

World Archery News

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Congress: deadlines reminder

Here are the upcoming deadlines regarding next Congress, which will be held in Antalya-Belek on 27 and 28 September 2013 :

- Amendments regarding published motions must be submitted before 10 May 2013.
- Candidatures for elections have to be send to the Secretary General before 29 June 2013, in order to be published with documents on 12 July 2013. Late candidatures are possible until 6 September 2013, but will not be published before Congress.
- Proxies must be sent to WA office by 28 August 2013.

World Archery partners with OlympAfrica

World Archery was delighted sign а partnership agreement with OlympAfrica for the development of archery in Africa, especially for the youth. OlympAfrica is a foundation founded by the HF Juan Antonio SAMARANCH. former President of the International Olympic Committee (IOC).



The foundation is supported by the IOC; the Association of National Olympic Committees of Africa; the International Association of Athletics Federation and Daimler Chrysler for the development of sports at recreational and grassroots level in 46 African countries.

In collaboration with the National Olympic Committees of these countries, OlympAfrica has set up centres dedicated to sports activities, workshops, HIV prevention, coach education and much more. The aim of these centres is to involve the youth in sports and activities that are good for their future development once they have finished their day at school. It's an excellent talent identification initiative, particularly with the introduction of the Youth Olympic Games in the Olympic Programme.

World Archery Secretary General Tom DIELEN, the Director of the WA Development Department Pascal COLMAIRE and Development Coordinator Deqa NIAMKEY, met with the Director of OlympAfrica, Thierno DIACK, at the WA headquarters in Lausanne to finalise and sign the partnership agreement. It was agreed that a pilot project would be introduced in Niger for 2013, followed by other countries in agreement with the WA Member Associations.

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Past Events

Arizona Cup

In early April, this World Ranking event featured some of the best archery talent in the Americas. The United States and Mexico won all the gold medals. Both gold medal matches in the recurve division saw a Mexican archer defeat a US archer: Luis ALVAREZ upset the world No. 1 Brady ELLISON for the gold medal in the men's competition, while Olympic bronze medallist Mariana AVITIA defeated Khatuna LORIG on the women's side, in a rematch of the Olympic bronze medal final.

The United States dominated the compound division: Jesse BROADWATER defeated his compatriot, world No. 1 Reo WILDE for the gold medal, and the women's title went to Jamie VAN NATTA.

Visit the organisers' website www.gp-riom2013.com for all news, and visit http://ianseo.net/Details.php?toId=373 for complete results.

First European Grand Prix

The first European Grand Prix was held in Riom, France, from 15-20 April. The winners in the recurve division were Gael PREVOST (FRA) and Karina WINTER (GER). The titles for compound archery went to Pierre-Julien DELOCHE on the men's side, and Katarzyna SZALANSKA for the women.

The host country France dominated the team events with gold medals in recurve men, compound men and women, as well as compound mixed team. Russia won the two other gold medals (recurve women's team and recurve mixed team).

All results are available on www.ianseo.net/Details.php?toId=320.

Future Events

Arrows ready to fly for a new World Cup season

The eighth edition of the Archery World Cup will consist of four stages and a grand Final, to be held in spectacular locations across the world over the course of 2013. The top seven archers in each of the four international categories (men's and women's recurve and compound archery) compete in the Final based on their points in the stages, joined by an archer from the host country.

The World Cup will start with a first stage in Shanghai, China from 13-19 May. The second stage will take place in the popular beachtown of Antalya, Turkey from 10-16 June. The Archery World Cup will then travel to South America for the first time, with the third stage in Medellin, Colombia from 15-21 July. The fourth stage, to be held in Wroclaw, Poland from 19-25 August, will reveal the names of the last athletes qualified for the World Cup Final, which will take place at the Trocadero Gardens, on the opposite bank of the Eiffel Tower in Paris, France on 21-22 September. Stages and Final winners are rewarded with prestige and important prize-money.















Additionally, the Longines Prize for Precision rewards the two most precise archers of the World Cup season with a trophy, a Longines watch and important cash prizes. The compound athletes shoot for it in odd years and the recurve athletes in even years.

In 2013, the compound men and women athletes who shoot the most 10s during the individual qualifications and the matches as from the 1/16 eliminations will win the prize. The race should go on until the very last match at the World Cup Final in Paris!

The 2012 edition offered mind-blowing matches between the best archers in the world. The reigning world champion from Korea KIM Woojin defeated the World No. 1 Brady ELLISON for the recurve men's crown, while the double Olympic champion from London KI Bo Bae, also from Korea, was sovereign on the women's side, winning the final against world No. 2 Deepika KUMARI from India. The compound division saw the American archer Braden GELLENTHIEN upset world No. 1 Reo WILDE to finally win gold after taking three silvers in 2009, 2010 and 2012. Finally, Jamie VAN NATTA of the United States became the first woman to win the World Cup Final twice, after taking the crown in the compound women division in 2008.

There will be more to come in 2013. As we start a new Olympic cycle, the recurve lineup will feature a combination of Olympic champions and promising newcomers.

The compound division guarantees to deliver dramatic match-ups, as athletes reach new levels of precision year after year.

Stay tuned on our website for all news, informations, photos and results about the World Cup, starting on 13 May in Shanghai. Join us on on facebook and twitter for live coverage of the events.



Conquest Cup

An exciting competition called the Conquest Cup will be held in Istanbul on 29 May. Two teams made of the best archers of Asia and the best archers of Europe will face each other on the historic archery field "Okmeydani". More information will be provided in May on our website.

World Masters Games

The World Masters Games will be held in Turin, Italy from 5-9 August. Registrations are open until 2 June and so far, 112 archers have registered, with an expectation of more than 300. The only participation requirement is being a registered archer of at least 30 years old. Recurve and compound will be featured both in Archery and Para-Archery.

Recurve categories

30+, 40+: distance 70m 50+, 60+, 70+: distance 60m **Compound categories**

All ages: distance 50m

Fore more information, please visit www.torino2013wmg.org











Invitation to Second Asian Grand Prix in Mongolia

The Second Asian Archery Grand Prix will take place in Ulaanbaatar, Mongolia, from 27 July – 2 August 2013. All information and the registration form are available here. The deadline for preliminary entries to this World Ranking event is 1 May 2013.

Invitation to World Youth Archery Championships

The World Archery Youth Championships will take place in Wuxi, China, from 13-20 October. This event will serve as qualifying event for next year's Youth Olympic Games in Nanjing, China. All information and the registration form are available here. The deadline for preliminary entries to this event is 15 July 2013.

Invitation to Asian Archery Championships in Taipei

The Asian Archery Championships will take place in Taipei City, Chinese Taipei from 29 October – 2 November 2013. The deadline for preliminary entries to this event is 25 July 2013. This event will serve as Continental Qualifying Tournament for the 2014 Youth Olympic Games in Nanjing, China. All information and the registration form are available here. Preliminary entries are open until 25 July 2013.

Participation of athletes from Islamic Republic of Iran

Iranian athletes can participate again in World Archery competitions. An agreement has been reached with the Iranian Federation to resolve the issue that was created due to the infringement in the autonomy of sport last year. A general assembly was held on 28 April that adapted new statutes, and a new general assembly will be held soon that will fulfill all the requirements for a full reintegration of the federation in World Archery. In the meantime World Archery has temporarily lifted the suspension so that the athletes can participate in the competitions.

Para-Archery

Clarification of notice regarding process for international classification of para-athletes

New athletes wishing to obtain an international classification and all athletes who have a "Review" status are required to bring to the classification procedure their medical records which must be written in English.

To assist the athletes and the classifiers, a new mandatory medical form has been created. The template of the new medical form, which is available here must be completed in English and certified by a registered doctor. If an athlete fails to bring the completed form to the classification procedure (or to submit it electronically less than one year before the classification is to take place) then no classification will be undertaken and the athlete will not be permitted to participate in the competition.

Provision of the medical records does not guarantee that classification will take place – that will be the decision of the classifiers after reading the medical records –, but without the completed forms classification will definitely not take place.

From 2014 all athletes who have a current classification will need to be classified again using the new system of requiring a minimum score of 25 and so they will also need to complete the medical forms for the first Para-Archery tournament at which they compete.











Judges

World Archery Judges Seminar

A Judges Seminar will take place in Bangkok, Thailand from 31 May - 2 June 2013.

Scope: Select and train Continental Judges supported by their MAs and CAs for awarding the FITA accreditation.

Venue: Egypt Hotel, 453 Ladprao 122, Wongtonglang, Bangkok 10310, Thailand Tel: 662 5397101-11

Seminar will start on 31 May 2013 in the morning (arrival on the 30 May) and end on 2 June 2013 (in the early afternoon).

Lecturers and examination board: Morten B. WILMANN, World Archery Judge Committee chairman and Simon WEE, World Archery Target Archery Committee member.

The Seminar will be conducted in English.

The accommodation rate is USD 100 per person per night for single occupancy including full-board and transfer from/to the airport.

No participation fee will be charged to the participant.

You have to register your participation to Archery Association of Thailand (e-mail: Kosavinta@gmail.com/ Fax: 662-319-6341) mentioning the type of room requested, the transfer as well as your flight schedule (date, time and flight numbers) by 15 May 2013.

Applications for the World Archery International Judge Candidate status:

The applicants must possess the requirements listed in art. 7.1 App. 4 (Book 1 (C&R). In particular they must be accredited as Continental Judges and have been accredited as National Judges for at least 3 years, must have an adequate knowledge of English and must have served at least once in a World Ranking Tournament (or a major tournament sanctioned by their Continental Association) with positive evaluation of the chairperson of the judge commission.

Application must be submitted to World Archery Office according to art. 7.2 App. 4 Book 1 (C&R): the application (signed by the applicant (the judge), his/her MA and his/her CA) must indicate the personal information of the applicant (name, gender, birth date, nationality), languages spoken, when appointed NJ and CJ, experience at WRT (or equivalent) level. The application has to be signed by your national and Continental federation otherwise you will not be able to pass the final exam in order to obtain the WA International Judge Candidate.

Application for WA International Judges Candidates



The participants passing the final examination will obtain the status of "World Archery International Judge Candidate".

The participants must bring with them World Archery C&R Book and World Archery Judge Guide Book – both available from the World Archery webpage www.worldarchery.org – and a magnifying glass.

The seminar will be a combined seminar with Asian Archery Federation for possible accreditation as AAF Continental Judge status. Further information will be given by AAF.











Coaching

Chinese Taipei looking for coach

The Chinese Taipei Archery Association is looking for a high level coach for the national team, in order to raise the current level of men and women to be among the best nations of the events leading to the 2016 Olympic Games.

The national coach must initiate the preparation for 2014 Asian Games and 2016 Olympic Games, for which he/she has to organise a team with experienced archers. During 2013 and 2014, he/she will have to travel and coach the archers in different regions; and within 2015 and 2016, in concentration training which all the archers will practice together at the same location. He/she must raise the current level of men and women to be among the best nations of the events from the Olympic cycle: 2014 Asian Games, 2015 World Championships & Asian Championships for instance. He/she will be benefited from the support of the National Coaches in all regions.

The candidate should be able to speak in English (or in Chinese even better) and start working after interview as early as possible.

The paycheck is dependent upon experience. The coach will have to pay all personal expenses such as accommodation and food if staying outside of training centre, and tax on salary (10-15%).

Requirements:

- 1. CV and photo
- 2. Coaching experience by list
- 3. Olympic medal experience is needed

Applications must be sent directly to the Chinese Taipei Archery Association at archers@ms26.hinet.net before May 31st. Interview will be arranged before the 30th of June.

Development

Calendar 2013

Courses open to all Member Associations

20-26 May 2013	Coaches Course Level II	Bangkok (THA)
24-30 June 2013	Coaches Course Level III	Bangkok (THA)
18-24 November 2013	6th World Archery Coaches Seminar	Rio de Janeiro (BRA)

OS = Olympic Solidarity
WA = World Archery Federation
WAA = World Archery Americas

FIDTA = Fondation Internationale de Développement du Tir à l'Arc GSD = Global Sport Development Foundation

YOG = Youth Olympic Games

Level 1 Coaches Course in Bangkok

A coaching course took place on 22-28 April at the World Archery Accredited Centre in Bangkok, Thailand. Seventeen participants (12 men and 5 women) from eleven countries were taught how to teach archery basics to novices. The participating countries were Algeria, Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Iran, Kyrgyzstan, Mongolia, Philippines, Russia, Sudan, and Thailand.

Under the leadership of the resident Coach KIM Sun Bin (KOR) assisted by a National Coach Mr KOMPATH and under the supervision of the WA Development Director Pascal COLMAIRE, the participants learned how to teach the archery basics to novices.

The learning was made of theory sessions and a lot of "hands on", practical sessions during which each participant had to teach to another one how to properly implement the basic shooting skills. Other subjects on the programme include equipment, physical developments, mental skills...











Participants displayed an obvious strong learning will, while the conductors strive to operate as a cohesive team in order to provide them with the best coaching skills. This combination generated a great and enjoyable collective spirit.

As a result, several countries should soon have a few level 1 coaches who will be able to educate well the archery newcomers. This is a promising perspective for our sport.

Global Sports Development contributes to development in Central and South America

Global Sports Development is a foundation that encourages the youth to improve themselves and their communities worldwide. The foundation provides assistance and personal development for many youth and particularly through sports.



GSD has been contributing to the development of archery since several years and in the last three years, the programme has been entirely dedicated to the youth of Central and South America.

World Archery agent Richard PRIESTMAN (GBR) has conducted the 2012 Youth Programme missions in Argentina, Cuba, Dominican Republic, Guatemala, Puerto Rico, and Venezuela. This programme is giving great results and the youth in these countries are tremendously progressing and promising.

Furthermore, the countries taking part in the programme had to send archers to the Mexican Grand Prix and Continental Championships held in Mexico from 5-11 March 2012 and all did a fantastic job.

Thanks to the Global Sports Development sponsorship to this programme, the above mentioned activities and human developments are taking place in this part of the world in archery.

The programme is undergoing for 2013 which will further help Julio BARILLAS (GUA), Gold Medal each of these countries in identifying their future talents in view of the 2016 Rio Olympic Games.



Cadet Mexico Grand Prix 2012, Gold Medal Cadet Arizona Cup 2012

Equipment donation in Benin

Following the introduction of archery at the National Institute of Physical and Sports Education (INJEPS) in Abomey Calavi, Benin, World Archery made an equipment donation for the development of the sport thanks to the kind contribution of Win&Win, Equipment Producer and World Archery Development Fund Partner.

ceremony was organised for this particular event, which gathered the entire staff of the institute.

The donated equipment was appreciated by the teachers at the INJEPS Institute who said that it will contribute to develop archery in Benin.



These development steps will contribute to train archers so that they can take part in major events at continental and international level. The event concluded with an archery demonstration session and all the participants present were able to shoot.











Member Associations

Comoros

The **February 2013** issue of World Archery News informed you that **Fédération Comorienne de Tir à l'Arc** applied to World Archery Membership.

Since none of the World Archery Member Associations and members of the World Archery Council, has risen to the World Archery office any objection, **Fédération Comorienne de Tir à l'Arc** has become a temporary World Archery member since 1 May 2013.

At the next World Archery Congress on 27-28 September 2013 the final membership of this association will be submitted to a vote.

Sudan

The **February 2013** issue of World Archery News informed you that **Sudanese Archery Federation** applied to World Archery Membership.

Since none of the World Archery Member Associations and members of the World Archery Council, has risen to the World Archery office any objection, **Sudanese Archery Federation** has become a temporary World Archery member since 1 May 2013.

At the next World Archery Congress on 27-28 September 2013 the final membership of this association will be submitted to a vote.

Virgin Islands

The **February 2013** issue of World Archery News informed you that **Virgin Islands Archery Federation** applied to World Archery Membership.

Since none of the World Archery Member Associations and members of the World Archery Council, has risen to the World Archery office any objection, **Virgin Islands Archery Federation** has become a temporary World Archery member since 1 May 2013.

At the next World Archery Congress on 27-28 September 2013 the final membership of this association will be submitted to a vote.

Elections

The President of **Kiribati Archery Federation** Mr. TEKAUTU was elected as treasurer of the National Olympic Committee of Kiribati.

The German Shooting and Archery Federation elected Mr Heinz-Helmut FISCHER as new President in replacement of the late Mr Josef AMBACHER.

The Finnish Archery Associations elected Mr Andres GROSS as new President.

The Swedish Archery Association elected Mr Bo PALM as its new President.

Contact Updates

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Performances

World Records

Outdoor \ Compound \ Men Open \ Individual

Type of Record	Archer	Country	Record	Previous	Date	Place
50m Round (72 Arr.)	STUTZMAN Matt	USA	691		05.04.2013	Phoenix (USA)
15 Arr. Elim. Match	STUTZMAN Matt	USA	148		07.04.2013	Phoenix (USA)

Outdoor \ Compound \ Men W1 \ Individual

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Type of Record	Archer	Country	Record	Previous	Date	Place
50m Round (72 Arr.)	FABRY Jeff	USA	650		05.04.2013	Phoenix (USA)
15 Arr. Elim. Match	MURPHY Norbert	CAN	140		07.04.2013	Phoenix (USA)
15 Arr. Elim. Match	FABRY Jeff	USA	140		07.04.2013	Phoenix (USA)

Outdoor \ Compound \ Women Open \ Individual

Type of Record	Archer	Country	Record	Previous	Date	Place
50m Round (72 Arr.)	CHAVEZ Martha	USA	632		05.04.2013	Phoenix (USA)
15 Arr. Elim. Match	HESS D'Arce	USA	135		07.04.2013	Phoenix (USA)











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Turin (ITA)

Terni (ITA)

Paris (FRA)

Sassari (ITA)

Santiago (CHI)

Bangkok (THA)

Telford (GBR)

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Las Vegas (USA)

Shanghai (CHN)

Ljubljana (SLO)

Antalya (TUR)

Medellin (COL)

Veracruz (MEX)

Wroclaw (POL)

Nanjing (CHN)

Lausanne (SUI)

Santiago (CHI)

Singapore (SIN)

Tallinn (EST)

(SUI)

TBC

Echmiadzin (ARM)

Louvain-la-Neuve (BEL)

Singapore (SIN)

Wuxi (CHN)

Taipei (TPE)

Ulaanbaatar (MGL)

Belek Antalya (TUR)

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San Jose (CRC)

Wroclaw (POL)

Calendar Highlights

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13-19 May Archery World Cup Stage 1 Shanghai (CHN) **World Ranking Tournament** TBC (GUA) 18-26 May 17 May - 1 June European Grand Prix - Leg 2 Echmiadzin (ARM) Archery World Cup Stage 2 10-16 June Antalya (TUR) 20-30 June Mediterranean Games (Archery: 22-24 June) Mersin (TUR) 15-21 July Archery World Cup Stage 3 Medellin (COL)

25 July - 4 August World Games (Compound: 27-28 July; Field Recurve and

Barebow: 30 July - 1 August)

27 July – 2 August
2-11 August
World Masters Games
World Ranking Tournament
19-25 August
Archery World Cup Stage 4

27-31 August European Field Archery Championships

21-22 September Archery World Cup Final World Archery Congress

29 Sept.-6 Oct. World Archery Championships
8-12 October World Archery 3D Championships
13-20 October World Archery Youth Championships
22-29 October World Ranking Tournament

29 Oct. - 2 November Asian Archery Championships & YOG CQT

1-7 NovemberS World Archery Para Championships

8-9 December Indoor Archery World Cup 2013-14 Stage 1

2014

January Indoor Archery World Cup 2013-14 Stage 2

7-9 February Indoor Archery World Cup 2013-14 Stage 3 and Final

25 February – 2 March World Archery Indoor Championships

13-18 May Archery World Cup Stage 1

19-24 May European Junior Championships and YOG CQT

10-15 June Archery World Cup Stage 2
16-21 June European Grand Prix (1st Leg)
1-6 July Archery World Cup Stage 3

9-12 July World Archery University Championships

18 July - 1 August XXII Central American and Caribbean Sports Games 21-26 July European Outdoor Championships & WAE Congress

26 July - 3 August European Para-Archery Championships

5-10 August Archery World Cup Stage 4

16-28 August Youth Olympic Games

19-23 August
5-7 September
15-20 September
European Grand Prix (2nd leg)
Archery World Cup Final
European 3D Championships

19 Sept. – 3 October Asian Games

25 Oct.-8 Nov. South American Games

13-14 December Indoor Archery World Cup 2014-15 Stage 1

2015

13-18 JulyPan American GamesToronto (CAN)24-25 JulyWorld Archery CongressCopenhagen (DEN)26 July - 2 AugustWorld Archery ChampionshipsCopenhagen (DEN)

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