

JOAD Newsletter

September 2008



Upcoming Events

PFA Adult/JOAD 900 September 13 Papago Sports Complex, FITA Range, Phoenix
To [resister](#) - click on this link.

Shut Up and Shoot September 20 - 21 Papago Sports Complex, FITA Range, Phoenix
Information and Registration: <http://www.sundevilarchery.com/>

- This is a "fUN format FITA - The Shut Up and Shoot event is designed for those who just want a weekend full of flinging arrows and fun."

2008 Duel Desert Trials October 11 - 12 Papago Sports Complex, FITA Range, Phoenix
Information and Registration:

<http://www.azarchery.com/forms/2008ArizonaDueltrials.pdf>

- This is a good opportunity for competition practice for JOAD's. Due to space limitations, JOAD's will be placed on a waiting list until Oct. 1st, at which time it will be determined if space is available (there should be)

A Message and Invitation from Papago FITA Archers...

The Papago FITA Archers Club is hosting two great tournaments for JOAD Archers. The first one is the JOAD/Adult FITA 900. The tournament is on Saturday, September 13 at the Papago Archery range. This is a great tournament for New JOAD's to get their feet wet and learn the in's and out's of a tournament. The second tournament is the ASAA State Field Championships at Utery Mountain Park on October 18 & 19. There will be distances set-up for JOAD's. Field tournaments are are lot of fun and this is a great event to experience a "different" kind of Archery. Go to www.compete-at.com/papago for information and registration.



Local Archery Clubs

Corner Kidz JOAD Club Corner Archery 5008 W. Northern Ave., Suite 8, Glendale, AZ
Saturday morning classes Website <http://www.cornerarchery.com/CornerKids.html>
623.842.DEER(3337) Saturday morning classes Contact: Rhonda Crabtree

Mesa Targeteers JOAD

Two locations: Archery Headquarters, 6401 W. Chandler Blvd., Suite A, Chandler, AZ
480.940.1814 Saturday morning classes Instructor: Mickey Richards
**Classes resume September 27th

Bear Mountain Sports, 899 E. Southern Ave., Mesa, AZ 480.926.7161
Tuesday evening classes ongoing Instructor: Mickey Richards

Papago FITA JOAD Papago Park, Phoenix Saturday morning classes Instructor: Mike Cullumber
Website: <http://www.papagoarchery.com> Email archeryinfo@papagoarchery.com
NEW MEMBER CLASSES begin September 27, 2008

Straight N Arrow North JOAD Ben Avery Shoot Facility – FITA range NWC of I-17 & the Carefree Highway
Saturday morning classes Instructor: Heather Collins-Brunelle
Email: straightnarrowjoadnorth@hotmail.com



The Benefits of AZ JOAD-

Always remember, the benefits of being an archer extend well beyond the archery range! Archery...

- ...teaches patience and responsibility; ...reinforces good sportsmanship;
- ...helps develop a sense of accomplishment and positive self image;
- ... assists in learning self discipline & personal accountability;
- ... increases a person's ability to focus and perform under pressure;
- ...follow and implement a scientific method (shoot, evaluate, hypothesize, re-shoot, analysis, etc.) which increases the archers problem solving skills and math skills;



Kudos Corner!

CONGRATULATIONS to Brady Ellison from Glendale, Arizona, for competing in the 2008 Beijing Olympics! For results of the Men's Individual competition, click [here](#). For more information on Brady, click [here](#).

CONGRATULATIONS to Jennifer Nichols, who trains in Tucson, Arizona, for also competing in the 2008 Beijing Olympics! For results of the Women's Individual competition, click [here](#). For more information on Jennifer, click [here](#).

**CONGRATULATIONS to ASU Archery Coach and U.S. top archer...
Kari Jill Granville named "Top US Archer"**

"The **Shenk Award** was presented by USA Archery to the male and female archer in the Olympic Bow Division with the highest cumulative scores from the U.S. Indoor, Field and Target Championships for the year. **Congratulations Kari on the top honor!**"
Kari will be representing the US at the **World Field Championships** in Wales early in September. Good Luck, Kari!!!!

CONGRATULATIONS to Tony Don, a 2008 Junior World Team member. Tony will be competing in Turkey this coming October!



For the Parents

Tips for new JOAD parents!

- Archery is a good family sport! Young archers learn faster when you can help them with equipment setup, sight settings and arrow straightening. It's a great way to get involved in your child's life and share in his or her interest.
- Learning proper form is more important than scores!
- Establish a relationship with a "bow tech" type person as they can advise you on equipment and help you set up and tune the bow. This could be an instructor, pro shop personnel or JOAD volunteer.
- Practice regularly and always ask questions!
- Seek advanced coaching or training as your JOAD archer begins to compete in tournaments and progresses in archery skills and interest.



WANTED! New Club Leaders! JOAD is growing and we need more leaders and coaches to support the growing number of youth that are interested in archery!

http://www.azarchery.com/azjoad/main/start_club.htm

AZ JOAD Website

<http://www.azarchery.com/azjoad/main/home.htm>

A blast from the past... Vegas Team Showdown 2005

