



## Bowmen of Danesfield 252 IMPROVEMENT AWARD

### What is the 252 Improvement awards scheme?

The 252 awards are designed to help you practice your shooting at different distances and recognise your achievements.

### The challenge

After 6 sighters, you shoot 3 dozen arrows on a 122cm face at your chosen distance. The round can be shot at 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 80 or 100 yards with the aim of scoring 252 or better (252 for recurve – alternative scores apply for other bow types).

If you achieve the score TWO times you can claim a badge.

It is an award scheme in use at many archery clubs in the UK and applies to all archers, irrespective of age, ability or bow type (scores differ by bow type).

### The Rules:

- To be shot at the specified distance using 5-zone scoring (Gold = 9, Red = 7, Blue = 5, Black = 3, White = 1) on a 122cm target face.
- Six sighter arrows are permitted which will not count towards the final score.
- Once the archer has achieved the minimum required score twice at each distance, the 252 awards will be awarded for that distance.
- Novices should complete the distances in order.
- Junior archers may also claim the award at 10 and 15 yards.
- The archer's responsibility is to record your scores either on an official club scoresheet or by using a score recording app. This should be witnessed by one other club member..
- Two signed and witnessed official score records should be submitted to the records officer to make an award – [Submit Score](#)

The awards are as follows:

Distance (yds)	Award	Recurve Score	Compound Score	Longbow Score	Barebow Score
10	Orange	252	280	164	189
15	Certificate	252	280	164	189
20	White	252	280	164	189
30	Black	252	280	164	189
40	Blue	252	280	164	189
50	Red	252	280	164	189
60	Bronze	252	280	164	189
80	Silver	252	280	126	164
100	Gold	252	280	101	139

## 252 SCORECARD

NAME		DATE	
DISTANCE		Snr	Jnr
BOW TYPE	REC	COM	Long
		1/2 Doz Total	Hits
		Golds	R/T
<b>1<sup>st</sup> DOZEN</b>			
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> DOZEN</b>			
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> DOZEN</b>			
<b>Total</b>			
<b>TOTAL HITS</b>		<b>TOTAL GOLDS</b>	
<b>OVERALL TOTAL SCORE</b>			

<b>SIGNED ARCHER</b>		<b>DATE</b>	
<b>SIGNED TARGET CAPTAIN</b>		<b>DATE</b>	

## 252 SCORECARD

NAME						DATE			
DISTANCE						Snr		Jnr	
BOW TYPE	REC	COM	Long	B/B					
						½ Doz Total	Hits	Golds	R/T
<b>1<sup>st</sup> DOZEN</b>									
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> DOZEN</b>									
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> DOZEN</b>									
<b>Total</b>									
<b>TOTAL HITS</b>						<b>TOTAL GOLDS</b>			
<b>OVERALL TOTAL SCORE</b>									

SIGNED ARCHER		DATE	
SIGNED TARGET CAPTAIN		DATE	

## 252 SCORECARD

NAME						DATE			
DISTANCE						Snr		Jnr	
BOW TYPE	REC	COM	Long	B/B					
						½ Doz Total	Hits	Golds	R/T
<b>1<sup>st</sup> DOZEN</b>									
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> DOZEN</b>									
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> DOZEN</b>									
<b>Total</b>									
<b>TOTAL HITS</b>						<b>TOTAL GOLDS</b>			
<b>OVERALL TOTAL SCORE</b>									

SIGNED ARCHER		DATE	
SIGNED TARGET CAPTAIN		DATE	