



World Archery News

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Precision, Focus, Consistency, Elegance, Technique and a bit of Luck are the necessary elements to hit 2012 straight in the Gold ring.
Happy and Prosperous New Year

Précision, Concentration, Régularité, Élégance, Technique et un peu de Chance sont les éléments nécessaires pour atteindre vos objectifs 2012 en plein centre.
Bonne et Heureuse Année



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INDOOR ARCHERY
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Stage 1

10-11 December 2011



INDOOR ARCHERY
WORLD CUP

Stage 2

20-22 January 2012



world archery
indoor championships

Las Vegas 5-9 February 2012

World Archery

New World Archery Baby



The World Archery Office Coordinator Severine DERIAZ (FREYMOND) has given birth to a baby girl. Enora was born on 6 December, weighing 2.950 kg for 51 cm. Congratulations to Severine and her husband Nicolas and all the best to Enora.



Former GB Paralympic team manager David HILTON has passed away



David HILTON, 55, Secretary of the British Wheelchair Archery Association (BWAA), who has organised the successful Stoke Mandeville Para-Archery Invitational Event for the last seven years, died suddenly on 4 December 2011.

He has been involved with BWAA for many years and was also the Archery Manager for Great Britain for the Athens Paralympics in 2004.

He has always worked to improve access to sport for those with a disability and he will be sadly missed.

He had already started the preparations for the tournament to be held in June 2012. When his collaborators have had the opportunity to appraise the situation, they will announce their intentions concerning the event. They hope that they can continue with this in memory of David.

Our condolences go to David's family.

FITA Council Meeting

Virtually on the eve of the London Games, World Archery is on its way to achieve its main goal: be internationally recognised as an important Olympic Sport. Such is the conclusion of the board meeting that was held in Istanbul on 17-18 December.

The International Archery Federation Council (that will be known officially as the World Archery Executive Board as of 1 April 2012) met in Istanbul to assess the state of the sport globally. And it is looking pretty good!

With the World Archery Plan 2007-2012 coming to an end, the board is confident that it has achieved its vision: to be INTERNATIONALLY recognised as an IMPORTANT Olympic Sport. During 2011, World Archery has continuously pushed forward its unique World Cup concept of great sport in special places, for instance: the beaches of Antalya with the attendance of the IOC President Jacques ROGGE and a strong Olympic delegation, the Pudong Riverside in downtown Shanghai or the Bosphorus shore in Istanbul, where the world meets. The World Championships finals also took place in the historic Piazza Castello in Turin.

Fittingly, at the ultimate competition of the four-year cycle, the 2012 Olympic Games, archery will take place at one of the birth-places of modern sports and one of the most prestigious arenas in the world: the Lord's Cricket Ground. Known worldwide as the Home of Cricket, Lord's will become the Home of Archery.



African Championships
11-16 March 2012



Continental Qualification Tournament
20-25 April 2012



Olympic Games
27 July-12 August 2012



Paralympic Games
29 August-9 September 2012

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This would not have been possible without our poise to make our competitions always better (new competition format, ever improved show for sports presentation, etc.) and to promote them in all possible and new ways (Facebook, Youtube, www.liveworldarchery.tv, etc.). World Archery has exciting events both for the fans and the VIPs, strong media coverage and the appraisal of the highest sport authorities. The preparations of the upcoming events, including the World Archery Indoor Championships in Las Vegas next February, the Olympic Games and the 2012 World Cup Final in Tokyo are all on track.

The location for the 2013 World Cup Final in Paris has been announced: the Trocadero, at the feet of the Eiffel Tower! The candidatures for World Cup stages and several world championships in the coming years will be reviewed at the next Executive Board in London this summer.

Viktoriia KOVAL (UKR), who has been a successful international archer for many years, and who was elected by her peers in the World Archery Athletes Committee, has now been put forward by the Ukrainian Olympic Committee as a candidate for the International Olympic Committee Athlete Commission (if elected by the London Olympians this summer, she would become an IOC Member).

The board also took a look at the World Archery Plan 2013-2016. In order to make our sport even stronger, the focus of the plan will mainly shift to our Member Associations (national federations). The motto will be: let's make archery nationally recognised as an important Olympic sport worldwide. The goal is that the progress of archery is seen in every country and that we create emulations in the archery community. A Management Seminar took place in the World Archery Office recently, with the aim that Members Associations shared their best practices and experience.

Another key project coming to term is the complete redesign of the Rule Book. The Constitution and Rule Committee has presented its work and the Executive Board approved the new rule book and in particular many editorial changes to make it a more easy to use tool. This simplified Rule Book will be made easily available on a web platform when it comes into effect on 1 April 2012. The web platform will also assist for the translation of the Rule Book.

Among the accepted by-laws, the board accepted three major changes. The first one is in relation to indoor shooting where a further distinction is made between compound and recurve. Two new separate target face for compound and recurve were introduced that shows only the specific 10 scoring zone which is 2cm for compound and 4 for cm for recurve. This will make it easier to follow an indoor competition. The second change is for the 3D and Field Rounds where the instinctive bow has been more distinct from the barebow. The riser will have to be of a natural material such as wood, horn or bamboo and not from aluminium or carbon. They also can no longer use a stabiliser. The athletes will however no longer be forced to use the traditional Mediterranean grip and be allowed to do face or string walking.

The last one is in relation to the registered testing pool for anti-doping. The new rule allows more flexibility for the inclusion of the athletes, and therefore more targeting for out of competition testing. This will improve even further the quality of the World Archery clean sport program, which at the same time was outsourced to the Sport Accord organisation.

World Archery has also introduced new ways to test the knowledge of judges and to increase their performance. This will be done by introducing more tests under stress situations. The preparation of judges for major events has also been discussed.

An automatic scoring system project from an engineering team in Hungary has been presented to Council. The project is close to completion and very promising. Another project on the edge of technology is also underway with a Swiss research team: the aim is to measure the heart-rate of the athletes on the shooting line and include it in a TV graphic.

The board has approved the budget for the upcoming year. For other decisions please refer to the Council Meeting minutes that will be published in due course. To conclude the meeting, World Archery President, Prof Dr Ugur ERDENER received the Golden Honorary Award from the Norwegian Archery Federation.

SINERGI appointed as the World Archery Education Partner

World Archery has contracted SINERGI Sports Consulting as Education Partner in order to help empower National Associations and strengthen their network by allowing them to share their experiences between them.

The official announcement follows the 1st World Archery Management Seminar held on 18-20 November in Lausanne, Switzerland bringing together over 50 participants from more than 30 countries. The seminar revolved around four main themes: General Management, Marketing & Business Development, Communication & PR, and Development & High Performance. World Archery Member Associations needed to be pro-active in developing new skills and receptive to new ideas and methods, which are necessary in the continuously evolving world of archery.

SINERGI's role is to deliver turnkey seminars to World Archery in order to help the National Associations share their successes and express their issues. They tailor seminars using their own methodology and act as a catalyst. They strongly believe that the knowledge is already available within the Archery community. They just need to help it come out. The use of SINERGI's network is also a key factor allowing other federations to chip in and share their own successful experiences that could be transferred to the sport of archery. The use of technology (cameras, high end software) is also something they believe in especially for post-seminar analysis, reporting and to pursue our constant drive to improve.

Giancarlo SERGI, SINERGI Managing Partner, said: "We are delighted to act as the official Education Partner for World Archery. We truly believe in the development of archery worldwide and we share its values. SINERGI has been massively investing in the development of knowledge management and we are happy to share our experience and network in this sector."

Tom DIELEN, World Archery Secretary General, stated: "We are delighted with what the participants brought to the first edition of the seminar. We heard incredible success stories, even some from Member Associations that have very little resources. Now, we all need to go back to the office and work on what we have learned from each other and keep sharing the learning. We are delighted with the work done by SINERGI Sports Consulting for the organisation of the seminar and looking forward to continue developing our sport with our partnership. We will discuss with SINERGI how we can work together and what will be the best frequency for future seminars as well as using more and more modern technology in the development of our national federations. Altogether, we can make our sport bigger!"

SINERGI Sports Consulting is a management consulting firm advising Sports Organisations and Commercial Entities in the areas of Recruitment, Event Planning & Management, and Education & Knowledge Management.

SINERGI has a substantial amount of experience in exploring the benefits of Knowledge Sharing & Management in the field of International Sport. SINERGI facilitates access to Knowledge Sharing tools and techniques by using its own methodology.

New E-shop for World Archery

World Archery is delighted to announce the re-launch of its online shop featuring original items at a discounted price for its members. New products, new design with simplified processes and a new customer service are among the novelties of the e-shop at <http://worldarchery.officialshop.ch>.

The Archery Calendar by the top model Mix HAXHOLM and the World Archery DVD 2011, featuring highlights from all the World Cup and the World Championships in Turin, are two ideas for Christmas presents.

Please note that our products will be now shipped out of Switzerland; they exclude the Swiss taxes and might be liable for custom/import duty in your country. Prices (based on Swiss Francs) have been therefore adapted in favour of the customers.

World Archery Event Organisers Seminars

Following the successful World Archery Event Organisers Seminars 2011, World Archery is very proud to send its sincere congratulations to the delegates who have successfully achieved certification.

As a reminder the World Archery Event Organisers Seminars took place in Ogden, USA from 5 to 8 August 2011 and in Shanghai, China from 9 to 12 September 2011 and was delivered in partnership with Sportworks. Delegates studied, through interactive workshops, a range of topics specifically chosen to improve delegates' knowledge and skills for the bidding, financing, planning and delivery of a World Class Event.

Those people who achieved certification are:

Joan MCDONALD (CAN)	Ogden
Robert PIAN (USA)	Ogden
Katrina WEISS (USA)	Ogden
Allan WILLS (CAN)	Ogden
Kazi Rajib Uddin Ahmed CHAPOL (BAN)	Shanghai
Yen-Lin CHEN (TPE)	Shanghai
Yap-Jin CHONG (MAS)	Shanghai
Simon HO (SIN)	Shanghai
HOONG Mau Sui (SIN)	Shanghai
Qumrul ISLAM (BAN)	Shanghai
Christian LAFOREST (FRA)	Shanghai
Bruce LANG (AUS)	Shanghai
Hossein NASIRINEJAD (IRI)	Shanghai
Dominique OHLMANN (FRA)	Shanghai

Other participants' works have yet to be assessed and successful results will be announced in due course on our website.

World Archery Secretary General, Tom DIELEN said of the Seminars: "World Archery is constantly looking to improve the standard of its events around the World. These workshops offer a fantastic opportunity for our Event Organisers to learn new skills and understand what we mean by 'best practise'. This is achieved in an environment where they can openly discuss and share ideas with colleagues from other parts of the globe."

In the future it is likely that to be able to qualify as an Event Technical Delegate (TD) one will need to have achieved Event Organisers certification.

Stay tuned on www.worldarchery.org for announcements of future World Archery Event Organisers Seminars.

Events

Bidding for future World Archery Championships

World Archery is pleased to launch the bidding process for major World Archery events that are still open for the coming years:

- World Archery 3D Championships 2015, 2017
- World Archery Field Championships 2014, 2016
- World Archery Indoor Championship 2014, 2016
- World Archery Para Championships 2015, 2017
- World Archery Youth Championships 2015, 2017
- World Archery Championships 2017

Member Associations or City Officials who need any further information or are interested in bidding for those events should contact the World Archery Event Director Juan Carlos HOLGADO at jcholgado@archery.org.

Indoor Archery World Cup

The first stage of the Indoor Archery World Cup took place in Singapore on 10-11 December. The star of the tournament Reo WILDE (USA) did not let any chance to his opponents. He won the compound men category. CHEN Hsin FU (TPE) took gold in Recurve Men, YU Wen Yi (TPE) in Recurve Women, and Sandrine VANDIONANT-FRANGILLI (FRA) in Compound Women.

The next stage of the Indoor Archery World Cup will take place in Nimes, France, from the 20-22 of January. The Nimes Tournament will be the major archery event marking the start of the Olympic year 2012. Over 900 archers from twenty-four countries have already registered for the Nimes Tournament, which is still open for registration.

Berlin OPEN 2011

From 16-18 December 2011, the BB-Berlin e.V. archery club hosted its second annual "Berlin OPEN", an international archery tournament awarding both valuable prizes. This event is made possible through a successful partnership with the event's main sponsor, WIN&WIN (Korea), and numerous other supporters and sponsors.

Last year, 300 athletes from 21 different nations kicked off the event. Apparently the Berlin OPEN has quickly made a name for itself—and not just nationally, but also internationally. This year the organisers had registrations from over 430 athletes from 24 nations and four continents. Based on the number of entries, the basic underlying principle behind this competition—recreational sport meets high-performance sport—is taking off. Amateurs and newcomers competed alongside national and international marksmen on the start line for valuable prizes.

Development

2011 Asian Archery Joint Training Programme

From the 5-9 December 2011, 36 archers from 6 countries attended an AAF joint training programme organised by the Asian Archery Federation and the National Archery Association of Thailand. The countries were; Bhutan, Bangladesh, Indonesia, Sri Lanka, Thailand and Vietnam. This programme took place at the WA accredited Partner Training Centre in Bangkok, Thailand.

World Archery Coaching Seminar Presentations

All presentations that were given by the lecturers of the 5th World Archery Coaching Seminar held in London in November 2011 have been posted on the World Archery website, in the section Organisation > Committees > Coaches > Documents.

Open level 1 Asian Regional Coaching Course in Sri Lanka

A Regional level 1 Asian Coaching Course will take place from 22-29 January 2012 in Colombo, Sri Lanka under the expertise of World Archery Development and Education Director, Pascal COLMAIRE.

DATE:

Starting on 22 January 2012 at 3.00 p.m. - Ending 29 January 2012

PLACE:

Colombo Archery Centre
CR&FC Sports Complex
28 Malalasekera Mawatha
Colombo 07 -- Sri Lanka
Colombo Archery Centre: www.archery.lk
CR&FC Club: www.crandfc.com

PARTICIPANTS:

Maximum participation: **20 Participants – Allocation of the spots will be given on a first come first served basis.**

PROGRAMME:

The content will follow the classical World Archery agenda, which includes:

- What is coaching?
- Instruction delivery
- Practical teaching through interactive process
- Shooting sequence including: Preparation movements - Forces production period – The shot – Continuity (bow arm included)
- Equipment: Choice; Set-up; Maintenance
- Psychology: Concentration/Attention; Mental and Visual activities – Breathing – Visualisation - Stress identification and management
- Physical: general and specific for strength, cardio and body balance
- Evaluation of the candidates

It is a practical coaching education program, including lot of sessions on the range (with bow in hands) during which the participants alternately act as coach and novice.

COSTS:

Course fee: 110.00 Euros, includes lunch and refreshments during the course.

ACCOMMODATION:

At the Sri Lanka Foundation Institute
Single Room: 35.00 Euros/ per day
Double Room: 20.00 Euros/ per day
Accommodation price is on half board basis (Breakfast & Dinner provided)
Transportation: from and to Airport 30.00 Euros per person

REGISTRATION:

Deadline for registration 5 January 2012, to Sam Rajapaksa casarchery@yahoo.com

Calendar 2011-2012

7 Dec. – 1 Jan.	WA-WAA-FIDTA-GSD Youth Project for 2014 YOG	PUR
3 Jan. – 2 Feb.	WA-WAA-FIDTA-GSD Youth Project for 2014 YOG	CUB
4 Feb. – 4 March	WA-WAA-FIDTA-GSD Youth Project for 2014 YOG	ECU

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

Clean Sport

IOC Anti-Doping Rules for London 2012 Olympic Games

The International Olympic Committee Anti-Doping Rules applicable to the Games of the XXXth Olympiad, London 2012, have been published and can be downloaded from the World Archery website in the section [Olympics > London 2012 > Rules](#) or from the IOC website.

WADA publishes 2012 Prohibited List

Following approval by the World Anti-Doping Agency's (WADA) Executive Committee on 17 September 2011, the 2012 List of Prohibited Substances and Methods is now available.

Noteworthy changes to the List, which will come into force on 1 January 2012, include:

Formoterol added as an exception to beta-2 agonists

One of the most significant changes is the removal of formoterol from Section 3 'Beta-2 Agonists' of the List when taken by inhalation at therapeutic dosages.

Taking into account recent research results and requests by members of the sports community, inhaled formoterol at therapeutic doses is no longer prohibited.

The List prohibits the administration of all beta-2 agonists except salbutamol (maximum 1600 micrograms over 24 hours), salmeterol when taken by inhalation, and now formoterol (maximum 36 micrograms taken over 24 hours).

The issue of beta-2 agonists will continue to be a focus of WADA's research activity in order to ensure that the administration of large doses or by systemic routes of these substances is prevented and prohibited, but that the appropriate care and treatment of asthmatic athletes is facilitated.

Alcohol and beta-blockers

At the request of the Federation Internationale des Quilleurs (FIQ), alcohol is no longer included on the List as a prohibited in-competition substance for ninepin and tenpin bowling.

After a review by WADA and following discussions with stakeholders, bobsleigh and skeleton, curling, modern pentathlon, motorcycling, sailing and wrestling have also been removed from the list of sports included in the List in which beta-blockers are prohibited.

World Archery will conduct in cooperation with FITARCO and CONI a study on the effects of beta-blockers. Based on this research changes could be proposed to WADA by World Archery.

Nicotine placed on monitoring programme

In order to detect potential patterns of abuse, nicotine has been placed on WADA's 2012 Monitoring Programme.

It is NOT WADA's intention to target smokers, rather to monitor the effects nicotine can have on performance when taken in oral tobacco products such as snus.

Nicotine is one of several stimulants added to the Monitoring Programme, along with the narcotics hydrocone and tramadol. Out-of-competition use of glucocorticosteroids has also been included.

Under Article 4.5 of the World Anti-Doping Code, WADA is mandated to establish a monitoring programme regarding substances that are not on the List, but which the Agency wishes to monitor in order to detect potential patterns of misuse.

Mobile-friendly formats

In an effort to provide stakeholders with tools to support anti-doping activities, and following the successful iPhone application introduced in 2011, the 2012 Prohibited List will again be available on iPhones, and for the first time on other mobile devices.

In addition to the English, French and Spanish versions of the List, it is also now possible to add additional languages. Stakeholders who wished to translate the List could do so by 1 November 2011 and send WADA the new version to be inserted into the mobile-friendly platforms at minimal cost.

For more information contact: info@wada-ama.org.

Member Associations

Election of the Nepal Archery Association

The General Assembly of Nepal Archery Association took place on 3 December 2011 at the National Sports Council supervised by Nepal Olympic Committee and National Sports Council. Mr Laxman Kumar Shrestha was unanimously elected President for another 4 year term.

Here below are the elected members:

President : Mr Laxman Kumar Shrestha
1st Vice President - Tulachan, Haridhoj
2nd Vice President - Gurung, Sunder
3rd Vice President - Thakali, Basant
Secretary General - Gurung, Dipak Raj

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The newly elected members of Nepal Archery Association
after the general assembly
held in Kathmandu on 3 December 2011



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Approved by FITA Council on 17 December 2011

Effective as of 1 January 2012

Book 1, Appendix 5, Article 5.5.1.1

5.5.1.1 The following are members of the RTP:

- From the previous World Archery Championships: all individual medallists in the Recurve and Compound Divisions;
- The top 8 ranked athletes of the individual World Ranking for the Recurve Division and the top 5 ranked athletes of the individual World Ranking for the Compound Division;
- In the Olympic Qualification Period (from the World Archery Championships preceding the Olympic Games up to the Olympic Games), every athlete who has obtained a quota place for his country, regardless whether if he shall be participating in the Olympic Games; the athlete qualified to participate in the Olympic Games shall replace the one that obtained the quota place, if different, as soon as confirmed;
- In the Paralympic years, the individual gold medallists at the Paralympic Games, being replaced by the next individual World Archery Para Champions in the following years, in the Recurve ARW1, ARW2, ARST and Compound Open classes;
- The Medical & Sport Sciences Committee can include any other athlete, participating at an International Event, in the RTP by written notice to the Member Association and the athlete concerned;
- If an athlete no longer fulfils any of the above criteria, he shall remain in the RTP until the end of the calendar year, with the exception of athletes in bullets 1 and 4 of this article who shall be removed after the next World Championship, and provided that they are not subject to conditions in other bullets at this time or were not at the beginning of the calendar year.

The RTP shall be available on the WA website.

The criteria for the Registered Testing Pool will be decided on an annual basis and can be amended at any time with a 1 month notice by the Medical and Sports Science Committee in consultation with the Doping Free Sports Unit of SportAccord. The criteria and RTP will be published on the World Archery website.

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Book 3, Article 8.2.1 8.2.1.1 8.2.1.3 8.6.5.1

8.2.1 Target Faces

There are 10 indoor target faces:

- The 60cm diameter face;
- The 60cm triangular triple face;
- The 60cm vertical triple face;
- The 40cm diameter face;
- The 40cm triangular triple face;
- The 40cm vertical triple face
- The 40cm-R triangular triple face;
- The 40cm-C triangular triple face;

- The 40cm-R vertical triple face;
- The 40cm-C vertical triple face.

Only those Indoor target faces produced by a manufacturer licensed by FITA will be used at FITA competitions. 8.2.1.1

Description:

Target face, see drawing Appendix 1.

The 60cm and 40cm faces are divided by a thin line into 5 concentric colour zones arranged from the centre outwards as follows: gold (yellow), red, light blue, black and white (there are no dividing lines between light blue and black; nor between black and white). Each colour is divided by a thin line into 2 zones of equal width thus making in all 10 scoring zones of equal width when measured from the centre of the gold:

- *3cm on the 60cm target face;*
- *2cm on the 40cm target face.*

The dividing lines, and any dividing lines which may be used between colours, will be entirely within the higher zone in each case. The line marking the outermost edge of the white will be made entirely within the scoring zone. The width of the thin dividing lines and the outermost line will not exceed 2mm on both the 60cm and 40cm target faces. The centre of the target face is termed the "pinhole" and will be indicated by a small cross "x". The lines of the cross will not exceed 1mm in width and 4mm in length. For the Compound Division an inner 10-ring of 3cm in diameter for the 60cm target faces and 2cm in diameter for the 40cm target faces is required.

In addition triple faces as follows may be used. (For the Indoor Match Round the 40cm triple face will be used. Vertical R and C triple faces are mandatory for the World Archery Indoor Championships).

There is a distinction between regular triple faces and Recurve (R) and Compound (C) 40cm triple faces. The 40cm triple face (both triangular and vertical) will differ in the size of the 10 ring: the 40cm-R has a 40mm 10 ring, the 40cm-C has a 20mm 10 ring and the combined triple face has the two 10-rings.

They have the same dimensions as the FITA 60cm and 40cm faces respectively, but with the 5 to 1 scoring zones removed. The lowest scoring zone is therefore Light Blue 6.

Each set consists of 3 small faces on a white background arranged symmetrically in a triangular pattern with the centres respectively bottom left, at the apex, and at the bottom right, or in a vertical row. The centres of the golds will be approximately 32cm distant from each other on 60 cm faces and 22cm distant from each other on 40cm faces.

8.2.1.3

Tolerance of Measurements.

The target face will be measured using the diameter of each separate circle enclosing each of the 10 scoring zones. The tolerance of each diameter will not exceed ± 1 mm for the scoring zones 10, 9 and 8 and ± 2 mm for the other scoring zones when measured through the centre.

Zone	Diameters in cm		Tolerance in mm \pm
	60	40	
<i>Inner Compound 10</i>	3	2	1
<i>Recurve 10</i>	6	4	1
9	12	8	1
8	18	12	1
7	24	16	2
6	30	20	2
5	36	24	2
4	42	28	2
3	48	32	2
2	54	36	2
1	60	40	2

*For the Compound Division only the inner 10-ring will score 10; the rest of the yellow scoring zone will score 9.
Target face, see drawing Appendix 1.*

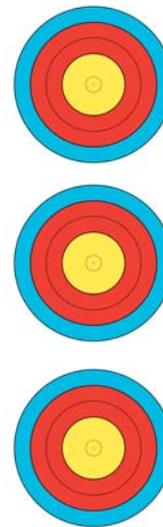
8.6.5.1 For ties occurring in all rounds, except for those ties as set out in article 8.6.5.2.

- Individuals and Teams:
 - Greatest number of 10's (~~inner 10's for Compound~~);
 - Greatest number of 9's;
 - After this, athletes still tied will be declared equal; but for position in the match play chart a disk toss will decide the position of those declared equal.

The 40cm-R vertical triple face



The 40cm-C vertical triple face



Calendar Highlights

2012

1-2 January	Open New Zealand Championships and CQT	Wellington (NZL)
20-22 January	European Indoor Tournament and Indoor WCup Stage	Nimes (FRA)
5-9 February	World Archery Indoor Championships	Las Vegas (USA)
10-12 February	NFAA World Archery Festival and Indoor WCup Final	Las Vegas (USA)
15-19 February	1st Asian Grand Prix	Bangkok (THA)
12-16 March	African Archery Championships and CQT	Rabat (MAR)
10-15 April	Archery World Cup 2012 Stage 1	Shanghai (CHN)
11-14 April	South African National Archery Championships	Grahamstown (RSA)
20-25 April	Americas Olympic Qualifier	Medellin (COL)
1-6 May	Archery World Cup 2012 Stage 2	Antalya (TUR)
4-6 May	Paralympic Test Event	London (GBR)
21-26 May	European Championships and CQT	Amsterdam (NED)
May	2nd Asian Grand Prix	Almaty (KAZ)
4-9 June	European Grand Prix	Nicosia (CYP)
17-23 June	Archery World Cup 2012 Stage 3 and Final Olympic Qualifier for Teams and Individuals	Ogden (USA)
4-7 July	World Archery University Championships	Cordoba (ESP)
9-14 July	European Grand Prix	Sofia (BUL)
10-15 July	World Ranking Tournament "Czech Target 2012"	Nove Mesto nad Metuji (CZE)
27 July-12 August	Olympic Games (Archery: 27 July-3 August)	London (GBR)
14-19 August	World Archery Field Championships	Val d'Isere (FRA)
29 Aug.-9 Sept.	<i>Paralympic Games</i> (Para-Archery: 30 August-5 September)	London (GBR)
22-23 September	Archery World Cup Final 2012	Tokyo (JPN)
October	3rd Asian Grand Prix	(IRI)

2013

14-19 May	Archery World Cup Stage 1	Shanghai (CHN)
10-16 June (TBC)	Archery World Cup Stage 2	Antalya (TUR)
20-30 June	Mediterranean Games (Archery: 25-28 June)	Mersin (TUR)
9-14 July	Archery World Cup Stage 3	TBC
25 July-4 August	World Games (Compound: 27-28 July; Field Recurve and Barebow: 30 July-1 August)	Cali (COL)
12-17 August	Archery World Cup Stage 4	TBC
1-8 September	World Archery Youth Championships	Wuxi (CHN)
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)

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19-24 May	European Grand Prix (1st Leg)	TBC
16-21 June	European Grand Prix (2nd Leg)	TBC
30 June-5 July	European Outdoor Championships (& EMAU Congress)	TBC
7-13 July	World Archery University Championships	Louvain-La-Neuve (BEL)
18 July-1 August	XXII Central American and Caribbean Sports Games	Veracruz (MEX)
18-24 August	European Junior Championships	TBC
15-20 September	European 3D Championships	TBC
25 Oct.-8 Nov.	South American Games	Santiago (CHI)

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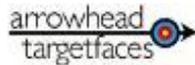
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