

Six Villages Archery Club

★ presents its 12th Annual
★ **American Tournament**
★ (2½ dozen at 60yds, 50yds and 40yds, all at 122cm face)
★ **Option of handicap based Burntwood American***
★ (2½ dozen on each of 60cm, 80cm and 122cm faces, all at 30m)

Sunday 7th July 2024
at Six Villages Sports Centre
Westergate, near Chichester

Lady/Lord Paramount: TBA

Field Captains: Simon Cooper and Paul King

Assembly 10:15am, sighters at 10:30am

Gates open 9:30am (Please try not to arrive earlier)

Cost £14.00 (including BBQ ticket).

Additional BBQ tickets £6.00 (to be ordered with entry)

Shoot will include BBQ (free to all entrants)

BBQ typically includes burger, sausage, pulled-pork, roll and salad.

All BBQ meat from local quality butcher. Vegetarian options available.

See website (link below) for photos.

Prizes in all main bow categories depending on entries.

(Restrictions apply - please see website and "small print")

GNAS/ArcheryGB membership required.

Closing date: Thursday 27th June. We may still accept entries after this date.

There will be a £2 surcharge and no refunds after the closing date.

***Further information, photos, "small print",
entry form and maps available from website:**

www.SixVillagesArcheryClub.org.uk/american.php

Enquiries to: american@SixVillagesArcheryClub.org.uk

Email is preferred but alternative is 07874 372082 eve/wkend only from 18th May

**Tea/coffee, bacon/sausage butties, cakes etc
available for purchase all day.**



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American Tournament – 7th July 2024

Small Print

Rounds: American Round (2½ dozen at each of 60yds, 50yds and 40yds).

Option of Handicap based "Burntwood American" (2½ dozen at 60cm, 80cm and 122cm faces, all at 30m) - see definitions below.

American Round will be assumed unless Burntwood American is ticked.

Venue: Six Villages Sports Centre, Westergate, West Sussex.

The Sports Centre itself is in the grounds of the Ormiston Six Villages Academy.

Address: Lime Avenue, Westergate, Chichester PO20 3UE. See website for maps.

Timing: Assembly 10:15am, sighters at 10:30am.

Gates open at 9:30am (please try not to arrive earlier)

Cost: Shooting, including BBQ, £14. Additional BBQ meals £6 each. Payment in advance with entry.

BBQ typically includes burger, sausage, pulled-pork, roll and salad. All BBQ meat from local quality butcher. Vegetarian options available. Please let us know any dietary requirements. Please make cheques payable to "Six Villages Archery Club" and post with this form to:

"American", Six Villages Archery Club, 8 Marlborough Close, Chichester, West Sussex PO19 7XW.

Payment via BACS: **Lloyds Bank**, sort code **30-99-50**, account **42392468**, name **"Six Villages Archery Club"**. Please use **"USA"** followed by your name as the reference. Please mark the entry form to indicate you have used BACS for payment.

Entries: Numbers are limited so please enter early to ensure place. Places only secured once payment has been received. No substitutions will be accepted after closing date (see below).

American Round Prizes: Prizes in all main bow categories for depending on entries.

All standards welcome, but to be eligible for main category prizes the archer's Classification must not be better than "Bowman 2nd Class" and their handicap meet the following:

Outdoor Handicap not better (smaller number) than:	U21 Women	U21 Men	Women	Men	50+ Women	50+ Men
Recurve	48	43	42	37	48	43
Compound	31	27	25	21	31	27
Barebow	63	58	58	52	63	58
Longbow	84	77	78	71	84	77

Archers with Classification of Bowmen 1st Class (or higher) or handicaps better (smaller number) than those stated above are still welcome but will not be eligible for main prizes.

An AGB handicap must be provided for "ineligible" archers - see Handicaps.

Juniors (under 18): All juniors to be accompanied by a responsible adult (who may be shooting). Junior prizes will be awarded on handicap regardless of round shot. Fill in "Lady/Gent", "Bow type" etc. and "Age Group". Tick "Burntwood" if required. **An AGB handicap must be provided for Junior archers - see Handicaps.**

VI Archer: Defined as meeting AGB requirements. VI prizes will be awarded on handicap regardless of round shot. Fill in "Lady/Gent", "Bow type" etc and then tick "VI". Tick "Burntwood" if required. **An AGB handicap must be provided for VI archers - see Handicaps.** Note that there are currently no handicap tables for the rounds in Part 11 of the Rules of Shooting so please ensure that any attempt to gain a handicap is made by shooting suitable qualifying rounds.

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Senior archers (over 18) shooting Burntwood American: Prizes will be awarded on handicap. Fill in "Lady/Gent", "Bow type" etc. and then tick "Burntwood". **An AGB handicap must be provided for senior archers shooting the Burntwood American - see Handicaps.**

Handicaps: A current and valid AGB outdoor handicap **MUST** be provided where required above (for all "ineligible", Junior and VI archers and archers over 18 shooting Burntwood American) by the day of tournament and **be valid on day of tournament** or a handicap of zero will be assumed (therefore zero handicap allowance). SVAC reserve the right to perform a check on submitted handicaps and challenge them based on scores during the tournament.

See the SVAC website (link below) for the handicap tables that will be used for calculating results for the Burntwood American round. Please note that the Burntwood American results cannot currently be accepted by Records Officers for Classifications, Handicaps etc. although they may be accepted for Records.

GNAS/ArcheryGB: A GNAS/ArcheryGB membership number must be declared on the entry form and membership cards must be provided for inspection at registration. Dress regulations in accordance with GNAS rule 307.

Arrows: 'All-carbon' arrow shafts are NOT permitted. Archers are required to stay until their lost arrows are found.

Smoking: Smoking (including e-cigarettes and "vaping") is **NOT permitted** anywhere on the Ormiston Six Villages Academy grounds.

Photographs: People wishing to take photographs during the tournament must register their details with the Tournament Organiser. If parents/carers have any particular concern about their child / young person being photographed or filmed they should notify the Tournament Organisers.

Animals: Only assistance animals are permitted on the Ormiston Six Villages Academy grounds. If you intend bringing an assistance animal please inform the Tournament Organiser and ensure that you have suitable paperwork to prove the animal's status.

Closing date: The closing date is Thursday 27th June 2024. We may still accept entries after this date but please contact us first - there will also be a £2 surcharge. No refunds or substitutions after the closing date.

GDPR: When you enter competitions the following information may be collected and shared by Tournament Organisers: Gender, Bow Style, Age Category, Club, Round and disability where related to round shot. Contact information such as email addresses, residential addresses & phone numbers will not be published and only available to the Tournament Organiser to enable them to contact the archer if required. The information supplied will be held no longer than 18 months after the event so the Tournament Organiser can publish results from that year and email addresses will only be used for communication about this tournament and notification of next year's tournament. All emails sent will place your email address as "blind carbon copy" (BCC) so that it is not visible to other recipients.

DISCLAIMER: Six Villages Archery Club, Ormiston Six Villages Academy and Freedom Leisure do not accept responsibility for any loss or damage to person/s or their property (including arrow damage) that may occur, however caused.

Covid-19. This prospectus is published on the assumption that UK Government and ArcheryGB restrictions will allow SVAC to put on the Tournament as it has been in pre-Covid-19 years. If this turns out not to be the case, the changes will be considered and options presented to those who have entered at that point.