

**Bedfordshire v Hertfordshire Team Match.**  
**Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2009.**  
**Redborne College, Ampthill, Beds.**

**Round. York, Hereford, Bristol 1-4.**

Beds County Champs time and at last a sunny dry day, all be it a little on the breezy side at times. For this event the county team is picked from archers that have entered the tournament, so we had a few new archers in the recurve team. We all had a good day's shooting with both teams evenly matched. Andy Warner and Sean Mc Hugh claimed rose awards. At the end of the day when the results were known, it was found that all the team trophies had not been returned so they will be presented at a later date. The team results are as follows.

**Senior Recurve.**

The teams consisted of four gents and three ladies, with all scores to count. This was a very good contest with the teams evenly matched, but at the end of the day it was a win for the Beds team. Tom Firth put in the best team score of the day.

**Bedfordshire.**

Tom Firth.	1090.
Alec Wheeler.	1020.
Craig Wickham.	960.
Paul Hyde.	940.
Andy Warner.	901.
Pat Kerrigan.	946.
Sue Draper.	889.
Heather Wickham.	845.
<b>Total.</b>	<b>7592.</b>

**Hertfordshire.**

Neil Bridgwater.	1098.
Ben Rayner.	980.
Andrew McClland.	959.
Peter Sweetman.	941.
Phil Lambert.	878.
Gaynor Hutchinson.	1016.
Barbara Williams.	875.
Phillippa Armitage.	725.
<b>Total.</b>	<b>7472.</b>

**Senior Compound.**

The teams of three gents and two ladies had a good match, but despite a very good score from Terry Course it was a match win for Herts.

**Hertfordshire.**

Adrian Blewett.	1200.
Brian Murrell.	1190.
Dave Saunders.	1178.
Jo Sheppard.	1190.
Mary Perrott.	1165.
<b>Total.</b>	<b>5923.</b>

**Bedfordshire.**

Terry Course.	1230.
Mike Ruffitt.	1168.
Bob Attrill.	1051.
Emilly Brown.	1139.
Sarah Jones.	1098.
<b>Total.</b>	<b>5686.</b>
Graham Rhodes.	1003.

**Longbow.**

This was a bit of a one sided match with four archers from Herts and only two from Beds. We must find some more longbow archers. Mike Collins shot the best for Beds, but a win for Herts.

**Hertfordshire.**

Gordon Hurn.	515.
Derek Bridgewater.	342.
Tom Jennings.	279.
Kim Jennings.	433.
<b>Total.</b>	<b>1569.</b>

**Bedfordshire.**

Mike Collins.	208.
Keith Clark.	190.
<b>Total.</b>	<b>398.</b>

### **Junior Recurve.**

This was a good match with teams of four archers shooting to their age groups. All shot very well. Shaun Rhodes put in the top score, and a win for the Beds team.

#### **Bedfordshire.**

Shaun Rhodes. B.1.	1102.
Sean McHugh. B2.	1036.
Frankie Jones. B2.	1022.
Kristen Chadband. B2.	984.
<b>Total.</b>	<b>4144.</b>

#### **Hertfordshire.**

Alex North. B4.	1100.
Ali Postoyko. B3.	1087.
Luke O'Gorman. B1.	950.
Jessica Saunders. B4.	513.
<b>Total.</b>	<b>3650.</b>

### **Junior Compound.**

This was a walk over for the Beds team.

#### **Bedfordshire.**

Matthew Sims. B1.	1125.
James Moss. B1.	1039.
<b>Total.</b>	<b>2164.</b>

#### **Hertfordshire.**

No Team.

Overall it was a good day for the Beds team. Thanks to Hertfordshire for coming and all the archers that took part in the tournament. Thanks to O.V.A. for organising the event and all who helped over the weekend. Also thanks to the judges for making the day run smoothly.

Sue Draper.  
Beds Team Captain.