

NFAA Field Target Round Procedure

The Field target is mostly white with black center.

Walk the field course shooting 4 arrows on each shooting lane (14) at the field target from the white stakes.

The pattern to shoot arrows may be different on each lane.

If there is only one White stake, shoot all 4 arrows from that location.

If you have 4 White stakes that progress towards the target, shoot one from the longest marker then walk up to the next White stake and shoot one arrow and continue forward shooting only one arrow from each stake. (Walkup)

If you have 4 White stakes that parallel the target, pick one to start from, shoot one arrow and move to the next stake on the right and shoot one. Continue in a clockwise rotation till all 4 positions have been shot, (Fan).

Target #7 (Birdie), there are 4 White stakes progressing towards the target. Stakes/markers are in **FEET** not yards. Pick a vertical line of 4 targets; shoot one arrow in each target either starting at the top or bottom and in order. The order of arrows shot must be followed regardless of misses or wrong target shot or your score will be affected.

Youth ages 12 to 14 (Youth), you will shoot from the White stakes until you see Blue stakes on some lanes; you will shoot from the Blue stakes.

Youth ages 9 to 11 (Cub), you will shoot from the Black stakes on each shooting lane. A few cub stakes (position) are steel plates flat on the ground. These are located on the targets #4, 5 and 6 that cross the road.

Under age 9 (Peewee), options to shoot from Black stakes or move closer.

If in a group of different ages that would shoot from different colored stakes, the adults would shoot first from the longest markers and the group would progress towards the target shooting at appropriate stakes. In simple terms, always move forward on the lanes and don't backtrack for safety reasons.

Multiple target faces, some target butts may have more than 1 target face. 2 target faces placed side by side, shooters on left side of stake shoot left target, right side of stake shoot right target. Fans with 2 side by side targets left 2 stakes/left target, right 2 stakes/right target.

Targets placed top, bottom and side by side; generally you will see this set up for tournaments expecting a large volume of shooters; divide shooters evenly (most will max the group to 4 shooters) and decide which group shoots first. First group shoots bottom target and left/right mentioned above, second group shoot top target and left/right mentioned above for 7 targets (1/2 of unit). Last 7 targets shooters swap positions, the ones who had shot last will now shoot first on the lower targets.

After shooting 4 arrows, walk up and score your arrows, only pull arrows after all arrows are scored in your group.

Once scored and arrows are removed, follow safety trail to next target lane.

NFAA Hunter Target Round Procedure

The Hunter target is mostly Black with White center.

Walk the field course shooting 4 arrows on each shooting lane (14) at the hunter target from the Red stakes.

The pattern to shoot arrows may be different on each lane.

If there is only one Red stake, shoot all 4 arrows from that location.

If there are 2 Red stakes that progress towards the target, shoot 2 arrows from the longest marker and move forward to the last stake and shoot 2 arrows. (Walkup)

If you have 4 Red stakes that progress towards the target, shoot one from the longest marker then walk up to the next Red stake and shoot one arrow and continue forward shooting only one arrow from each Red stake. (Walkup)

If you have 4 Red stakes that parallel the target, pick one to start from, shoot one arrow and move to the next stake on the right and shoot one continue in a clockwise rotation till all 4 positions have been shot. (Fan)

Target #7 (Birdie) has single Red stake in yards. Pick a vertical line of 4 targets; shoot one arrow in each target either starting at the top or bottom and in succession. The order of arrows shot must be followed regardless of misses or wrong target shot or your score will be affected.

Youth ages 12 to 14 (Youth), you will shoot from the Red stakes until you see Blue stakes on some lanes; then you will shoot from the Blue stakes.

Youth ages 9 to 11 (Cub), you will shoot from the Black stakes on each shooting lane. A few cub stakes (position) are steel plates flat on the ground. These are located on the targets #4, 5 and 6 that cross the road.

Under age 9 (Peewee), options to shoot from Black stakes or move closer.

If in a group of different ages that would shoot from different colored stakes, the adults would shoot first from the longest markers and the group would progress towards the target shooting at appropriate stakes. In simple terms, always move forward on the lanes and don't backtrack for safety reasons.

Multiple target faces, some target butts may have more than 1 target face. 2 target faces placed side by side, shooters on left side of stake shoot left target, right side of stake shoot right target. Fans with 2 side by side targets, the left 2 stakes/left target, the right 2 stakes/right target.

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After shooting 4 arrows walk up and score your arrows. Only pull arrows after all arrows are scored in your group.

Once scored and arrows are removed, follow safety trail to next target lane.

NFAA Animal Target Round Procedure

Walk the field course shooting up to 3 arrows on each shooting lane (14) at the paper animal target from the Yellow stakes.

The pattern to shoot arrows may be different on each lane.

Be aware the entire paper animal is not scored; basically the main body has the scoring areas. Hoofs, paws, legs, antlers, horns, some heads, tails etc. are generally outside the scoring areas. You can use binoculars to assist you in looking at the target to hopefully see arrow placement after shooting.

You will shoot 1 arrow or if needed up to 3 total arrows shot in numbered succession. You will need to number a couple of arrows, put #2 on one and #3 on another one, generally the fletching works best.

If there is only one Yellow stake, shoot 1 arrow (use an arrow not marked or label an arrow #1) from that location. If your first arrow scores it gives you the highest possible score and to shoot additional arrows wouldn't get you a higher score. If not in a scoring area or touching a scoring line or unsure if it scored, shoot arrow labeled #2. Missed a score area or not sure, shoot arrow #3.

If you have 3 Yellow stakes that progress towards the target, shoot one from the longest marker, as above if it scores you can stop shooting. If not walk up to the next Yellow stake and shoot arrow #2, if it scores you're done, if not then walk up to the next Yellow stake and shoot last arrow #3.

Youth ages 12 to 14 (Youth), you will shoot from the Yellow stakes until you see Blue stakes then you would shoot from the Blue stake.

Youth ages 9 to 11 (Cub), you will shoot from the Black stakes on each shooting lane. A few cub stakes (position) are steel plates flat on the ground. These are located on the targets #4, 5 and 6 that cross the road.

Under age 9 (peewee), options to shoot from black stakes or move closer.

If in a group of different ages that would shoot from different colored stakes, the adults would shoot first from the longest markers and the group would progress towards the target shooting at appropriate stakes. In simple terms, always move forward on the lanes and don't backtrack for safety reasons.

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After shooting 1 arrow or up to 3 arrows as needed, walk up and score your arrow.

Once you have committed to move up and score arrows and find out the arrow you assumed scored but didn't (unless you shot all 3) you can't backup on lane and shoot again.

Only pull arrows after all arrows are scored in your group.

Once scored and arrows are removed, follow safety trail to next target lane.