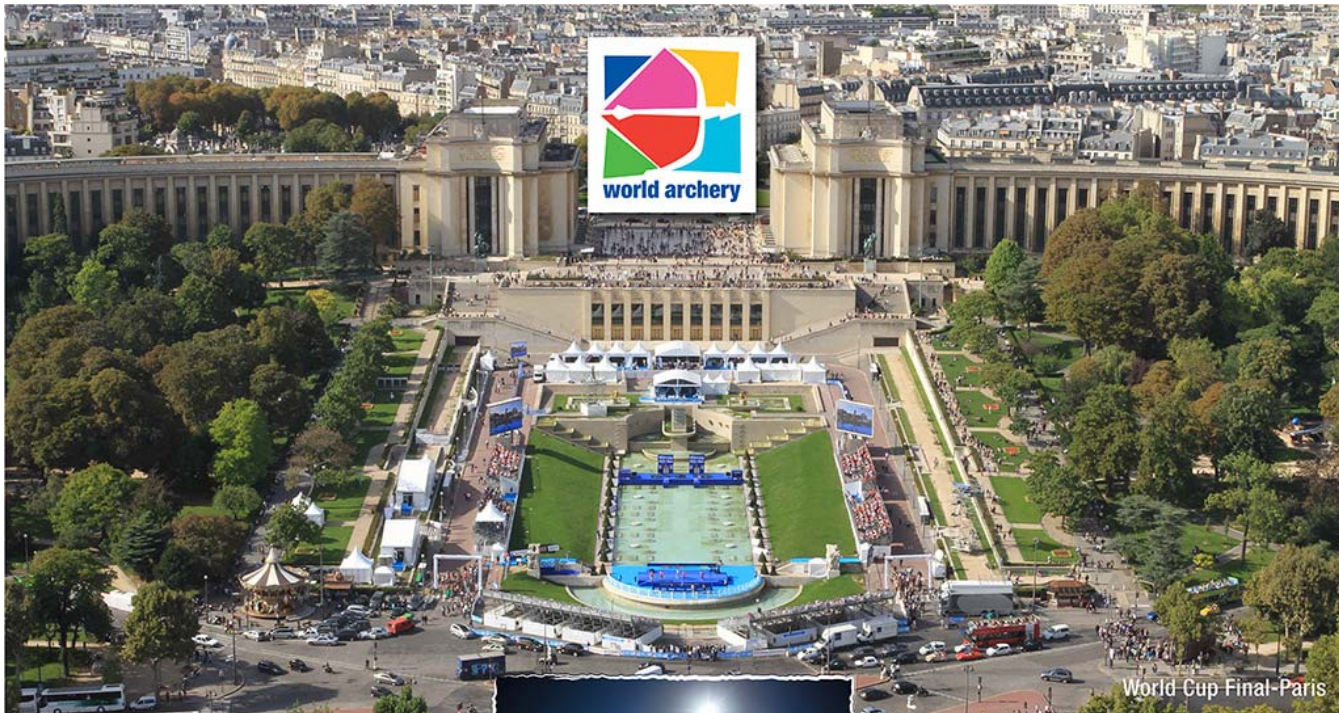




World Archery News





World Cup Final-Paris



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The WA Head Office in Lausanne, Switzerland will be closed for Christmas Holidays from Saturday 21 December 2013 till Sunday 5 January 2014.

We thank you for your understanding.



Continental Associations

WA Africa

At its General Assembly on 22 November 2013, the Association of African Sports Confederations (AASC) has admitted World Archery Africa as a full member.

This affiliation will pledge AASC and WA Africa to continue working together towards the reinforcement of the cooperation ties and solidarity between the various partners of the African Sport.

Future Events

Invitation Packages

We are pleased to inform our Member Associations (MAs) that the Invitation Packages for the 2014 World Archery World Cups will be released at end of December and mid-January.

World Cup Stage 1 – Shanghai (CHN) – 22-27 April 2014

WAREOS registration deadlines:

Preliminary registration 3 January 2014
Final registration 1 April 2014

World Cup Stage 2 – Medellin (COL) – 13-18 May 2014

WAREOS registration deadlines:

Preliminary registration 12 February 2014
Final registration 22 April 2014

World Cup Stage 3 – Antalya (TUR) – 10-15 June 2014

WAREOS registration deadlines:

Preliminary registration 13 March 2014
Final registration 20 May 2014

World Cup Stage 4 – Wroclaw (POL) – 5-10 August 2014

WAREOS registration deadlines:

Preliminary registration 7 May 2014
Final registration 16 July 2014

Deadline Reminder

We remind our MAs that the following events are still open for registration on WAREOS <http://register.worldarchery.org/> as per the following deadlines:

WA Indoor Championships – Nimes (FRA) – 25 February-2 March 2014

- Final Entries: **4 February 2014**

Tournament Fee

WA hereby informs our Members Associations that during the Executive Board Meeting held in Bangkok, Thailand, on 2-3 November 2013, it has been voted that World Archery will bill the tournament fee in CHF as of 1 January 2014 as follows:

December 2013

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- Single Events = CHF 25.00
- Double Events = CHF 30.00
- World Ranking Events = CHF 150.00

Indoor World Cup Stage 3 Telford

Entry is still open for the third stage of the 2013/14 Indoor World Cup in Telford, UK. As part of the European Archery Festival, over 800 archers are already registered to shoot over the three-day competition, taking place from 24 to 26 January 2014. The event is replacing the Nimes tournament next year while the French town concentrates on organising the World Indoor Championships.

To make the Indoor World Cup Final in Las Vegas, archers must shoot in at least two of the four legs that make up this season's programme: Marrakesh, Singapore, Telford and Las Vegas. With Marrakesh and Singapore already completed, any athlete who wishes to shoot in the Final and who does not already have any ranking points must enter Telford!

Individuals, clubs and member associations are encouraged to register soon: as spaces are limited. Entry is done online, through the fully-automated Sport:80 system, which also deals with accommodation (subject to availability), transfer requests, visa application letter requests and spectator ticket sales. Visit www.europeanarcheryfestival.com for more information, to enter now or to purchase spectator tickets.

Abidjan Grand Prix and TIZOCATA 2014

The Ivorian Archery Federation will organise the 1st International Archery Grand Prix of Abidjan together with the 6th International Tournament Zone West and Central African Archery (TIZOCATA) on 17-24 August 2014 in Abidjan, Ivory Coast.

For more information, please contact the Ivorian Archery Federation (FIVTA):
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Past Events

Indoor World Cup Stage 2 Singapore

For the third year in a row, Singapore hosted the Indoor World Cup's Asian leg. The tournament previously started the indoor season, but the introduction of Marrakesh in mid-November made it the second stage of the 2013/14 tour.

A record number of athletes from around the globe headed to Singapore on 8/9 December 2013 for the city-state's only annual open international individual archery tournament.



In a repeat of the 2013 Singapore finals, Reo WILDE beat his young brother Logan WILDE (USA) to compound men's gold. Erika JONES (USA) stunned Albina LOGINOVA (RUS), Korea swept the recurve women's podium and Jean-Charles VALLADONT (FRA) claimed his second title in a row at the Asian leg of the Indoor Archery World Cup.

Check full results from Singapore on the WA website at:
<http://www.worldarchery.org/en-us/worldcup/indoor/marrakesh/news.aspx>

YOG COT Americas

The Youth Olympic Games (YOG) continental qualification tournament (COT) for the Americas rendered four more positions (Venezuela, Canada and Brazil 2x) for archers from this part of the world to compete in Nanjing, China in August 2014.



Ten cadet men and twelve cadet women born between 1997 and 1999 stood on the shooting line at Buenos Aires, Argentina to fight for two positions in each gender.

On the girls' side the two top seeded and pre-competition favourites Guatemala's Regina ROMERO (4th at the 2013 Cadet World Championships) and Brazil's Isabela BERGANTIN de ARAUJO lost their semi-final matches to the eventual spot winners: Brazil's Ana Clara DIAS DE CARVALHO (photo) and Venezuela's Verona VILLEGAS respectively.

Contrary to what happened with the young ladies, the two highest ranked archers won spots for their countries in the match round. David Van der SPEK (CAN) and Jose Gregorio CAPOTE (VEN), who had placed second and first in the WA 1440 ranking round worked their way through to the finals and to winning the two positions available. Venezuela and Canada had already secured these spots when the four quarter-final winners came from these two countries (two each).

The event that took place on 2-6 December in Argentina was the second opportunity for archers in the Americas to win spots for the Nanjing Games. Five other slots had been gained at the Youth World Championships held in China in October: USA and Mexico (women), Argentina, Brazil and Mexico (Men).

The USA have rejected their quota place and therefore Brazil which was the first standby from Wuxi has received the quota place from Wuxi. As a result Guatemala will receive the place from the tournament in Argentina.

The Americas will be represented by nine archers in Nanjing (four women and five men) from six countries. In Singapore 2010, only five archers from three countries were able to qualify.

Complete results from YOG COT Americas:

http://www.worldarchery.org/Portals/1/Documents/Results/2013/2013_YOG_COT_Americas_ARG.pdf

Judges

WA Judges Newsletter

The new Judges Newsletter No. 85 – December 2013 issued by WA has now been released:

<http://www.worldarchery.org/en-us/multimedia/newsletters.aspx>

Obituary

WA was saddened to learn of the passing away of former International Judge Mr Henry JONSON (Sweden) on 18 December 2013.

We send our sincere condolences to his family and to the Swedish Archery Federation.

Coaching

2013 WA Coaching Seminar

The 6th World Archery Coaching Seminar held in Saquarema, Brazil since 25 November concluded on Saturday 30 November. The participants were fully satisfied at the end of this week together.

Coach KIM Hyung Tak provided extensive information yet again on his personal views on technique covering: the use of the right scapula, building a balance expansion, proper extending time, etc. He also introduced the use of computerised technology to identify the above issues.

The participants were given a presentation on mental management by Juan Carlos HOLGADO, WA Event Manager and 1992 Olympic champion, on how to use and reinforce the technics to increase and provide consistency in mental preparation; including positive applications in tournaments. He also suggested how to make the beginner and intermediate archer aware of the use of mental strength and visualisation, as well as how to build the attitude. He also explained that nerves can be with the archer, not always against.



Accessible information on Olympic Solidarity (OS) was provided by Mrs Deqa NIAMKEY, WA Development and Coaching Senior Coordinator. The relations between the OS and the National Olympic Committees (NOCs) were presented, as well as the funding streams that are available to the NOCs via the National Archery Federations (NAFs) in each country. Some experiences with OS were reported and some NAF's that have benefited of the scheme were quoted.

On the afternoon agenda there was also a session of open questions on various subjects such as marketing, Olympic qualification, etc.

Two participants who both were attending their 4th WA Seminar have expressed their satisfaction on the seminar. They quoted it as the best of the four.

A certificate of attendance has then been handed out to each participant by Ken BEARMAN and KIM Hyung Tak, respectively Chairman and Member of the WA Coaches Committee.

WA Coaching Committee Meeting



The WA Coaches Committee met on 1 December 2013, the day after the WA Coaching Seminar concluded. The meeting was held at the National Volley-Ball Centre in Saquarema.

Committee Member LEE Kisik was unable to travel to Brazil; hence the following people attended the meeting: Ken BEARMAN (Chairman), KIM Hyung Tak (Member), Pascal COLMAIRE (WA Development and Education Director who is also Ex-officio Member) and Deqa NIAMKEY (WA Development and Education Senior Coordinator).

This constructive meeting was run with a friendly and passionate contribution from the participants who brought a lot of thoughts and ideas into the discussion. After sharing a long range vision of coaching in archery, and in front of all the projects and tasks to be conducted, the participants came to the conclusion that two members should be added to the current committee of only three elected people.

Meanwhile a hypothetical increase in the number of members for the WA Coaches Committee, a call to volunteers will be made for the implementation of some projects, such as: the refinement of the table of contents for a level 3 coaching manual (content drafted during the WACS and the meeting), the development of an E-coaching library in 2015, etc. Among the other projects there is the refinement of the current set of documents to conduct a coaching course (3 levels).

The meeting closed after nine hours, and the participants left with a lot of work ahead to better serve the archery coaches worldwide.

European Coach Trainers in Turkey

World Archery Europe (WAE) and World Archery jointly ran a training of European level 1 Coach Trainers in Belek Antalya, Turkey from 9-18 December 2013.

Coach Trainers are those who educate archery coaches. This is the second session of such a course for Coach Trainers in Europe. The first one had been conducted in Compiègne, France in 2011/2012. The training in Turkey this year has started on 9 December and will run until 18 December 2013.

At the end of the course, the 16 participants from ten countries became WA Coach Trainer Candidates until the end of the 2014. By this deadline, they will have to successfully conduct a level 1 archery coaching course.



This year's participants are: ACHILLEOS Andreas (CYP), ATICI Oguz (TUR), BRUNNER Angelika (AUT), CIZMEK Andrea (CRO), CUSTERS Emiel (NED), ERGIN Yusuf Goktug (TUR), GATIKAEV Sergo (GEO), GIOVANUCCI Massimo (ITA), LEKVEISHVILI David (GEO), LUIK Siret (EST), LUPI Alessandro (ITA), NAVEH Eyal (ISR), PTACNIK Martin (AUT), RIEDL Carsten (AUT), ŠIPEK Jan (CZE), VOUIROS Konstatinos (GRE).

This additional pool of future Coach Trainers will allow and improve the training of much more many archery coaches in Europe, and probably in the World. Hence World Archery and World Archery Europe thank very much the Turkish Archery Federation for so well hosting this important project, and the European Olympic Committees for the funding.

OS Level 3 Coaches Course in Brazil

From 20-24 November 2013, the final OS Level 3 Coaches Course took place in Marica, Rio de Janeiro at the CBTARCO Archery Center, under the expertise of WA Events Director and Olympic Champion, Juan Carlos HOLLGADO. The course gathered 15 coaches from different states of Brazil that are part of the Rio 2016 Master Plan in view of the Rio 2016 Olympic Games.

The courses took place from 8:30 am to 19:00 throughout the four days and were divided in theoretical and practical sessions, with a variety of topics related to level 3 coaching programme. The coaches are now fully certified and have the necessary knowledge to conduct coaches' courses, make a short and long term planning, development strategy and coach archers. The participants are positive and full of great ideas to develop archery in their region, especially to assist Richard PRIESTMAN, Brazil's national team coach to identify future talents and collaborate with him.

Juan Carlos HOLGADO commented: "It is a great satisfaction to see the improvements over the last two years. The achievements accomplished by the coaches and the great results of the archers, show that CBTARCO is doing a tremendous job. Now with the help of Richard PRIESTMAN, Brazil should be ready for future Olympic Games."

Development

Calendar 2014

Member Associations Activities

January-March	OS DNSS Bolivia	La Paz (BOL)
5-16 April	FAA Youth Training Camp & Championship	Windhoek (NAM)
TBD	Technical Course for Coaches	Port-Louis (MRI)
TBD	DNSS Serbia	Zagreb (SRB)

Courses open to all WA Member Associations

Bangkok Archery Centre activities will shortly follow. Thank you for your understanding.

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

PVC Bow, the Colombian experience

Diego TORRES and Ivan GOMEZ, Members of WA Colombia, shared with the WA Development Department the story behind the PVC bow and how it has changed the growth of archery in Colombia. The idea did not come from a long engineering study or research, but simply based on how to further develop archery, especially in regions where the sport was not much practiced due to equipment problems.

Diego TORRES had an injury and could not compete for some time. Therefore, he came up with this great idea on how to introduce archery to the youth of Colombia. He said: "The bow was designed to function as a regular bow and also to use it in competitions".



As an experimental phase, 20 bows were donated to an archery school, teaching sport education to young kids, which immediately accepted to work with the PVC bow. The children enjoyed it very much and especially that the bow is light, not fragile and easy to manage for such young children.

WA Colombia learned about the project and immediately decided to include it in their development programme. The programme expanded in all the country and hopefully soon in all Latin American countries in need of equipment.

The project also aims to educate coaches, recreational monitors on how to introduce archery to young kids with the PVC bows. Furthermore, it also aims to provide the necessary support to the various regions and finally organise a national championship, which is a great tool for talent identification of future archers. The only conditions for the archers taking part in this project, is that they must be part of an educational institute.

WA Colombia is now willing to assist any country that wishes to introduce the PVC bow in order to further develop archery in the region and worldwide.

WA would like to congratulate Diego TORRES and Ivan GOMEZ for their excellent job to further develop archery and WA Colombia for supporting the development of our great sport.

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See the complete directory for contact details of all other Member Associations at:
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Calendar Highlights

2014

24-26 January	Indoor Archery World Cup 2013/14 Stage 3	Telford (GBR)
7-9 February	Indoor Archery World Cup 2013/14 Stage 4 & Final	Las Vegas (USA)
15-16 February	YOG CQT Oceania	Auckland (NZL)
25 February-2 March	World Archery Indoor Championships	Nimes (FRA)
3-8 March	Guatemala WRE (Last Qualifier for CAC Games)	Guatemala (GUA)
7-9 March	Australian Open Championships	Hobart (AUS)
10-16 March	First Asian Grand Prix 2014	Bangkok (THA)
11-15 March	South American Games	Santiago (CHI)
3-6 April	Arizona Cup	Phoenix (USA)
14-16 April	YOG CQT Africa	Windhoek (NAM)
22-27 April	Archery World Cup Stage 1	Shanghai (CHN)
30 April-5 May	Mexican Grand Prix	Veracruz (MEX)
13-18 May	Archery World Cup Stage 2	Medellin (COL)
19-24 May	European Junior Championships & YOG CQT	Ljubljana (SLO)
10-15 June	Archery World Cup Stage 3	Antalya (TUR)
16-21 June	European Grand Prix	Sofia (BUL)
22-26 June	Juan Enrique Barrios Cup	Bayamon (PUR)
30 June-5 July	European Junior Cup (2nd Leg)	TBC
2-5 July	World Archery University Championships	Legnica (POL)
16-19 July	Pan American Olympic Festival	Mexico City (MEX)
20 July	WAE Congress	Echmiadzin (ARM)
21-26 July	European Outdoor Championships (Quota Tournament for European Games)	Echmiadzin (ARM)
26 July-3 August	<i>European Para-Archery Championships</i>	Nottwill (SUI)
5-10 August	Archery World Cup Stage 4	Wroclaw (POL)
16-28 August	Youth Olympic Games	Nanjing (CHN)
17-24 August	1st Abidjan International Grand Prix & TIZOCATA	Abidjan (CIV)
19-24 August	World Archery Field Championships	Zagreb (CRO)
5-7 September	Archery World Cup Final	Lausanne (SUI)
15-20 September	European 3D Championships	Tallinn (EST)
19 Sept.-3 October	Asian Games	Incheon (KOR)
4-5 October	European Club Team Cup	Rovereto (ITA)
18-25 October	Pan American Championships	Rosario (ARG)
8-9 November	Indoor Archery World Cup 2014/15 Stage 2	Marrakesh (MAR)
16-23 November	Central American and Caribbean Sports Games	Veracruz (MEX)
13-14 December	Indoor Archery World Cup 2014/15 Stage 2	Singapore (SIN)

2015

24-28 February	European Indoor Championships	TBC
24-28 March	European Grand Prix (Quota Tournament for European Games)	TBC
19-23 May	European Youth Cup (1st leg)	Klagenfurt (AUT)
17-22 June	European Games	Baku (AZE)
3-14 July	29th Summer Universiade (Archery included)	Gwangju (KOR)
13-18 July	Pan American Games	Toronto (CAN)
14-18 July	European Youth Cup (2nd leg)	Roma (ITA)
24-25 July	World Archery Congress	Copenhagen (DEN)
26 July-2 August	World Archery Championships	Copenhagen (DEN)
8-10 August	<i>Para Pan American Championships</i>	Toronto (CAN)
23-30 August	<i>World Archery Para Championships</i>	Donaueschingen (GER)
3-4 October	European Club Team Cup	TBC
6-10 October	European Field Championships	TBC

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Italic = Para-Archery World Ranking Events
CQT = Continental Qualification Tournament
TBC = To Be Confirmed

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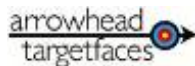
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