

PORT COQUITLAM & DISTRICT HUNTING AND FISHING CLUB

RETURN TO PLAY PLAN

(ADAPTED FROM THE BC ARCHERY PLAN)

Archery is an individual sport and is well suited to early reintroduction into our communities. By its nature, it is often social, but has much of the Physical Distancing required built into the sport already.

Those participants from the same family or share the same “bubble” may shoot at the same target without restriction of physical distancing on their target, while ensuring to follow the physical distancing protocols with those participating on other targets.

REGISTRATION

There will be a limit of 50 archers (and volunteers) allowed at the shoot as outlined by the Public Health Officer.

All archers will be required to pre-register/pre-pay for their spot. We will hold the shoot rain or shine (no refunds on registration).

Spaces will be given on a first come basis and payment must be made via e-transfer to secure your spot.

DAY OF THE SHOOT

Before attending the shoot, ask yourself, does anyone in the group:

1. Feel unwell?
2. Have a cough or cold?
3. Have a Fever?
4. Been in contact with someone who is known to have COVID-19 in the last 14 days?

If the answer is **YES** to any of these questions, they should not attend.

All archers will be required to check in and sign a waiver before commencing and will need to “sign out” at the end of the day. Please note that there will not be an awards ceremony at the end of the shoot (this will be done online) and therefore all participants should leave once they have finished checking out.

All archers will be required to:

- Bring their **own bottle of hand sanitizer** that they will carry with them on the course.
- Bring their own pencil or pen for scoring (score cards will be provided but not collected).
- Arrive to begin shooting prior to 10:30am. (Range opens at 8:30am). Note: we are not doing designated times but we will be spacing groups apart.

There will **NOT** be a concession. Archers will need to bring a lunch with them or arrange to head offsite for it. (there is a subway just down the hill.) We will set up tables and chairs so that groups can remain socially distanced while eating. Please wipe down any areas after use with the provided cleaning solution.

Please note, we will not have the practice range open.

GROUP SIZE AND DISTANCING

We are limiting groups to four (4) archers so that everyone may keep a safe distance even within their own group. Exceptions may be made in special cases (ie. Five members in a family.)

Only shoot with people who are in your “bubble” or family. Keep 2 meters away.

Keep a good distance from other groups. If there is a backup and more than one group is waiting at a target, spread out down the trail so that there is a minimum of 2 meters between any two groups.

If you are letting a faster group shoot through, only do so when the trail allows 2 meters between groups.

Once your group has finished shooting 40 targets, please verbally submit your score and then leave. We will be posting high scores up online and will NOT be doing a gathering at the end for prizes nor ribbons.

SCORING AND PULLING ARROWS

Each target will have a bottle of cleaning solution. Each group will be required to spray the target after pulling their arrows.

Archers should try to touch the targets as little as possible, and when doing so try not to place hands on the target. (ie. Use your knee against the target while gripping your arrow.)

Archers should score and pull their own arrows unless everyone in the group feels comfortable doing otherwise.