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Sully District e-Newsletter

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**When: Wednesday, September 29, 2010
7-9 p.m.**

**Where: Sully District Governmental Center
(Sully Police Station)
4900 Stonecroft Blvd.
Chantilly, VA 20151**

A new Archery Program was implemented last year as part of the Fairfax County Deer Management Program. Archery is the primary management tool used by landowners on private property and typically accounts for over 75% of all deer harvested in Fairfax County. The Archery Program was developed with this fact in mind and the recognition of archery as a safe, efficient, and sustainable deer management tool in urbanized regions such as Fairfax County.

The FY 2011 Archery Program will be implemented from Saturday, October 16, 2010 to Saturday, February 12, 2011. Selected parks will not be closed to park patrons during this time and signs will be posted on trails informing visitors of this deer management activity. All hunting will be conducted from elevated tree stands and located at least 100 feet from park property lines and 50 feet from trails.

The Archery Program is conducted at selected park sites by a qualified archery group selected via archery hunt lotto. Qualified archery groups are comprised of ethical, experienced bowhunters with superior marksmanship and skill. The careful screening of each archery group, as well as overall monitoring and oversight of the Archery Pro-

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gram, is the responsibility of the Fairfax County Wildlife Biologist (Fairfax County Police Department – Animal Services Division).

The archery program sites located in the Sully District are: the Sully Historic Site, Ellanor C. Lawrence park, the Sully Woodlands, and the Cub Run Stream Valley.

If you are unable to attend a public information meeting, you may contact the Fairfax County Wildlife Biologist with questions via office phone at 703-246-6868 or email at victoria.monroe@fairfaxcounty.gov.

Please visit the Fairfax County website for more information about our local wildlife species and wildlife management at: www.fairfaxcounty.gov/living/animals/wildlife.



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