

Board News

Your Board and all our committees have been busy getting ready for the AGM. Various reports and nominations have been arriving in my inbox and it has been a real pleasure reading about all the hard work that has been happening throughout our organisation. We will be distributing all these documents after the deadline for motions and nominations close, in advance of the AGM. You can find all the important dates and further details in this newsletter. We have a lot to share and celebrate and we look forward to seeing as many members as possible at the AGM on September 24.

I urge you to tell all the young archers you know about our Youth Talent Identification Camp (more details on page 3). This camp is supported by a grant from Olympic Solidarity, which itself is funded by broadcast rights for the Olympic Games. Something to think about as you watch the Olympics!

Thanks,

Katherine Watson
Archery NZ Chairperson.



Archery NZ AGM – 24th September 2025

The Board of Archery New Zealand cordially invites you to the Annual General Meeting (AGM) of the Association, to be held online (by Zoom) on Tuesday, 24th of September 2024 from 1930hrs to 2130hrs NZST. The Agenda for the Meeting is attached to this email.

In the Agenda there are many items noted as 'to be circulated'. All these items will be circulated to members 30 days prior to the AGM.

Zoom Link for the AGM

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/83140033602?pwd=8Avgrlrjoea6UVr9VcFprcB1ZSciCO.1>

The online meeting waiting room will be open at 7.10 pm to check membership. It would be helpful if you could have your full name shown on your screen.

In Memoriam

Please send names to adminstration@archerynz.co.nz

Elections

1. Life Member Nominations

Archery NZ is seeking nominations for ONE Life members to a fill vacant position. Nominations closed on the 24th of July 2024.

2. Board Nominations

Archery NZ is seeking nominations for ONE Board member to a fill vacant position on the Board. This position is for three years. Nominations can be made using a Google Form.

<https://forms.gle/yZSAcHVijYfKLURL7>

AGM continued

Motions

During General Business, motions brought to the meeting will be discussed. Please use this Google Form to present a motion.

<https://forms.gle/kc4SydDzYAMgduar5>

Additional information for both Nominations and Motions may be emailed to adminstration@archerynz.co.nz

NOTE: Both Nomination and Motion submissions close on Tuesday 20th of August 2024.

After this date, all nominations and motions will be circulated to the membership by email.

No nominations or motions will be accepted from the floor during the meeting.

Please mark the date in your diary.

On behalf of the Board of Archery NZ.

Archery NZ – 2024 -2025 Affiliation Fees

The Board of Archery NZ has set the membership fees for the upcoming 2024/2025 membership year as follows:

- Affiliated (via a Club) shooting member: \$43
- Affiliated (via a Club) non-shooting member: \$15
- Non-Affiliated (Independent) shooting member: \$123
- Non-Affiliated (Independent) non-shooting member: \$20

You will notice there has been an \$8 increase for all shooting members while non-shooting membership fees remain unchanged. The increase will be allocated as follows:

- 50% towards general costs.
- 30% towards our high-performance program.
- 20% towards supporting 'grass roots' archery.

The fees supporting our high-performance program will be allocated equally across four key groups of archers:

- Recurve teams who attend tournaments where quota places for the Olympic Games are awarded.
- Compound teams who attend World Games.
- Barebow teams who attend World Archery Championships.
- Youth teams who attend World Youth Championships and Youth Olympics.

The fees supporting 'grass-roots' archery will be allocated to provide targeted support for the development of our sport within New Zealand, in line with our Strategic Plan.

The membership year is from the 1st of October 2024 to the 30th of September 2025.

Club President Forum with the Chair - save the date for the next meeting.

We will be holding our second 'Chairperson's Club Forum' on Wednesday, August 7 at 7:30pm. Club presidents mark your calendars!

These meetings will be held quarterly and rotate through different weekdays to avoid clashing with club meetings, as much as possible.

Further details will be directly emailed to club presidents.

2025 Trans Tasman Challenge

The 2025 Trans Tasman Challenge has been announced.
This biennial competition between the youth of Archery Australia and Archery NZ.

It is with pleasure that the Board of Archery NZ announces signing an MOU with Christchurch Archery Club to host the 2025 Trans Tasman Challenge.

Graeme Robb, club president said " Christchurch Archery Club is delighted to be hosting the Trans Tasman Challenge in 2025 and supporting the best youth archers from NZ and Australia. We look forward to being the LOC in such an exciting closely contested tournament."

Venue: St Andrews College

Dates: 25th to 30th September 2025

[National Team Selection Information](#)
[Trans Tasman Selection Criteria](#)

Youth Talent Identification Camp

Attention young Archers and Parents/Guardians,

Barebow, compound and recurve archers are all welcome.

The Archery NZ High-Performance Subcommittee is seeking talented youth who have the drive, commitment and passion to work towards success at the highest levels of our sport.

As we look to the future Archery NZ has developed a support programme towards LA2028, Brisbane 2032 and World Games 2029 engaging with World Archery events at youth and open levels along the way.

With support from the Olympic Solidarity fund, we will be running the Archery NZ Youth Talent Identification Camp for archers under the age of 25. which is to be held the weekend 28/29 September 2024 in Auckland and from those attending, we will establish regional training squads for development towards international event selection.

Please speak to your club Youth Coordinator/ President or Secretary for endorsement. You can also enter your details in the form below and you will be contacted with further information.

<https://forms.gle/wkaV9fAh2bArpJ5z8>

If you have any questions please don't hesitate to contact me.

Cushla Matheson

Archery NZ Chair High-Performance Subcommittee
highperformance@archerynz.co.nz

The German Shooting Sport & Archery Federation are proud to present the 1st edition of "Fascination Archery" in English. It's a digital magazine! - and it's for FREE. To read it, you have to register once at: <https://uzv.de/fabo-registration/>. Attached you will find the QR code on the front page. In the 1st edition the preview of the Olympic Games is the focus of the new "Fascination Archery". Shooters' qualification begins on July 25th, one day before the opening ceremony. We are excited about your feedback. Please send your comments to our editor-in-chief Harald Strier (strier@dszhome.de).

Thilo von Hagen



ANZ Outdoor Target and Clout Nationals 2025 - Provisional Dates

Auckland Archery Club would like to advise provisional dates for the Target and Clout Championships for 2025:

Wednesday, 15 January – Official Practice

Thursday, 16 January – Clout, 1st 72 arrow round pm

Friday 17 January – 2nd 72 arrow round, Team Matchplay

Saturday 18 January - Individual Matchplay Eliminations

Sunday, 19 January - Finals Day, Awards Ceremony & Banquet

These dates are subject to change, however we wanted to advise the membership as soon as practical to support your planning.

We are working with our partner club to finalise details for the Field event, which may be held adjacent to this event, or potentially later in the season, and will advise when we have some further information available to share.

We're looking forward to it already!

2024 Indoor National Tournament

Unfortunately, no club (aka LOC) has been able to commit to hosting the Archery NZ Indoor Nationals this year. While we are disappointed that we won't have an opportunity to compete together in a single venue, we would like to invite all our affiliated clubs to participate in a multi-venue event.

The confirmed details are as follows:

Date: 21 - 22 September 2024 (clubs can hold their tournament on either or both days. Multiple flights per day are permitted)

Cost: Determined by each club.

Round: 2x WA18m round (2x 60 arrows) for the Archery NZ Indoor National Championship. Tournament Rule 2.6.4. (The rounds do not need to be shot on the same day)

Venue: determined by club, 'alfresco' shooting allowed (indoor round shot outdoors).

The cost of the World Archery tournament registration will be covered by Archery NZ. All other costs are borne by the club and recouped in the entry fee.

World Archery registered tournaments require suitably qualified Judges and DoS for timing etc. All WA Indoor rules apply.

After registration, Archery OSA will be used by each club to take entries and record results. The results will then be collated by Archery NZ. Medals will be awarded at the 2025 Outdoor Nationals.

Looking ahead, we have listened to feedback from clubs about the barriers to hosting, including the provision of lighting and backstop nets. We are working towards acquiring funding to cover the purchase and/or hire of these resources in order to support our clubs to host future tournaments.

Tertiary League News

Here we are at the end of Term Two in the Tertiary League, with the Leader Table currently standing as this:

Tertiary Institute	Term One	Term Two	Term Three	Term Four	Overall	
University of Auckland	6	9			15	1 st
Massey University	3	3			6	2 nd =
Open Polytechnic	3	3			6	2 nd =
Victoria University of Wellington	5				5	3 rd
Media Design School		2			2	
Unitec Institute of Technology		1			1	
Otago Polytechnic						
University of Otago						

New Photos uploaded

David Edmundson has recently uploaded 4 more sets of photos from the Outdoor Nationals on Facebook. He writes: -

Hi all!

It is now three months since the end of the amazing 80th Archery NZ Outdoor National Target Champs, and I am, at last, finding the time and space to collate and post the photos from the comp. Practice Day, Medals, the Exhibition Match and Finals Day had already been posted. Today I have uploaded the Individual Matchplay rounds. The Teams, Mixed Team and Ranking Rounds pics will come in the next couple of weeks. My deepest apologies for how long these have taken. Thanks for your patience, everyone!
David

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Tertiary League News continued

The tertiary institutes around Auckland were the majority of the entries this term, with University of Auckland having the most archers competing.

Term Three is now underway and needs to be completed by 8th September. Everything you need to know can be found here on the Archery NZ website or the UTSNZ website.

Pinscores Introduced along with a change in the Points System

There are now pinscores for each division added to the competition. These have been added to the schedules published on the above websites. Every archer who earns a pinscore will earn 1 point for their tertiary institute. There will also be a change in the points awarded for the top three placings in each division: 1st place = 10 pts, 2nd = 7 pts, 3rd = 5 pts.

Clubs, would you consider trying this: How about getting in contact with your nearest tertiary institute and talking to them about offering a Have-A-Go session to the students. We would love to see more archers from tertiary institutes up and down the country getting involved. Think of the benefits:

- You are encouraging new members for your club from a really useful age group;
- You are helping them be successful in their studies by giving them an outlet from the study stress;
 - You have the opportunity to teach them good investments habits, just as they are about to earn some real money (nice archery gear, small trips around the country, fun social events);
 - For those who have been archers for some time, you are earning eternal gratitude from the parents who are watching all their investments get covered in dust on the bedroom floor.

While some students are happy to work alone, most are social by nature. Organising a regular time for them to get together to shoot (this or any other round) will help build a good community feel within your club. We have the Novice and Development divisions going in this league as well, both of which are also earning points. Have a think about whether this is something your club would like to develop.

If you would like me to help you find the sports contact for your local tertiary institutes, drop me a line and I will see what I can find out for you (Jan at tertiary@archerynz.co.nz).



NZOC Olympics ... how to follow

For the complete Paris 2024 Olympic Game schedule, [click on this link](#). Don't forget, when selecting 'daily schedule,' you can switch from Paris time to 'my time' on the right-hand side of the page to avoid time zone mix-ups.

The NZ Team Website & App Our brand-new Website and App are now live! Download the app for all the latest updates, athlete info, and epic content about the New Zealand Team in Paris.

Get it now from the [App Store](#) or [Google Play](#) store.

Cheer on our Olympians in te reo Māori!

Te reo Māori is going all the way to Paris as the first-ever bilingual sporting resource for an Olympic Games is launched today.

'[Te Reo Māori ki Parī 2024](#)' is the first Olympic Games glossary in Māori and English. It features more than 1,000 terms and phrases, across 30 Olympic Games sporting codes. It was created in a three-way collaboration between Te Whare o Pou Tangata (the New Zealand Olympic Committee), New Zealand's exclusive Olympic Games broadcaster Rangiata (Sky), and Te Taura Whiri i te Reo Māori (the Māori Language Commission).

Archery at the Olympics ... how to follow

World Archery Website -

<https://www.worldarchery.sport/competition/23176/paris-2024-olympic-games>

World Archery Facebook - <https://www.facebook.com/WorldArchery>

World Archery Instagram – <https://www.instagram.com/worldarchery>

World Archery Youtube - <https://archery.tv/home> This is a paid subscription service.

World Archery Twitter - <https://x.com/worldarchery>

Olympic website - <https://olympics.com/en/paris-2024/sports/archery>



Mr Bernie Fraser
Archery NZ Patron

Paralympics NZ

In the lead up to the Paralympic Games in Paris 2024 the campaign for the New Zealand Paralympic Team is “We’ll Give You Something To Talk About”

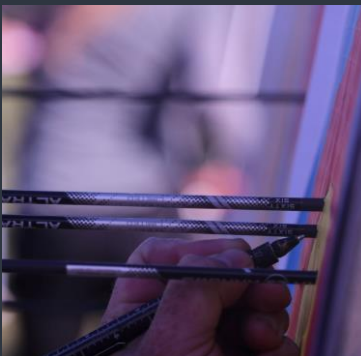
A lot is often said about people with disabilities.

Usually in hushed tones and behind their back.

The NZ Paralympic Team have been giving Kiwis something to talk about since 1968.

For all the right reasons.

Cameron Leslie
(Paralympian #164) |
click [HERE](#) to view



NZ Archery Calendar

The calendar be found at [HERE](#). Bookmark it for future reference.

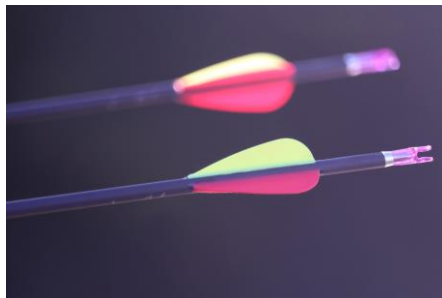
Updated regularly this should be everyone's go to for international events. However, it now also lists the NZFAA events for the remainder of 2024 and for 2025, as well as School and Public Holidays.

For World Archery events e.g. Youth World Championships, once the dates of the Tournament are known, then a background script automatically calculates the opening and closing dates for the selection period for that particular tournament. Note, that Tournaments in the Oceania region operate on a slightly different timetable.

Selection closing date for Tournaments in 2025 are coming up fast. For Tier One, first is the World Games CQT (Compound only) closely followed by World Cup 1 in Haines City, USA on the 21st of November 2024, then World Cup Stage 2 in Shanghai, China on the 19th of December.

Tier Two, the 2025 Asia Cups dates have not yet been gazetted, only the months are known, and these are provisional, so keep watch on the calendar for updates.

All of the above tournaments require WA720 scores. It is clubs that provide the opportunity for our archers to gain these scores by having WA registered or Major tournaments. WA1440 rounds do not count towards selection.



Singapore Archery Association

The Singapore Archery Association will be holding their Singapore Youth Tournament this weekend. They have also invited Archery NZ members to the Singapore Open and Singapore Barebow Open later in the year. These are Open Entry tournaments.

Registrations and indemnity forms can be accessed by emailing administration@archerynz.co.nz

[Singapore Archery Open 2024](#) 20 – 22 September 2024

[Singapore Barebow Open 2024](#) 23 – 24 November 2024

Anti-Doping

In May Archery NZ held a webinar with Drug Free Sport NZ (now the part of the Integrity Sport and Recreation Commission) and there were some questions about drugs testing of coaches and officials. A follow up was made and here are the answers:

There is no Anti-Doping Rule Violation (ADRV) for coaches or officials (or any non-athlete) testing positive for a prohibited substance. The ADRV for testing positive in the [Sports Anti-Doping Rules](#) (SADR) or World Anti-Doping Code (WAD Code) reads: *2.1 Presence of a Prohibited Substance or its Metabolites or Markers in an Athlete's Sample.* So, it is only *Athlete's* that can be sanctioned for testing positive for a banned substance. As such, coaches and officials (non-athlete's) are not tested. However, there may be other rules applicable to coaches/officials etc that are set by individual NSOs or World Archery – but these are nothing to do with anti-doping, WADA or DFSNZ.

There are ADRVs within the SADR or WAD Code which do include coaches/officials etc such as:

- 2.5 Tampering, or Attempted Tampering, with any part of Doping Control by an Athlete or Other Person
- 2.7 Trafficking or Attempted Trafficking in any Prohibited Substance or Prohibited Method by an Athlete or Other Person
- 2.8 Administration or Attempted Administration by an Athlete or Other Person to any Athlete In Competition of any Prohibited Substance or Prohibited Method, or Administration or Attempted Administration to any Athlete Out-of-Competition of any Prohibited Substance or any Prohibited Method that is prohibited Out-of-Competition
- 2.9 Complicity or Attempted Complicity by an Athlete or Other Person
- 2.10 Prohibited Association by an Athlete or Other Person
- 2.11 Acts by an Athlete or Other Person to Discourage or Retaliate Against Reporting to Authorities

But, as mentioned above, coaches testing positive is not an ADRV so coaches are not tested.

With Global Dro, you can select coach as a user type. This is a bit ambiguous in that a coach could be interpreted as a user of substances. But the user type is referring to the user of Global Dro. The substances are those that are prohibited on the WADA Prohibited list. As shown above, a coach etc can be guilty of certain ADRVs, such as trafficking or administration of Prohibited Substances, therefore it is important that coaches etc know which substances are prohibited.

World Archery Link : <https://rulebook.worldarchery.sport/PDF/Official/2024-01-15/EN-Book6.pdf> and, [World Archery - beginners guide anti-doping](#)

Drug Free Sport NZ is changing its name:

The [Integrity Sport and Recreation Commission | Te Kahu Raunui](#) was established 1 July 2024 and will work independently across the sport and recreation sector to promote and protect the safety and wellbeing of participants. [WEBSITE](#)

Drug Free Sport New Zealand and its anti-doping functions will be folded into the Commission.

The purpose of the new Commission is to enhance integrity in sport and recreation to increase the safety and wellbeing of participants and preserve the fairness of competition.

Nationals 80th Anniversary Pin



Available for the Pins and Badge registrar. Get yours soon!

[Pin Claim Form](#)

Environmental Sustainability Guidelines for Spaces and Places

These new guidelines have been developed for Sport NZ by a team of consultants and a project steering group selected from the sector. They are intended to help Territorial Authorities and sport and recreation organisations navigate issues, improve operations and support decision-making relating to environmental sustainability that affects spaces and places.

[Read more and download the guidelines.](#)

World Archery Oceania Challenge

From 1 August to 30 September 2024

Enter via [HERE](#) at Archery OSA



All photos credit:
David Edmundson

Anti-Doping cont'd

World Archery and Alcohol:

2.3.4. Alcohol Test

Alcohol is a banned substance in archery. **No person on the field of play shall consume alcohol or be under the influence of alcohol** as prohibited in 2.3.4. *Alcohol Test*. Athletes selected for Anti Doping Sample collection shall also be tested for alcohol. Tests may be carried out at any time during the Competition at any International Event at the discretion of the person designated by World Archery to conduct the Alcohol Test, or by the Organising Committee if World Archery has not designated any such person.

2.3.4.1. Procedure for alcohol tests

The alcohol test is performed by the testing of exhaled air. If the test of exhaled air exceeds the doping violation threshold of 0.1 per mille, a second test of exhaled air will be performed 10 minutes later using a different breathalyser. If the second test of exhaled air still exceeds the threshold, this will result in a positive alcohol test.

Archery NZ Member Protection Policy in section 8: Alcohol Free Shooting Environment affirms World Archery's rules.

Pseudoephedrine

Pseudoephedrine is an active ingredient in some medicines used to relieve nasal congestion (a blocked or stuffy nose) caused by colds, flu and allergies.

Recent changes to legislation have led to cold and flu medicines containing pseudoephedrine being reclassified from prescription to restricted (pharmacist-only), which will allow the public to purchase these medicines from a pharmacist without a prescription.

The following are approved 11 medicines containing pseudoephedrine. <https://gazette.govt.nz/notice/id/2024-go1649> Examples are Nurofen Cold & Flu with Decongestant and Sudafed Sinus and Nasal Decongestant

What does this mean for archers? Pseudoephedrine is banned in-competition. When asking for cold and flu medicines from your prescribing physician/chemist make sure you explain that you are a sports person competing in archery and that pseudoephedrine is banned while you are competing. Remember it could be a few days for the banned substance to leave your system.

REMEMBER - If you play sport, or support athletes, it's likely that the Rules apply to you. The Rules apply to every member of every sport that has adopted or agreed to them - irrespective of age, level of competition and role in sport. They apply to athletes, coaches, administrators and support personnel.