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This is the beginnings of a move to inform the members of the Club about, and interest them in, the life of the Club, and the practice of Archery in many of its forms.

At the moment there is no particular schedule - monthly, weekly, fortnightly, quarterly, etc. - planned for this newsletter.

The Club is run by volunteers, and at times the demands of other things like work, family, and health get in the way of giving time to the Club.

However it is a fact that 'many hands make light work', even if 'too many cooks spoil the broth', and **YOU** might consider becoming involved (or more involved) in the workings of the Club.

Like most Clubs we have the "stalwarts" who turn up frequently to working bees and to set up for Beginners Classes, and even occasionally get to complete one of the archery rounds.

The "stalwarts" hear the news, and know who has just had startling success in Club shoots and State and National tournaments, and they generally know who's doing what.

But there is also the group of people whom I will label for the moment "The Others", who have joined for whatever reason, but we frequently don't really see again.

"Buzz words" are a bit of a pain, but we want to *reach out* to "The Others", hopefully by e-mail (because that's modern), or by any other method that might get your attention. (Notes on an arrow fired into your front door would probably be going a little too far).

We'd like to encourage you to come to the Club to practice and compete, to socialize to whatever degree suits you, and to become, in time, an active member of our group.

What is the plan for future newsletters?

Later on the newsletter might include results of various shoots in which members are involved, things like Tynan Schilling's Australian records with the Longbow, recently, in the Australian National Archery Championships in Brisbane, and the fact that Jim Gooley is attempting to paper the walls of his home with record cards.

It's not designed to be a gossip sheet - but perhaps a few notes on people won't hurt!

We can show how you can progress up the ladder from Beginner to Grand Master Bowman, and the lovely array of pins and medals you can collect as you go.

Maybe some notes on various bits of gear, and who likes what and why?

Any suggestions may be considered!!!

Who are the people to talk to?

Club President, and a Coach is **Brian Hagaman**.

General enquiries can be directed to Brian on (07) 3289 6497 or hagaman@techsus.com.au



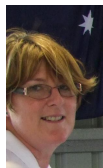
Vice President, and an Archery Instructor, is **Alan Roberts**.



Secretary, and an Archery Instructor, is **Scott Hagaman**.



Treasurer, Club Coach, Uniform Officer, Canteen Convener, and SQAS judge is **Alison Hagaman**.



Equipment Officer, (who is the overseer and maintainer of the Club Equipment) is the aptly named **Dave Arrowsmith**.



Recorder (the man who notes your scores, becomes upset if you can't add up, and sends them to SQAS), and an Archery Instructor is **Tim Millis**.



Field Captain (the man who ensures the safety of shooting line), and an Assistant Archery Instructor, is **Michael Schilling**.



Member Protection Officer, Medical Officer, an Archery Instructor, and In-Charge of First Aid, is **Craig Glasby**.



Publicity Officer (newly co-opted by virtue of not running fast enough), and writer of this mess, is **Evan Fisher**. (evanf@hotkey.net.au)

