The WFAA Welsh and Open Indoor championships took place at Pentref on the 13th of January2013,

This included not only archers from within Wales but a good number who travelled from England and Scotland to compete for the Welsh Open titles.

Llantwit Major Archers were out in force with the largest contingent from the club attending in many years.

Twenty Seven archers from the club attended. For a number of these archers, it was their debut appearance at a National level tournament and we offer our congratulations to them, we hope you enjoyed the experience and will continue to shoot with us at this level.

***Those Archers were***

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| Teresa Goodwin | Adult |
| Helen Langford | Adult |
| Owian Langford | Junior |
| Sarah Smith | Junior |
| Ethan Ashley Perks | |  |  | | --- | --- | | Junior | Cub | |

We would also like to welcome back Richard Doore, Jon Norman and Rod Umney who have returned to the National Competition scene after a long break from the club.

And not forgetting the many seasoned veterans of the indoor competition.

The shoot was as usual split into two sessions across the day and our archers were present in both sessions, some were even brave enough to shoot the two sessions and even a different shooting style or division.

All our archers reported enjoying the shoot, and overall good scores were put in as expected.

The medal haul was the highest we have achieved in many years as 14 medals were gold’s and a number of Welsh Records were also broken by the club.

LMA wish to thank the WFAA committee for organising the event and Pentref Bowmen for hosting it in their club house, the facilities were good and the reception was warm as expected.

The committee would also like to congratulate all juniors and cubs who shot extremely well

LMA also wish to thank Catherine Trew for assisting in the Kitchen with Gene.

The Scores for all Members of Llantwit Major Archery Club are show below.

\*WR denotes new Welsh Record

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| **Name** | **Score** | **no of X's** | **Style** |  |  |
| Chris Gray | 299 | 39 | JMFU | WR | 1st Welsh and Open |
| Chris Gray | 297 | 33 | AMFU |  | 3rd Welsh and Open |
| Jon Norman | 284 | 20 | AMFU |  |  |
| Mathew Symmonds | 279 | 14 | AMFSR |  | 1st Welsh and Open |
| Richard Doore | 277 | 13 | AMFSR |  | 2nd Welsh and Open |
| Elis Marriott | 277 | 14 | CMFSR | WR | 1st Welsh and Open |
| Nathan Trew | 270 | 15 | AMFSR |  |  |
| Peter Hatherley | 268 | 17 | AMFSR |  |  |
| Jak Kent | 265 | 18 | AMFU |  |  |
| Mitch Bonham | 262 | 12 | AMFU |  |  |
| Ieuan Graham | 252 | 5 | CMBBR | WR | 1st Welsh and Open |
| Rod Umney | 246 | 8 | AMBBC | WR | 1st Welsh |
| Mike Mattingley | 242 | 3 | AMBBR |  | 1st Welsh and Open |
| Ethan Ashley Perks | 242 | 4 | JMFSR |  | *Shot round at cub distance* |
| Paul Watson | 240 | 5 | AMBBR |  | 2nd Welsh and Open |
| Bob Marriott | 238 | 9 | AMBBR |  |  |
| Dave Gray | 228 | 2 | AMFSR |  |  |
| Imogen Kent | 224 | 5 | JFFU |  | 1st Welsh and Open |
| Calum Young | 178 | 4 | JMFSR |  | 1st Welsh and Open |
| Teresa Goodwin | 178 | 4 | AFBBR |  |  |
| Sarah Smith | 177 | 4 | JFFSR | WR | 1st Welsh and Open |
| Helen Langford | 166 | 2 | AFBHR |  |  |
| Kathryn Mattingley | 152 | 0 | CFHB | WR | 1st Welsh and Open |
| Sally Mattingley | 138 | 3 | AFHB |  |  |
| Mike Mattingley | 129 | 8 | AMHB |  |  |
| Owian Langford | 60 | 0 | JMBHR |  | 1st Welsh and Open |
| Elise Mattingley | 45 | 0 | JFHB |  | 1st Welsh and Open |
| **Associate Members** |  |  |  |  |  |
| Graham Anderson | 175 | 1 | AMHB |  | 1st Welsh and Open |
| Sandra Russell | 142 | 3 | AFHB |  | 1st Welsh and Open |