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TOURNAMENT: ENTRY FORM

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Rules

All competitors must be either members of the BLBS or GNAS. Traditional rules apply. Competitors may wear period costume of their choice and colour.

The Western round will be shot two-ways in two or three details. There will be a shoot-off for determining the winner of the Royal Armouries Arrow. Other prizes will be on hits, score and golds.

The Royal Armouries Arrow will be returned to the custodians after its award for the engraving of the winner's name and club emblem. The arrow is displayed in the Royal Armouries, Leeds. Other perpetual trophies will be held by the winner until the next competition when they must be returned in good condition.

These rules are subject to change.

October 2008



**Bowmen of Adel**

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**THE ROYAL SOCIETY  
OF ST.GEORGE**  
**BOWMEN OF ADEL**

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*The "Saint George"*  
*Longbow*  
*Tournament*

*Sunday 19th April 2009*

10.30am at Morley Rugby Club, Scatcherd Lane, Morley, West Yorkshire, LS27 0JJ



# INVITATION

**To all those skilled at shooting in the long bow- Greetings!** Be it known that the Bowmen of Adel, as custodians of the Royal Armouries Arrow, do invite all true and honest bowmen, shooting in a traditional longbow, to compete for the award of this perpetual trophy in a contest celebrating St. George's Day.

You are henceforth invited to make known your intention to take part in the competition on Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2009 by the completion of the prescribed entry form (herewith). Such entries that are accompanied by the appropriate fee, declare membership of either the BLBS or a GNAS club and a written undertaking to look after and return trophies awarded to them shall be accepted provided that there is space for them on the shooting line. Entries on the day may be accepted at the discretion of the organisers in the expectation that more courteous archers will have entered in goodly time and that they will forebear such ill manners from others should their entry be accompanied by a gift (to be raffled) by way of apology.

By order of the Custodians

*David O'Garraff*

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## THE 2009 TOURNAMENT

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### Orders of the day:

The tournament will consist of two parts:

- a two-way Western round for trophies and medals;
- the shoot-off for the award of the Royal Armouries Arrow.

**Assembly at 10.30am. First arrows 10.45am.**

**Lady Paramount: Joyce Tune**  
**Judges: Karen Winsett & Pat Lightowler**  
**Candidate Judge: Carl Morgan**

### Other features of the day:

- ◆ A Lunch of Yorkshire porkpie & peas will be provided, included in the entry fee.
- ◆ A celebratory drink of Archers' Whiz will be provided at the presentation.
- ◆ Historic and period costume are encouraged and a prize will be awarded for the best dressed archer.

## TROPHIES AND MEDALS

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There will be trophies and the St. George Longbow Tournament medals for most hits, highest score and most golds by a gentleman, lady and junior (only one trophy and medal per person as is customary). There are 2 team trophies and medals (Four archers from one club with junior/lady – any three archers from a club). Also trophies for best gold at 60 yards, most whites, Jack & Jill (on hits) and worst white on the last end.

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## ENTRY FEES

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The fee for adults is 5 guineas (£5.25 and for juniors 3 guineas (£3.15). Payment by cheque sent to: **The Bowmen of Adel, Woodbine Cottage, Gower, Swansea, SA3 1HD.**

Payment may also be made by PO, cash in hand, Paypal on the website or by Paypal invoice (we send you an invoice to your e-mail address).

**POs & cheques made out to:**

