

Welcome to Ohio County Archery

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Our Mission: To provide students in grades 4 to 12, **“FREE”** Safe Basic Archery Training.

Communication: **TeamReach APP** is our main communication tool. Our **website** also has information. **Facebook** is our main opportunity to promote our archers and our NASP program. Questions, thoughts or concerns should be directed to me on TeamReach (direct message) email, text or call. **NOT Facebook**

A BIG Thanks, we could not do this without ALL of our Coaches, Parents and Sponsors: Amanda & Bill Cooke, Steve Benyo, Stephanie Bohn, Ed & Tina Sparks, Josh Cockran, Jessica Brock, Mark Wilson, Matt Croft, Sean Crow, Chris & Julie Koehler, Mark Klug and many others that have gone through the training and they really help at practice or behind the scenes. **“FREE” Coaches Training Opportunities’**, coming up next month. You only must attend one training date. Friday, October 31 or Saturday, November 1. Both are at BSMS from 9:00 am to 3:30. Please see me if interested as we always need parents to help us.

Our SPONSORS: Ohio County Wildlife League, Bass Pro Shops & Cabela’s, Whitetails Unlimited, WV Bowhunter’s Association.

About - National Archery in the Schools Program or **NASP** is our governing body. We are not under WVSSAC. NASP has State Tournaments and National Tournaments as well as a World Tournament. NASP also recognizes archers for Academic Success with a program called **Academic Archer**. To be an Academic Archer a student must have a G.P.A. of 3.00 or higher. We will collect our eligible archer’s name and their semester report card GPA when they come out in January. Archery is a very safe & highly organized sport. As coaches we must go through the BAI course, taught by the WVDNR. Archers are taught specific whistle commands to be followed. Archery is Co-Ed and it is both an individual and team sport. We shoot arrows from two distances 10 meters and 15 meters. We **ONLY** use the Genesis Original Bow and Easton 1820 Arrows.

Cost: “FREE” to just come to learn and shoot arrows with us we will provide Genesis Bows & Easton 1820 arrows

- **Tournaments:**

- ☐ Team shirt is \$15 & OCA Hoodie \$26
- ☐ We provide bows, arrows, and bus transportation to tournaments.
- ☐ Tournament entry fees vary between \$8 to \$10. Attending Tournaments are NOT Required to be part of our program. You can go to as many tournaments or as few as you want to.
- ☐ Archery Tournaments are like golf in that you have flight time. When finished shooting (usually 45 minutes) archers are free to leave with their parents. (if rode the bus must sign your archer out)
- ☐ Archers riding the bus bring money as we will stop at Wendy’s on the way to BSMS.
- ☐ Highly Recommend Parents & Archers download the NASP App

Practice Information: We will start Sunday practices on Sunday October 12th here at BSMS. Google Link to sign up for practice time also on TeamReach. Our first 2 time slots will be for beginner archers.

1st Beginner group from 1:30 – 2:15, 2nd Beginner group from 2:15 – 3:00.
Experienced Archers 3:00 to 4:00, or 4:00 to 5:00
Weekday practices will begin November 4 at West Liberty Elementary on Tuesday’s and Thursday’s from 6:30 to 7:30.

OCA 50 & Club Pins – Archers can earn both Bullseye and 3D Pins of Achievement earned at either practice or tournaments.

High School Athletic Letters – WPHS archers can earn an Athletic Letter like the other sports.

Our “A Shot in the PARK” Tournament at the Highlands is January 16th & 17th.

- ☐ ALL Parents are expected to volunteer for at least 3 hours to help us to continue to make our tournament SAFE and SUCCESSFUL for the archers!!!
- ☐ Set-up Friday and first flight Friday Night
- ☐ We will have Volunteer T-Shirts for \$5.00 (this shirt is your FREE Admission)

2025-26 Archer Expectations

OCA Expectations:

1. Safety, Teamwork and a Desire to learn is a priority.
2. Expected to listen and follow coaches' instructions correctly.
3. Follow School Rules at practice, on the school bus and at tournaments.
4. Remain in the gym while at practice. NO Hanging Out in the hallway or restrooms.
5. Archers are responsible for your own things.
6. Tournament Expectations:
 - a. Archery shirt, & OCA Hoodie, Jeans (no holes) & tennis shoes.
 - b. Remain in the gym or staging area. **NO** Wandering around inside or outside of the school.
7. Bus Expectations:
 - a. Follow Bus Drivers' instructions.
 - b. Assist with the loading and unloading of our archery equipment.
 - c. Always remain seated.
 - d. Boys in the front - Girls in the back there will be a row between with a coach
 - e. Appropriately dressed.
 - f. The noise level is too low.
 - g. We clean up after ourselves.
8. **Archers not following expectations may be withheld from practice, and not allowed to participate in the tournament, without a refund.**

I have read, understand, and will abide by the above OCA Expectations.

If you need assistance with your archers, Archery Shirt, Hoodie, Entry Fees, and Wendy's. Please place an "X" in the box. **This information will be kept confidential.**

PARENT

DATE

ARCHER

DATE

Additional ARCHERS

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Things to Do:

1. ASAP - Archer/Parent Sign-Up Google Form - Link

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdKVT-05c5PTkObakBMT0Zzg7NwK4edh8RAVKPUD1EVJH8Mqw/viewform?usp=sharing&oid=107077146071141347176>

2. ASAP - Practice Time Sign-Up Google Form - Link

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScapHFR_O_vfmGrYOIcaUYEYucwerQcBtxlxZvT5Nz8QV_S1g/viewform?usp=sharing&oid=107077146071141347176

3. Due Oct. 26 - Archer Expectations Google - Link

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1dwB0OweTMCUd4FKXpml120Nf8h7fV-Bx/edit?usp=sharing&oid=107077146071141347176&rtpof=true&sd=true>

4. Due Oct. 26 - Archer GOALS Google - Link

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/17z8Ug04aI2dnz2eGkHJbCjKP9hpq8w95/edit?usp=sharing&oid=107077146071141347176&rtpof=true&sd=true>

5. Due Oct. 26 - Hit The TARGET Fundraiser Google - Link

<https://drive.google.com/file/d/1wYcPzbdSAJLtNvvBVfdaSyeSnC11CJPr/view?usp=sharing>

2025-26 Year in Review

1. Started competing in 3D tournaments
2. 9 Archers participated in the 2nd Annual WV 3D State Tournament
3. Hunter Waldron Placed 6th in the WV State 3D Tournament
4. 94 archers competed in at least one tournament
5. 10 Archers Qualified for the WV State Tournament
6. 3 Placed in the TOP 10 – Kimber 6th Abel 4th Parker 1st
7. 3 Archers Qualified for Eastern Nationals – Parker Placed 5th Able and Kimber
8. 3 Archers Qualified for World's – Kimber 1st – Parker 8th & Abel DNP
9. Counting both Bullseye and 3D we offered 25 Archery Tournaments including (2) each at both BSMS and WLE
10. A Shot in the PARK 306 archers, (2024 we had 813 Archers)
11. A Shot in the PARK 3D 156 archers out of a possible 192 very successful!!!
12. Thanks to Amanda, Michelle, Steve & Julie Senior Recognition was the BEST yet!!!
13. End of year Picnic was once again a success – Thank You to ALL the Parents that brought a covered Dish and helped - Wildlife League of OC donated \$3,000
14. We had 5 successful NASP – BAI – Coaches Trainings



2025-26 Archery Tournaments

Updated as of September 25

1. Nov 22nd BSMS Scrimmage Set up begins at 12:00 noon 1st flight 1:00PM
2. December 6th FALL FUN Shoot at Guntry
3. ??? December 13th Frozen Gator Ritchie County WV or Guntry 3D 1:50 minutes
4. December 20th Holiday at West Liberty Elementary
5. January 3rd Portersville Christian PA 1:30 minutes
6. January 10th Storm the Castle Tyler County WV 1:15 minutes
7. January 17th "A Shot in the PARK" & 3-D WV
8. January 24th Jefferson County Christian Toronto OH 1:00 minutes
9. January 31st Cameron HS WV 00:45 Minutes

10. February 7th Groundhog at West Liberty Elementary WV
11. February 14th Jefferson County Christian Toronto OH 1:00 minutes
12. February 21st John Marshall WV :30 minutes
13. February 28th Oak Glen 1:00 Hour

14. March 7th WV 3-D State Tournament Bridgeport, WV 1:45 minutes
15. ??? March 14th Route 50 Shootout Bullseye & 3-D Ritchie County HS WV 1:45 minutes
16. March 21st Patriot Parkersburg South WV 1:53 minutes
17. March 28th WV State Tournament Charleston Civic Center 3:00 Hours

May 7-8 Nationals Louisville, Kentucky

Dates that I am looking for a Tournament or I may Host a Tournament at West Liberty or Guntry April 4th, 11th, 18th and 25th

Archer Name _____

My 2025-26 Archery Season **GOALS**

(Examples of GOALS are below)

GOAL # 1 – Yep, I can do that Goal something you can reach quickly.

1. _____

Goal # 2 – A Realistic Goal: something that you CAN reach if you put in the effort at practice and have the confidence to really want to reach this GOAL.

2. _____

Goal # 3 – Striving for a Goal: something that seems out of your reach, but you have the dedication and the determination to want to accomplish this GOAL.

3. _____



EXAMPLES

Feel free to use or modify these examples into your GOALS.
 Based on your skill level, these Goals can and moved from one column to another.
 You do not have to use any of these examples. You can create your own GOALS.
 The main purpose of these examples is to help you understand and create three
 diverse types of Goals.

Yep, I can do That	Realistic	Striving
To NOT take a break during practice unless it an emergency	Really work on my shooting technique at practice, i.e., anchor, finger placement, keeping my bowhand still, and finding my aim point	To score no lower than all 45's from the 15 meters at a tournament
Attend one tournament	Attend at least half of our tournaments	Attend every tournament
Get stronger to have my bow tighten up at least one more turn	Improve my high score by 10 point this year	Place in the TOP 20 in my division at a tournament
Improve my high score by at least one point	Place in the TOP 20 in my division at a tournament	To Place and receive an award at a tournament
Place in the Top 5 of archers from ONLY my home school	To score no lower than all 45's from the 10 meters at a tournament	Get a 50 from the 15 meters at practice
Be coachable – listen and really work on the things that the coach is saying to HELP me to shoot a tighter and more consistent grouping	Get a 50 from the 10 meters at practice	Get a 50 at a tournament

2025 OCA Fundraiser

Archer: _____

Total Collected: _____



A. \$1 _____ F. \$6 _____

B. \$2 _____ G. \$7 _____

C. \$3 _____ H. \$8 _____

D. \$4 _____ I. \$9 _____

E. \$5 _____ J. \$10 _____