



Olympic Day

IOC President tries archery

The International Olympic Committee celebrated 100 years of housing its organisation in the Olympic Capital of Lausanne in 2015, making for particularly special Olympic Day celebrations in the city, including the annual fun run and additional exhibitions and open days at Olympic HQ, Maison du Sport International – World Archery's home – and other important venues. IOC President Thomas BACH showed visitors around the IOC offices in Vidy, and put his hand to the sport of archery.



Read more: <http://archy.re/1IMJfvp>

Athletes

Youth survey

Competitors at the World Archery Youth Championships in Yankton, South Dakota took part in a survey that included questions ranging from bow weight to practice habits. The survey completed by nearly 300 young international archers uncovered some interesting results. It reveals that international archers start sport around age 11 and not least that over 60% practice archery alongside their schoolwork.



Read more: <http://archy.re/1RS44KO>

Marie-Pier BEAUDET

The 28-year Canadian who competed at Athens 2004, Beijing 2008 and London 2012 Olympic Games recently announced her retirement from international archery competition. Her international career spanned over 13 years, during which she competed for Canada at numerous multi-sport Games, World Championships and World Cup events.



Read more: <http://archy.re/1Jteoa7>

Dutch team

Fresh off winning a world cadet silver medal, Jan VAN TONGEREN has been named to the Netherlands' senior squad for Copenhagen 2015. The Netherlands won recurve men's team bronze at Baku 2015 but one member of that squad won't compete at the 2015 World Archery Championships in Copenhagen as youth VAN TONGEREN is set to replace Mitch DIELEMANS for the senior event.



Read more: <http://archy.re/1IMJZAG>

Elections

Athletes Committee

The list of candidates for election to the World Archery Athletes Committee to be held at the Copenhagen Congress late July is as follows:

Athletes (4 positions)

Naomi FOLKARD (RW)	GBR	PJ DELOCHE (CM)	FRA
Viktoriya KOVAL (RW)	UKR	Reo WILDE (CM)	USA
Céline SCHOBINGER (RW)	SUI	Linda OCHOA (CW)	MEX
OH Jinhyek (RM)	KOR	Ivana BUDEN (CW)	CRO
Juan Rene SERRANO (RM)	MEX	Albina LOGINOVA (CW)	RUS



Para archery athlete representative in the World Archery Athletes Committee will be elected during the World Archery Para Championships 2015 in Donaueschingen. Candidatures must be received at World Archery office no later than 24 July 2015. The form is available on the website at <http://archy.re/1dwetOD>.

Events**Rio Test Event**

The invitation package for the Aquece Rio – Rio 2016 International Archery (Test Event) to be held on 15-22 September 2015 is available for download from <http://archy.re/1GNC2Lo>. Preliminary registration closed on 29 June and final registration using WAREOS system ends on 25 August 2015.

**Final Qualification Tournament for Rio Paralympics**

The Final Qualification Tournament for the Rio Paralympics has been allocated to Czech Republic. The two bids received by the deadline from Nove Mesto, Czech Republic and Beijing, PR China, were submitted to the World Archery Executive Board members. The majority of votes expressed was for Czech Republic.

**Yankton 2015**

Marcus D'ALMEIDA became Brazil's first Olympic medallist at the Youth Games in Nanjing in 2014 before coming second as the youngest ever qualifier to the Archery World Cup Final. At the World Archery Youth Championships, and still shooting as a cadet, D'ALMEIDA collected his nation's first world title.



Other highlights included Korea taking a clean sweep of the recurve team and mixed team podiums, a huge improvement from two years prior, and Sara LOPEZ finishing out her junior career with two medals.

Read more: <http://archy.re/yankton15>

Baku 2015

Five-time Olympian Natalia VALEEVA collected double-gold in the mixed team and team events at the first European Games in Baku, Azerbaijan. Her partner in the doubles event: Mauro NESPOLI. Ukraine, with Beijing 2008 Olympic Champion Viktor RUBAN won the men's team title at the all-recurve event.



Germany's Karina WINTER took women's individual honours, while Miguel ALVARINO GARCIA – who won silver in the team event with Spain – had men's gold. ALVARINO GARCIA beat Dutchman Sjef VAN DEN BERG in the final.

Read more: <http://archy.re/1RVhGVB>

Registration deadlines

Events	Preliminary Entries	Final Entries
World Archery Championships	28 April 2015	5 July 2015
Archery World Cup Stage 3 Wroclaw	14 May 2015	21 July 2015
World Archery Para Championships	26 May 2015	2 August 2015
World Archery 3D Championships	1 June 2015	10 August 2015
Archery World Cup Stage 4 Medellin	10 June 2015	18 August 2015

IMPORTANT NOTE: Registration deadlines are set at 12:00 pm (midnight) Central European Time (UTC +1). Therefore, countries in the Americas, for example, should pay attention to the time in order not to miss the deadline.

Coaching

National Coaching Certification Programme in Sri Lanka

Freshly certified Level 1 Coach Trainer Ranjith MANAWADU regularly consults the World Archery Development and Coaching Department to establish a national coaching system. Regarding the training of the national elite, since Sri Lanka has no national coach, a regular/frequent evaluation of athletes by more than one coach will be implemented. The personal coaches will be involved.

Coaching courses in Myanmar, DPR Korea, Bolivia, Rwanda and Philippines

Coaching courses for coaches will shortly take place in Myanmar and DPR Korea conducted by Yap Lee CHONG (MAS). Bolivia received the approval to host a course with the expertise of Jorge CABRERA (ARG). Carlos FREITAS (POR) will conduct a course in Rwanda sometime in September-October. Ms Purita Joy MARINO (PHI) has applied for an OS coaches' scholarship for the 8th ICECP edition supported by USOC and the University of Delaware, USA.

Pierre-Julien DELOCHE at 2015 Coaching Seminar

The French compound star athlete Pierre-Julien DELOCHE enthusiastically accepted our invitation to lecture at the World Archery Coaching Seminar to be held in Fuengirola, Malaga, Spain from 30 September to 3 October 2015. He will explain how a world elite compound athlete trains, his inter-relations with three coaches, etc. For registration and information, please contact Mrs Deqa NIAMKEY at dniamkey@archery.org.



First World Archery Level 1 Coach Trainer in Guatemala

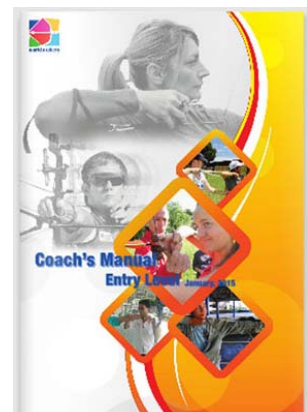
Congratulations to Carlos MEDA who on 30 June 2015 became the first ever World Archery Level 1 Coach Trainer from Guatemala. The members of the jury have reported how much they have appreciated the quality of hard worker from this candidate who constantly searched for any improvement in his course preparation and conduct.

French version of Level 1 Coach Manual – Assistance needed!

The French Archery Federation has translated the recently updated World Archery Level 1 Coaching Manual. We are now looking for bilingual volunteers to check the French translation, and eventually to refine it. If you would like to help, please contact the World Archery Development and Education Director, Pascal COLMAIRE at pcolmaire@archery.org.

German version of Level 1 Coach Manual

On 17 June 2015, the Austrian Archery Federation received the right and material to translate into German the recently updated World Archery Level 1 Coaching Manual.



Happy father!

Congratulations to Mohammad ZIA who lately became the father of a pretty daughter. He is a certified World Archery Level 1 Coach Trainer from Bangladesh who has recently been contracted by the Bogota Archery Club in Colombia.

Youth Latin American programme

After almost one month in Cuba Ivan YOTOV, the World Archery coach consultant for this programme, has started assisting Paraguay with the training of their youth on 16 June 2015.

Level 1 Coaches Course at Partner Centre in Bangkok

From 21-27 June 2015 a Level 1 Coaches Course took place at the World Archery Partner Centre in Bangkok, Thailand gathering 14 participants from Iran, Philippines, Singapore and Thailand under the expertise of Coach Yap Lee CHONG. Despite the differences among the participants, all reached their goal at the end of the course. All had the objective to learn the basic techniques and safety required in archery to effectively coach beginners.

Europe will train third pool of Level 1 Coach Trainers

The national archery federations from Europe have received an invitation from World Archery Europe to register to a Level 1 Coach Trainer Course to be held in Athens, Greece on 19-28 October 2015. Registrations are open by contacting WAE at m.pisciotti@emaui.org. In 2016 this project will be extending with a course for Level 2 Coach Trainers. It will also be conducted in Athens. Expected dates: 18-23 April 2016.

The World Archery Development and Education Director, Pascal COLMAIRE, assisted by a World Archery certified Coach Trainer will conduct both courses. Successful candidates to both courses will be certified by World Archery.

Sport training opportunity in Lausanne

Sports Academy Lausanne organises a new Interdisciplinary Cycle for Sports Coaching professions in 2015-2017 (see brochure at <http://archy.re/1HtUgVX>). The training conducted in French, comprehensively captures the interdisciplinary skills development, allowing participants to accomplish in the future their role and tasks with confidence. It targets sports physiotherapists, coaches and physical trainers, and sports managers.

The agenda and the final programme will be sent to participants and published at <http://www.sportsacademylausanne.ch/> as soon as the number of fixed seats is reached. The first two pre-booked dates are 30 November to 3 December 2015 and 18-21 January 2016. A registration form is available for download at <http://archy.re/1GNAYH7>.



Development

Bolivia

The April 2015 issue of World Archery News informed that the Federación Boliviana de Tiro con Arco applied to World Archery membership. Since none of the World Archery member associations or members of the World Archery Executive Board has raised any objection to the World Archery office, this federation becomes a temporary member as of 1 July 2015. Their final membership will be submitted to a vote at the World Archery Congress in Copenhagen.



News from World Archery Americas

You are invited to read the excellent newsletter from World Archery Americas available from download at <http://www.coparco.org/info.html>.

Reactivation of Palau Archery Association

The 10th Belau Games will be staged on 19-28 June 2015 in Palau. This event has been one of the main triggers to reactivate our sport in the country. They have elected the following persons: Tutii CHILTON as President, Dean RUDIMCH as Vice President, Laura MANGHAM as Secretary and Debbie TORIBIONG as Treasurer. The archery association has published a competition manual for the Belau Games and drafted a 2015 to 2020 Development Plan for Palau archery.

Scholarship for future leaders in sport

The AISTS Athlete Scholarship helps support current and former professional athletes in their dual and post-sport career. The Athlete Scholarship funds half the tuition fee of the AISTS Master of Sports Administration – a 14-month programme developing the future leaders in sport. Athletes can get in touch with AIST directly on +41 (0)21 693 85 92 or at thuy.khuc-bilon@aists.org. For details on the application process, visit www.aists.org/scholarship. Application deadline for the 2016 AISTS Athlete Scholarship closes 15 August 2015.



Visit of President of Algerian Federation of Sport Shooting

Mr Rabah BOUZID, President of the Algerian Federation of Sport Shooting to which archery belongs, met the World Archery Development Department on 8 June 2015. The following topics have been discussed: archery development in Algeria, the ranking of archery equipment as weapon, the structure of the federation, continental activities, 2015 World Archery Congress.

Strategic development plans from member associations

Benin, Ivory Coast and Rwanda submitted their strategic development plan to World Archery. After analysis, a feedback was sent to the respective member associations in order to help them refine their plan. Due to the above submission, these three countries were added to the list of countries eligible to ask assistance to World Archery, including for archery equipment.

Donation of archery equipment to Rwanda

Due to good efforts to develop archery, the Rwanda Archery and Shooting Sports Federation will be offered a kit of entry level archery equipment (12 bows with arrows and some maintenance items). The equipment will be used during an OS coaching course from 26 August to 9 September 2015. It will then be used to implement some projects of their strategic development plan.

Member associations' activities

1-8 July	OS Coaches Course	Pyongyang (PRK)
2-16 August	Training Camp for TIZOCATA	Abidjan (CIV)
3-4 August	Archery Equipment Workshop	Abidjan (CIV)
6-16 August	Level 1 + 2 Coaches Course	Abidjan (CIV)
9-18 August	OS Coaches Course	Khartoum (SUD)
12-16 August	Judges and Technical Delegates Course	Abidjan (CIV)
20-30 August	OS Coaches Course	Naypyidaw (MYA)
19-28 October	OS European Level 1 Coach Trainer Course	Athens (GRE)
7-12 December	OS Coaches Course	Tehran (IRI)
TBC	OS Coaches Course	Taipei (TPE)
TBC	OS Coaches Course	La Paz (BOL)
TBC	DNSS Programme	Lilongwe (MAW)
TBC	OS Coaches Course	Kigali (RWA)

Courses open to member associations

30 Sept. – 1 Oct.	World Archery Coaching Seminar	Fuengirola (ESP)
18-24 October	Level 2 Coaches Course	Bangkok (THA)
TBC	Compound & Recurve Training Camp	Bangkok (THA)
25-31 October	Asian Training Camp & CQT	Bangkok (THA)
22-28 November	Level 1 Coaches Course	Bangkok (THA)

Contact Updates

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Complete directory for contact details of member associations at <http://archy.re/1o8t2Yt>

Performances

World records

Compound Cadet Men

Date	Record Name	Category	Points	Comp. Place	Country	Archers	Notes
2015-06-09	50 meters Round - 216 arrows	Team	2038	Yankton 2015 World Archery Youth Championships Yankton (USA)	TUR	GARIP Mert MARAS Serdar Bortay ERKUS Emre	Standing Record
2015-06-12	Team Matches - 24 arrows	Team	235	Yankton 2015 World Archery Youth Championships Yankton (USA)	TUR	GARIP Mert MARAS Serdar Bortay ERKUS Emre	Standing Record

Compound Cadet Women

Date	Record Name	Category	Points	Comp. Place	Country	Archers	Notes
2015-06-12	Team Matches - 24 arrows	Team	228	Yankton 2015 World Archery Youth Championships Yankton (USA)	MEX	GARZA ESPINOSA Maria Fernanda ESMERALDA G. Sanchez M. ESTRADA CASTRO Carolina	Standing Record

Compound Junior Women

Date	Record Name	Category	Points	Comp. Place	Country	Archers	Notes
2015-06-12	Team Matches - 24 arrows	Team	231	Yankton 2015 World Archery Youth Championships Yankton (USA)	TUR	BOSTAN Yesim SEVINDIK Dilara SAGLAM Evrim	Standing Record

Compound Men

Date	Record Name	Category	Points	Comp. Place	Country	Archers	Notes
2015-06-28	50 meters Round - 72 arrows	Individual	716	70m Round/ Compound 50m Round Hoensbroek (NED)	NED	SCHLOESSER Mike	Standing Record

Recurve Master Men Open

Date	Record Name	Category	Points	Comp. Place	Country	Archers	Notes
2015-06-20	1440 Round - 144 arrows (former FITA)	Individual	1247	Double 1440 Round Eerde (NED)	NED	BOTTOMLEY Phillip	Para-Archery Record Standing Record
2015-06-20	70 meters - 36 arrows	Individual	306	Double 1440 Round Eerde (NED)	NED	BOTTOMLEY Phillip	Para-Archery Record Standing Record
2015-06-20	50 meters - 36 arrows	Individual	302	Double 1440 Round Eerde (NED)	NED	BOTTOMLEY Phillip	Para-Archery Record Standing Record
2015-06-20	30 meters - 36 arrows	Individual	340	Double 1440 Round Eerde (NED)	NED	BOTTOMLEY Phillip	Para-Archery Record Standing Record

Calendar Highlights

2015

3-14 July	28th Summer Universiade (Archery: 4-8 July)	Gwangju (KOR)
6-13 July	Czech Target 2015 + Para Archery Event	Nove Mesto (CZE)
7-11 July	European Grand Prix 2 Leg	Iasi or Bucharest (ROM)
10-26 July	Pan American Games (Archery 13-18 July)	Toronto (CAN)
14-18 July	European Youth Cup (2nd Leg)	Roma (ITA)
24-25 July	World Archery Congress	Copenhagen (DEN)
26 July-2 August	World Archery Championships	Copenhagen (DEN)
7-15 August	Para Pan American Games (Para Archery: 8-11 August)	Toronto (CAN)
11-16 August	Archery World Cup Stage 3	Wroclaw (POL)
23-30 August	World Archery Para Championships	Donaueschingen (GER)
31 Aug.– 6 Sep.	World Archery 3D Championships	Terni (ITA)
5-11 September	Commonwealth Youth Games (Archery: 7-11 September)	Apia (SAM)
8-13 September	Archery World Cup Stage 4	Medellin (COL)
15-22 September	AqueceRio - Rio 2016 International Archery (Test Event)	Rio de Janeiro (BRA)
26-27 September	Test Event – World Field Championships 2016	Dublin (IRL)
1-11 October	European Masters Games (Archery: 6-10 October)	Nice (FRA)
2-10 October	6th CISM World Summer Games (Archer: included)	Mungyeong (KOR)
3-4 October	European Club Team Cup	Riom (FRA)
6-10 October	European Field Championships	Rzeszow (POL)
7-11 October	Asia Cup Stage 3	Tehran (IRI)
24-26 October	Archery World Cup Final	Mexico City (MEX)
1-8 November	19th Asian Championships + CQT Asia	Bangkok (THA)
21-22 November	Indoor Archery World Cup 2015/16 Stage 1	Marrakesh (MAR)
10-19 November	Asian Para Archery Championships + Para CQT Asia	Bangkok (THA)
5-6 December	Indoor Archery World Cup 2015/16 Stage 2	Bangkok (THA)

2016

15-17 January	Indoor Archery World Cup 2015/16 Stage 3	Nimes (FRA)
29-31 January	Indoor Archery World Cup 2015/16 Stage 4 + Final	Las Vegas (USA)
February – March	Oceania Championships + CQT Oceania	TBC (TGA)
1-6 March	World Archery Indoor Championships	Ankara (TUR)
2-10 April	European Para Archery Championships + Para CQT Europe	Challans (FRA)
26-20 May	European Grand Prix, 1st leg	Sofia (BUL)
26 April – 1 May	Archery World Cup Stage 1	Shanghai (CHN)
10-15 May	Archery World Cup Stage 2 + CQT Americas	Medellin (COL)
24-29 May	European Championships + CQT Europe	Nottingham (GBR)
May or June TBC	Para Final Qualifying Tournament	TBC
1-5 June	World Archery University Championships	Ulan Bator (MGL)
13-19 June	Archery World Cup Stage 3 + Final Olympic Qualifier	Antalya (TUR)
21-25 June	European Grand Prix, 2nd leg	Riom (FRA)
19-23 July	European Youth Championships	Bucharest (ROM)
5-21 August	Olympic Games (Archery: 5-12 August)	Rio de Janeiro (BRA)
6-10 September TBC	European 3D Championships	TBC
7-18 September	Paralympic Games (Para Archery: 9-16 September)	Rio de Janeiro (BRA)
27 Sep.-2 Oct.	World Archery Field Championships	Dublin (IRL)
Sept. or Oct. TBC	Archery World Cup Final	TBC
1-2 October	European Club Team Cup	Sofia (BUL)

Red = Last Updates

Bold = World Ranking Events

Green = Indoor Events

Blue = Para Archery Events

CQT = Continental Qualification Tournament

TBC = To Be Confirmed (= NOT CONFIRMED YET)

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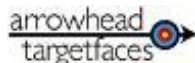
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