



World Archery

November 2012

Executive Board meeting

The final meeting of the year for the World Archery Executive Board took place on 24-25 November at its headquarter—the Maison du Sport International in Lausanne.

In his opening remarks, the President Prof. Dr Ugur ERDENER noted that 2012 has been a tremendous year for archery.



Of course, the pinnacle of the season took place in London, where the iconic venue of Lord's Cricket Ground became the Home of Archery for the Games and allowed our sport to showcase itself at its best!

During the Games, TV channels all over the world were delighted with the spectacular competitions at Lord's and archery held a record audience on NBC cable network in the USA. The audience has also been strong on Eurosport as well as in other countries such as Korea, Japan, Australia, Mexico and Italy. The men's team final, in which Italy won the gold medal with a perfect 10 at the last arrow, attracted a record market share of 29% in this country! Moreover, archery enjoyed a new record of 60,410 tickets sold. The previous record was in Atlanta 96. In London, the stands were at 99% full and they were rocking! In the official survey at the exit of the venue, the fans were unanimous (97%) saying that the experience at Lord's has been great!

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The Olympic success took nothing away from our other events, on the contrary, as the World Cup stages, the Final in Tokyo, the World Archery Indoor Championships, the World Archery Field Championships were all very successful in terms of athletes' performance, and satisfaction, spectator experience and media coverage. Archery also enjoyed the appearance of special guests during these events: Longines ambassador Andre AGASSI in Las Vegas, the basketball star Yao MING in Shanghai and snowboard Olympic medallist Mathieu BOZZETTO in Val d'Isere.

World Archery is now turning its attention to the 2013 season, which will be as busy as ever with the World Cup, the Final in Paris on the Trocadero plaza at the feet of the Eiffel Tower, four world championships and the World Games. Looking ahead, the board has attributed the World Archery Para Championships 2015 to Donaueschingen in Germany, while candidatures for some other world championships are still open.

The board was happy to receive the reports related to the applications of two new Member Associations, Virgin Islands and Rwanda. Upon completion, there will be more than 150 Member Associations affiliated to World Archery! However, the board also had to temporally suspend the Iranian Archery Federation, as long as it has not held a general assembly that World Archery can recognise.

Among the accepted bylaws, the board approved that 3D athletes will now shoot two arrows at each target with a 1-minute time limit during the qualifications round. Another discussion took place about possible changes that will be proposed at the next Congress in Antalya 2013, which includes a change of the qualification round for recurve, a change to set system for recurve team matches and a diversification between compound and recurve for indoor rounds. The board also asked the office to study the calendar and see how it could be adapted to the current economic climate.

Finally, the excellent feedback of the London Games and the World Cup Final were last proofs that the World Archery Plan 2007-2012, that aimed at making archery an important Olympic sport, has been a great success!

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The board has now already turned its attention to the World Archery Plan 2013-2016. The focus of the plan will shift to our Member Associations (national federations). The motto is: let's make archery nationally recognised as an important Olympic sport. If the sport gets stronger in each country, it will be stronger worldwide. World Archery will help key countries that have projects to develop the sport—and reapply successful projects to similar countries in the region or in the world.

The Executive Board is satisfied with the financial situation of the federation at the end of the 2008-2012 cycle. It approved the addition of two staff members for the office, in event management and in communication, so that it remains competitive in an ever changing and growing world of sport. World Archery is looking forward to keeping improving the organisation and the activities of the federation to ensure it takes the next steps forward during the upcoming Olympic cycle.

For more information please refer to the Executive Board Meeting minutes that will be published in due course.

World Archery Judges' Committee annual meeting in Wiesbaden

The World Archery Judge Committee had their yearly meeting in the premises of the German Shooting Federation in Wiesbaden, Germany, on 31 October and 1 November 2012, the two days before an international judge seminar took place.

The Chairman Morten B. WILMANN met together with Committee Members Dion BUHAGIAR and Sergio FONT and Séverine DERIAZ from World Archery.

During the meeting the committee decided on the judge appointments for 2013, a difficult puzzle where the judges' applications must be combined with the various considerations like; who will chair the commissions, mix of gender, mix of IJ and IJC, only one judge from each MA and other specifications.

In addition the committee upgraded 6 candidates to full IJ status, The new World Archery International Judges are:

Ahmed KOURA (EGY), Andjelko PRASKALO (CRO), Vladimir SINCEK (CRO), Lorraine Van Der WESTHUIZEN (RSA), Ahmed ROUSHDY (EGY) and Ranjan BHOWMIK (IND). World Archery is very pleased to see 3 new International Judges from Africa.

They also discussed various procedures in judging, completed the updating of the Judge Guidebook and the various presentations to be used at the next days seminar among other subjects.

Mr. Yip-Kay TANG from Singapore was awarded the honorific title Honorary Judge upon his retirement after many years of judging for World Archery.

World Archery Medical and Sport Sciences Committee meeting

The World Archery Medical and Sport Sciences Committee held its annual meeting in the house of the German Archery and Shooting Federation, Wiesbaden, Germany, on 3-4 November 2012.

The chairman Emin ERGEN members Nancy LITTKE, Carlos HERMES, Varin TANSUPHASIRI, Martin BAUER, as well as Françoise DAGOURET from SportAccord and Raheleh AHADPOUR from World Archery office were present in this meeting.

During the two days of the meeting, the following subjects on anti-doping activities and medical and sport sciences were discussed:



- The cooperation with SportAccord on anti-doping program in particular ADAMS, In Competition and Out of Competition Testing, and Registered Testing Pool. Françoise DAGOURET reported on the number of conducted tests and World Archery anti-doping activities in 2012. She also made a review of the Code, World Archery Therapeutic Use Exemptions (TUEs), and future anti-doping programs.
- The outreach program which will be in collaboration with SportAccord.
- The injury survey which will be run during the World Archery Championships, Antalya (TUR) and World Archery Youth Championships, Wuxi (CHN).

Dr ERGEN informed the committee on the approval of the project "Effect of beta blockers on fine motor performance in Archery" by WADA. WADA will allocate 50,000 USD to fund this project.

Dr ERGEN and Dr BAUER informed the members about their experiences at the London Olympic and Paralympic Games and made a report on the testing procedure of the mentioned event.

At the end Dr ERGEN thanked the committee members for their participation and the Germany Archery and Shooting Federation to host the meeting.

Olympic Games

London 2012 Facts and Figures

The London 2012 Olympic Games have been a success in terms of participation, broadcast and legacy – and that is very much true for archery.

The London 2012 Olympic Games saw the participation of just over 10,500 athletes - 128 of them were archers.

All 204 National Olympic Committees competed at the Games; 85 of them had medal-winners. Fifty-five NOCs qualified for the archery competition, and the 12 medals awarded were split between 6 countries.



657 Olympic Solidarity athletes competed in the London Games (14 in archery).

London 2012 saw record participation from women, who made up approximately 44 per cent of Games competitors. In archery there was a complete gender balance in athletes and events.

Competitors set 38 world records and 99 Olympic records. Two world records were set in archery: the 70 Metre Round by IM Dong-Hyun (KOR) and the team 70 Metre Round by the Korean men.

The London Games had the most comprehensive testing programme of any Olympic Games in history, with more than 5,000 tests (urine and blood) conducted during the Games, after extensive pre-Games testing by NOCs and IFs. Games tests were conducted on the top five competitors, plus two at random in each race. All of the archers tested negative.

Over 8 million tickets for the Olympic sessions were available, across 26 sports and two ceremonies. 60,410 tickets were sold for archery during the Olympics, a new record for our sport. 76% of these tickets were sold to the UK market.

The London Games heralded a new era in Olympic broadcasting, with more traditional broadcast coverage than ever before, supplemented by unprecedented digital coverage that let fans access the Games anytime, anywhere. Archery has enjoyed strong audience all over the world, for example in Korea, Japan, Australia, Mexico and Italy. It has also been mentioned as a surprising sport which drove audience on Eurosport and as the new curling phenomenon of the Summer Games on NBC in the USA. "The numbers for archery have been nothing less than huge" said Alan WURTZEL, NBC's top research executive.

The 2012 Games were the first to fully embrace online and social media. The widespread media coverage brought Olympic values to life for audiences around the world. The combination of conventional broadcast media, and online and mobile platforms, made the Games available to a record potential global audience of 4.8 billion people in every corner of the world.

London 2012's social media sites, including Facebook, Twitter and Google+, attracted 4.7 million followers. The IOC's and World Archery's Facebook pages added numerous fans during the Games. Olympians provided an inside view of life in the Olympic Village by sharing photographs, Twitter feeds and Facebook messages.

The IOC now has about 20 million fans in total on its various online communities; the World Archery Facebook page now has close to 60,000 fans, while 5000 are following World Archery on Twitter. The archery YouTube channel is one of the most successful among the Olympic sports with 11,500,000 views and 15,000 subscribers. These platforms allow athletes and fans to meet and interact online.

Finally, London 2012 demonstrated the inspirational value of the Youth Olympic Games (YOG), which debuted in Singapore in 2010. The London Games featured 156 athletes who participated in the first YOG.



They represented 80 National Olympic Committees (NOCs), and 21 of the YOG veterans earned medals. Among them was the archer Mariana AVITIA (MEX, pictured above), bronze medallist in the women's individual competition.

The Games of the XXX Olympiad were filled with inspirational athletic achievements and set new standards for legacy planning. As a result, the London Games will deliver positive and long-lasting benefits for sport, the Olympic Movement, and the host city and nation.

Alison WILLIAMSON made Member of the British Empire

Archery legend Alison WILLIAMSON has been to London's Buckingham Palace – the home of Britain's Royal Family – to collect her Member of the British Empire award from the Princess Royal.

The honour was bestowed on Alison WILLIAMSON earlier this year for her services to the sport she has served magnificently over many years. A Member of the British Empire (MBE) is one of the high profile awards given by Queen Elizabeth II twice a year to mark an individual's achievement or contribution to society.

"It was such a proud day, and a wonderful honour," said the six-time Olympian and bronze medallist from the Athens Games in 2004. "To be recognised like this is just incredible, and having taken part in the London Olympics, it has been a fantastic year for me."

"But this is not just about me, because nothing I have achieved would have been possible without the support of so many people throughout the years – family, friends, coaches, team mates, staff behind the scenes and sponsors, and I am eternally grateful to everyone."

Said Archery GB chairman, Dave HARRISON: "Alison thoroughly deserved this honour, and everyone in the archery community is immensely proud of her."

"She has not only been a magnificent archer over many years – and six Olympics is a phenomenal achievement – she also makes a fantastic contribution to the sport in many other ways, as do her family. I'm delighted she had such a wonderful day."

The Queen herself, or a senior member of her family, hand over the award at special ceremonies at Buckingham Palace. The Princess Royal is the Queen's only daughter.



World Archery Webinar

Topic: Why social media is a must: Getting the most out of Facebook, Twitter and YouTube, for archery federations, athletes, coaches – in fact everyone who should promote archery and/or what he/she is doing in archery!

Date: 16 January, 15H00 GMT (to know your local time please consult www.greenwichmeantime.com)

Registration: Email info@archery.org if interested in participating in this one-hour webinar.

Details to include: when emailing to register, please include your name, the name of your organization (if applicable), street address and email address

Deadline to Register: one week prior to webinar

Details: World Archery will offer timely, constructive advice on utilizing social media to market yourself (or your organisation) most effectively during the 2013 season. Webinar link and registration confirmation will be emailed within one week prior to webinar.

What is a webinar? It is an interactive presentation using the Internet, therefore you can attend it from your office or at home and you will be able to ask your questions.

Why attend this webinar: World Archery social media expert Teresa IACONI will give you all the latest insight on how to use Facebook, Twitter and other social media platforms. How can you capitalize on the latest surges of popularity for archery!

At the 2012 Olympic Games, archery was one of the most-watched sports, garnering one major network's highest ratings for the first entire week of competition – more than men's basketball or beach volleyball! Thanks to movies like "Brave" and "The Hunger Games," and a fantastic London Games, archery is hot, and bound to stay that way, with three "Hunger Games" sequels arriving over the next three years.

With popularity comes a large audience, and people across the world are saying that archery is seeing more interest than ever. This is the very best time for federations AND athletes to capitalize on this increased excitement by engaging with fans on social media, and turning that interest into new members and competitors, as well as media attention and perhaps even sponsor dollars.

How would you feel if we told you that you could increase the following for your federation or for you as an athlete, by 20, 30 or 50 percent? For example, if you have 4,000 archery fans, what if we told you that an additional audience of 6,000 was possible? How about 10,000 or more?

What if you could reach reporters with a 140-character statement? Or broadcast news of your upcoming tournament to 5,000 extra people? Share photos of your best youth archers, or highlight the achievements of your Olympians and Paralympians? Share your journey at the World Archery Championships with fans? Inspire young archers across the world? Reach potential sponsors with interesting content that demonstrates that archery is a growing sport?

REGISTER NOW at info@archery.org

Future Events

Date changes for the 2013 World Cup stage 4 and the 2013 World Youth Championships

The new dates for the World Cup stage 4 in Wroclaw (Poland) are **19-25 August 2013**, while the next World Youth Championships in Wuxi (China) will take place from **13-20 October 2013**. World archery apologises for the change which was due to factors beyond our control.

Nimes Archery Tournament 2013

The sixteenth edition of the European Indoor Tournament will take place in Nimes in early 2013. It will serve as second stage of the Indoor Archery World Cup. Many of the world's best shooters and a great show are expected, and a prize-money of more than 120 000 USD will be at stake.

A fantastic outdoor season came to an end with the Tokyo World Cup Final held in September. It is already time to think about the indoor season.



Joanna CHESSE, winner of the 2012 Indoor World Cup Final in compound women

The 2013 edition of the Nimes Archery Tournament will be held from 18 to 20 January at the Parnasse and Parc des Expositions in Nimes.

The French city will welcome more than 1000 archers from 30 countries and 4 continents. It is a great opportunity for all archers to discover new equipments and new tips from all partners, and to exchange information with other archers.

More than 750 archers have already registered. Do not hesitate! More information is available on the organiser's website: www.tournoieuropeen.arclubdenimes.com

Asian Grand Prix in Bangkok 2013

The National Archery Association of Thailand will organize the First Asian Grand Prix, which is World Ranking Tournament for the year 2013, from 9-15 March in Bangkok. This event will be organized following the World Archery rules in the recurve and compound divisions. Please note that the deadline for preliminary entries is **5 December 2012**.

All information and the registration form are available here :

www.worldarchery.org/UserFiles/Document/FITA%20website/01%20News/Headlines/2012/1121_Asian_Grand_Prix_IP.pdf

Indoor World Cup 2012-2013

The second season of the Indoor World Cup is about to start! As last year, the top 16 archers who participated in at least two of the three stages (Singapore, Nimes and Las Vegas) will qualify for the Indoor World Cup Final in Vegas on 9 February 2013. These competitions are open to everyone. Please find more information in the complete Rules on:

www.archery.org/content.asp?id=7684&me_id=5639

Past Events

First Archery Tournament in Bosnia Herzegovina

A first archery tournament took place in Bosnia Herzegovina on 18 November. It was a historical event for the country.

Close to 100 archers from the following countries that participated: Slovenia, Croatia, Hungary, Montenegro, and Bosnia. Among them some prominent names such as Dejan SITAR and Zlatko GLAVANOVIC (the Croatian Olympic Torch Bearer).



Bosnia Herzegovina plans to start hosting at least 2 tournaments in 2013 (one indoor and one outdoor), with chances of more tournaments organized by our members (clubs) in 2013 and further years.

The 3rd Marrakesh International Indoor Archery Tournament

Morocco hosted the 3rd International Indoor Archery Tournament in Marrakesh on 9-11 November - under the theme of "Arrow of Friendship". The event was enriched by 67 participants from Africa, America, Asia and Europe represented by 11 countries.

The hosts were very pleased by the success of this three-day event organised in Marrakesh, the beautifully scented city of green Morocco, and under the theme of "Arrow of Friendship". It was truly a unique way to start the world indoor archery season.

The winners were Thomas AUBERT (FRA) in recurve men, Nathalie DIELEN (SUI) in recurve women, and Michael CAUWE (BEL) in then compound division, where men and women shot together. All tournament results are available on <http://ianseo.net/Details.php?told=337>.

What makes this competition unique is not only the very warm welcoming, hospitality and professional organisation, but also the cultural program organised for all participants. After a sightseeing tour on Friday, the archers discovered the wonderful and magnificent city of Marrakesh, the "Pearl of the South", in horse-drawn carriages on Saturday, culminating in a big colourful closing party in a typical Moroccan restaurant including many traditional music and horse riding shows on Sunday.

“New” champions at the Face 2 Face in Amsterdam

The Face 2 Face in Amsterdam, also known as “the tension tournament”, proved once again to be worthy of the name. Top shooters from around the world showed up to get a shot at the title.

The finals were shot in the set system (best of seven). As there were no ties in the final, a tied score in a set was settled by a shoot-off. Each win gave one point and the first to reach four was declared the winner. The winners were Carlo SCHMITZ (GER) in recurve men, Annemarie DER KINDEREN (NED) in recurve women, Reo WILDE (USA) in compound men and Naomi Ruth JONES (GBR) in compound women.

For photos, please visit www.dutchtarget.com and for complete results, please visit our homepage.

Development

Calendar 2012-2013

Activities of Member Associations

25 Nov. – 16 Dec.	OS DNSS Programme	Buenos Aires (ARG)
1-15 December	National coaching structure and level I course	Johannesburg (RSA)
10-17 December	OS Technical Course level I	Bridgetown (BAR)

Courses open to all Member Associations

25 Nov. – 6 Dec.	Compound coaching course	Bangkok (THA)
Jan-Feb 2013	Coaching course for conductors	Bangkok (THA)
10-20 Feb. 2013	Intermediate Training Camp	Bangkok (THA)
22-28 April 2013	Coaches Course Level I	Bangkok (THA)
20-26 May 2013	Coaches Course Level II	Bangkok (THA)
24-30 June 2013	Coaches Course Level III	Bangkok (THA)

Change of dates

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

Namibia: Intensive Training Camp at SKW Archery Range

Dr Josef PREISSER (RSA) will conduct an intensive training camp from the 5-12 January 2013 in Windhoek (NAM). The practice sessions will take place every day from 8.00 am to 4.00 pm. For further information and registration, please contact Mrs Marja WOORTMAN at woortman@iway.na.

World Archery Accredited Partner Training Centre, Bangkok

World Archery with the support of the International Olympic Committee continues to provide good coaching and training opportunities at the World Archery Accredited Partner Archery Center in Bangkok, Thailand. All World Archery Member Associations are invited to attend an intermediate training camp that will be conducted by Coach KIM Sun Bin (KOR). The training camp will take place from the 10-20 February 2013 and the sessions will take place every day from 9.00 am to 5.00 pm with one hour lunch break.

Kindly submit your application no later than **25 January 2013**, to the WA Development and Coaching Department, Mrs Deqa Niamkey at dniamkey@archery.org

Olympic Solidarity Technical Course for Coaches in Guatemala

The level I archery technical course for coaches was held in Guatemala City from the 12-17 November 2012, under the expertise of World Archery Development Director, Pascal COLMAIRE.

The course took place thanks to the financial assistance of Olympic Solidarity, NOC of Guatemala, Asociacion Nacional de Tiro con Arco of Guatemala and technical educational assistance of World Archery. The course gathered 19 men and 5 women which 2 are staff members of the NOC of Guatemala. The course was divided in theoretical sessions in a four and half days programme.



The topics covered during the course were: coaching in WA, efficient structure of the national archery association, shooting sequences which included (preparation movements, effort production, critical/instant release and follow through), archery skills, breathing, visual, general and specific body balance, general and specific strength, basic mental skills, first class, coaching during tournaments, equipment and shooting in the wind.

During the practical sessions, the participants were paired to work together and also played the role of the coach and archer to learn skill developments.

The participants were pleased with the course and enjoyed learning new archery skills.

Olympic Solidarity Technical Course for Coaches in the Democratic People's Republic of Korea

The archery technical course for coaches was held in Pyongyang from 11-18 October 2012, under the expertise of Cheng Hsieng LIN (TPE). The 8-day programme was attended by 3 women and 14 men, divided into practical and theoretical sessions. The topics covered were: coaching methods, team leading philosophy, communication skills, health management, competition psychology through sports training, physical training methodology for archery, archery basic movements and equipment adjustment and much more.

The participants were eager to learn and interacted devotedly with the expert by submitting many questions. They worked hard to learn as much as possible during the course and their devotion and passion impressed the expert very much.

Coach LIN also underlined the importance of the coach understanding of the archers, comprehension and application of skills while teaching them. He enjoyed very much his first coaching experience in DPR Korea and is looking forward to conducting similar courses in the future.

World Archery would like to thank Olympic Solidarity, NOC of DPR Korea, Archery Association DPR Korea and Coach LIN for their contribution to the development of archery.

Olympic Solidarity Level I & II Technical Courses for Coaches in Sri Lanka

The archery technical courses for coaches were held in Colombo, Sri Lanka, from 10-19 November, under the expertise of Ken BEARMAN (GBR), Chairman of the World Archery Coaches' Committee.

The level I course was attended by 24 candidates who were competent and enthusiastic archers with an ambition to become coaches in order to help bring new members into the sport by running introductory and beginners' courses. All candidates showed an aptitude to become good and enthusiastic coaches and will be a credit to the Coaching Team of Sri Lanka.

The level II course was attended by 26 candidates. All are certified level I World Archery Coaching Curriculum. The candidates were good level 1 coaches and excellent archers coming from the Sri Lankan national archery team.

The candidates on both courses had a great sense of humour and an inquisitive mind. The questions were always relevant and precise.

The closing ceremony was attended by the Minister of Sport, the President and the General Secretary of the Archery Federation of Sri Lanka; each gave a short speech prior to the awarding of the Coaching Certificates. The award ceremony was followed by a "jam session" where some of the "new coaches" had brought with them their musical instruments.

World Archery Coaching Seminar Announcement

World Archery is pleased to announce the 6th World Archery Coaching Seminar to be held in Saquerama (Rio de Janeiro), Brazil from the 25-30 November 2013.

The seminar, hosted by Confederacao Brasileira de Tiro com Arco in partnership with Brazilian National Olympic Committee, will give archery coaches an opportunity to share best practise and coaching techniques with their global counterparts.

The seminar will be hosted at the Volleyball Development Center in the city Saquarema (www.volei.org.br/institucional/infraestrutura.asp) located 100 km from Rio de Janeiro. It offers excellent commodities to host the seminar and will also offer the participants a visit the Olympic venues prior to the 2016 Olympic Games.

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, you 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 6th World Archery Coaching Seminar.

The complete invitation package will be available on 15 February 2013.

Please don't hesitate to contact the World Archery Development Department, Deqa Niamkey dniamkey@archery.org for any further information required.

See you in Saquerama!

AISTS Sports Event Management & Organisation Seminar

The AISTS Sports Event Management & Organisation Seminar will take place from 11-15 February 2013 on the EPFL Campus in Lausanne, Switzerland. Registration is now open and is limited to 10 spots.

For more information and to register, please visit: www.aists.org/semos

The AISTS SEMOS (Sports Event Management & Organisation) module offers an overview of the key tasks that sports managers need to successfully plan, communicate and operate when organising sport events. The AISTS SEMOS brings together leaders of International Sport Federations and other experts of the AISTS network, including the International Olympic Committee, to create a seminar that is both pertinent and practical, and recognises the increased expectations of spectators, media and sponsors at major events.

The AISTS SEMOS module allows individuals from the working world to join the AISTS MSA participants and gain all of the benefits of a university course and education on a focused topic, and in a condensed time frame.

For additional information on the other upcoming modules open in 2013, visit: www.aists.org/modules

Judges' course in Mauritius

The Fédération Mauricienne de Tir à l'Arc (FMTA) elected to hold a Judges' Course for candidates from Mauritius and La Reunion, in an attempt to have the levels and standard of judging the same worldwide.

The course, which ran from 15 to 17 November, was conducted by Charmaine HO, International Judge, and was funded by the Fédération Mauricienne de Tir à l'Arc. It was held in the Stadium Germain Comarmond, Bambous. There were 11 candidates (three women and eight men) from both Mauritius and Reunion. Some of the candidates were very new to archery whereas others were already accomplished archers. All were eager to learn and interacted well.

The media took an interest in the course and an article appeared in the daily newspaper Le Matinel, Port Louis on Saturday, 17 November 2012.

After the course on Saturday afternoon, Charmaine HO was taken to visit two of the local clubs where it was evident that there is a big drive to encourage the growth of archery in Mauritius with many beginners and children being taught. On Sunday, some participants had the opportunity to gain practical judging experience as well as the correct set up of a field, at an Indoor Competition which was hosted by the FMTA where there were some 57 participants.

Member Associations

Constitution and Rules Committee

The C&R Committee published a document for organisers and Jury of Appeal members on the Role and the procedures of the Jury of Appeal. This document is available on our website, menu Rules -> Appeal Procedure.

Elections

Several of our Member Associations held their elections recently. World Archery sends congratulations to all the members elected.

In Austria, Mrs Trudy MEDWED was reelected President of the Austrian Archery Federation.

In India, Mr Vijay Kumar MALHOTRA was reelected as President for the next term, while the new Secretary General is Mr Anil KAMINENI.

In Italy, the President of FITARCO Mario SCARZELLA was reelected for a fourth consecutive term.

In the Netherlands, Mr. Paul SCHELLEKENS will replace Mr. Willem TRIENEKENS as the new President.

In Lithuania, Mr Kazimieras JANUSAS was reelected President for the next four years. Mrs Agne VANAGIENE was elected as Secretary General.

Finally, the new President of the Ukrainian Archery Federation is Mr Nestor SHUFRYCH.

The Secretary General of the Bangladesh Archery Federation Mr Kazi Rajib Uddin Ahmed CHAPOL was elected to the position of Treasurer of the Bangladesh Olympic Association in late November. Mr CHAPOL pioneered archery in Bangladesh, founded the South Asian Archery Federation and was previously an Executive Committee Member of the Bangladesh Olympic Association.

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Calendar Highlights

2012

28 Nov.-5 Dec. **3rd Asian Grand Prix** Tehran (IRI)
8-9 December **Indoor World Cup 2012-13 Stage 1** Singapore (SIN)

2013

18-20 January **Indoor Archery World Cup 2012-13 Stage 2** Nimes (FRA)
8-10 February **Indoor Archery World Cup 2012-13 Stage 3 and Final** Las Vegas (USA)
26 February – 2 March **World Archery Europe Indoor Championships** Rzeszow (POL)
9-15 March **First Asian Grand Prix** Bangkok (THA)
4-7 April Arizona Cup Phoenix (USA)
15-20 April **European Grand Prix – Leg 1** Riom (FRA)
16-21 April **Copa Merengue** TBC (DOM)
13-19 May **Archery World Cup Stage 1** Shanghai (CHN)
18-26 May **World Ranking Tournament** TBC (GUA)
27 May – 1 June **European Grand Prix – Leg 2** ECHMIADZIN (ARM)
10-16 June **Archery World Cup Stage 2** Antalya (TUR)
20-30 June **Mediterranean Games** (Archery: 25-28 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) Cali (COL)
17-25 August **World Ranking Tournament** San Jose (CRC)
19-25 August **Archery World Cup Stage 4** Wroclaw (POL)
27-31 August **European Field Archery Championships** Terni (ITA)
21-22 September Archery World Cup Final Paris (FRA)
27-28 September World Archery Congress Antalya (TUR)
29 Sept.-6 Oct. **World Archery Championships** Antalya (TUR)
8-12 October World Archery 3D Championships Sassari (ITA)
13-20 October **World Archery Youth Championships** Wuxi (CHN)
22-29 October **World Ranking Tournament** Santiago (CHI)
1-7 November *World Archery Para Championships* Bangkok (THA)
7-8 December **Indoor Archery World Cup 2013-14 Stage 1** TBC

2014

24-26 January **Indoor Archery World Cup 2013-14 Stage 2** Nimes (FRA)
7-9 February **Indoor Archery World Cup 2013-14 Stage 3 and Final** Las Vegas (USA)
25 February – 2 March **World Archery Indoor Championships** Nimes (FRA)
13-18 May **Archery World Cup Stage 1** Shanghai (CHN)
19-24 May European Grand Prix (1st Leg) TBC
19-24 May **European Junior Championships and YOG Qualifier** Ljubljana (SLO)
10-15 June **Archery World Cup Stage 2** Antalya (TUR)
16-21 June European Grand Prix (2nd Leg) TBC
1-6 July **Archery World Cup Stage 3** Medellin (COL)
9-12 July **World Archery University Championships** Louvain-La-Neuve (BEL)
18 July-1 August XXII Central American and Caribbean Sports Games Veracruz (MEX)
21-26 July **European Outdoor Championships (& EMAU Congress)** Echmiadzin (ARM)
26 July-3 August *European Para-Archery Championships* (SUI)
5-10 August **Archery World Cup Stage 4** Wroclaw (POL)
16-28 August Youth Olympic Games Nanjing (CHN)
5-7 September Archery World Cup Final Lausanne (SUI)
15-20 September **European 3D Championships** Tallinn (EST)
19 Sept. - 3 October Asian Games TBC
25 Oct.-8 Nov. South American Games Santiago (CHI)
13-14 December **Indoor Archery World Cup 2014-15 Stage 1** Singapore (SIN)

2015

24-25 July World Archery Congress Copenhagen (DEN)
26 July - 2 August **World Archery Championships** Copenhagen (DEN)

Red = Last Updates
Green = Indoor Events
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Italic = Para-Archery World Ranking Events
CQT = Continental Qualification Tournament
TBC = To Be Confirmed

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