



## FITA President

### Turkish NOC President

On 12 April 2011 the FITA President and IOC Member Prof Dr Ugur ERDENER, has been nominated unanimously by the Board of the Turkish National Olympic Committee (NOC) as their new President succeeding Mr Togay BAYATLI.

This new position at the head of the Turkish NOC makes of Dr ERDENER one of the few to have leading roles both in an international sports federation (IF) and a NOC. Dr ERDENER was the first Turkish sportsman to be elected as President of an Olympic sport IF when he took the lead of the International Archery Federation (FITA) in 2005. Later on, at the Olympic Session in Beijing 2008, he was elected as IOC Member together with Sergey BUBKA. Coincidentally, the former great athlete is also the NOC President in Ukraine and the Senior Vice President of the International Amateur Athletic Federation (IAAF). The only other current "triple threat" is Julio Cesar MAGLIONE who is the President of the International Aquatic Federation (FINA) and the leader of the NOC in Uruguay.



## Partnership

### Easton and Hoyt

World's leading archery manufacturers Easton and Hoyt have renewed their partnerships with World Archery for six more years! They are respectively the Official Arrow Partner and Official Bow Partner of the Archery World Cup as well as all the World Archery Championships. The renewed agreement covers 2011 to 2016.

Easton and Hoyt have been the Official Arrow and Official Bow Partners of World Archery/the International Archery Federation (FITA) since the World Cup Final in Lausanne in September 2008.



Easton and Hoyt have helped FITA, many of the top and Olympian hopeful archers worldwide, as well as the development of archery since their creation. Under the leadership of their owner, IOC member James L. EASTON, Easton and Hoyt have always been leaders in technological progress in archery, introducing for instance the first uses of carbon fibre in the sport. It is noteworthy that every archery Olympic medallist since the re-introduction of the sport at the 1972 Games shot with Easton or Beman arrows.

Easton and Hoyt have been Associate Members and Development Fund Partners of FITA since the inception of these programmes. Their aim is that archery companies directly contribute with technical support and equipment donations to the development of national archery member associations worldwide.

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"We are delighted that such archery brands continue to be strongly involved with our events and with the promotion of archery. Easton and Hoyt have always been at the core of the development of archery worldwide and this has been instrumental for our success and for the success of the archers," said FITA Secretary General Tom DIELEN.

Hoyt President Randy WALK said: "The efforts of World Archery to grow and promote archery are right in line with our company goals of promoting all forms of archery and growing participation. We are proud to continue to support all of World Archery's efforts to bring our sport to the world."

Greg EASTON, president of Easton Technical Products, said: "I'm proud to help continue the legacy started by my grandfather and continued by my father in supporting FITA's worldwide effort to grow the sport of archery. We have a great partnership with World Archery and look forward to finding even more ways to continue to grow our sport in the years ahead."

**Archery Fan Reporter with WIN&WIN**

The second season of the Archery Fan Reporter programme will be presented by the archery brand WIN&WIN.



The Archery Fan Reporter programme was launched last year at the World Archery Field Championships in Visegrad and the Archery World Cup events in Ogden, Shanghai and Edinburgh. The programme allowed young reporters, media students, sometimes true archery fans or sometimes newcomers to the sport, to produce daily stories (3-5 minutes in length) about various aspects of major archery international events. It was the first daily coverage of archery events on [www.archery.tv](http://www.archery.tv).

The reporters are helped by the expertise of the Hit the Roof company, which ensures the TV production of the archery broadcasts and is known as World Archery TV. The stories showcased some of the star archers during serious or fun interviews as well as back of the scene footage of our events. Various topics were covered such as the clean sport campaign in archery, coaching tips or the "making of" of a sports TV production. It was a true success as the 20 videos surpassed the 50,000 viewership on [www.archery.tv](http://www.archery.tv) and they can be watched at [www.youtube.com/view\\_play\\_list?p=F76BD0BABC0EAD16](http://www.youtube.com/view_play_list?p=F76BD0BABC0EAD16).

In 2011, World Archery wanted to roll out this programme to every Archery World Cup and world championships and found a partner to do so: the archery manufacturer from Korea WIN&WIN.

FITA Secretary General Tom DIELEN said: "We are delighted that we found in WIN&WIN a great partner for the Archery Fan Reporter programme. We can now take this programme to the next level in 2011 and bring even more exclusive content of our competitions on [www.archery.tv](http://www.archery.tv). WIN&WIN immediately understood the potential of Archery TV and we are delighted that they see the potential of this new way of communication to the archery fans. They will love it! We also believe that this programme can motivate our Member Associations to develop their own YouTube channels."



Mr PARK Kyung-Rae, CEO of WIN&WIN, said: "We are happy to take this opportunity to be in the heart of archery events and bring inside out coverage to the fans worldwide through the Internet. We hope the Archery Fan Reporter programme and WIN&WIN will be a winning combination and contribute to the development of archery."

Last year, Melis BAGATIR and Robert HANSON were invited to the World Cup Final in Edinburgh to thank them for their work as fan reporters respectively in Visegrad and Ogden. The reporters from Shanghai, ZHU Tian Shun and SONG Jia Yi, are currently on their way to Porec, Croatia. They will perform the AFR videos in the World Cup 2011 Stage 1 as the winners of the programme in 2010.

This year the best Archery Fan Reporters will earn a trip to the Istanbul Archery World Cup Final! The season begins in Porec from 2-7 May. Stay tune on [www.archery.tv](http://www.archery.tv) to discover the next Archery Fan Reporters videos!

### Global Sports Jobs

GlobalSportsJobs, the innovative digital sports jobs board and career development service launched by Will LLOYD in late 2010, has agreed a partnership with FITA/World Archery, the international governing body of archery. Under the agreement, GlobalSportsJobs will create and power an online jobs board for the federation, enabling it to vastly increase its recruitment reach.

GlobalSportsJobs harnesses the power of digital technology to provide an online destination offering access to jobs, information, careers advice and a massive social network. In doing so it is delivering greater reach, quality and diversity of job seekers than ever previously available and opening-up previously inaccessible opportunities for employers and candidates alike.

World Archery joins a growing number of international governing bodies and multi-national sports organisations such as IMG, Fast Track and Eurosport which have already signed-up to the benefits of being plugged into one of the largest networks in sport.

"We are delighted to be working with World Archery," said Will LLOYD. "They are a highly focussed, professional and ambitious governing body which is committed to progress. They understand that taking a positive attitude towards recruitment will have a direct bearing on their future success. Together we will unlock tremendous new opportunities for people seeking jobs or developing their careers in the sector."

Tom DIELEN, World Archery Executive Director, said: "People are our biggest asset, we are all operating in an increasingly professional environment and our ability to carry out our role depends on the quality of our people. GlobalSportsJobs presents us with a tremendous opportunity to develop a talent based community for the global archery family. The fact that it is integrated into a global talent network ensures we will be able to build a successful future for our sport."

GlobalSportsJobs represents a natural evolution for sports recruitment although its impact will be quite revolutionary. It is the next logical step for the industry and GlobalSportsJobs will become the hub for the extended sports family.

GlobalSportsJobs offers candidates access to the whole world of sports jobs at one click of a mouse, eliminating the need to search multiple sites. GlobalSportsJobs's search capability makes it easy to access appropriate jobs by sector, role, salary, location, etc.



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Tom DIELEN and Will LLOYD in London



## Peace & Sport

At the recent SportAccord Convention taking place in London, FITA together with another seven new Olympic and non-Olympic international sports federations announced that they are joining the Peace and Sport community to promote peace across the globe.

The Federations are:

- International Archery Federation (FITA)
- International Cycling Union (UCI)
- International Mountaineering and Climbing Association (UIAA)
- International Triathlon Union (ITU)
- Federation International Amateur Sambo (FIAS)
- Federation International of Gymnastics (FIG)
- International Sepak Takraw Federation (ISTAF)
- International Korfball Federation (IKF)



Through their alliance with the international organisation Peace and Sport, the International Federations (IFs) will underpin initiatives they have already undertaken to promote peace, social cohesion and education in disadvantaged areas of the world.

Peace and Sport provides IFs with a platform for networking, political support and operational cooperation, through which their resources and expertise are optimised and integrated into global peace-building and peace-promotion projects, supported at the highest political level.

By acting in this way, federations develop the practice of their sport in new regions at the same time as coming to the aid of vulnerable communities.

Peace and Sport will help each IF to customise its sport in a way that suits local conditions, so that it can be practiced with very little equipment or adapted equipment. These sports will consequently become accessible to youngsters living in even the most disadvantaged environments. This innovative approach enables the values and virtues of sport to be diffused more widely and more effectively, especially to young people, regardless of their living conditions.

The alliance will also involve organising joint peace-promotion events in various parts of the world.

For more information: [www.worldarchery.org](http://www.worldarchery.org) and [www.peace-sport.org](http://www.peace-sport.org)

## Officials and Congress Delegates

### Important Information on Officials and Congress Delegates at WAC, Media and TV Relations in Turin

Dear Member Associations,

We want to clarify that if you attend the FITA Congress and will stay for the championships and wish to have access to the field of play, you need to be registered as official of your team. No access will be given to the field of play for non-accredited team officials and the accreditation for the congress is only valid for the congress and not the championships.

Furthermore the maximum number of officials on the field of play is specified in the rules and this rule will be implemented during the event.

If you have a media or photographer in your delegation and wish to have media access for this person, you need to inform the Organising Committee at [info@2011.to](mailto:info@2011.to) on 21 June the latest with a copy to Didier MIEVILLE, FITA Communication and Marketing Director, at [dmieville@archery.org](mailto:dmieville@archery.org) who will approve the applications. However, the number of photo positions will be limited and only given to people that can show media credentials.

If you have national TV crews wishing to do English news coverage, it is important that you contact Didier MIEVILLE as soon as possible so proper accreditation can be given. For information on how to obtain the live signal of the finals as well as the highlights or news of the championships also contact Didier MIEVILLE as soon as possible so proper liaison with the TV production can be ensured. A rate card for TV Commentator positions and other equipment will be provided at least one month before the event.

Limited seats will be available during the qualification and elimination rounds on a first come first serve basis. For non-accredited people that wish to attend the finals, tickets will need to be purchased online or on site with the Organising Committee.

Congress delegates will have free access to the Opening Ceremony.

## Member Associations

### Bangladesh

An Archery Orientation Course for Sports Journalists was held on 23 April 2011 at the Bangladesh Army Stadium in Dhaka. It was organised by the Bangladesh Archery Federation and supported by its sponsor Uttara Bank Ltd.

The course was conducted by the coach Richard J. PRIESTMAN and Mr Nishit DAS. A total of 32 journalists from both print and electronic media attended this daylong course. It was followed by a practical session on a demonstration field given by archers from the National Team of Bangladesh.

The course ended with a ceremony, during which the President of the Federation and Chief of the General Staff of the Bangladesh Army Lt. Gen. Md. MAINUL ISLAM, awc, psc, presented certificates to the participants.

Mr Kazi Rajib Uddin Ahmed CHAPOL, Council Member of the Asian Archery Federation and Secretary General of the Bangladesh Archery Federation, was present at the ceremony among other distinguished guests.

### Ghana

At the 2007 FITA Congress the national federation of Ghana was evicted from the FITA Member Associations for lack of activity and non-payment of their membership. As the Ghana Archery Association has now revived the archery activity, this country has submitted a membership re-application file conformed to our Rule 1.4.2.

According to our Rule 1.4.3 the current FITA Member Associations and Council Members have 60 days to rise in writing to the FITA Office any objection to this request of membership. Without any serious objection within these 60 days (30 June 2011), a temporary FITA membership will be granted to the Ghana Archery Association until our congress in Turin (ITA) on 1 July 2011. Final membership of this national archery association will then be submitted to a vote at the congress.

### Nepal

The President of the Nepal Archery Association Mr Laxman Kumar SHRESTHA has been elected as a Member of the Nepal Olympic Committee. This is very good news for the Nepal Archery Association. Their already good relationship with the National Olympic Committee will be strengthened further with this election. The Nepal Archery Association would like to thank everyone for their support.



### Spain

World Archery has received the sad news that Mr Osvaldo GARCIA CALVO (ESP) from Spain has passed away in April 2011. Many people will remember Osvaldo GARCIA CALVO as an International Judge. He was the successful competition manager of the Barcelona Olympics in 1992. He also initiated the Nature Games in Brazil which was a forerunner of Run Archery. Osvaldo GARCIA CALVO had been fighting against lung cancer for five years and passed away in the year of his 72th birthday. The FITA Council and the entire World Archery team send their sincere condolences to his family and friends and to the whole Spanish archery community.

## Coaches

### World Archery Coaching Seminar

The World Archery Development and Coaching Department is pleased to announce that all coaches are invited to take part in the 5th World Archery Coaching Seminar to be held from 8-11 November 2011 in London (GBR). The seminar, hosted by Archery GB, will be a great opportunity for archery coaches to share best practise and coaching techniques with their global counterparts. Hosting it at Lords Cricket Ground, offers an opportunity for participants to see the Olympic archery venue prior to 2012. It is also hoped that delegates will get to see other Olympic venues as part of a wider tour.

The World Archery Coaches Seminar brings the coaching community together from across the globe. So as well as participating in the interactive seminar, learning new skills, coaches will have the opportunity to discuss and exchange ideas with colleagues from all over the world without the distraction of a competition! World Archery hopes you will join them at the 5th World Archery Coaching Seminar.

Please contact the World Archery Development Department, Deqa NIAMKEY [dniamkey@archery.org](mailto:dniamkey@archery.org) for complete package and any further information required.

## Development

### Calendar 2011

28 March-15 June	OS Coaches Scholarship for UGA at Semmelweis University	Budapest (HUN)
29 April-27 June	OS Coaches Scholarship for NIG & BEN – CISél Sport Centre	Lausanne (SUI)
June (TBC)	Level 1 OS Coaches Course	Conakry (GUI)
1-15 June	Training of Saudi Arabia National Archery Team	MEAC - Cairo (EGY)
5-15 October	Level 2-3 Training Camp	MEAC - Cairo (EGY)
November (TBC)	Coaches Course Level 2	MEAC - Cairo (EGY)
7-12 November	5th World Archery Coaching Seminar	London (GBR)

### Central Africa

The Olympic Solidarity (OS) and International Archery Federation (FITA) assisted Central African coaches in coaching them with the introduction of the level 1 course for the development of archery.

The Central African Archery Federation (FECATA) was inactive for several years and has recently decided to restart the development of our sport in their country.

This ambitious project was supported by:

- An equipment donation from L.A.S. Distribution, FITA Associate Member. This is currently the only archery equipment available in Central Africa: twelve kits for beginners, each one including all required equipment to shoot (one bow, twelve arrows and all accessories), as well as items to repair and maintain the equipment and to make bow strings.
- The OS that has allocated a technical course for level 1 coaches.
- FITA that has delegated their FITA Development & Education Director Mr Pascal COLMAIRE.



During seven days under a sun making the temperature regularly rise to more than 40 degrees, 20 coach-candidates and two observers worked from 7h30 and 8h hours per day. Among the candidates there were five women and two wheelchair participants. The level 1 course took place from 24-30 March 2011 in the centre of the national stadium of Bangui (200,000 seats).

The participants were honoured with the presence of several representatives from the sports authorities and press, such as the Ministry of Sports, Arts and Culture, the National Olympic Committee, FECATA and many other national sports federations. The after course is a point of worry that has generated the draft of a strategic development plan of our sport in the Central African Republic. This plan foresees:

- Creation of a technical committee of coaches, in charge of the on-going education of the participants in order to encourage them to practice their know-how.
- Education of carpenters for the production of archery wooden equipment. This programme could be done through the development of the national structure programme provided by the OS. This programme could be then completed with a judges' course, a seminar for course organisers and an in-training service for newly trained coaches.

- OS scholarships for a couple of coaches to attend a course at the FITA MEAC in Cairo for a 3-4 weeks period.

World Archery joins the Ministry of Youth, Sports, Arts and Culture of the Central African Republic who has congratulated the FECATA President Colonel Yhon-Louton KOTOKE for his ceaseless efforts to develop our sport in his country.

### Equipment Assistance Programme

With the input of all the FITA Continental Associations, the following countries have been granted the equipment assistance programme, through a voucher of CHF 3,000: ARG, MNE, PNG and SRI. They will be able to buy archery equipment from our official partners.

Also the Member Associations here below are eligible to a discount on an order made to a FITA Development Fund Partner involved in archery equipment:

- Asia: SRI
- Americas: PER, ARG, COL, NCA and ESA
- Europe: ARM, AZE, BIH, GEO, LTU, MDA, MNE, ROU, SRB, UKR
- Africa: None (So far)
- Oceania: PNG

Other Member Associations may benefit of this programme by submitting a development/strategic plan to their respective Continental Association as soon as possible. For any further information you may require, please contact Pascal COLMAIRE at [pcolmaire@archery.org](mailto:pcolmaire@archery.org).

## MEAC Activities

### Egypt Cup

The first event organised at the new FITA Middle East Archery Centre (MEAC) venue was held by the Egyptian Archery Federation. It took place between 25-26 March 2011 with the participation of more than 190 archers in the recurve and compound division.

The Egyptian Archery Federation trains regularly at the new site. During the Egypt Cup 2011 a new record was set by Ahmad FAKHRY with a score of 661 at 70 metres.



### Coaches Course Level 3

A Level 3 Coaches Course took place from 4-23 April 2011 with the participation of two coaches: Jorge CABRERA (ARG) and Islam ELWAKIL (EGY). The first step was to analyse the archery knowledge of the coaches to determine their level. Participants studied several topics to enhance their techniques, so that they can improve their archers' shooting abilities.



The coaches reviewed archery basics and discussed different technics such as: set up, drawing, extension, aiming and release. They also discussed things to avoid in archery in general, psychological issues related to the mental status of an archer during an event and the role of a coach on how to overcome stress.

Other important topics were covered on physical aspects in archery such as weightlifting differences for beginner and advanced archers, bow alignment, equipment review and fixing bow alignment.

### Upcoming Events

- 1-15 June 2011: Training of the Saudi Arabia national archery team
- 5-15 October 2011: Training Camp Level 1 & 2
- November 2011: Coaches Course Level 2

## Events

### World Archery Event Organisers Seminar

The Invitation Package for the World Archery Event Organisers Seminar Shanghai has been released. This Seminar will take place on 9-12 September 2011 in Shanghai CHN in conjunction with the World Cup Stage 4. All useful information and a booking form can be found on [www.worldarchery.org](http://www.worldarchery.org), section WORLD CUP > Shanghai 2011 > 7 April 2011.

We remind you that the World Archery Event Organisers Seminar Ogden will take place on 5-9 August 2011 in conjunction with the World Cup Stage 3. Information is also available on our website, [www.worldarchery.org](http://www.worldarchery.org), section WORLD CUP > Ogden 2011 > 22 February 2011.

## Past Events

### Singapore 2010 Youth Olympic Games

In March 2011 a series of videos clips produced during the Singapore 2010 Youth Olympic Games started on the IOC website. Made with YOG fans in mind, this series of videos gives loads of great tips and advice on a wide range of topics, starting with the Olympic values and how to live by them.

The athletes in these videos participated in the Singapore 2010 sports competitions, and, for the first time ever, in the Culture and Education Programme (CEP). The CEP, as we call it, offered heaps of fun activities around the themes of Olympism and the Olympic values, skills development, well-being and healthy lifestyle, social responsibility and expression.

Check out the first video at [www.youtube.com/watch?v=k8\\_wQ9IuJqI&feature=player\\_embedded](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=k8_wQ9IuJqI&feature=player_embedded) and find out what the Olympic values are at [www.olympic.org/olympism-in-action](http://www.olympic.org/olympism-in-action), along with some great advice from top Olympians and a glimpse into life in the Youth Olympic Village.

You may have understood from watching the video that the Olympic values are universal, not just for athletes but for everyone. Sport helps understand these values which are important in our daily lives. So embrace these values and live by them!

After the first video about the Olympic values, find out how to perform at your best in the second video at [www.youtube.com/watch?v=phCNTu3ZFBU&feature=player\\_embedded](http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=phCNTu3ZFBU&feature=player_embedded).

Being a healthy athlete is all about balance: living a healthy lifestyle and balancing your nutrition in preparation for training and competition. Discover also the importance of warming-up and cooling down for injury prevention.

This video will teach you that every little thing counts when you want to perform at your best! The plan is to produce 15 videos in all dealing with the five CEP themes which were developed with the seven format activities in Singapore 2010. Visit [www.olympic.org/youtholympicgames](http://www.olympic.org/youtholympicgames)

### Georgia at European Indoor Championships 2011

Trained by their new Korean coach AN Hyung Seung the Georgian ladies succeeded against expectation at the European Indoor Championships in in Cambrils, Spain, from 21-26 March 2011 winning the recurve women's team gold medal. The team members were Khatuna NARIMANIDZE, Kristine ESEBUA and Asmat DIASAMIDZE.

The March 2011 World Archery newsletter informed of a successful project completed in Georgia, for the development of the national structure conducted by Mr AN Hyung Seung from Korea—known as "Archie". The project was supported by the Olympic Solidarity and the National Olympic Committee of Georgia for the enhancement of the coaching, training and structure of the national team. During this Olympic Solidarity programme, Archie prepared the team for the first competition of the year—the European Indoor Championships.

At the end of his mission (28 February 2011), Archie was appointed head coach of the National Archery Federation of Georgia for the upcoming major competitions, with the support of the Ministry of Sports. Archie was interviewed by the Georgian national television to talk about the success story of the recurve women's team. The Secretary General of the National Federation of Georgia, Mr Artem SANISHVILI, exulted: "We are the champions!"

World Archery would like to thank the Olympic Solidarity for their valuable contribution as always, the National Olympic Committee, the Ministry of Sports and the National Archery Federation of Georgia for their great initiative to improve the standard of Georgian archery.



### Antalya European Grand Prix

Under difficult windy conditions experienced archers such as Marco GALIAZZO (ITA), Alison WILLIAMSON (GBR), Sergio PAGNI (ITA) and upraising Laura LONGO (ITA) prevailed at the European Grand Prix in Antalya from 11-16 April 2011.

In the new 50m Round for compound archers (72 arrows at 50 metres on 6-ring target face awarding points from 10 to 5) Marcella TONIOLI (ITA) set the world record at 693 points. She surpassed by two points the mark set by Jamie Van NATTA (USA) one week before at the Arizona Cup. All results at [www.worldarchery.org](http://www.worldarchery.org), section OTHER EVENTS > 2011 > European Grand Prix.

## Future Events

### World Archery Championships 2011 Turin

#### Entries

Preliminary registration for the World Archery Championships 2011 in Turin, Italy has closed reaching a record number of participants. The event will count on the presence of 79 participating nations, 281 officials and 609 archers, divided as follows: 209 recurve men, 172 recurve women, 138 compound men and 90 compound women.

There will also be a very high number of teams in the team events: 64 recurve men's teams, 48 recurve women's teams, 38 compound men's teams, 22 compound women's teams, as well as 61 recurve mixed teams and 36 compound mixed teams.

The World Archery Championships—Olympic qualifier for London 2012—will take place at the Hunting Palace of Stupinigi for the qualifications round and in Piazza Castello for the finals round from 3-10 July 2011.

The number of athletes competing in Turin will be more than 50 higher than at the last World Championships valid for Olympic qualification held in Leipzig, Germany in 2007.

All continents will be represented in Turin, with athletes from nations as "exotic" as Bangladesh, Nepal, Kazakhstan, Tajikistan, and Uganda. Despite the difficult political and institutional situation, Egypt will send their recurve men's and women's teams. Despite struggling with the natural disaster we all know about, Japan has registered his athletes, relying on a deep-rooted archery history.

The full list of participants is available on the event's website: [www.2011.to](http://www.2011.to).



#### Mascot

The Organising Committee of the 2011 World Archery Championships and World Archery Para Championships has launched the official mascot for the competition.

The new mascot is a nice and funny archer deer with the Italian colours on his tummy. The deer is the symbol of the Hunting Royal Palace of Stupinigi that will host the qualification and elimination rounds of the World Championships and the whole Para Championships. It is indeed possible to see from kilometres on top of the palace the iron deer realised in 1766 by the Italian sculptor Francesco LADATTE.

Marco is one of the most used names in Italy. Of Roman origin, everyone knows Marco Tullio CICERO or Marco Antonio, Marco Aurelio and Marco Polo. Marco is a name that was used in all Italian history and is very common today. A lot of sport champions are named Marco, as for example the Italian archer and 2004 Olympic champion Marco GALIAZZO, the biker Marco SIMONCELLI and the football player Marco TARDELLI. Arco is also the Italian word for the "bow", so M'Arco also means "Il mio Arco", in English "my bow".

### World Archery Para Championships 2011 Turin

We are pleased to inform our Member Associations that the minimum entries for all events have been reached for the World Archery Para Championships 2011 in Turin except for the Visually Impaired men and women. No Visual Impaired competition will be held in Turin. There is a minimum of eight entries necessary for competition to be held. As stated in the invitation, "if a category has not the necessary minimum numbers at the preliminary entries, then the competition will not be held, not even in demonstration."



For what concerns the teams there will be in all event a minimum of four since wheelchair and standing are combined and there is also the minimum number of entries for the W1 Compound Team. For the latest on the entries please visit [www.worldarchery.org](http://www.worldarchery.org), section WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS > Para 2011 > Participants.

### European Masters Games 2011

Registration for the European Masters Games 2011 has started at [www.lignano2011.it](http://www.lignano2011.it). The event will be held in Lignano, Italy from 10-20 September. Archery will run from 13-16 September.

### GB National Series

Archery GB's National Series Grand Final will take place this year in Liverpool. In the year that Archery GB celebrates its 150th anniversary, it is an appropriate venue—the first ever GNAS meeting took place at the Adelphi Hotel in Liverpool, in July 1861. The Grand Final of the blue riband event of archery's domestic calendar will take place in the picturesque surroundings of the National Trust's Speke Hall on 18 September 2011.

This is the third year of Archery GB's National Series. Archers throughout the country take part in five shoots, with results from three of them counting towards their final total. The top four archers from each category—recurve men and women, and compound men and women compound—then go through to the Grand Final.

The qualifying events for this year's Archery GB National Series Grand Final are:

- Evesham, 22 May
- Penicuk, Scotland, 18-19 June
- Lilleshall, 25-26 June
- Bristol, 23-24 July
- York, August 27-28

The defending champions are Simon TERRY (recurve men), Naomi FOLKARD (recurve women), Chris WHITE (compound men) and Nichola SIMPSON (compound women).

### Olympic Test Event 2011

LOCOG invites archers and officials to the London Archery Classic Tournament, test event for the 2012 Olympic Games, to be held from 2-10 October 2011.

The deadline for preliminary registration is 15 July 2011. More information can be found at [www.worldarchery.org](http://www.worldarchery.org), section OLYMPICS > London 2012 > Test Event > Invitation.

## Interpretation

### Shoot-off

The question was raised by a Council Member if there should be a shoot-off for the 8th place when using the 1/48 match play table since the top 8 only start competing in 1/16 and have a clear advantage over the archers in 9th position and beyond.

The Target Committee unanimously agrees that the same logic for determining the last qualifying position of the 104th place should apply for the 8th place since the impact on the competition has the same value. Therefore a single arrow shoot-off should be shot for all people tied for 8th place at the last distance shot independent of the number of 10s or Xs.

After the shoot-off they will be ranked based on 10s and Xs and in case of further tie a coin toss will decide.

## Performances

### World Records

#### Outdoor Target \ World \ Compound \ Junior Men \ Individual

Type of Record	Archer	Country	Record	Previous	Date	Place
15 Arr. Elim. Match	CLELAND Ben	USA	146	143	10.04.2011	Phoenix (USA)
15 Arr. Elim. Match	ELZA Sean	USA	146	143	10.04.2011	Phoenix (USA)
50m Round (72 Arr.)	CLELAND Ben	USA	690	678	08.04.2011	Phoenix (USA)
50m Round (72 Arr.)	SCHLOESSER Mike	NED	702	690	17.04.2011	Almere (NED)

**Outdoor Target \ World \ Compound \ Junior Women \ Individual**

Type of Record	Archer	Country	Record	Previous	Date	Place
15 Arr. Elim. Match	CERNE Toja	SLO	144	138	02.04.2011	Horjul (SLO)
50m Round (72 Arr.)	CERNE Toja	SLO	682	--	01.04.2011	Horjul (SLO)

**Outdoor Target \ World \ Compound \ Senior Men \ Individual**

Type of Record	Archer	Country	Record	Previous	Date	Place
15 Arr. Elim. Match	BROADWATER Jesse	USA	149	148	10.04.2011	Phoenix (USA)
50m Round (72 Arr.)	WILDE Reo	USA	705	701	08.04.2011	Phoenix (USA)
50m Round (72 Arr.)	DOLDERMAN Sander	NED	707	705	17.04.2011	Almere (NED)
50m Round (72 Arr.)	ELZINGA Peter	NED	707	705	17.04.2011	Almere (NED)
50m Round (72 Arr.)	WILDE Reo	USA	708	707	24.04.2011	Newberry (USA)

**Outdoor Target \ World \ Compound \ Senior Men \ Team**

Type of Record	Archer (1)	Archer (2)	Archer (3)	Country	Record	Previous	Date	Place
50m Round (3 x 72 Arr.)	WILDE Reo	WILLET Rodger Jr	GELLENTHIEN Braden	USA	2112	--	08.04.2011	Phoenix (USA)

**Outdoor Target \ World \ Compound \ Senior Women \ Individual**

Type of Record	Archer	Country	Record	Previous	Date	Place
15 Arr. Elim. Match	VAN NATTA, Jamie	USA	148	144	10.04.2011	Phoenix (USA)
15 Arr. Elim. Match	WILLEMS Gladys	BEL	149	148	17.04.2011	Almere (NED)
50m Round (72 Arr.)	TONIOLI Marcella	ITA	693	691	13.04.2011	Antalya (TUR)
50m Round (72 Arr.)	WILLEMS Gladys	BEL	700	693	17.04.2011	Almere (NED)

**Outdoor Target \ World \ Compound \ Senior Women \ Team**

Type of Record	Archer (1)	Archer (2)	Archer (3)	Country	Record	Previous	Date	Place
50m Round (3 x 72 Arr.)	D AGOSTINO Katia	SALVI Eugenia	TONIOLI MARCELLA	ITA	2044	--	13.04.2011	Antalya (TUR)

**Outdoor Target \ World \ Compound \ Master Men \ Individual**

Type of Record	Archer	Country	Record	Previous	Date	Place
15 Arr. Elim. Match	TRILLUS Dietmar	CAN	145	141	10.04.2011	Phoenix (USA)
15 Arr. Elim. Match	VERDEYEN Luc	BEL	148	145	17.04.2011	Almere (NED)
50m Round (72 Arr.)	NEBEKER Todd	USA	678	666	08.04.2011	Phoenix (USA)
50m Round (72 Arr.)	VERDEYEN Luc	BEL	698	678	17.04.2011	Almere (NED)
60m	VERDEYEN Luc	BEL	353	351	16.04.2011	Almere (NED)
FITA Round (144 Arr.)	VERDEYEN Luc	BEL	1404	1401	16.04.2011	Almere (NED)

**Outdoor Target \ World \ Recurve \ Master Women \ Individual**

Type of Record	Archer	Country	Record	Previous	Date	Place
60m Round (72 Arr.)	Petra SCHAAP	NED	635	562	17.04.2011	Almere (NED)

**Outdoor Target \ World \ Compound \ Master Women \ Individual**

Type of Record	Archer	Country	Record	Previous	Date	Place
15 Arr. Elim. Match	PEARSON Becky	USA	140	132	10.04.2011	Phoenix (USA)
50m Round (72 Arr.)	TOFAJ GUTMAN Dragica	SLO	654	--	01.04.2011	Horjul (SLO)

**Outdoor Target \ World \ Compound \ Cadet Men \ Individual**

Type of Record	Archer	Country	Record	Previous	Date	Place
15 Arr. Elim. Match	WHITING Riley	USA	145	143	10.04.2011	Phoenix (USA)
50m Round (72 Arr.)	CERNE Arne	SLO	678	--	01.04.2011	Horjul (SLO)
50m Round (72 Arr.)	SCHLOESSER Mike	NED	702	678	17.04.2011	Almere (NED)
50m	SCHLOESSER Mike	NED	353	352	16.04.2011	Almere (NED)
FITA Round	SCHLOESSER Mike	NED	1409	1406	16.04.2011	Almere (NED)

**Outdoor Target \ World \ Compound \ Cadet Women \ Individual**

Type of Record	Archer	Country	Record	Previous	Date	Place
15 Arr. Elim Match	PEARCE Paige	USA	143	126	10.04.2011	Phoenix (USA)
50m Round (72 Arr.)	PEARCE Paige	USA	667	607	08.04.2011	Phoenix (USA)

**Outdoor Target \ World \ Compound \ Mixed Team \ Team**

Type of Record	Archer (1)	Archer (2)	Country	Record	Previous	Date	Place
50m Round (16 Arr.)	TONIOLI Marcella	PAGNI Sergio	ITA	155	--	15.04.2011	Antalya (TUR)
50m Round (16 Arr.)	LOGINOVA Albina	DIKTOVANNYY Mikhail	RUS	155	--	15.04.2011	Antalya (TUR)

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## Calendar Highlights

### 2011

2-7 May	<b>Archery World Cup Stage 1</b>	Porec (CRO)
9-15 May	<b>Para-Archery World Ranking Event</b>	Brasilia (BRA)
11-20 May	<i>1st Asian Para-Archery Cup</i>	Bangkok (THA)
16-21 May	European Junior Cup (1st leg)	Echmiadzin (ARM)
24-27 May	<b>European Grand Prix (2nd leg)</b>	Toulouse (FRA)
25-31 May	<b>3rd Asian Grand Prix</b>	Dhaka (BAN)
6-12 June	<b>Archery World Cup Stage 2</b>	Antalya (TUR)
13-17 June	7th Invitational Para-Archery Event	Stoke Mandeville (GBR)
18-23 June	<b>Copa Juan Enrique Barrios Memorial</b>	Salinas (PUR)
19-26 June	<i>Para-Archery World Ranking Tournament</i>	Brasilia (BRA)
1-2 July	FITA Congress	Turin (ITA)
3-10 July	<b>World Archery Championships</b> and Paralympic Qualifier	Turin (ITA)
10-17 July	<i>World Archery Para Championships</i>	Turin (ITA)
17-22 July	<b>Batalla de Carabobo</b>	Valencia (VEN)
18-23 July	European Junior Cup (2nd leg)	Paphos (CYP)
2-6 August	<b>Archery World Cup Stage 3</b>	Ogden (USA)
12-18 August	<b>Para-Archery World Ranking Event</b>	Nymburk (CZE)
12-23 August	<b>Summer Universiade</b> (Archery: 14-18 August)	Shenzhen (CHN)
13-19 August	<b>World Ranking Event</b>	San Jose (CRC)
22-28 August	World Archery Youth Championships	Legnica (POL)
31 August-3 Sept.	World Archery 3D Championships	Donnersbach-Pl. (AUT)
3-4 September	European Clubteams Cup	Hannover (GER)
5-9 September	<i>Para-Archery World Ranking Event</i> and Paralympic Qualifier	Stoke Mandeville (GBR)
5-10 September	<b>Archery World Cup Stage 4</b>	Shanghai (CHN)
10-20 September	<b>European Masters Games</b> (Archery: 13-16 September)	Lignano (ITA)
12-18 September	European Field Championships	Florence (ITA)
15-20 September	<b>World Ranking Event</b>	Santiago de Chile (CHI)
24-25 September	Archery World Cup Final	Istanbul (TUR)
2-10 October	<b>Olympic Test Event</b>	London (GBR)
14-30 October	<b>Pan American Games</b> (Archery: 16-22 October)	Guadalajara (MEX)
19-24 October	<b>17th Asian Archery Championships and CQT</b>	Tehran (IRI)
11-22 November	<b>26th South East Asian (SEA) Games</b>	Jakarta-Palembang (INA)
19-27 November	<i>Para Pan American Games</i> (Para-Archery: 15-17 November)	Guadalajara (MEX)
	and Paralympic Qualifier	
3-4 December	Indoor World Cup Stage	Singapore (SIN)

### 2012

January	<b>Open New Zealand Championships and CQT</b>	Wellington (NZL)
20-22 January	<b>European Indoor Tournament and Indoor WCup Stage</b>	Nimes (FRA)
4-9 February	World Archery Indoor Championships	Las Vegas (USA)
10-12 February	<b>NFAA World Archery Festival and Indoor WCup Final</b>	Las Vegas (USA)
10-15 April	<b>Archery World Cup 2012 Stage 1</b>	Shanghai (CHN)
17-22 April	<b>Americas Olympic Qualifier</b>	Medellin (COL)
1-6 May	<b>Archery World Cup 2012 Stage 2</b>	Antalya (TUR)
11-13 May	<i>Paralympic Test Event</i>	London (GBR)
21-26 May	<b>European Championships and CQT</b>	Amsterdam (NED)
4-9 June	<b>European Grand Prix</b>	(CYP)
17-23 June	<b>Archery World Cup 2012 Stage 3 and Final Olympic Qualifier for Teams and Individuals</b>	Ogden (USA)
4-7 July	<b>World Archery University Championships</b>	Cordoba (ESP)
9-14 July	<b>European Grand Prix</b>	(BUL)
July	<i>European Para-Archery Championships</i>	(TBC)
27 July-12 August	<b>Olympic Games</b> (Archery: 28 July-4 August)	London (GBR)
14-19 August	World Archery Field Championships	Val d'Isere (FRA)
29 August-9 September	<i>Paralympic Games</i> (Para-Archery included)	London (GBR)
End of September (TBC)	Archery World Cup Final 2012	Tokyo (JPN)

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Italic = Para-Archery World Ranking Events

CQT = Continental Qualification Tournament

TBC = To Be Confirmed

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