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New FITA Baby

Development Coordinator Mrs Deqa NIAMKEY gave birth to her second baby on 23 July 2010. The little boy is called Keziah.

At birth Keziah weighted 3.280kg and measured 48cm. He and her mother are both doing fine. The big sister Ayan is very happy to welcome her little brother.

We are delighted and proud to welcome Keziah in the FITA family, and congratulate the happy parents Deqa and Olivier!

Internship

During the maternity leave of FITA Development Coordinator Mrs Deqa NIAMKEY—who gave birth to a little boy on 23 July—Mr Thomas AUBERT (FRA) will spend a 6-month internship within the FITA Development Department.

Thomas AUBERT has been a member of the French national archery team for six years. His major competition results are:

- Team silver medallist at 2009 World Championships
- Team silver medallist at 2008 European Championships
- Team silver medallist at 2005 European Junior Championships
- Several medals at World Cup events over the past three years

He has been studying in a French business school (ESCEM Tours-Poitiers), and is now in his second year of a Master in Management.

Within FITA, he will mainly assist the Development Department, in particular with several technical, coaching, equipment projects and publications.

Welcome and best wishes to Thomas!

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Central American & Caribbean Games
17 July-1 August 2010

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Clean Sport

IOC Trophy "Sport and the Fight against Doping"

The 2009 IOC "Sport and the Fight against Doping" Trophy has been awarded to Dr Varin TANSUPHASIRI (THA), Member of the FITA Medical & Sports Science Committee, in honour of his performances and achievements.

Dr TANSUPHASIRI received this award on 22 June 2010 in Bangkok, Thailand from Gen. Yuthasak SASIPRAPHA, President of the National Olympic Committee of Thailand, who presided over the award ceremony. Other guests included the Governor of the Thai Sports Authority, the IOC Member Nat INDRAPANA, the FITA Vice President Sanguan KOSAVINTA, several sports association presidents and many media representatives.

Dr Varin TANSUPHASIRI and Mr Sanguan KOSAVINTA (THA)

Since 1985, the IOC has launched an annual trophy, with a different theme each year. In 2009, the IOC has dedicated the "Sport and the Fight against Doping" trophy to emphasize the fight for clean sport. Over the last few years, the IOC has continuously enforced the principle of zero tolerance and has continued to strengthen the fight against the scourge of doping in sport.

More pictures on www.olympicthai.or.th

Archery World Cup Stage 3

Bylaws

New bylaws were approved by the FITA Council regarding the number of arrows in the Team Elimination Round and shoot-offs in Compound Match Round, in effect as of 1 August 2010. These rules will be applied in Ogden (USA) during the Archery World Cup Stage 3. Therefore, we ask all Member Associations to urgently inform the athletes and officials present in Ogden as soon as possible, as well as make an official announcement of these new changes in the new competition format of Hit/Miss Round for teams and individuals.

Youth Olympic Games
14-26 August 2010

Commonwealth Games
2-14 October 2010

Asian Games
12-27 November 2010

World Archery Youth Championships
22-27 August 2011

Olympic Games
27 July-12 August 2012

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Bylaw on number of arrows in the Team Elimination Round
Book 1, article 4.5.1.5 - bullet points 3 and 4

Change approved: omit "3 arrows (1 arrow per archer)" and substitute "6 arrows (2 arrows per archer)" in every place they occur.

- The Team Elimination Round, in which the top 16 teams of 3 athletes seeded according to their positions as determined by their total score in the Qualification Round (see match play chart Appendix 10 and Book 2, Appendix 1 to 3), shoot simultaneously a series of matches, each match consisting of 4 sets of ~~3 arrows (1 per athlete)~~ 6 arrows (2 arrows per archer);
- The Team Finals Round, in which the top 4 teams remaining from the Elimination Round shoot a series of individual matches, each match consisting of 4 sets of ~~3 arrows (1 per athlete)~~ 6 arrows (2 arrows per archer); culminating in the Medal matches with 6 sets of 6 ~~3~~ arrows. The teams shoot alternately in 3 arrow segments. The timing is started and stopped when the athlete crosses the 1m line;

Bylaw on Compound Match Round Shoot-off procedure
Book 2, article 7.6.5.2.4 - bullet point 2

Change approved: new bullet point 2. The winner, after three shoot-offs, does no longer depend on the Qualification Ranking, but on the closest-to-the-centre arrow of the third shoot-off.

7.6.5.2.4 *For the Compound Match Round*

- *A single arrow (for teams 1 per team member) shoot-off for score (maximum of 3 shoot-offs);*
- ~~*If still tied after 3 shoot-offs the highest ranked athlete (team) wins.*~~ *If the score is still tied in the third shoot-off, the team with the arrow closest-to-the-centre will win; If still tied the arrow second closest-to-the-centre will determine the winner; If necessary there will be successive shoot-offs for score, if necessary followed by closest-to-the-centre evaluation until the tie is resolved.*

Facebook and Twitter

The 2010 Ogden Archery World Cup can now be found on Facebook and Twitter, the two most popular social networking websites. These two platforms will allow the Ogden Organising Committee to communicate with archers, attending teams, FITA and fans. Join us now on Facebook and Twitter to stay connected with all of the latest news and events planned during the 3-7 August event. A wide range of community activities, the latest set of entries, and recent newsworthy items associated with the 2010 Archery World Cup Stage 3 will be posted:

- Ogden World Cup Facebook Fan Page – www.facebook.com/ogdenworldcup
- Ogden World Cup Twitter Page – www.twitter.com/ogdenworldcup

Both social networks will be active during event week where photos, quotes, results and other pertinent items will be posted daily. The Ogden Organising Committee encourages all to join as to keep current with all schedule updates.

Singapore 2010 Youth Olympic Games

Athletes Entry Lists

The list of athletes who will take part in the archery competition of the Youth Olympic Games has been released and can be found at:
www.archery.org/default.asp?s_id=0&m_id=1546&cnt_id=3999

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Questions and Answers
World Archery has launched an interactive Frequently Asked Questions session with our Athlete Role Model Wietse VAN ALTEN on Facebook and Twitter on the occasion of the Singapore Youth Olympic Games (YOG). Young archers can ask Wietse their questions through info@archery.org. World Archery will select a few each week until the YOG start in August. VAN ALTEN's answers will then be published on the World Archery website, Facebook and Twitter pages.

Youth Olympic Flame
The Journey of the Youth Olympic Flame got under way on 23 July 2010 in Olympia, Greece, with the lighting of the flame at an official ceremony outside the famed Temple of Hera. Using the sun's rays and a parabolic mirror, a holy priestess lit the flame before entering the Ancient Olympic Stadium and passing the torch to the Journey's first torchbearer, Apostolos KOUTAVAS, who will represent Greece in trampoline at the Youth Olympic Games.

More on www.archery.org/default.asp?s_id=0&m_id=1546&cnt_id=5001

Game Zone
The International Olympic Committee has launched a gaming zone on its website. The Singapore 2010 game zone includes three YOG games available in English and French: Archery, Weightlifting and Diving.

Go and play on:
www.olympic.org/en/content/YOG/Game-Zone/YOG-Game-Zone/

Youth Olympic T-shirt Contest
Use your imagination to come up with a cool slogan for the Youth Olympic Games! The International Olympic Committee is giving away a cool Youth Olympic T-shirt every week and each one is super rare because it features the winning slogan of the week.

Check out the Youth Olympic Games Facebook page and submit your slogan that captures the spirit of the Games. It could be the winning one! Be creative and share it with everyone on:
www.facebook.com/youtholympicgames?v=app_125012660870293&ref=ts

London 2012 Olympic Games

Qualification System
The qualification system for the archery competition at the London 2012 Olympic Games has been released and is available on:
www.archery.org/default.asp?s_id=0&m_id=1370&cnt_id=4999

Games Maker
With almost two years to go until the London 2012 Games, the London Organising Committee of the Olympic and Paralympic Games (LOCOG) announced on 9 July 2012 plans to recruit up to 70,000 volunteers for the London 2012 Games. In the biggest post-war volunteer recruitment campaign in the UK's history, LOCOG will be looking for dedicated and inspirational people representative of the diversity of London and the UK to apply for a wide variety of volunteer roles. More on www.archery.org/default.asp?s_id=0&m_id=1370&cnt_id=4949

Development

Equipment Assistance Programme
The following countries have been granted a voucher (USD 2,000 for all of them except UAE with USD 1,000) to buy some archery equipment: Nepal, United Arab Emirates, Honduras, Suriname, Mauritania, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Marshall Islands, Micronesia. The voucher can only be used with FITA Development Fund Partners.

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2016 Olympic Games Preparation in Brazil

In order to ensure good future results of Brazilian archers and a good audience of the archery event during the 2016 Olympic Games, FITA assists Brazil in the development of large base of archers.

The Brazilian Olympic Committee has chosen the Bamboo archery equipment programme as one key tool of this development.

Mr Kumar Sharma GAJENDRA (IND) has provided a sample of an equipment set (arrows and one all fitted bow) to be used in this programme. He should travel to Brazil in a near future to teach how to make such equipment to Brazilian carpenters.

Archery equipment maker Kumar Sharma GAJENDRA with one of his bows.

Cooperation between France and French Speaking African Countries

On 26-27 June 2010 the Board of Directors of the French Archery Federation approved a cooperation programme towards some French speaking countries from Africa. The project foresees the following:

- Train a couple of volunteers in France for a few days
- Send a course conductor for (at least) one week
- Equipment assistance
- Operation cost of this programme

As a first step, an electronic timing system will be allocated to the organiser (changing every two years) of the TIZOCATA, a new international event in West Africa.

Congratulations to the FFTA for this generous and exemplary initiative. Hopefully, such a cooperation initiative will be followed by other major archery nations.

Togo

Mr Paul ZINSOU, FITA Development Agent for West Africa, went to Togo on 18-20 June 2010. He met the members of the new Executive of the Togolese Archery Federation (FéTTArc), as well as the representative of the Sports Minister, the President of the National Olympic Committee, and sport journalists.

The outcome of this meeting is that the new FéTTArc team must comply with the formalities to legalise the sport of archery in Togo. After this step, the FéTTArc will get the assistance of the National Sport Governing Bodies of Togo.

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Since in Togo, archery equipment is classified as bladed weapon, an alternative has been sorted out. It consists in a partnership with the Archery Federation of Benin (FéBéta), a kind of mentoring of the FéTTArc by FéBéta. The two federations commit to manage and control the archery equipment on the sport specific ranges. FéTTarc commits to secure the equipment against any other risk. Following this agreement, Mr Edem TOHONOU MENSAH, FéTTArc President, went to Cotonou, Benin on 29 June 2010, to receive an archery equipment donation.

During his journey in Togo, Paul ZINSOU also ran some technical activities: major archery tournaments DVD preview, simulations with elastic bands, bow sight introduction, etc.

Calendar 2010

11 July-7 August	Olympic Solidarity Training Camp for Youth Olympic Games	MEAC - Cairo (EGY)
15-31 July	Olympic Solidarity Development of the National Structure	Port Louis (MRI)
26 Sept.-23 Oct.	Coaches Course Level I	MEAC - Cairo (EGY)
August-December	Olympic Solidarity Development of the National Structure	INA – 4 months
9-15 September	FITA Coaches Course Level I	Singapore (SIN)
September-December	Olympic Solidarity Development of the National Structure	GEO
31 Oct.-13 November	Level 2-3 training camp	MEAC - Cairo (EGY)
28 Nov.-18 December	FITA Coaches Course Level II	MEAC - Cairo (EGY)

FIDTA

Assistance to West African Tournament

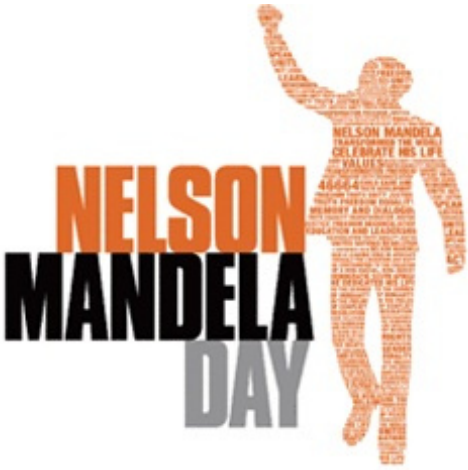
The International Foundation for the Development of Archery (FIDTA) has decided to assist with up to USD 6,000 the 2010 edition of the International Tournament of the Archery Zones from the Centre and West of Africa (TIZOCATA). This tournament has just been re-scheduled on 9-12 September 2010 and will be held in Cotonou (Benin).

A National Judge training will also be held on 8 September 2010. For information and registration, please contact febeta2006@yahoo.fr.

From our Member Associations

South Africa

Sunday 18 July was an annual celebration of Nelson MANDELA's life and a global call to action for people to recognise their individual ability to make an imprint and change the world around them. The South African National Archery Association (SANAA) planned for some special activities at this effect.



This year, SANAA came out in full support for MANDELA Day. SANAA Executive Dr Selwyn MOSKOVITZ said: "By connecting people with ways to act on Nelson MANDELA's values, we aim to empower every individual to make an imprint on the world. Archery is no different. It connects people of all walks of like. The MANDELA Day campaign message is simple: Nelson MANDELA has given 67 years of his life fighting for the rights of humanity. All we are asking is that everyone gives 67 arrows of their time."

More on www.archery.org/default.asp?s_id=0&m_id=836&cnt_id=4968

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Congo

From 2 to 9 July 2010 in Kinshasa, Paul ZINSOU, FITA Development Agent for West Africa, introduced some archers from the Democratic Republic of Congo to the bamboo bow. They were around thirty archers to be trained. They learnt how to make arrows from bamboo and a string. They also got a basic judging training. All that, happened under the careful supervision of the representatives of the Sport Minister and the Congolese Olympic Committee.

On the shooting line

Arrow straightening

From the National Championship 2010

String making

Simulations with bow

From Judges and Coaches Committees

Information to Coaches

In 2009 there were many competitions where archers were either confused or just did not know the rules or regulations currently in place. This resulted in many delays being encountered during competitions which caused frustration to the competitors and organisers alike. Because of this the FITA Judges and Coaches Committees have agreed it would be useful to introduce some "drops" on issues concerning coaches, procedures and rules, and make judges procedures understandable to them, and not least, so the coaches know what to expect from the judges.

Ken BEARMAN, FITA Coaches Committee Chairman

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We hereby intend to start a series of small inputs in order to be helpful to coaches and enhance their knowledge on rules and procedures to avoid extraordinary stress on their archers. We are of course also open to questions that might be asked.
Morten B. WILMANN, FITA Judges Committee Chairman

Appeals
The possibility of appealing against a decision made by the judges or tournament officials is a basic right an archer has in order to avoid being a victim of an incorrect decision or unfair treatment. There are only two exceptions from this right: a decision made by a judge re the value of an arrow still in the target (i.e. if the arrow value is a ten or a nine, etc), and the use of a yellow card in the team event. More about this is explained below.

But first of all it is better, if possible, to avoid getting into an "appeal procedure" which will automatically slow down the competition to some extent. One way to avoid getting involved in an appeal is to ask the judges about anything that might be unclear re shooting and scoring procedures, before "a situation occurs". The Team Captains' Meeting is a good forum to air any questions or complaints, but if necessary the judges will be happy to help at any time during the competition.

The procedure for making an appeal is that the archer, or his Team Captain/Coach, immediately launches intent to make an appeal, and then have they some minutes to write up the details thoroughly on specific forms. The appeal will be delivered to the Chairman of judges (or his deputy if so announced) together with the appropriate fee, which at present is USD 50.

The fee is established to prevent unnecessary appeals and the fee is returned if the appeal is won. However, the Jury may return the fee even if the appeal is lost, which may happen if the case was well founded.

Upon receiving the appeal the Chairman of judges may find the case obvious and will solve it without involving the Jury, and then they will advise the archer/team manager to consider withdrawing the appeal. If the Chairman of judges cannot resolve the problem this way they will immediately deliver the appeal to the Jury, and inform the relevant persons (Director of Shooting, field crew, etc.) that there is an appeal and that there will be a delay in the shooting procedure (if necessary).

A bit more on the exceptions re appeals mentioned above: as our rules say that a decision made by the judge re the value of an arrow still in the target is not appealable, anything else re the value of an arrow such as a shoot-through, bouncers, too many arrows, etc, is appealable.

A judge deciding an arrow value has to follow some given procedures as indicated in the Judges Guide Book, but these procedures are not rules. If the judge does not give the value of an arrow to the archers liking the archer is not given any further rights of appeal, but unqualified behaviour by a judge should be reported to the Chairman of judges, any such information will be used to improve the overall quality of judging.

Talking about judging arrow values, as indicated in the rules neither the arrows, nor the target face or buttress should be touched until all arrows have been scored. Occasionally, due to the difficulty in positioning themselves to decide upon an arrow value, a judge may happen to touch something, even if they try to avoid it. This will however, not influence the judge’s decision who will give the value according to their opinion after following the proper procedures.

Showing a "Yellow card" in the team event is the other exception, and the reason for having this exception is that the situation cannot be re-installed. This is just like a football (soccer) referee who has to make an immediate decision. They may overlook something or make a wrong decision. This is a part of the game, so there is no need to protest on being shown a yellow card or the lack of a yellow card being shown to the other team, better to concentrate on your own team and their quick response to a yellow card and/or their performance.

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Coaching

Level 1 Coaching Course in Algeria

To become "Sport Educator" in Algeria, the candidates have to attend some sets of learning sessions including generic sport education as well as specific sport education. Sixteen candidates have chosen archery as specific sport. The first step was held in October 2009 and the second on 5–11 July 2010. Mr Pascal COLMAIRE, FITA Development and Education Director, has run both legs.

Since the first step, 13 out of the 16 candidates have been actively coaching two or three times a week in an archery club. Fifteen of them have attended a tournament where they have helped with judging. Some of them have organised a tournament. The best turn-out was 58 archers!

During the second step of their long education, each participant was evaluated conducting an archery class. Thirteen candidates have already shown a good coaching standard. They should well promote archery in Algeria.

Cyprus

The Cyprus Archery Federation hosted a training seminar specifically for compound bow on 1-8 July 2010. The person selected to run this seminar was Mr Ken BEARMAN, Chairman of FITA Coaches Committee. The course was held in a village just outside Limassol. The lecture room was excellent with a balcony/patio area that was used as refreshment and shooting area. There were 24 candidates attending, but on occasions the number was slightly lower due to work and other commitments by the participants.

Extract from the report of the expert, Mr Ken BEARMAN:

"Each day I gave a seminar on the many aspects of the compound and techniques of shooting. Sometimes the archers shot their bows on the balcony/patio where I recorded videos ready for analysis the following day. One day we went to the local archery ground where the bows were checked and adjusted where necessary; the archers' technique was analysed. At the end of the course each participant was given a Certificate of Attendance signed by Mr Kourounas CHARALAMBOS, who is the president of the Cyprus Archery Federation, and me."

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"On 8 July, I moved to Nicosia. I visited the Archery National training ground where I worked with many archers advising them on equipment setup and their technique etc. Everyone was appreciative of the time I spent with them and it was a real pleasure working with each and every one of the archers, coaches and officials."

FITA MEAC Activities

Agreement with Olympic Solidarity

The Olympic Solidarity (OS), represented by Mr Edward KENSINGTON, Project Officer of the Athletes Section and Ms Paola BUENO CARVAJAL from the same department, visited the FITA Middle East Archery Centre (MEAC) on 15 July 2010. Following this visit it was decided to sign a service agreement with the MEAC. This will allow a limited number of Olympic scholarship athletes to benefit from the facilities and expertise offered by the MEAC, in view of their preparation for the London Olympic Games.

The Olympic scholarships for athletes "London 2012" programme is managed and funded by the OS. It offers Olympic scholarships to the National Olympic Committees. It has as objective the preparation and qualification of selected athletes practising individual Olympic sports for the Games of the XXX Olympiad in London.

Currently two young archers from Bangladesh are training at the MEAC with an Olympic training grant for the Singapore 2010 Youth Olympic Games, in order to prepare for the archery event (see below). The MEAC has already trained several coaches with the assistance of an OS Coaches Scholarship.

The OS is a great partner in the worldwide development of archery. This new agreement between the Olympic Solidarity and the FITA MEAC is a terrific bonus.

Visit of the strengthening room and questions to the staff

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Youth Olympic Games Preparatory Training Camp

Two athletes from Bangladesh will attend the first Youth Olympic Games in Singapore this year:

- Miss Beauty RAY: 2nd individual at 2010 Asian Grand Prix Bangkok (THA), team bronze medallist and 5th individual at 2009 Asian Grand Prix Dhaka (BAN), team bronze medallist and 4th individual at 2009 Asian Grand Prix Kolkata (IND)
- Mr Emdadul HAQUE MILON: winner of Youth Olympic Continental Qualifying Test Bali (INA), individual silver medallist 2009 Asian Grand Prix Dhaka (BAN), team bronze medallist 2009 Asian Grand Prix Teheran (IRI)

Both have been granted an Olympic scholarship for the 2010 Youth Olympic Games in order to prepare the archery event to be held in Singapore. They are seriously preparing for these Games at the FITA Middle East Archery Centre in Cairo (EGY). During their preparation they were allowed to take part in a trial for the Junior Egyptian team. The two Egyptian archers, Miss Aya KAMEL and Mr Ibrahim SABRY, who will compete in Singapore, also shot at this event. Best wishes to all of them!

From left to right: Beauty RAY (BAN), MUN Baek Woon (FITA), Emdadul HAQUE MILOM (BAN), and Yann BECRET (visitor)

Level 1 Coaching Course

A level I course will take place from 26 September to 23 October 2010 at the FITA MEAC in Cairo, Egypt under the expertise of FITA Coach MUN Baek Won. The course is open to all FITA Member Associations *(*)* that seek to give a good initial education to their novice coaches. No registration fee will apply!

(*) Special scholarships (including accommodation & airfare) will be offered to countries of the Mediterranean region in the frame of the preparation to the Mediterranean Games 2013.

All FITA Member Associations—and especially the Mediterranean countries that wish to benefit of the scholarships—are requested to submit the applications of their candidates that must include:

- An archery/sport resume with coaching activities and achievements so far
- A letter of motivation as to why the participant is applying for this project
- Letter of support from your national federation, providing details on coaching status and conditions of the candidate
- A passport copy, or at least all details
- Name of the departure airport (only in case that the airline ticket of the candidate must be booked by FITA according to a particular programme or agreement)
- Details of the arrival and departure flight: Airline Company, flight numbers, dates, times

Do not hesitate to contact the FITA Development & Coaching Department for any further information you may require, and kindly submit your applications to pcolmaire@archery.org. Application deadlines: **27 August 2010** (nevertheless the principle of "First arrived – first served" will apply). More details on www.archery.org/default.asp?s_id=0&m_id=836&cnt_id=4997.

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Level 2 Coaching Course

A level 2 course will take place from 28 November to 18 December 2010 at the FITA MEAC in Cairo (EGY) under the direction of Coach MUN Baek Won. The course is open to all FITA Member Associations *(*)* that well train their coaches who have already the level 1 status. No registration fee will apply!

(*) Special scholarships (including accommodation & airfare) will be offered to countries of the Mediterranean region in the frame of the preparation to the 2013 Mediterranean Games.

All Member Associations—and especially the Mediterranean countries that wish to benefit of the scholarships—are requested to submit the applications of their candidates that must include:

- An archery/sport resume with coaching activities and achievements so far
- A letter of motivation as to why the participant is applying for this course
- Letter of support from the national federation, providing details on the coaching status and conditions of the candidate
- A passport copy, or at least all details
- Name of the departure airport (only in case that the airline ticket of the candidate must be booked by FITA according to a particular programme or agreement)
- Details of the arrival and departure flight: Airline Company, flight numbers, dates, times

Do not hesitate to contact the FITA Development & Coaching Department for any further information you may require, and kindly submit your applications to pcolmaire@archery.org. Application deadlines: **29 October 2010** (nevertheless the principle of "First arrived – first served" will apply). More details on http://www.archery.org

Level 2-3 Training Camp

A level 2-3 training camp will take place from 31 October to 13 November 2010 at the FITA MEAC in Cairo, Egypt under the expertise of Coach MUN Baek Won. The course is open to all FITA Member Associations *(*)* that seek to enhance the competitive level of their athletes.

(*) Special but limited scholarships (including accommodation & airfare) will be offered to countries of the Mediterranean region in the frame of the preparation to the 2013 Mediterranean Games. Only archers who have never had a doping violation will be considered for such scholarship. Following the selection, scholarship holders could be included in the FITA Registered Testing Pool (RTP) and will be subject to out-of-competition testing during preparation of the world championships.

FITA and FIDTA will work together with the Foundation for Global Sports Development and the CESEP Program. For more information on Foundation for Global Sports Development, see www.globalsportdevelopment.org.

Do not hesitate to contact the FITA Development & Coaching Department for any further information you may require, and kindly submit your applications to pcolmaire@archery.org. Application deadline: **1 October 2010** (nevertheless the principle of "First arrived – first served" will apply.) More details on http://www.archery.org

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Past Events

FITA Field Round Training in Colombia

The city of Cali was selected to run the World Games in 2013. From 2-5 July 2010, the Colombian Archery Federation and the Valle Archery League organised a Field Archery Round in order to train and promote such an event to the people.

The tournament was held in the Canas Gordas Club of Comfenalco Valle with very good facilities. The number of participants was 45 archers, five coaches, and some observers from five archery leagues of Colombia. There were also 25 people forming all the support groups needed to run this kind of competition. More on www.archery.org/content.asp?id=1036&me_id=836&cnt_id=4948

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Archery Fan Reporter's Videos

For the first time in archery history, an Archery Fan Reporter has given all the inside-out of the World Archery Field Championships in Visegrad, Hungary. Find the videos and interviews made by Melis BAGATIR on www.archery.tv!

Performances

Great Scores

On 10-11 July 2010 at the Claudette Shiers Tournament in Durban, South Africa the compound archer Seppie CILLIERS shot a superb score of 1418 points (349 at 90m, 351 at 70m, 358 at 50m, and 360 at 30m). This performance is only one point behind the world record held by Peter ELZINGA from the Netherlands.

CILLIERS already became a member of the very exclusive FITA International 1400 Club and the second South African archer to break this mythical barrier (after Nick BENADE, 1405 points in January 2000) last year when he shot 1407 at the same Claudette Shiers Tournament. He also holds the 30m world record with 360 points and 33 X10.

World Records

Outdoor Archery \ Recurve Masters Women \ Individual

Type	Archer	Country	Record	Previous	Date	Place
50m (122cm Face)	KELLER, Myunga	CAN	320	316	17.07.2010	Burnaby (CAN)
60m Round (72 Arr.)	KELLER, Myunga	CAN	562	--		Burnaby (CAN)

Outdoor Archery \ Recurve Mixed \ Team

Type	Archer 1	Archer 2	Country	Record	Previous	Date	Place
70m Round (16 Arr.)	ERDYNIYEVA, Natalya	BADENOV, Bair	RUS	154	152	22.07.2010	Moscow (RUS)

National Olympic Committees

Updates

The Tanzania Olympic Committee's email address tanolympic@hotmail.com has been hacked. They therefore advice for any communication to use their yahoo address tanolympic@yahoo.com until further notice.

Member Associations

Contact Updates

The complete directory is available on www.worldarchery.org, in the section Organisation/Member Associations.

NAM – Archery Association of Namibia

After their Annual Congress Meeting held in May 2010, the following office bearers have been elected:

- President: Jan VAN BLERK
- Treasurer: Rolf ROHRMUELLER
- Secretary (vacant): (acting Frank BOCKMUEHL)
- Target Archery Section (FITA) – Vice President: Frank BOCKMUEHL
- Field Archery Section (IFAA) – Vice President: Pieter VAN DER MERWE

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SUI – Association Suisse de Tir à l'Arc

The Swiss Archery Association (ASTA) has appointed a new Treasurer:

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Calendar Highlights

2010

3-7 August	**Archery World Cup Stage 3**	Ogden (USA)
8-14 August	*European Para-Archery Championships*	Vichy (FRA)
14-26 August	Youth Olympic Games (Archery: 18-21 August)	Singapore (SIN)
31 Aug.-4 Sept.	**Archery World Cup Stage 4**	Shanghai (CHN)
6-13 September	**Torneo Bicentenario**	Santiago de Chile (CHI)
9-12 September	TIZOCATA International Tournament	Cotonou (BEN)
18-19 September	Archery World Cup Final	Edinburgh (GBR)
23-26 September	**World Archery University Championships**	Shenzhen (CHN)
3-14 October	**Commonwealth Games (Archery: 4-10 October)**	Delhi (IND)
4-10 October	European 3D Championships	Alghero-Sassari (ITA)
7-13 October	**Ibero American Championships**	El Salvador (ESA)
15-21 October	**Pan American Championships**	Guadalajara (MEX)
12-27 November	**Asian Games**	Guangzhou (CHN)
5-8 December	**World Ranking Tournament**	Medellin (COL)
12-19 December	*Asian Para Games*	Guangzhou (CHN)

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12-17 April	**European Grand Prix (1st leg)**	Antalya (TUR)
2-7 May	**Archery World Cup Stage 1**	Porec (CRO)
24-29 May	**European Grand Prix (2nd leg)**	Toulouse (FRA)
6-11 June	**Archery World Cup Stage 2**	Antalya (TUR)
1-2 July	FITA Congress	Torino (ITA)
3-10 July	**World Archery Championships**	Torino (ITA)
10-17 July	*World Archery Para Championships*	Torino (ITA)
1-6 August	**Archery World Cup Stage 3**	Ogden (USA)
12-23 August	**Summer Universiade (Archery as optional sport)**	Shenzhen (CHN)
22-27 August	World Archery Youth Championships	Legnica (POL)
31 August-3 Sept.	World Archery 3D Championships	Donnesbach-P. (AUT)
5-10 September	**Archery World Cup Stage 4**	Shanghai (CHN)
12-18 September	European Field Championships	Florence (ITA)
24-25 September	Archery World Cup Final	Istanbul (TUR)
September	*Para-Archery Tournament and Paralympic Qualifier*	Stoke Mandeville (GBR)
3-10 October	**Olympic Test Event**	London (GBR)
14-30 October	**Pan American Games (Archery: 18-25 October)**	Guadalajara (MEX)
19-27 November	*Para Pan American Games*	Guadalajara (MEX)

Red = Last Updates
Bold = World Ranking Tournaments
Italic = Para-Archery World Ranking
YOG = Youth Olympic Games
CQT = Continental Qualification Tournament

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