

Cowtown Bowmen Archery Club

Cowtown Cowpatty

NOVEMBER 2014

NEW ROAD SECTION FOR ENTERENCE TO COWTWON BOWMEN

For some time now we have continually fought the battle on the main road in against mud holes and erosion. We have been on the lookout for a really good deal on some reclaimed paving work and we stumbled across a contractor willing to do the work for a really good price, as well as providing a guarantee for all work for one year. We hope to be able to have the rest of the road in paved in this manner next year, budget provided, and general consensus approves.

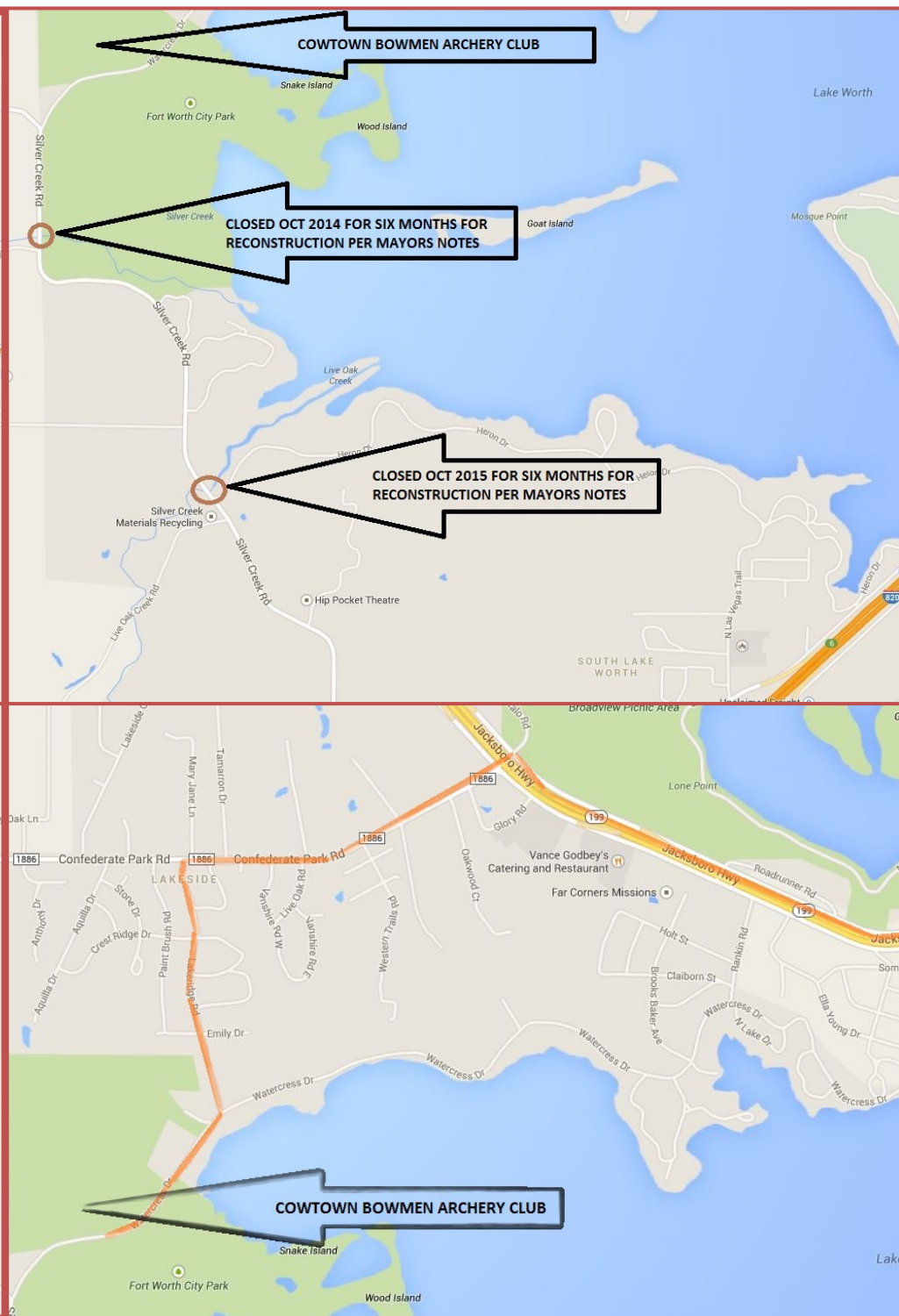


ROAD CLOSURES ON SILVER CREEK RD EFFECTING COWTOWN BOWMEN ARCHERY CLUB

We have been made aware that Silver Creek Rd, between the club and Loop 820 will be having some major constriction beginning this November, which will result in the road being closed to thru traffic for 6 months to rebuild two bridges along that route. See below for areas affected and Alt Route Map to our club when this road is closed. Also below is note from lakeside Mayor from Lakeside Newsletter dated Sept 2014.

Please do not hesitate to contact me with any questions, concerns or comments.

Thank you,
Chuck Hubbard
[817-709-7169]



MESSAGE FROM MAYOR PATRICK JACOB

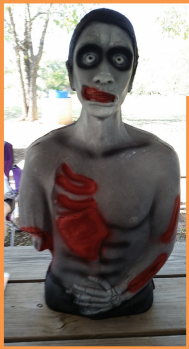
Rebuilding Silver Creek Road. There was a meeting in July attended by area residents and J. D. Johnson your County Commissioner & Dennis Shringleton District 7 Fort Worth City Councilman. There were representatives from Fort Worth Transportation and Public Works and TxDot. Two bridges will be rebuilt in the process. 1st will be Silver Creek bridge. Beginning October 2014 the road will be closed to thru access for 6 months as the bridge is demolished and rebuilt. Starting October 2015, Live Oak bridge will be rebuilt, again closing thru access for 6 months. During the 18 month time frame, Silver Creek Road will be rebuilt. During the time the road work is underway, traffic will be able to drive on the road. The City of Fort Worth is going to widen the road within the limits of their Right of Way. They will not be making improvements to the county portion of the road. A light at the intersection of 1886 and Silver Creek is not planned.

As always, check the Town's website for the latest information <http://www.lakesidetexas.us>

ZOMBIE APOCALYPSE SHOOT

Thank you, Thank you, Thank you. To everyone who came out and shot with us. We had a total of 53 shooters yesterday, enjoying the wonderful weather, some delicious food and treats, and most importantly each other's company. Had a blast. Winner of the Adult Prize was **Donna Bowman**, winner of the cub prize was **Eli Jones**. Best dressed zombie honors go to **Faith Wheeler**, and pumpkin carving braggin rights go to **Bob Combest** with 'Pumpkin Pie Maker'.

Thank you to all that came out and of course those who volunteered to make this event happen: Bob Combest, Tim Whitaker, Donnie Bowmen, Kevin Hubbard, Gerri Dyde, And Chuck Hubbard. If I missed anyone who helped, please accept my apologies as your help is greatly appreciated.



UPDATED MAP FOR FIELD AND 3D RANGES

Please see the attached updated map of the Field and 3D archery ranges. We have set 14 targets along the field range course so that we do not have any issues with two conflicting ranges and possible unsafe situations. This way you can walk thru the field/3D course and shoot along the way. Once the Field Range is completed, there will be target faces up so you can shoot both along the way, or one or the other, shooters choice. We do ask that you only shoot an arrow or two at each 3D target and then move to the next target. This will help prolong the life of the targets as well as keep people moving along the course in case anyone is coming in behind you.



2015 COWTOWN BOWMEN BUDGETARY COMMITTEES & CHAIRPERSONS

Range Maintenance – Will propose the budget for 2015 for range ~~maint.~~ including any expected expenses for ~~equip.~~ ~~Maint.~~ target replacement or repair, etc.

Chairperson – Chuck Hubbard hubbase@live.com

Awards – Will propose a budget for awards for all club level shoots and championship for 2015. This committee will also propose costs for medallion or other prize to be given away to children who participate in our shoots.

Chairperson – Kevin Powell Kevin_powell29@yahoo.com

Club Level Shoot & Championship Format – Will propose a format for all club level shoots, including requirements to qualify for Club Championship as well as Club Championship format.

Chairperson – Donnie Bowman teambowman1@yahoo.com

Field Archery – Will propose a budget for the costs of getting our field archery range completed and up to snuff so that we can have the possibility of hosting some field events in 2014.

Chairperson – Gerri Dye gerri.dye@charter.net

Membership & PR – Will propose a budget for any expenses for promotions, lane sponsorships, or events to promote the club. Will also include and expenses for the processing and materials for membership packets.

Chairperson – Kevin Hubbard kevin.hubbard@graybar.com

Property Improvements – Will propose a budget for any projects to improve our facility in 2014, including any range improvements, or general grounds improvements.

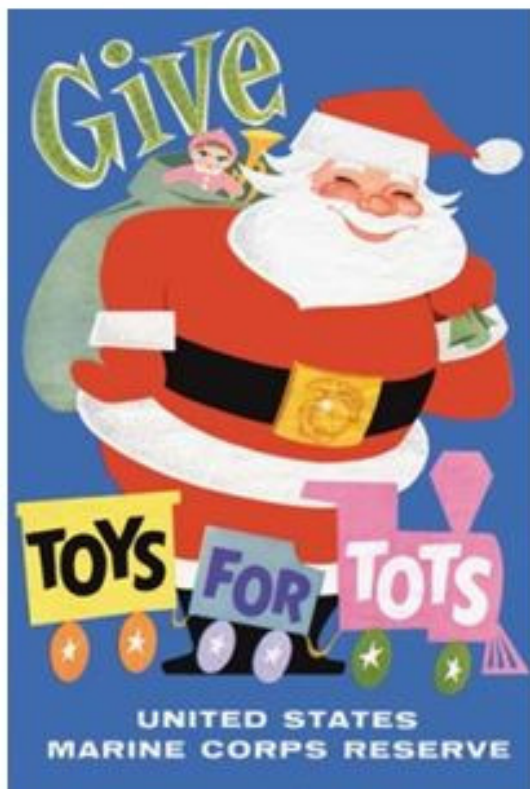
Chairperson – Bob Combest bcombest@hotmail.com

ASA Materials – Will propose a budget for any materials, printed items, ~~etc.~~ that we will need to host the ASA shoot in 2015.

Chairperson – Rusty Kidder rustyk54@msn.com

Note: Club Treasurer Bob Combest will also present a budget for the clubs general operating expenses which include club insurance, lease payment, toilets and trash expense.

1st Annual Cowtown Toys for Tots Toy Drive Shoot



We will be hosting a 20 target 3D shoot on December 7th, 2014, shooting starts @ 8am, ends @ 2pm.

Shoot Fees – (1) new unwrapped toy or \$10 per shooter to be spent on toys to donate to the Toys for Tots organization for them to distribute to area kids in need.

We will also have a toy collection box at the range beginning on Nov 1st for those whom wish to donate early, or often. I will be collecting them and storing them until our event so we can donate them all at the same time.

We will also be having a potluck so if you want to bring anything, please do so.





Congrats to Cowtown Bowmen member Cliff Hausler on his successful hunt

See below for Cliff's account of his hunt on this early season doe in the wind.

“About five thirty, four does came to the feeder. All of them were spooked because of the wind! So I sat and watched as they left. Around six forty this one doe came in, nervous. I let her eat a while and after she calmed down I took the shot. She ran about thirty five yards and collapsed! And the rest as they say is in the freezer!”

Congrats on the hunt and thank you for sharing. ☺

BUDGET COMMITTEES TO MAKE PROPOSALS FOR 2015 BUDGET AT NOVEMBER 17TH CLUB MEETING.

Please see above for the various Budget Committee Chairpersons and let them know if you have any ideas or feedback on the club budget for next year.



COWTOWN BOWMEN CLUB Q & A

Email Questions to cowntowncowpatty@live.com

This is a new section of our newsletter that we will use to answer frequent questions regarding the club, meeting, funding for projects, volunteer opportunities, and range and facility rules. Please email all questions that you would like published to the above newsletter email account and we will do our best to get them in our next monthly newsletter.

Question: What is the term of my yearly membership?

Answer: Cowtown Bowmen membership duration is Jan 1st thru Dec 31st of each calendar year. We hold a Membership Drive Shoot in Jan in which if you join on or before that shoot, you get to shoot the fun shoot for free. We also change the lock at the front gate at this shoot, so it is a perfect time to join for the coming year and get your key so your access is not restricted to the club.

2014 COWTOWN BOWMEN SHOOT SCHEDULE

- ~~01/19/14 – Cowtown Membership Drive Shoot~~
~~02/22-23/14 – Winter Traditional Championship~~
~~03/08-09/14 – Cowtown ASA State Qualifier~~
~~03/30/14 [Sun] – Cowtown Club Shoot #1~~
~~04/12-13/14 – Cowtown Club Shoot #2 [Weekend shoot, start 10am on Sat,
start 8am on Sunday, cards in Sun at noon]~~
~~05/17-18/14 – Cowtown Club Shoot #3 [Weekend shoot, see above]~~
~~06/08/14 [Sun] – Cowtown Club Shoot #4 [8am start, cards in by noon, awards 1]~~
~~06/28-29/14 – Recurve Championship Shoot~~
~~07/20/14 – Cowtown Club Championship [8am start]~~
~~09/07/14 – National Archery Day [8am start]~~
~~10/26/14 – Zombie Apocalypse Shoot [10am-5pm]~~
12/07/14 – Toys for Tots drive fun shoot [more details as we firm this up]



Upcoming Events


Nov 17th, 2014 @ 7pm – Monthly Club Meeting at Spring Creek BBQ in Lake Worth on Hwy 199, just north of Loop 820. We will be attempting to do a final vote on our 2015 Budget, so if you would like to attend and vote, please do.

Dec 6th, 2014 @ 7am - Set up work party for Toys for Tots shoot


Dec 7th, 2014 @ 8am – Toys for Tots Benefit shoot. Bring one unwrapped toy for your entry fee, 20 3D target fun shoot.

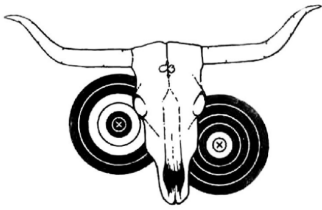


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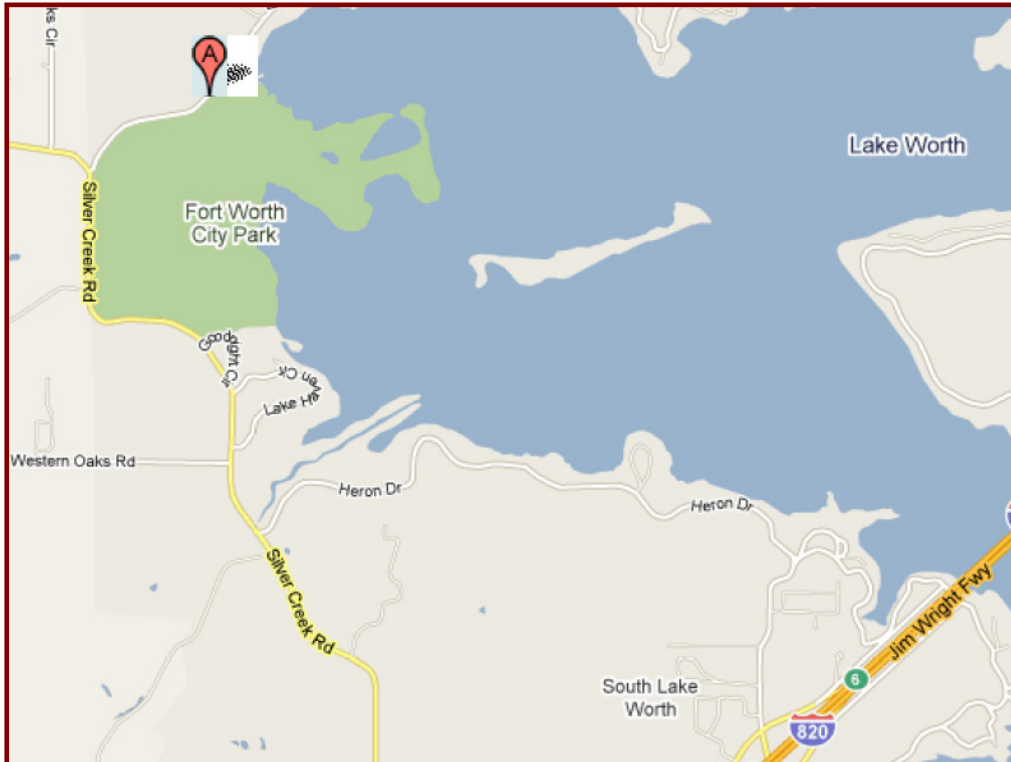
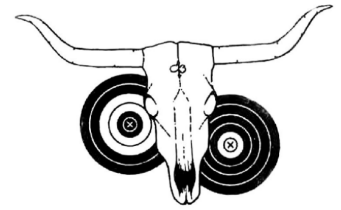
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