



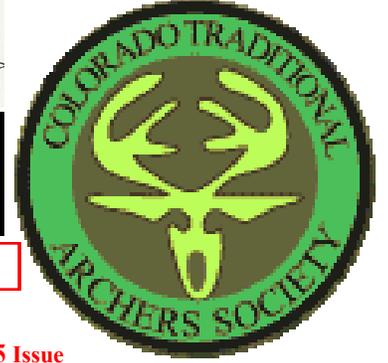
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Editor's Notes: This is my first attempt at the CTAS Newsletter so please bear with me (no pun intended). First, I would like to thank Gary and Connie Renfro for all of the hard work they have done over the past many years publishing this newsletter. I hope that I can follow their fine example and keep the high standards of our newsletter. This newsletter is only as good as the content that I get from the members. So if you

were successful in your hunting endeavor please send me pictures and stories that can be shared with all of our members. If you have any suggestions on how I can make this newsletter better please let me know. This issue includes a summary of the February Banquet as well as some information about our upcoming High Country Shoot. Jim Shanks



Jim Shanks 2014 CO bear

2015 High Country Shoot June 26-28, 2015

Make your plans now to attend the Annual High Country Shoot in the beautiful Flat Top Mountains north of New Castle, Colorado. **We are working trying to get On-line registration for this year's shoot. Hopefully, it will be on the CTAS web site prior to the shoot.**



Kasi Shanks takes aim at HC Shoot

CTAS ON FACEBOOK

Check us out on www.facebook.com and search for Colorado Traditional Archers Society

Chairman's Column

It was nice seeing so many people at the Banquet in Lakewood in February. Thanks so much to Larry and Lil Alma and their crew for putting on another great event. It was especially gratifying to see Chris Reilly awarded as the 2015 Archer of the Year. Chris has always been a steady resource for CTAS particularly his help in setting up and taking down ranges at the High Country and for taking charge of all of the High Country awards. I was extremely surprised and humbled by the beautiful bow that was given to me by Marv Clyncke and Mike Hays at the banquet. The first arrow I shot at a game animal resulted in a nice Texas hog.

In 2016 CTAS will be holding a joint banquet in February with Compton Traditional Bowhunters at the Denver Marriot South. This event will be a much larger event with many great speakers, a large big game display and many traditional bowhunting vendors. Watch for details in future newsletters.

Look at the left side of page 3 of this newsletter to see a list of all of your CTAS Board Members and volunteers. Thanks to all of the returning and new Board Members for all of your time and dedication. The next time you see any of these folks be sure to thank them. Speaking of time and dedication a special thank you goes out to Gary and Connie Renfro for all of their many years of publishing our newsletter.

It is not too early to be thinking about the High Country Shoot which is just a short 3 months away, June 26-28. We are looking forward to another great shoot and gathering of friends. We are working on getting on-line registration on our web site. As of now we are planning to hold the shoot in the same location pending approval of the Forest Service. If you can get there by Thursday and help with setting up the ranges, not only will your help be greatly appreciated but you may get to shoot early.

If you have not seen the CTAS website (www.colotradarchers.com) or the CTAS page on Facebook be sure to check it out. Dirk Dieterich and Sadie Accashian have done great jobs on both of those endeavors. Spring weather is coming. Get out and shoot your bow and I will see you at the Shoot. Dean



Dean and his 2014 Kansas Buck



The Old Timer's Corner.....by Ted Grover

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First and foremost I would like to thank Gary and Connie Renfro for the time and dedication to CTAS for putting out this newsletter. Trying to make a living in today's world is tough enough without the extra time and effort publishing this newsletter. Thank you Gary and Connie. Hope to see you at CTAS functions.

Second I would like to thank Jim Shanks for stepping up and continuing to publish this newsletter. Thank you Jim!

I can remember when the CBA first began and had a newsletter similar to CTAS. Now look how it has progressed and developed into a professional news magazine. I can say the same for Pope & Young. All of this points to success. The alternative is failure and I have seen this in several archery related endeavors. Each and every one of you who have stepped up and no matter how little you think you have helped matters a great deal. Success is measured by the people involved in an organization. I thank each and every one of you! We are a reflection of you!

When I was asked to do this column for this newsletter, I jotted down some subjects I thought might interest you. I don't know how long I have been at this but I have gone through that list and every issue



A slightly younger Ted

I wonder what to write about.

One thing I want to mention is the success in bowhunting that our members are having. I love to see those photos. We are a tool in game management, although it is a small one. I have enjoyed doing my part. This is my 50th year in bowhunting and I have been looking at some of my photos. I can't believe how young I looked. I went to my 50th class reunion this past August and that made me feel better about age as everyone was old like me.

Keep sending those photos. They are a direct result of your dedication and the hard work you put into traditional bowhunting. See you at the High Country Shoot....**Ted**

PRE-REGISTRATION FOR COLORADO TRADITIONAL ARCHERS SOCIETY
23rd ANNUAL HIGH COUNTRY SHOOT
JUNE 26-28, 2015

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PLEASE - NO ATV's AT THE SHOOT UNLESS YOU HAVE PRE-APPROVAL

2015 BANQUET PHOTOS

Photos by Jim Anderson



Chris Reilly Archer of the Year



Guest Speaker Grant Adkisson



First Timer Award Sadie Jo Accashian



Mike Hays presents a bow to Dean Derby

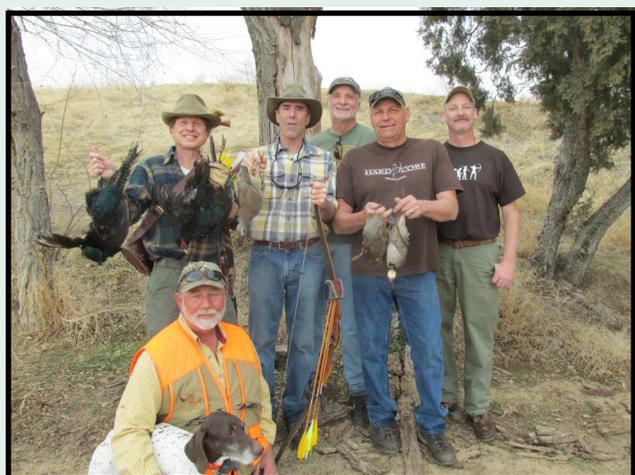


Marv Clyncke



2015 Pheasant Hunt

Photos by Marv Clyncke & Kristi Hargrove



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Scott Hargrove 2014 Bull

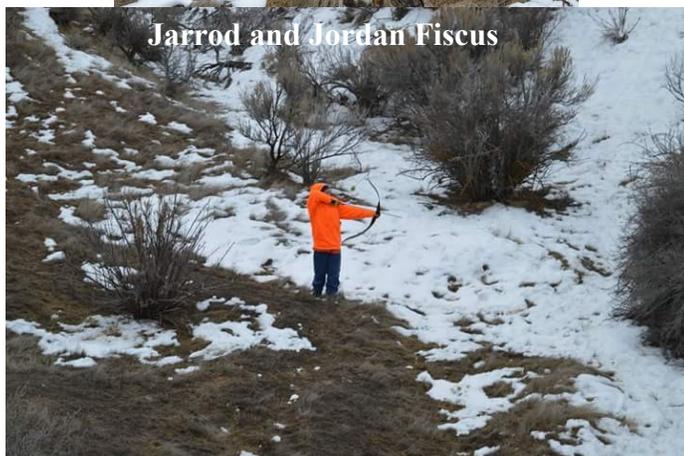


Dean Derby 2015 Texas Pig

2015 CTAS Rabbit Hunt



Jarrold and Jordan Fiscus

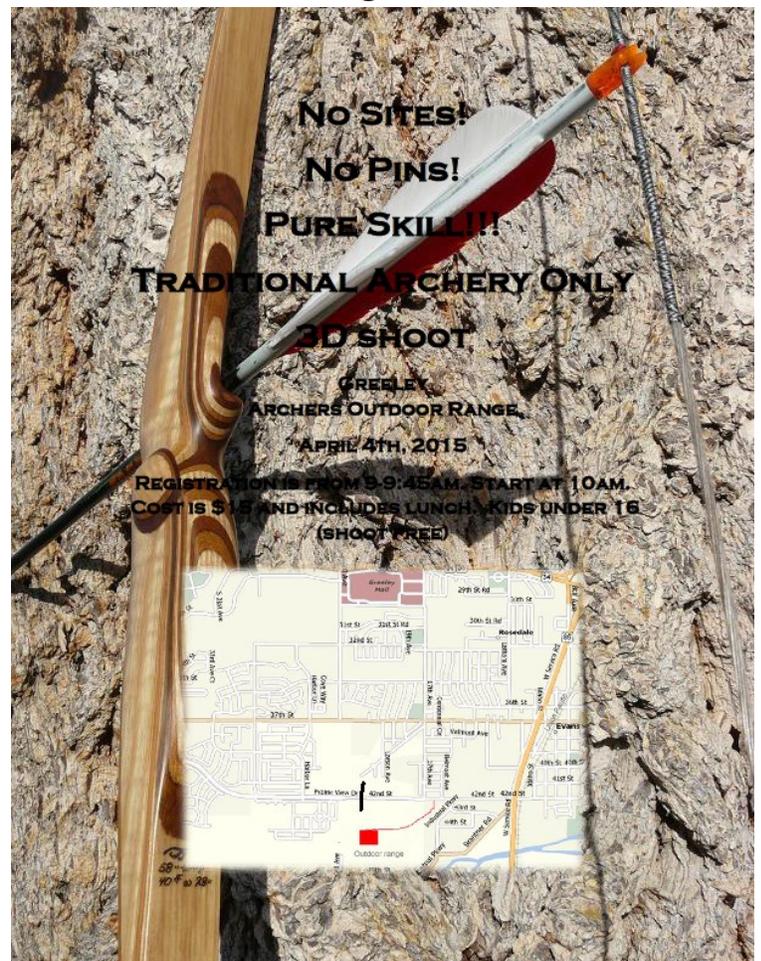


TRADITIONAL SHOOT IN GREELEY

APRIL 4, 2015

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