

Chantry Bowmen of Rotherham

Presents their 9th

Firbeck Crecy Shoot

We are pleased to present Chantry Bowmen's 9th Crecy shoot on Sat 16th Sept 2017.

A warm welcome awaits all Archers wishing to join us on what we hope will be a memorable day for everyone.

This unusual round may not be familiar to everyone, but here in the Rotherham area some may recall the Firbeck Archers now disbanded hosting such a shoot back in the 80's / early 90's.

It is with great pleasure that we are proud to be given the opportunity of resurrecting this historic round. In using Firbeck style targets for this round we were more than happy to adopt the name Firbeck in the shoot title.

Following assembly at approximately 10.30am the Battle will commence with 3 dozen arrows to be shot at Mounted Knights at 160 yards. Retiring for lunch at an appropriate time.

The afternoons Battle will continue with 3 dozen Arrows shot at Men at Arms at 145 yards and to finish the day we will shoot 3 dozen arrows at Genoese Crossbowmen at 120 yards. All in the flavour of the original Battle way back in August 1346. The first major English land victory of the Hundred Years War, the Battle of Crecy established Edward III and his son, Edward the Black Prince, as military heroes in England.

The English army numbered some 4,000 knights and men-at-arms, 7,000 Welsh and English archers and some 5,000 Welsh and Irish spearmen.

The French army are uncertain but may have been as high as 60,000 including a force of some 6,000 Genoese crossbowmen.

Juniors will shoot 4 ½ dozen arrows at Men at Arms at 100 yards followed by 4 ½ dozen at Crossbowmen at 80 yards.

* NB Juniors are classed as under 16 only -on day of shoot.

* All targets will be as far as practicable life size in construction.

* These will feature on our web-site shortly before the event.

<http://chantrybowmen.org.uk/>

Seniors

3 doz Arrows @ 160 yds

3 doz Arrows @ 145 yds

3 doz Arrows @ 120 yds

Juniors

4½ doz arrows @ 100 yds

4½ doz arrows @ 80 yds

Prize List

Lady	Recurve	1 st	Trophy & Medal
		2 nd &3 rd	Medal
	Longbow	1 st	Trophy & Medal
		2 nd &3 rd	Medal
Gent	Traditional	1 st	Trophy & Medal
		2 nd &3 rd	Medal
	Recurve	1 st	Trophy & Medal
		2 nd &3 rd	Medal
Junior	Longbow	1 st	Trophy & Medal
		2 nd &3 rd	Medal
	Traditional	1 st	Trophy & Medal
		2 nd &3 rd	Medal
Junior	Recurve	1 st	Medal
		2 nd &3 rd	Medal
	Longbow	1 st	Medal
		2 nd &3 rd	Medal

Over 16 years of age on day of shoot class as Seniors

Jack & Jill	Trophy & Medal
Best High score at Longest distance	Trophy & Medal
Worst Shield hit at Nominated End	Trophy & Medal
Longest Green at Nominated End	Trophy & Medal
Agincourt Volley	Trophy & Medal
Teams of 4 Recurve	Trophy & Medal
& 3 Longbow	Trophy & Medal
Other Medals according to Entries.	

Traditional Mead & cake will be served morning and afternoon by our Wench.

Dress Medieval or club colours

Please note:- Chantry Bowmen will not accept responsibility for damage to persons or equipment however caused.

Please make sure your belongings and archery equipment are not placed in the way of the field party installing or removing the targets or safety fencing prior to and after the tournament.

All persons wishing to use any type still photo, video, or 'mobile phone' picture recording equipment must register their interest with the event organizer