SIC Archery Team Signs Grayville Recruit

2013 Grayville High School graduate Clayton Hall, center, has accepted an invitation to compete for the 2013-14 Southeastern Illinois College Archery Team. Hall, who shoots in the bow hunter division, will work on his associate in science degree in criminology while attending SIC. Next to Hall is SIC archery coach Roger Snodgrass of M&R Bowstrings, left, and Hall’s father, David. Hall joins a returning men’s team that captured the US Collegiate Archery Association’s national two-day aggregate scoring title in the bow hunter division at the University of Missouri in 2012.

SIC Signs Champion Archer from Kankakee

HARRISBURG, Ill. (July 15, 2013) -- Illinois state archery champion Eric Janssen from Kankakee, center, has signed a statement of intent to compete for the 2013-14 Southeastern Illinois College national championship archery team. Janssen, who shoots in both the bow hunter and open divisions, has enrolled as a second-year student in the college’s welding program. Next to Janssen is SIC archery coach Roger Snodgrass of M&R Bowstrings (Harrisburg, Ill.) and Janssen’s mother, Mary Jean. Janssen is the current Illinois Target Archers Association (ITAA) Champion in 18 meters; ITAA Indoor Aggregate Champion 18/25 meters; Illinois State International Bowhunting Organization (IBO) Male Bowhunter Release Champion; and Illinois State Junior Olympic Archery Development (JOAD) Champion in 18 meters. Janssen joins a returning men’s team that captured the US Collegiate Archery Association’s national two-day aggregate scoring title in the bow hunter division at the University of Missouri in 2012.

South Central’s Tyler Butts Joins National Champion SIC Archery Team

HARRISBURG, Ill. (July 30, 2013) -- 2012 South Central High School graduate Tyler Butts, center, has accepted an invitation to compete for the 2013-14 Southeastern Illinois College Archery Team. Butts, who shoots in the bow hunter division, will work on his associate degree in criminal justice while attending SIC. Standing is SIC archery coach Darin DeNeal. Seated are Tyler’s parents, Mike and Jill Butts. Butts joins a returning men’s team that captured the 2012 US Collegiate Archery Association’s national two-day aggregate scoring title in the bow hunter division at the University of Missouri and swept the gold, silver, and bronze medals at the 2013 Bethel University invitational.
Amber Hays Joins SIC Women’s National Championship Archery Team

Harrisburg, Ill. (August 16, 2013) -- 2013 South Central High School (Farina, Ill.) graduate Amber Hays has accepted an invitation to compete for the 2013-14 Southeastern Illinois College Archery Team. Hays, who shoots in the bow hunter division, will work on her associate in applied science degree in correctional officer/youth supervisor while attending SIC. With Hays is SIC archery coach Darin DeNeal, who discovered Hays while competing on the Archery Shooters Association professional circuit. Hays, from Kinmundy, Ill., joins a returning women’s team that captured the 2012 US Intercollegiate Archery Championship in the bow hunter division at the University of Missouri last fall.

Illinois State Champion Allen Kuhnert Joins SIC Archery Team

HARRISBURG, Ill. (August 30, 2013) – Champion archer Allen Kuhnert (Taylorville, Ill.), pictured on the left, will compete as a member of the 2013-14 Southeastern Illinois College Archery Team. Kuhnert, who shoots in the Archery Shooters Association (ASA) open division, will work on his associate in science degree in dietetics while attending SIC. With Kuhnert at the 2011 Illinois ASA Championship in Monticello is his father, Dale, who was recently named as the Illinois director of ASA.

Kuhnert joins a returning SIC men’s team that captured the 2012 US Collegiate Archery Association’s (USCAA) national two-day aggregate scoring title in the bow hunter division at the University of Missouri and swept the gold, silver, and bronze medals at the 2013 Bethel University Invitational. Prior to coming to Southeastern, Kuhnert won the 2009 Illinois ASA Championship in the youth boys open division and the 2011 Illinois ASA Championship in the bow novice division, the same year his father won the Illinois ASA Championship in men’s open 45.

A graduate of First Baptist Christian Academy in Pana, Ill., Kuhnert will shoot on the college’s USCAA compound division team.