

The Straight Arrow



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Summer Issue

Welcome to the Summer edition of "**The Straight Arrow**". We are in the middle of a heat wave that has lasted for quite some time. But, as I write this, the temperatures are supposed to drop down in the 70's tomorrow! Wow, what a blessing that will be.

Since the April issue, we have not been very busy and had some unfortunate cancellations. We had to cancel/postpone our cookout due to various commitments and the CBA Leadership conference was cancelled due to lack of attendance.

That said, we have been blessed. It is hard to believe that we are **celebrating 5 years** as an active ministry this month! All the praise goes to God for allowing us to introduce His word and gospel through this ministry.

We humbly pray that God will continue to bless this ministry as we start our 6th year.

Even though we haven't been too busy, we are coming into a season of activity. We have 3 street festivals coming up, a Vacation Bible School event and two 3D shoots.

2019 Raffle

God truly blessed RTA, when we were recently contacted by an individual who had won a Hoyt Carbon Spyder Turbo compound bow. He knew that he was not going to use the bow, so he researched for a Virginia Archery ministry, and after checking our website out, he contacted us to donate the bow. What an incredible donation towards the Kingdom. This incredibly humble servant does not want recognition for this donation, so we honor his request for anonymity.

So, after discussion, we have decided to raffle off the bow. There will be 200 tickets available for \$5 each. The drawing will take place once all the tickets are sold. More information will be coming out about the raffle in the coming weeks but just know that every dollar spent on the tickets will go directly towards the ministry and the lucky winner will have a brand new bow, that when new, cost \$1500. This is a top-end, high quality bow.

Next Meeting

Our next regularly scheduled meeting will be on Tuesday, October 8, at 6PM at Mountain View Community Church, 16088 Rogers Road, Culpeper, VA 22701. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to attend. Please consider bringing in a non-member.

Calendar of Events

2019 Meetings:	October 8
3D Archery:	August 17
	September 21
Novum Baptist Church VBS	July 24
Ice Cream in the Park, Orange, VA	July 26, 27
Taste of the Mountains, Madison	August 31
Orange Street Festival	September 7

RTA Contact Information

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1 Peter 2:24 - "Who his own self bare our sins in his own body on the tree, that we, being dead to sins, should live unto righteousness: by whose stripes ye were healed."

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