

Billings Rod and Gun Club Field Archery Range Survey

RESULTS

Capacity

Do you feel that the Field Archery ranges at BR&G Club offer enough capacity to adequately serve the current recreational shooting needs of the 2000 family club membership? Circle one --- YES - 15 NO - 0

If you answered NO --- how many more butts should be provided?

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Do you feel that the Field Archery ranges at BR&G Club offer enough capacity to adequately serve current league and special event needs? Circle one --- YES – 14 NO - 0

If you answered NO --- how many more butts should be provided?

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Amenities

Do you feel that the existing Field Archery range equipment and site infrastructure (target butts, shooting areas, benches, bow rests are parking areas are adequate? Circle one ---- YES -12 NO - 3

If you answered NO what items could be improved?

- 1) Upkeep is important.
- 2) Parking for back range is limited.
- 3) Need Benches

Safety

The safe zone for archery ranges is prescribed to be approximately 40 yards beyond the furthest target butt. However, this does not account for arrows mistakenly launched into the air which can travel 200 to 300 yards. Do you feel that the Field Archery ranges at BR&G Club offer a safe shooting situation?

Circle One ---- YES – 12 NO -4

If you answered NO should the ranges have a greater fallout or safety zone beyond the target butts?

Circle one ----- YES - 2 NO -1

If YES ---- what distance?

- 1) The target butts (archery bales) that are backed by the club road have always concerned me. Arrows found on the sporting clays course are an indication that errant arrows do leave that range. Different orientation of those offending butts would improve safety for people driving to the back ranges and shooters on the sporting clays course.
- 2) 70 yards

Other Comments

Please list any other comments that you may have which will assist the Master Planning efforts on the back of this sheet.

- 1) Hold archery membership where it is.