

BHA Board Meeting Minutes  
02/15/2025

James Hornbuckle welcomes everyone and calls the meeting to order.  
Phil Carter says prayer.  
Shane Bates reads Article II

Minutes were presented, printed, and posted on the website. Charmin McAlpine made a motion to accept it as published. Wes Patterson 2<sup>nd</sup>.  
Vote – Minutes accepted as published.

Financial Report presented and printed. No questions. Phil Carter made a motion to accept it as published. Sandra Patterson 2<sup>nd</sup>.  
Vote – Financial Report accepted as published.

**New Chapters -**

Etowah County Bowhunters –Patrick Gray provided club information and members.  
Voted in as new club - no one opposed

**Zone Reports –**

Northern Zone – Jeff Boland - All is good, schedule is posted with get with Etowah to set dates

Central Zone – Sandra Patterson – All is good, ranges are ready.

Southern Zone – Connie Crews – All is good, had to switch some dates around.

**Chapter Reports –**

St. Clair- Ready to get started.

Chelsea - getting targets and we are ready

Heritage - Ready to go. Cancelled early April shoot and got new stakes.

Talladega - Getting ready for March and State

Jefferson - Planning on a good year, may have to cancel one shoot

WCO - Joined via google meets, will send report do to volume issue

**Editor Report/Political-** Nathan Worthington - Keep in mind that what you post can be used by anti-hunting groups

**UDCP Report –** Nathan Worthington - Is getting weekly emails from people wanting to hunt our properties, no properties available.

**Merchandise –** Wes Patterson – Looking to preorder jerseys, James suggested leaving off logos, looking to get stickers would like to put on website.

**Awards –** Jeff Boland –too early to order but knows where to get them.

**Tournament Director –** Phil Carter - Looked over rules and would like to have speed meters on Ranges. BHA Owns 3, Phil will get with Zone Directors to coordinate, Also,

slower groups must let faster groups pass. No hopscotching. Will put an update on FB and get with Zone directors.

**ASA Report** – James Hornbuckle – Will have board meeting Friday and will bring up stake colors, Charmen could not find black stakes and bought darts.

**Web Master**- Shane Bates – Working on a solution forum.

**Social Media** – James –put all zone directors in FB Group.

**Old Business:** None

**New Business** –

James- will purchase new targets at Ft. Benning \$6000 for targets and new cores. Will sell old targets for \$200 no cores. Deer with no legs will sell for \$100

Needs to purchase new target stands for \$1300 Motion to approve by Charmen, no opposed

Needs to purchase two novelty targets for Bowmania no more than \$800. Motion to approve Charmen, no one opposed.

NASP bows need some work, James will take care of them.

Need new computers for webmaster and secretary \$3000 limit. Motion to approve by Charmen no one opposed

**Reminder:**

- **NASP State Shoot** – Jeff Boland and Sandra Patterson -April 3-4 Need volunteers to bring bows and talk to kids.

**Bow-up** – May 24-25, Heritage Archery Club, get with Charmen to help, Fliers coming

**Bowmania** – July 11-13 – Committee to be responsible for the event. Get with Ginger to help.

**May Board Meeting** – May 10 Chelsea Community Center

**Q and A:**

Wes Patterson - Has a company willing to offer discounts on tree stands for BHA members and wants to get more companies to offer discounts for our members. Will need sponsorship chair and a committee. The board will meet and present options at the May board meeting.

**Motion for Dismissal**

Approved by Charmen McAlpine

2<sup>nd</sup> by Mike McAlpine

**Attendees**

Shane Bates – Chelsea

James Hornbuckle – Jefferson

Mike McAlpine – Heritage  
Charmen McAlpine – Heritage  
Phil Carter – Chelsea  
Tammy Carter – Chelsea  
Connie Cres- WCO  
Angela Boatwright – WCO  
Nathan Worthington - Jefferson  
Wes Patterson – Talladega  
Sandra Patterson – Talladega  
Ginger Boland – St. Clair  
Jeff Boland - St. Clair  
Patrick Gray - Etowah