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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.

TROPHIES AND MEDALS

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 for the best teams of four or three archers from a club. Also trophies for best gold at 60 yards and 50 yards, most whites, Jack & Jill (on hits) and worst white on the last end.

Rules

- *All competitors must be either members of the BLBS or Archery GB.*
- *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.*
- *Other perpetual trophies will be held by the winner until the next competition when they must be returned in good condition.*

Other features of the day:

A Lunch of Yorkshire steak pie & peas is available to purchase for £3.50. A vegetarian option is available if you request it - please tick the entry form.

Historic and period costume is encouraged and a prize will be awarded for the best dressed archer.

THE BOWMEN OF ADEL

Invites you to enter

The Saint George Longbow Tournament



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.

Lord Patron: tbc

April 27th 2025

**at
Adel War Memorial
Association,
Church Lane, Adel, Leeds,
West Yorkshire,
LS16 8DE**

**This tournament is supported
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The tournament will be conducted according to BLBS rules. Archers are encouraged to dress in suitable medieval attire

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Catering – Bacon butties will be available to purchase before assembly, light refreshments will be available through the day.
 Lunch. Steak pie and peas (or a vegetarian option) will be available to be ordered for lunch time. Please use the entry form
 Sherry and cake will be served as and when appropriate

Archer	AGB/BLBS No.	Club	Junior?	Do you have a disability? Y/N (If yes, please give details on the back of this sheet)	Steak pie and peas - £4	Vegetarian option - £4	Fee Senior £9.00/Junior £7
Contact telephone				Total fees			
Completed entry forms to: Darren Clarkson 23, Weetwood Lane LS16 5NW	Cheques payable to: Bowmen of Adel		Email entries accepted, to tournaments@bowmenofadel.co.uk with payment by electronic transfer		If you wish to pay by electronic transfer please make payment to: A/c: Bowmen of Adel A/c no.: 01101528, Sort Code 53-70-00 Please put "STG25" and your initials or name in the reference field		

The results of the tournament will be published on the club website, and passed to the YAA for their website. If you wish your name not to be shown in the published results, please indicate this on the entry form. The club will retain full results in its archive and will retain the contact details of all trophy winners for one year after the tournament. They will be used solely to arrange for the return of trophies.

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