



**The 5th Klondike Longbow
Tournament
Malvern Archers
Saturday 26th August 2023**

Tournament Report and Results



It was nice to get this Tournament back on the calendar after four years, and we were delighted that you were able to navigate the new booking system and join us for it's return.



Tournament headlines

Gents -

We had a close match back in 2019 and from the first distance it was battle resumed and we could predict it was likely to be between Kevin and Henry for Gold and Silver. Indeed both Archers shot clean at 60 yards with a points advantage to Kevin.

The other Gents were going for the final podium place, or were having their own battles with friends or the conditions. It was Ken who started strongest on his claim for that Bronze.

While Henry got the better of the scores at 50 yards an uncharacteristic miss found it's way onto the card and left him needing Kevin to falter. Yes this is a Longbow Tournament and not compound, but the standard was high.

Kevin stayed clean for the last distance to take the Gold. Henry's top score of the day secured Silver.

Ken held third with the next highest total of Golds 1 more than Graham who will settle for being Malvern's top Gent on the day.

Keith took Bowmen of the Deans honours on Hits count but Chris would have taken in on either Score or Golds.

Ladies -

Fang made an excellent start on score, but it was Kathryn that lead the way by 3 Hits upon completion of the first distance.

Tricia however had by far the best 50 Yards, with only one miss and this brought her right back into contention, with Fang moving in front of Kathryn by 3 Hits.

On the final distance Tricia coped best with the wet conditions and had no misses and the best distance score.

So we ended with a tie on Hits between Fang and Tricia 88 with Kathryn on 87, so, so close. It therefore came to Total score to decide Gold and Silver with Fang winning by 8 points.

Third place went to Judy who's Gold tally was 3rd best behind Fang and Tricia.

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Best Gold -

Decided on the second scoring end, so not long to get your sight mark. I was very glad I had packed a tape measure, as Richard took it with a shot just 48mm from the spider, with Henry a very, very close second at just 50mm from centre. Small margins for sure in Longbow.



The Worst white—

This was also on a pre-nominated end and perfectly fit the story line, with a lucky line cutter for Keith which needed the Field Captains confirmation to get the single point and trophy. Hope you've painted it by now Keith.

Conditions—

The weather forecast for the day was pretty horrible, so we were quite surprised to be setting up the field in sunshine, and the good weather lasted through the first distance.

There was a light shower later but for the start of the 3rd distance it was looking ominous, so we decided to sit out a threatening Thunderstorm for a few minutes. It was still raining when shooting resumed, though the worst had passed there were a few rain dampened ends to keep things interesting.



Gentlemen's Results

Archer	Club	60 YDS			50 YDS			40 YDS			Gents Full round total			Gents		
		Score_1	Hits_1	Gold_1	Score_2	Hits_2	Gold_2	Score_2	Hits_2	Gold_2	Score	Hits	Gold	Most Hits	High Score	Most Golds
Kevin Macey	Deer Park	226	36	6	220	36	5	246	36	11	692	108	22	1	2	2
Henry Evans	S&S Bowmen	212	36	6	249	35	14	250	34	15	711	105	35	2	1	1
Ken Milloy	Archers of Teme	148	32	2	160	34	5	191	35	6	499	101	13	3	3	3
Steve Lester	S&S Bowmen	97	25	1	155	33	4	188	32	5	440	90	10	4	4	5
Graham Edwards	Malvern Archers	104	24	1	148	29	5	183	33	6	435	86	12	5	5	4
Richard Hemming	Cheltenham Archers	81	23	1	133	29	3	170	34	4	384	86	8	5	6	6
Keith Phelps	Bowmen of the Deans	78	20	0	114	30	1	145	31	3	337	81	4	7	11	12
Ray Bates	Bowbrook	81	17	3	124	30	1	169	33	3	374	80	7	8	7	8
Chris Woods	Bowman of the Deans	49	15	1	136	30	2	180	34	3	365	79	6	9	8	9
David Quinn	Malvern Archers	82	22	2	117	27	3	145	28	1	344	77	6	10	9	9
Mac Crisp	Gipping Valley Archers	79	20	1	81	21	1	183	33	6	343	74	8	11	10	6
Mark Pattison	Malvern Archers	66	20	2	102	22	0	140	32	2	308	74	4	11	13	12
Tony Davis	Bowflights AC	66	16	0	127	25	3	123	25	3	316	66	6	13	12	9
Michael Finn	WFCA	63	13	0	73	19	1	121	29	0	257	61	1	14	14	15
Jeff Parsons	Malvern Archers	44	16	0	91	19	3	98	24	0	233	59	3	15	15	14

Award

1st Most Hits

2nd High score

3rd Most Golds #2

Gents

Kevin Macey

Deer Park

Henry Evans

Saints and Sinners

Ken Milloy

Archers of Teme

Gold Medal

Silver Medal

Bronze Medal

Notes—#2 Archers can only be awarded one medal in their category.

Ladies Results

Archer	Club	60 YDS			50 YDS			40 YDS			Ladies Full round total			Ladies		
		Score_1	Hits_1	Golds_1	Score_2	Hits_2	Golds_2	Score_2	Hits_2	Golds_2	Score	Hits	Golds	Most Hits Rank	High Score Rank	Most Golds Rank
Fang South	Malvern Archers	148	28	0	176	32	5	146	28	2	470	88	7	1	1	2
Tricia Pillay	Bowmen of the Deans	49	17	0	209	35	7	204	36	7	462	88	14	1	2	1
Kathryn Lester	S&S Bowmen	133	31	1	118	26	0	118	30	2	369	87	3	3	3	4
Judy Krasker	Deer Park	88	22	3	136	30	2	119	31	0	343	83	5	4	4	3
Frances Smith	Bowflights AC	13	5	0	39	13	0	122	30	2	174	48	2	5	5	5

Award

1st Most Hits #1

2nd High score #1

3rd Most Golds #2

Ladies

Fang South

Malvern Archers

Tricia Pillay

Bowman of the Deans

Judy Krasker

Deer Park

Gold Medal

Silver Medal

Bronze Medal

Notes—#1 Gold and Silver tied on Hits and therefore decided on Score.

#2 Archers can only be awarded one medal in their category.





Gemini Pair - Any two Archers from the same club

Based on Highest score then Most hits.

1st Saints and Sinners

Henry Evans & Steven Lester

Combined score 1151 Hits 195

2nd Deer Park Archers

Kevin Macey & Judy Krasker

Combined score 1035 Hits 191

3rd Malvern Archers

Fang South & Graham Edwards

Combined score 905 Hits 174

Other Prizes

Best Gold

Richard Hemming

Cheltenham Archers

Worst White

Keith Phelps

Bowman of the deans

Most Daisy Cutters

Frances Smith

Bowflights

Overall Champion— Based on Most Hits

Kevin Macey

Deer Park Archers

With a very impressive 108
Maximum hits.



We hope to see you all next year.



As always a big thank you for all those from Malvern Archers who helped preparing the field and setting up the event. Special thanks to Allan for being both our Field Captain and for awarding the Prizes, Dave for his support throughout the day and of course the ladies looking after refreshments and BBQ .



And where would Archers be without Cake, Oh and Crackers. Thank you to our Bakers, for laying on a marvellous spread.