



# World Archery News

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## Office

### Retirement

Pascal Colmaire has officially retired from his role as World Archery's development and education director on its full-time staff at the headquarters in Lausanne, Switzerland. He was, until 30 September 2020, the longest-serving member of staff without interruption having worked at the international federation for 20 years.



Read more: <https://archy.re/2SfOXo7>

## Sustainability

### Climate Action

World Archery has joined the United Nations Sports for Climate Action Initiative and signed the Climate Neutral Now pledge, formalising the federation's commitment to working towards a net-zero carbon footprint. The goal is to reduce or offset emissions by at least 10% a year, promoting lasting change in personnel attitudes and the processes that generate high carbon consumption. An internal analysis of the carbon emissions generated by the office and at international events has been completed, resulting in a five-year action plan.



Read more: <https://archy.re/2ZcTsDA>

## Community

### Archery.wiki

A new open-source encyclopedia for the sport of archery is now online. The project is run entirely by volunteers and the long-term goal is to build a diverse and multi-lingual community of contributors, editors and moderators passionate about building the definitive free-to-use online resource for the sport. World Archery is supporting archery.wiki by providing online hosting for the website and making its photographic library freely available for use in the platform.



Read more: <https://archy.re/36g0U5n>

### Athlete365

The International Olympic Committee has partnered with Intel to offer free online learning and professional development courses through Athlete365. Elite archers, and world-class athletes from all sports, can register to the platform. Athlete365 offers annual subscriptions to education tool LinkedIn Learning, six-month licenses for meditation platform Headspace and the opportunity to register for the exclusive Intel Mentoring Program.



Read more: <https://archy.re/30jkUQP>



## Members

### Warnings

Official warnings have been sent to the following 10 member associations who have not yet paid their membership fees for 2020: Ghana, Laos, Madagascar, Mali, Rwanda, Somalia, Suriname, Togo, Uzbekistan, and Venezuela.

A deadline of 25 October has been given both to make the payment and provide proof of their activities over the last four years. Several of the member associations have already contacted World Archery expressing their intention to respect the deadline.

### Online calls

The monthly online calls for member associations will continue during this period. Participants should register in advance. Links to calls are provided by email and slides distributed afterwards.

### 22 October 2020, 9h00 CEST and 16h00 CEST Performance awards and indoor season

*Recommended attendees: Member services, administration and management*

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## Rules

### Bylaws

Three bylaws have been added to the World Archery rulebook in the new edition published on 1 October 2020. The edits were approved by the executive board at its most recent remote meeting. Two of the bylaws are largely editorial. The third and final bylaw is related to barebows when used in the discipline of target archery only. Barebows were officially recognised for target archery at the start of 2020.

**Read more:** <https://archy.re/3ndoIN2>



## Events

### Antalya International Challenge

Archery's first world ranking event since the start of the COVID-19 pandemic will take place the first weekend of October in Antalya, Turkey. More than 100 archers from 13 countries, including Russia, Italy and Spain, have travelled to the Antalya International Challenge, which starts on Friday and finishes on Sunday. The event will be the first international competition of 2020 for the majority of the athletes in attendance. Finals from will be streamed live on Sunday.

**Read more:** <https://archy.re/3neIhF4>



### European Games 2023

Archery is one of the 23 sports included on the preliminary programme for the third consecutive European Games, due to be held in Krakow-Malopolska, Poland in 2023. The announcement was made following a meeting with the European Olympic Committees in Rome. As this announcement is for a preliminary programme, the format – and number of competition events – for archery at the 2023 European Games has not yet been decided.

**Read more:** <https://archy.re/3hTKpOi>



### Americas Online Cup

Colombian world number two Sara Lopez has won her second remote international competition since the start of the COVID-19 pandemic after beating Fatima Neri of Mexico, 145-144, in the final of the Online Archery Cup of the Americas. Inspired by World Archery's first remote competition the *Lockdown Knockout* held in May, it started in August and included a qualification stage held in countries across the continent. Live finals were streamed on World Archery Americas' Facebook page.



Read more: <https://archy.re/339wnUH>

### Open for bids

Event	Period	Deadline
Hyundai Archery World Cup Final	Autumn 2021	31 December 2020
Hyundai Archery World Cup Final	Autumn 2022	31 May 2021
Hyundai Archery World Cup Final	Autumn 2023	31 May 2021
World Archery Congress	Autumn 2023	31 May 2021
Hyundai Archery World Cup	April-July 2024	31 May 2021
Hyundai Archery World Cup Final	Autumn 2024	31 May 2021
World Archery Field Championships	2024	31 May 2021
World Archery Congress	2025	30 September 2021
World Archery Championships	2025	30 September 2021
World Archery Youth Championships	2025	30 September 2021
World Archery Para Championships	2025	30 September 2021
World Archery 3D Championships	2025	30 September 2021

All event bidding information can be found at <https://worldarchery.org/event-bidding>.

## Education

### 2020 World Archery coaching seminar

World Archery's annual coaching seminar for elite coaches is heading online in 2020. Two days of lectures and discussions on subjects including technique, equipment and the use of technology in a high-performance programme will run on Sunday 25 October and Wednesday 25 November 2020. This year's seminar is completely free-of-charge and registration will only be available through national archery federations.



Read more: <https://archy.re/2GcjnFd>

### Extension of coaching course deadline

Certification as a World Archery level one coach currently requires candidates to complete an online course and a practical course. The deadline to complete the practical course has been extended from two to three years after completion of the online course.

### Fee-free coaching course

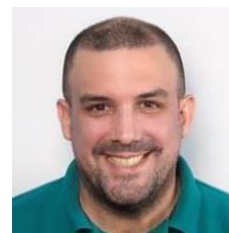
Due to ongoing uncertainty surrounding international travel requirements and recognising the need for flexibility, World Archery has waived the registration fee for its first coaching course of the winter 2020-21 season. The level one course will take place at the World Archery Excellence Centre in Lausanne, Switzerland on 5-10 October 2020. This course usually costs 470 CHF but exceptionally no fee will be charged. Participants must still register in advance and are liable for the cost of any travel, accommodation and food.



Read more: <https://archy.re/2DFpikY>

**Coach trainer**

World Archery development agent in Africa Khaled Sofiane Lamandé has been successfully certified as a coach trainer. The Algerian can now assist the coaching education programme from his country and anywhere in Africa. He speaks French, Arabic, English and Spanish and can instruct the World Archery level 1 coaching programme worldwide.

**Level 2 coaching manual**

A Persian-language translation of World Archery's level 2 coaching manual (intermediate), which was first published in 2008, is now available to view online free-of-charge. The document is 246 pages long and covers anatomy, training plans and physiology alongside specific knowledge required for coaching the different archery disciplines, bowstyles and para athletes. It is the second language to receive a full translation of the manual after French.



Read more: <https://archy.re/2GbV7Tk>

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## Event highlights

The international calendar has been suspended until 31 August. World ranking events can be held from 1 September, but no world ranking points will depreciate until at least 1 April 2021.

### 2020

2-4 October **International Antalya Challenge** Antalya (TUR)

### 2021

22-27 February **European Indoor Championships** Koper (SLO)  
**TBC** **Oceania Championships + OG CQT + WG QT** TBC (FIJ)  
 22-28 March **Pan Am & Parapan Am Championships + OG/PG CQT** Monterrey (MEX)  
 14-18 April South American Youth Games Rosario (ARG)  
 19-25 April **Hyundai Archery World Cup stage 1** Guatemala City (GUA)  
 14-30 May World Masters Games & World Archery Masters Kansai (JPN)  
 Championships (outdoor + indoor) (Archery: 15-18 May)  
 17-23 May **Hyundai Archery World Cup stage 2** Shanghai (CHN)  
 10-13 June **Emerald Isle Cup** Limerick (IRL)  
 18-20 June **Olympic Games final qualification tournament** Paris (FRA)  
 22-27 June **Hyundai Archery World Cup stage 3** Paris (FRA)  
 23 July-8 August **Olympic Games (Archery: 23-31 July)** Tokyo (JPN)  
 18-29 August **World University Games (Archery dates TBC)** Chengdu (CHN)  
 24 August-5 Sept. **Paralympic Games (Archery: 27 Aug.-4 Sept.)** Tokyo (JPN)  
 9-12 September Pan American Youth Games Cali (COL)  
 September **TBC** World Archery Congress Yankton (USA)  
 19-26 September **World Archery Championships** Yankton (USA)  
 Sept.-Oct. **TBC** **Hyundai Archery World Cup Final** TBC  
 9-10 October Run Archery European Cup Nove Mesto (CZE)  
 11-17 October World Archery Youth Championships Perth (AUS)  
 16-23 October Gymnasiade (Archery included) Jinjiang (CHN)

### 2022

1-5 April **South American Games** Asuncion (PAR)  
 25 June-5 July **Mediterranean Games (Archery included)** Oran (ALG)  
 7-17 July The World Games (Archery dates TBC) Birmingham (USA)  
 5-11 September World Archery 3D Championships Terni (ITA)  
 10-25 September **Asian Games (Archery included)** Hangzhou (CHN)  
 October **Pan American Championships** Santiago de Chile (CHI)  
**TBC** World Archery Field Championships Yankton (USA)

### 2023

28 July-7 August **World Archery Championships** Berlin (GER)  
 8-19 August **World University Games (Archery included)** Ekaterinburg (RUS)  
**TBC** World Archery Youth Championships Limerick (IRL)  
 1-5 November **Pan American Games** Santiago de Chile (CHI)

### 2026

**TBC (postponed)** Youth Olympic Games (Archery included) Dakar (SEN)

Red = Last Updates  
 Green = Indoor World Series  
 Blue = Para Archery Events  
 Bold = World Ranking Events

OG / PG / YOG = Olympic Games / Paralympic Games / Youth Olympic Games  
 QT = Qualification Tournaments  
 CQT = Continental Qualification Tournaments  
 TBC = To Be Confirmed (= NOT CONFIRMED YET)

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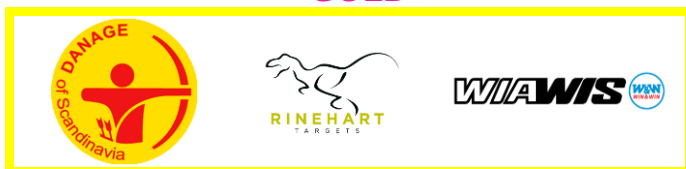


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