



Northern Virginia Archers

May 2024

Date of Meeting: May 2, 2024

NORVA members in attendance:

Ken Wilkinson
Jason Middleton

Gerry Petraitis

John Shea

Uwe Jacobs

Next Club Shoot
Hunter, Animal, & 3-D Pin shoot
June 8 (shotgun start at 9:00 am)

Message from the Board

As required in NORVA's by-laws, this Newsletter is a report to the membership of the Board's actions. It also constitutes the minutes from the May 2024 meeting.

General Items

The May 2024 meeting was led by President Ken Wilkinson.

Internet service for the clubhouse

Ken has reviewed different options for having internet service at the clubhouse. The most economical option is a cellular repeater with a cell modem. The upfront cost would be approximately \$1,600. This would fix the problem of having a cellular dead zone in and around the clubhouse. One other option to consider before making a decision would be Cell-Fi.

Targets

Ken checked on the Club's supply of targets. He estimates that our current supply should last us 2 – 3 years.

Treasurer John Shea's announcement

John announced that he would be moving out of the Northern Virginia area this summer for personal reasons. He sent out a Club announcement to recruit his successor. He already received some responses.

All those present at the meeting agreed that his successor will have large shoes to fill. John's dedication and professionalism have been a blessing to the Club.

Membership (Gerry Petraitis)

There were 29 people at the May 5 new-member orientation. That brings the club's total membership to 773.

If you know of someone who is interested in joining, have them sign up on the club's website at <https://norva.club/home/join-norva/>

Web Master (Uwe Jacobs)

Uwe reports that all systems are running within acceptable parameters. He will update the Club website as needed for Club shoots.

Treasurer's Report (John Shea)

NORVA Treasurer Monthly Report For April 2024

Description	Credits	Debits	Notes
Member renewal dues	445.76		via Square
New member dues	1,674.18		via Square
Merchandise	283.84		\$60 cash, rest via Square
Fridge snacks/drinks income	24.38		\$14 cash, rest via Square
Shoot income	251.83		\$223 cash, rest via Square
Shoot expenses		318.96	
Dunkin Donuts & coffee		55.09	For new member orientation
Volunteer burritos		24.50	For new member orientation
Clubhouse termite treatment		1,400.00	
Assorted target faces		1,454.60	
Wilkinson NFAA renew		72.00	
Donuts & boards for work party		39.68	
iFastnet web & email service		19.99	
Dominion Energy		225.82	for two months
Waste Management		84.93	Pickup every two weeks (got credit for rolling back price increase)
United Site Services		598.46	Service for potty weekly; sink every two weeks. This amount was for two months.
Verizon		78.45	Clubhouse phone
Totals	2,679.99	4,372.48	
Month-end bank balance	62,722.29		
Projected year-end balance	52,342*		\$10,000 desired minimum reserve
* will be less once additional maintenance & improvement work is estimated and approved.			

Volunteers Needed for Tournaments and Field Course

The Club needs a Tournament Chair and a Field Course Captain. Please contact a club officer if you are interested in helping out the Club while having fun. Ex-President Joe Wolfe has agreed to fill in as Tournament Chair on a temporary basis, until we find a permanent Chair.