mail Address: _____

Gender: Male _____ Female _____ (Circle Fee and Check Division / Style below)

FEES:	<u>11& under</u>	<u>12-14</u>	<u>15 & up</u>	<u>Family</u>
	\$10.00	\$15.00	\$25.00	\$55.00
(Late)	(\$15.00)	(\$20.00)	(\$30.00)	(\$60.00)

Adult (over 18)	<input type="checkbox"/> Young Adult (age 15-17) <input type="checkbox"/> Youth (age 12-14) <input type="checkbox"/> Cub (age 8-11) <input type="checkbox"/> Peewee (age 7 & under) *	Senior (age 55 and up)	Guest
<input type="checkbox"/> Freestyle	<input type="checkbox"/> Freestyle	<input type="checkbox"/> Release	<input type="checkbox"/> Adult
<input type="checkbox"/> Bowhunter Freestyle		<input type="checkbox"/> Fingers	<input type="checkbox"/> Age 15-17 *
<input type="checkbox"/> Bowhunter			<input type="checkbox"/> Age 12-14 *
<input type="checkbox"/> Barebow	<input type="checkbox"/> Barebow		<input type="checkbox"/> Age 8-11 *
<input type="checkbox"/> Freestyle / BH	<input type="checkbox"/> Freestyle Limited		<input type="checkbox"/> Age 7 & under *
<input type="checkbox"/> Freestyle Limited	<input type="checkbox"/> Freestyle Limited		
<input type="checkbox"/> Recurve / Longbow	<input type="checkbox"/> Recurve / Longbow		
<input type="checkbox"/> Traditional Modern			
<input type="checkbox"/> Traditional Wood / Wood			
			* Age Divisions Determined by Host

* Age Division as Determined by Host Club

2009 GBAA STATE 3D CHAMPIONSHIP

August 7-8, 2010

Hosted By: Fort Gordon Sportsmans Club

- Schedule: Both Saturday and Sunday: 8:30 AM assembly and **9:00 AM shooting time**, and then 12:30 PM assembly and **1:00 PM shooting time**.
- There are two 20-target rounds ... One unmarked and one marked. May be shot in one day; however, everyone must shoot the unmarked course first.
- GBAA membership (regular or a bowhunter) is required to shoot for the State Championship. A Guest class is available for Non-GBAA members. Guests can NOT shoot for State Championship.
- NFAA and/or GBAA membership is available at the shoot prior to registration.
- Please mail pre-registration with your check postmarked by August 2nd, 2010. You may complete electronic pre-registration at website GBAA-Archery.com by August 6th, 2010.
- LATE registration available at shoot - minimum 1 hour prior to shooting time!!!

Mail to: Tim Wehner
2022 Bridgewater Dr
Augusta, GA 30907

Make checks payable to: IMWRF

Directions: Enter through Gates 1 or 5 and follow the signs to the Tactical Advantage Sportsmans Complex at Range 14. Make sure you have VEHICLE REGISTRATION, PROOF OF INSURANCE, and a PICTURE ID which is required for entry onto Ft Gordon. Bows must be cased with arrows carried separate from the bow. If a firearm is brought it must be cased and stored separately from the ammunition and declare it to the security personnel if you are stopped for inspection. **Do not talk on cell phone while driving – this is a post regulation violation.**

Hotel Information: Numerous motels are located approximately 3 miles outside gate 1 at the I20 and Belair Rd Interchange and at the Bobby Jones and Gordon Hwy Interchange.

For more information contact: Tom Boots (706) 799-8457, (706) 791-5078, (706) 556-3240
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<input type="checkbox"/> Barebow	<input type="checkbox"/> Barebow		<input type="checkbox"/> Age 8-11 *
<input type="checkbox"/> Freestyle / BH	<input type="checkbox"/> Freestyle Limited		<input type="checkbox"/> Age 7 & under *
<input type="checkbox"/> Freestyle Limited			
<input type="checkbox"/> Freestyle Limited	<input type="checkbox"/> Freestyle Limited		
<input type="checkbox"/> Recurve / Longbow	<input type="checkbox"/> Recurve / Longbow		
<input type="checkbox"/> Traditional Modern			
<input type="checkbox"/> Traditional Wood / Wood			
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