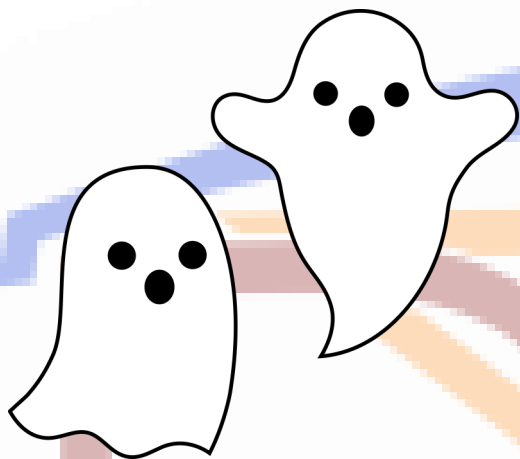


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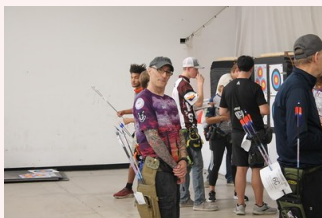
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**Desert Sky Archers  
Newsletter**

## Start of the Holiday Season

But, that does not mean we stop shooting our bows. October has a few important events. The big one is the 2024 USAA AZ State Outdoor. You also have The ABFAA International Round and of course our Halloween Party.

We will be sending out a sign up sheet for Archer Reviews starting the first week in December. This keeps us and archers (and families) on the same page as best as possible.



## Desert Sky Halloween Party

Oct 30 7PM

Pot Luck, bring your  
favorite snacks

DSA will provide water,  
plates and pop.



## Upcoming Tournaments

[ABFAA International Round October 13](#)

[Papago 900 Oct 26](#)

[USAA AZ State Outdoor Oct 19-20](#)

[2024 Archery Senior Games Nov 2](#)

[Fall Frenzy Nov 23-24](#)

[2024 Corner Cup](#)

[Candy Cane Crunch Dec 20-22](#)



## October Birthdays

Melanie Bachman

Dan Baker

Natalya Bilyk

Kim Hicks

Aidan Molitor

Jordyn Taylor

## JOAD Pins

Jacob Happ

Eve Stadjuhar

Sridhar Yellajosyula

Mouli Yellajosyula

Shreshth Shandilya

Lori Perkins

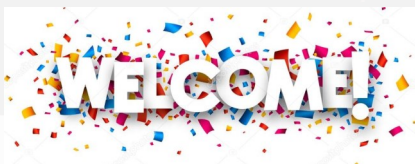
Noah Fraser



## New Members

Noah Fraser

Vivaan Bhutyani



## JOAD Pins

**What are JOAD Pins and how can I earn them?** This is a very good question. You earn them by shooting a certain score based on the bow type and round your are shooting.

**What bow types are allowed?** There are five bow types allowed currently for youth archers (under U21). They are as follows: Barebow, Basic Compound (Genesis), Recurve, Compound, Fixed Pin Compound. There are six bow types allowed currently for adult archers (senior and masters). They are as follows: Barebow, Basic Compound, Traditional, Recurve, Compound, Fixed Pin Compound.

**What Rounds are allowed?** This is broken up into two rounds, Indoor at 18 Meters, and Outdoor at distance appropriate for bow type and archer age.

**Can I get pins across multiple bow types?** Yes.

**Does gender matter for scores?** No.

**Where can I find the scores needed to achieve the scores?**

[JOAD Indoor](#) [JOAD Outdoor](#) [Adult Indoor](#) [Adult Outdoor](#)

**Who awards the JOAD Pins?** Your club leaders award the pins. Olympian pins are special ordered through USA Archery by your club leaders

**Who is eligible to ear JOAD Pins?** Archers that have a full membership with USA Archery. A recreational membership is NOT eligible

# Upcoming Tournament Formats

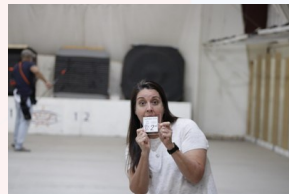
## ABFAA International Round

- 1 day tournament
- 20 targets in 5 yard increments
- Distance and target face depends on age
- No timer



## USAA AZ State Outdoor

- 2 day tournament
- Distances set by age and bow type
- 122cm for recurve and barebow
- 80cm six ring for compound
- Saturday is qualifying
- Sunday is elimination rounds
- Contact coach to confirm your distance
- Qualifying is 6 arrow ends
- Eliminations are 3 arrow ends
- Saturday you will be done about noon
- Sunday may take all day if you keep winning



## Papago 900

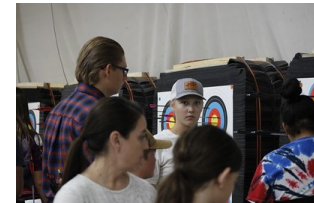
- 1 day tournament
- 3 distances shot
- 30 arrows per distance
- 5 ends of six arrows
- Start with longest distance first, practice only on longest distance
- 122cm target face all divisions
- Distances are based on archers age division
- This shoot takes an entire day



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## Fall Frenzy

- 1 day tournament
- 18 meters
- 12 ends of 5 arrows
- Rushmore target face



## Candy Cane Crunch

- 2 day tournament
- 18 Meters
- 3 arrow ends
- 20 arrow qualifying round
- Elimination rounds
- X ring is an 11



## Senior Games

- American 900 Round
- 1 day tournament
- 3 distances
- 5 ends of six arrows
- Only archers 50+



## Corner Cup

- Two day tournament
- Day 1 is NFAA 5 Spot Rules
- Day 2 is Vergas 3 Spot Rules



# 2024 Iron Archer

Hello archers. One of our most exciting tournaments of the year was this pas weekend. We had amazing scores across compound, recurve and barebow. Five of the eight flights had three-way ties to place archers somewhere on the podium. Two of the flights had the entire podium decided by a one arrow shoot off.

As all of you know, it takes a lot of people to put on a tournament. I do want to express a true thank you to all the families that jumped in and helped put everything away. It was people across all the clubs represented and it was truly appreciated!

DOS/COJ: Rick Bachman, Krista Colonna, Kristine Krebs

Judges: Kerry Stadjuhar, Nico Baker, Natalya Bilyk

Scoring: Steve Yee, Marc Krebs, Susan Yee, Sridhar Yellajosyula, Mouli Yellajosyula, Shreshth Shandilya,

Volunteers: Jolynn Turner, Tim Turner, Corrin Turner, Wyatt Shephard, Dan Peknik, Michael Abrams, Tim Liston, Matt Happ, Jacob Happ, Saurabh Bhutyani, Katie Krebs, Grace Yee, Spencer Yee, Penelope McCulloch, Audry McCulloch, Elyse McCulloch, Mike McCulloch, Melanie Bachman, Jennifer Happ

## Flight Results

### Recurve Flight Results

1. Chris Austin
2. Abigail Kippes
3. Patrick Nielsen
4. Randy Kettelhut
5. Jeff Brandenburg
6. Nathan Bove

### Barebow Flight Results

1. Harold Rush
2. Megan Penner
3. Tom Wasson
4. Tom Cannon and Glen Beckham
5. Nikola Kyrala

### Last Chance Flight Results

1. Elijah Johnson
2. Dan Baker
3. Arshvir Alwadi
4. Emma Browning
5. Lori Perkins
6. Deacon Henry

### Compound Youth Flight Results

1. Ralph Labrador
2. Braiden Graham
3. Ruger Ruff
4. Dax Standjuhar

### Compound Flight 1 Results

1. Ian Wells
2. Sam Cunningham
3. Ken Brunko
4. Elek Miller, Kale Irlmeier and Khloe Markle

### Compound Flight 2 Results

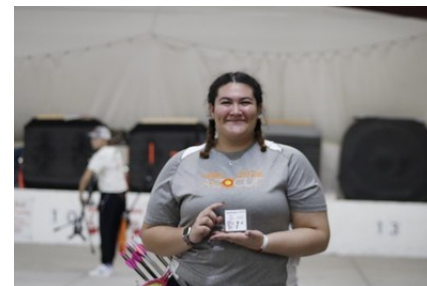
1. Katie Krebs
2. Will Laguna
3. Larry Butterfield
4. Jakob Krenek
5. Alfred Patterson
6. Madison Schlieff

### Compound Flight 3 Results

1. Tom Pollei
2. Charlie Kester
3. Brian Cupp
4. Ronan Penner
5. Nicole Lord and Shaylee Smith

### Compound Flight 4 Results

1. Riley Mizumoto
2. Michael Kolb
3. Dennis Hall
4. Travis Labrador and Jonathon Brown-ing
5. Jac Stadjuhar





## What should be in my tool kit or quiver?

This is not the end al be all list. This is a nice list of things to have in case you need them.

### Quiver

Allen Wrench-Metric or Standard depending what you bow needs, both?

Torx Wrench-if your bow uses it

Arrow Lube

Extra Nocks

Arrow Puller

3 Pens-2 for writing, one Sharpie

### Basic Tool Kit

Hobby or Utility Knife

Arrow Vane Glue (quality super glue)

Extra Points

Extra Nocks

Small Adjustable Pliers

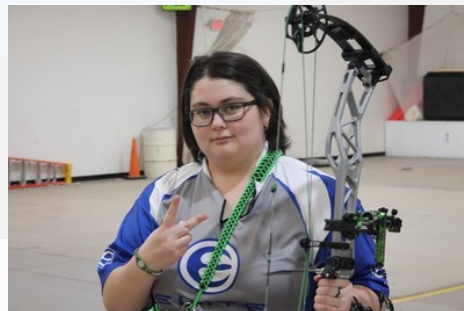
Small Adjustable Wrench

Couple Band-Aids

Extra Vanes

Lighter

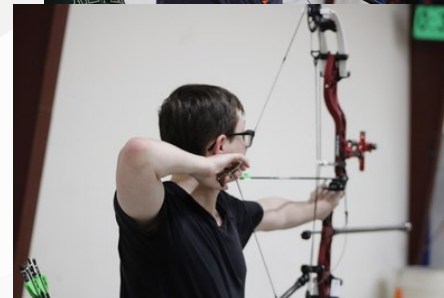
Small Candle



## October Schedule

- Oct 2—1 Arrow Shoot Offs and Head to Heads
- Oct 4—Pin Shoot
- Oct 9—NO PRACTICE
- Oct 11—NO PRACTICE
- Oct 13—ABFAA International (tournament)
- Oct 16—Pin Shoot
- Oct 18—NO PRACTICE
- Oct 19—USAA AZ State Outdoor Qualifying Round (tournament)
- Oct 23—Archer Evaluations
- Oct 25—Archer Evaluations
- Oct 26—Papago 900(tournament)
- Oct 30—Halloween Party

Tournaments are not required, only listed here as an FYI



Coaches 5-7PM and Saturday Sign Ups

[Click Here to Sign Up to cover a practice](#)

Coaches, private practice are only allowed during open practice time. 5-7PM Wed and Fri practice or a Saturday practice.

NEVER Wed and Fri 7-9PM

DSA communication policy.

No member or parent of member can contact a youth member under the age of 18 without the consent of the parent or guardian of the under age person. Even if permission is given, the communication must be 3 deep. No one on one communication of any kind is allowed between a member over 18 and a member under 18 with out that 3rd person included. Failure to follow this guideline may result in removal from club. If an under age person contacts an over 18 person with out the 3rd person included, the over 18 person must add another person to the communication immediately.

Reminder of memberships

All members if DSA must be a member of USA Archery or National Field Archery Association. These memberships must be kept current to attend practice.

The USA Archery membership must be a full membership, not the recreational membership.

Desert Sky Archers prefers but not requires that all members be a member of both organizations.



Challenge Coin Recipients

Steve Yee

Rick Bachman

Krista Colonna

Melanie Bachman

Kristine Krebs

Tim Liston

Mike McCulloch

Sanel Alihodzic

Katie Krebs

Allen Alihodzic

Arvid Veidmark III

Lacey Wyatt

Terry LaBeau

Alfred Patterson

Mandy Greico

Nikola Kyrala

Chris Amundsen

Eric Bennett



## **The Double Scoop**

### **Notes from Maya's Quiver**

Isn't my title funny and creative? Get it? The Double Scoop? Like ordering two scoops of ice cream because this is my second time writing an ice cream article? I think I'm funny, I also crave validation. Anywho, back to the approved programming.

It seems as though my original ice cream article has been slightly taken out of context and I am here to right my wrongs. Ice cream is not a tangible item that I am using to give your children leverage over you and dangle my words in front of your face to get some mint chocolate chip. Nor is it a consolation prize you give your child because you're tired and just want your problems to go away. It is something that the whole family bonds over to discuss the day and the achievement of overcoming a challenge.

Not to be rude, but under no circumstances should your child feel alone after a loss or a victory that they worked hard for. The "ice cream" can be the frickin' Harry Potter movies, I do not care, it is time that you spend with your archer that you can talk about and enjoy.

To my single archers in the club who are fully grown adults with no children, please apply this theory to yourself as well. You deserve a sweet little treat and some self love, a bit of time to reward yourself for the energy you exerted and the emotional and physical stress associated with a tournament.

Anyway, that is all. That is the whole article. Very short and pointed, yet very necessary given some of the shenanigans and self talk I have seen on the range lately. Stop that ish, love yo self - treat yo kid.

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