



October 2017

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Welcome.....

to the Middlesex County Archery Association Worcester League 2017/18

25 teams have entered this year 7 more than last year.

10 senior/mixed Recurve A teams (8 in 2016)

4 senior/mixed Recurve B teams (5 in 2016)

0 Junior Recurve teams (0 in 2016)

4 Longbow teams (3 in 2015)

2 Compound teams (2 in 2015)

New: 5 Barebow teams

Senior Recurve A Team League

10 "A" teams have entered.

As there are more than 6 clubs in the A team league, they have been allocated to 2 divisions. Last year's aggregate scores were used to allocate places. 2016/17s 1st, 3rd, 5th, and 7th teams were allocated to Division 1, and 2nd, 4th, 6th, and 8th teams were allocated to Division 2.

| | Club | Aggregate 2016/17 | Division 2017/18 |
|-----------|--------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| 1 | Hampstead | 4090 | 1 |
| 2 | Harrow | 4075 | 2 |
| 3 | Aquarius | 3981 | 1 |
| 4 | Pinner | 3720 | 2 |
| 5 | Harefield | 3502 | 1 |
| 6 | UoL | 3498 | 2 |
| 7 | Spelthorne | 3263 | 1 |
| 8 | Cranford | 3137 | 2 |
| New | Laleham | | 1 |
| Returning | Brent Valley | | 2 |

A Teams : Division 1

| Club | Opponents | | | | |
|--------------|-----------|------|------|------|------|
| | Nov | Dec | Jan | Feb | Mar |
| A.Hampstead | Spel | Aqu | Hare | Bye | Lal |
| B.Spelthorne | Ham | Lal | Bye | Aqu | Hare |
| C. Aquarius | Hare | Ham | Lal | Spel | Bye |
| D. Harefield | Aqu | Bye | Ham | Lal | Spel |
| E.Laleham | Bye | Spel | Aqu | Hare | Ham |
| F.Bye | | | | | |

A Teams: Division 2

| Club | Opponents | | | | |
|-----------------|-----------|------|------|------|------|
| | Nov | Dec | Jan | Feb | Mar |
| A. Harrow | Pin | UoL | BV | Bye | Cran |
| B. UoL | BV | Har | Cran | Pin | Bye |
| C. Cranford | Bye | Pin | UoL | BV | Har |
| D.Pinner | Har | Cran | Bye | Uol | BV |
| E. Brent Valley | UoL | Bye | Har | Cran | Pin |
| F. Bye | | | | | |

The Recurve A Team League Trophy will be awarded to the team with the highest points, over the two divisions and in the case of a draw, the one with the highest aggregate score of the joint winners.

Senior Recurve B Team League

4 Clubs have entered second teams ("B" teams) for whom there is a separate trophy:

Aquarius Archery Club
Pinner Bowmen
Harrow Bowmen
Harefield Archery Club

B Teams

| Club | Opponents | | | | |
|--------------|-----------|------|-----|------|------|
| | Nov | Dec | Jan | Feb | Mar |
| A. Aquarius | Bye | Bye | Pin | Hare | Harr |
| B.. Pinner | Bye | Hare | Aqu | Harr | Bye |
| C. Harrow | Hare | Bye | Bye | Pin | Aqu |
| D. Harefield | Harr | Pin | Bye | Aqu | Bye |
| E. Bye | | | | | |
| F. Bye | | | | | |

Junior League

There is no Junior League this year due to no entries.

Longbow League

4 Longbow teams have entered this year.

Aquarius
Spelthorne
Pinner
Brent Valley

| Club | Opponents | | | | |
|-----------------|-----------|------|-----|-----|------|
| | Nov | Dec | Jan | Feb | Mar |
| A. Pinner | BV | Spel | Bye | Aqu | Bye |
| B. Aquarius | Spel | Bye | BV | Pin | Bye |
| C. Spelthorne | Aqu | Pin | Bye | Bye | BV |
| D. Brent Valley | Pin | Bye | Aqu | Bye | Spel |
| E. Bye | | | | | |
| F. Bye | | | | | |

Compound League

There are only 2 Compound teams this year.

Teams:

Spelthorne
Brent Valley

To make a competition, as last year, they will shoot against each other every month.

| Club | Opponents | | | | |
|-----------------|-----------|------|------|------|------|
| | Nov | Dec | Jan | Feb | Mar |
| A. Brent Valley | Spel | Spel | Spel | Spel | Spel |
| B. Spelthorne | BV | BV | BV | BV | BV |

Barebow League

6 Barebow teams have entered the new Barebow league.

Laleham
Aquarius
Hampstead
Brent Valley
Harrow
University of London

| Club | Opponents | | | | |
|-----------------|-----------|------|------|------|------|
| | Nov | Dec | Jan | Feb | Mar |
| A. Laleham | BV | Hamp | Aqu | Lal | UoL |
| B. Aquarius | Hamp | Aqu | Lal | UoL | Harr |
| C. Hampstead | Aqu | Lal | UoL | Harr | BV |
| D. Brent Valley | Lal | UoL | Harr | BV | Hamp |
| E. Harrow | UoL | Harr | BV | Hamp | Aqu |
| F. UoL | Harr | BV | Hamp | Aqu | Lal |

Rules:

I attach a copy of the League Rules for reference. They have been amended to include the new Barebow League. Otherwise they are the same as before.

Points will be awarded as follows:

- 3 for a win
- 2 for a draw
- 1 for a loss
- 0 points for Did Not Shoot

Remember **if you have a Bye you still have to shoot to claim your 3 points**, and to build up your aggregate points which might be crucial.

Teams should be selected by score and not pre-selected. Everyone of the same bow type must shoot at the same time and place, but if space does not allow everyone to shoot together, you can shoot in additional sessions. Only their first score counts if an archer shoots in more than one session.

Non-Middlesex Associates are not eligible to take part, but if you have an associate from another Middlesex Club they may shoot for you as long as they do not shoot in the same league for their main club too, but they can shoot for different leagues for different clubs. eg Middlesex archers can shoot recurve for one club and longbow for another.

Individual Awards

Individual awards will be made for the highest scores of men, women, junior boys and junior girls for each bow type.

Monthly Results

Please forward the monthly results to me on the Excel form which I enclose. Please enter the scores using Excel so that I can use the spreadsheet to compile the results without additional work. (Do not convert the form to a Word document)

Include everyone who shot, as they can all be considered for individual awards even if they were not in the team.

Send them to me by e-mail by the 7th of the following month. Please do not be late, so that I can issue the results to date in a monthly Newsletter by 10th of the following month. But don't necessarily wait to send at the last moment if you have them ready earlier. I can then get on with compiling results and get the results out as soon as possible.

Also send the result to your opponent club.

Team Medals

There will be medals for first and second teams in the recurve A teams' league.

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If you have spotted any errors or have any queries or comments please contact me, and I will try to provide a solution.

Finally, GOOD SHOOTING over the winter.

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