

# 2ND ANNUAL PBS VIRTUAL CLOUT TOURNAMENT

## APRIL 6 OR 7, 2024

CLOUT SHOOTING WAS PRACTICED BY MEDIEVAL ARCHERS TO PREPARE FOR THE LONG-DISTANCE SHOTS USED IN WARFARE AT THAT TIME.. THE TIMING IS PURPOSEFULLY RIGHT WHEN WINTER IS BREAKING IN MANY LOCALES AND IN ADVANCE OF ALL BUT THE EARLIEST OF TURKEY SEASONS.

SHOOT YOUR CLOUT ROUND BY YOURSELF, START A GROUP, OR JOIN A GROUP, IT DOESN'T MATTER JUST AS LONG AS YOU PARTICIPATE!

### SHOOTING RANGE:

VIRTUAL PARTICIPANTS NEED TO LOCATE A LARGE, SAFE, OPEN FIELD TO SHOOT THEIR CLOUT ENDS. PARTICIPANTS MAY SHOOT SOLO OR WITH A GROUP OF OTHER MEMBERS.

### SHOOTING LINE AND TARGET LOCATION:

THE CLOUT WILL BE PLACED 140 YARDS FOR MEN AND 100 YARDS FOR WOMEN AND JUNIORS UNDER 16 YEARS OF AGE. YARDS MAY BE PACED OUT VERSUS MEASURED FOR CONVE-NIENCE BUT SHOULD BE CORRECTED FOR LONG OR SHORT PACES. DRIVE A STAKE INTO THE GROUND TO SERVE AS THE CLOUT AND TIE A VISIBLE FLAG/RAG ONTO THE STAKE THAT CAN BE SEEN FROM THE SHOOTING LINE.

### SHOOTING:

IN ANY COMBINATION OF NUMBER OF ARROWS, GENERALLY SIX ARROWS PER END, EACH ARCHER WILL SHOOT A TOTAL OF SIXTY ARROWS FROM THEIR SHOOTING LINE AT THE CLOUT.

### SCORING

MEASURE FROM THE CENTER STAKE OF THE TARGET TO EACH ARROW WITH A TAPE MEASURE, MEASURE TO WHERE THE ARROW ENTERS THE GROUND OR, FOR BOUNCE OUTS, MEASURE TO THE TIP OF THE ARROW POINT. RECORD THE SCORE FOR EACH OF YOUR SIXTY ARROWS;

THE SUM OF THE SIXTY ARROWS IS YOUR FINAL SCORE USING THE FOLLOWING DISTANCE TO

DETERMINE SCORE:

18" = 5 POINTS

9' = 2 POINTS

3' = 4 POINTS

12' = 1 POINT

6' = 3 POINTS

>12' = 0 POINTS

### PRIZES:

THERE WILL BE AN AWARD FOR THE CLOUT WINNER. PLEASE RECORD YOUR SINGLE CLOSEST ARROW'S DISTANCE IN INCHES FROM THE CLOUT AS IT WILL BE USED IN THE EVENT OF A TIE. DOOR PRIZES WILL ALSO BE AWARDED BY DRAWING FROM SUBMITTED SCORECARDS. YOU MUST BE A MEMBER PRIOR TO THE EVENT TO QUALIFY FOR THE WINNER'S AWARD OR PRIZES.

SCORES WITH ARCHER'S NAME AND STATE TO BE SENT BY TEXT MESSAGE TO STEVE H. AT 307-299-7040 NO LATER THAN 6PM MST ON SUNDAY, APRIL 8TH . WINNERS WILL BE ANNOUNCED ON THE PBS FACEBOOK PAGE LATER THAT EVENING

