

# Calvary Archery Competition Team

Thank you for your interest in the 2023-2024 Calvary Baptist Academy Archery Program!

We would like to welcome you to our Calvary Archery Competition Team!

# Who are your Coaches?

Coach Dale McPhearson Coach Kristi Beaty Coach Phillip Daniels Coach Clint Blakey

When? Tuesday/Thursday right after school until 4:30 pm

This packet will go over the basic information you need to know as we begin.

# DRESS CODE

Sports/athletic shoes are required. Shoes must cover the entire foot. NO open toe shoes or crocs are allowed. No exceptions. If girls have longer hair, they must pull it back into a ponytail for safety. At tournaments archers will be required to wear their team jersey with Jeans or black shorts.

# PICKING YOUR ARCHER UP

Please be prompt in picking your archer up on practice days. The coaches have other obligations in the evening and the dome is used by other groups as soon as archery is finished.

# CONDUCT

While we want archers to enjoy this sport, we do expect they will be respectful at practices and understand that they are being trained to compete. Sometimes Archery can be "boring" but this is a sport and the coaches will be treating it as such. If any archer is not following rules or disrupts practice, they will be given 2 warnings and on the 3rd warning will be asked to sit out the rest of the practice.

## Cell Phones

Cell phone use will not be tolerated. We understand students may need their cell phones to contact parents, however during practice cell phones must be put away in backpacks. Repeated use of cell phones will result in suspension or removal from the team.

# MINIMUM GPA REQUIRED

As with all Calvary Sports, each archer is required to maintain a minimum GPA of 2.0 to remain in the archery program.

# Archery Equipment

# BOWS & ARROWS

The only bow allowed is the NASP® Original Genesis Bow. The only arrows allowed are the NASP® Easton 1820 Aluminum Arrows. We recommend buying one dozen arrows, but you will need no less than 6 to start with.

While you can purchase this equipment anywhere you choose, we HIGHLY recommend going to Hoot & Holler Archery in Bossier City. Below are things they can and will help you with.

- Eye dominance check (this will help determine right or left-handed bow)
- Tied on nock rather than plastic one that bow comes with
- Follow up service.

Just note that if you select a camo color bow you will be required by NASP® rules to tape off your bow during tournaments due to the pattern. Arrows can be any color but must be the correct brand.

## BRINGING YOUR BOW/ARROWS TO PRACTICE

If archers have their own equipment, they may bring their bows to school on practice days or parents may bring them to practices. If bringing items to school, they must be in a bow case and brought to the dome in the morning. The bows will be placed in the archery closet in the Dome.

### FINGER GUARD AND ARM GUARD

If your archer has a finger guard and arm guard, have them bring those to practice. If you do not have one yet, we highly recommend that they at least have the finger guard. Fingers will get very sore from repeated shooting. (They can be bought at Hoot & Holler or Academy and are very inexpensive).

Questions? Contact us at Dale McPhearson (318) 464-8367 or dalemcphearson@gmail.com or via Facebook. www.Facebook.com/CavsArchery

# CBA COMPETITIVE ARCHERY PROGRAM (4th-12th GRADE)

Our competitive archery program will meet every Tuesday/Thursday in The Dome. We will hold practices each Tuesday/Thursday right after school until 4:30 pm (day/time may change based on number of enrollments and your availability). As we get closer to NASP Regionals & States we will hold additional and practice times to prepare.

NASP Required Team Tournaments Team tournaments are REQUIRED for all team members: Please understand that your archer's attendance affects all of our archers and their future in participating and qualifying in these larger tournaments.

North Regionals @ Shreveport Convention Center: January 12-13th 2024

State 3D Tournament @ LSUA Mega Shelter: February 23rd and 24th 2024

State Bullseye Tournament @ LSUA Mega Shelter March 7-9th 2024

We will also attend smaller tournaments to prepare archers for the larger events (dates and times TBA). Archers MUST attend at least 4 of these tournaments to be eligible for regional/state tournaments. Teams for this program are broken down into Elementary (4th-5th), Middle (6th-8th) and High School (9th-12th) divisions, with coaches reserving the right to combine teams as needed. Teams may qualify to advance to Eastern Nationals as well as Open/Championships. We also are planning on fielding teams to compete at the National Level in Louisville Kentucky in the Spring. There is also the possibility to compete in a World Tournament in Daytona Beach later in the spring as well.

NASP Academic Archer Archers who maintain a 3.0 GPA or higher will be recognized as an Academic Archer and will be eliqible for special drawings and awards at ALAS/NASP Tournaments.

# 2023-2024 CALVARY ARCHERY COMPETITION TEAM- GRADES 4TH-12TH

Thank you for your interest in the 2023-2024 Calvary Baptist Academy Archery Program!

TO JOIN our TEAM please fill out the form below and return to the school office with FEES.

Enrollment will close on September 24th 2023 If enrollment is over team capacity (24) for each team (Elementary Team 4th-5th) (Middle School 6th -8th) (High School 9th -12th) we will hold a tryout for tournament participation.

More information will be sent home on the first day of practice. Information can also be found on our Facebook page @CavsArchery.

Competitive Archery (4th-12th Grade): Practice Begins Sept. 12th Tuesday/Thursday after school - 4:30

Homeroom Teacher	Experience: Yes / No	Right-handed/ Left-handed.	
First and Last Name:			
Parent Contact:			
Gender: DOB:	Grade for 2023-2024		
Primary Address:	City:	State:	
T- Shirt Size:	Chest Size in Inches (for Jersey):		

# Make Checks Payable to CBA Archery: (Competitive Archery is \$250)

- I understand if my 4th-12th grade archer meets the NASP®
   Academic Archer guidelines for the current season he/she will be recognized as an Academic Archer on the NASP website and will be included in any Academic Archer drawings as well as the possibility of state and national recognition.
- I understand that this archer's name will be displayed publicly on CBA, NASP, USA Archery websites for all tournament scores and rankings.
- I acknowledge I have been advised and made aware that there will be photographers and videographers at CBA Archery events, and I consent to allow pictures/videos of my child for use.
- I understand the tournament and participation rules and requirements for my archer's grade level and agree to participate fully as required.

Parent/Guardian Signature Date	