

Addendum to the Compound Canadian Team Selection Policy 2021 World Youth Target Championships

Wroclaw, Poland August 9-15 2021

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1) Overview

This document is an addendum to Archery Canada's 2021 Canadian Archery Team Selection Policy for individual and team events. The purpose of this Addendum is to define the specific process and criteria used by Archery Canada (AC) to select the compound archery athletes that AC will send to compete at the 2021 World Youth Target Championship, to be held in Wroclaw, Poland, August 9-15th 2021.

1.1 Important Dates:

Dates	Description	Location
May 31st 2021	Declaration of intent to participate	<u>Email</u>
June 29th 2021	Team Selection	Archery Canada website
July 13th 2021	Appeal Deadline	Appeals Policy

1.2 Decision Authority

Under the guidance of Archery Canada's High-Performance Committee (HPC), the Selection Approval Panel, consisting of the Non-Olympic Programs Coordinator, a Neutral Member and the VP-High Performance, is the sole decision-making authority for the approval of nominations of athletes.

2) Team Size

The maximum number of archers that Canada could select for the 2021 World Youth Target Championships are:

- 3 Junior Compound Men
- 3 Junior Compound Women

- 3 Cadet Compound Men
- 3 Cadet Compound Women

Please note:

WA Rule 4.2.3: An athlete may participate in a Cadet Class in tournaments when the competition takes place up to and in the year of his 17th birthday.

WA Rule 4.2.4: An athlete may participate in a Junior Class in tournaments when the competition takes place up to and in the year of his 20th birthday.

Any further addendums to this document will be communicated directly to the affected athletes and officials and posted on the Archery Canada website.

3) Eligibility Criteria

To be eligible for nomination to the Selection Approval Panel, athletes must meet the eligibility criteria in the <u>Compound Canadian Team Selection Policy</u>, in addition to the following 7 (seven) additional eligibility criteria, by midnight June 29th 2021

- 1) Shoot a Compound Bow
- 2) Be a Canadian citizen and have a valid Canadian passport that does not expire on or before Feb. 28 2022.
- 3) Sign, submit and comply with the Archery Canada Athlete Agreement
- 4) Be a member in good standing of Archery Canada.
- 5) Archers must be 17 years or under to be a Cadet and 20 years or under to be a Junior during the 2021 season
- 6) Will meet the following requirements:
 - a. **Pool One:** Archers will have shot at least (2) Qualifying scores through one or both of the following options:
 - AC and/or WA Local Registered Round
 - Athletes may submit scores from Archery Canada Registered 720 Rounds ("Registered Rounds"). The submission to the program coordinator must include the name, date and location of the Registered Round.

Recorded Round

• Archery Canada understands that it may not be possible for archers to shoot scores in local events registered with Archery Canada because of regional COVID-19 restrictions. Due to various Provincial Restrictions and the inability to host an in-person trials, the establishment of an alternative score submission process has been implemented. The rules and regulations for the "Recorded Round" are in Appendix 1 of this document.

Table 1. Qualifying Scores.

Category		Qualifying Scores
Junior	Men	685
	Women	672
Cadet	Men	676
	Women	660

- If multiple archers obtain the Minimum Qualifying Score, selection will be based on highest cumulative scores.
- Athletes must have paid all outstanding invoices to Archery Canada at least 30 days prior to departure for the Championships.

4) Athlete Selection Procedures

A) General

Team selection will be made pursuant to Archery Canada's Compound National Team Selection Policy, as appropriate, and this Addendum. The National Team Selection Policy can be found at the following link:

Compound Canadian Team Selection Policy

Archery Canada will utilize its Selection Approval Panel process to confirm the nominations made by the Non-Olympics Program Coordinator.

The top three (3) archers and one (1) alternate in each eligible category that have achieved 2 scores at or above the minimum score levels for each gender and age group will be nominated to represent Canada at the World Archery Youth Target World Championships.

5) Funding

Currently, the exact funding level for this team is undetermined. Once determined, athletes will be provided a support subsidy and will be communicated to all athletes when known.

With the ongoing COVID-19 Pandemic, any athlete interested in attending this event, should assume that the costs to attend will be higher than normal. Athletes will need to consider the costs related to current travel requirements which include multiple COVID tests, single accommodation at the event, hotel accommodation upon return for mandatory quarantines, and other potential costs related to Canadian safety protocols.

6) Team Participation & Intent

Archers will have until May 31st 2021 to submit their intention to participate in the 2021 World Youth Target Championships. Submissions are to be sent by email to the Non-Olympic Program Coordinator at: compound@archerycanada.ca, or through the online form found at the following link:

https://archerycanada.ca/world-archery-youth-championships-wroclaw-poland/

Submissions sent *after* May 31st 2021, will not be considered for the 2021 World Archery Youth Target Championships.

Following team selection, selected athletes are expected to participate at any training camps the Team coaches deem necessary.

7) Withdrawal from the Team

If an athlete is named to the 2021 World Youth Target Championships team, but cannot attend the Championships and withdraws from the World Youth Target Championships team for any reason before July 31st 2021

- a) The designated first alternate will be substituted and nominated to the team to replace that athlete, provided they have met any minimum performance standards.
- b) The second alternate will become the first alternate.

If an athlete is named to the World Youth Target Championships team, but must withdraw due to injury, illness, or exceptional circumstances after July 31st 2021 but before August 8th 2021:

a) They may be substituted by the first, or if necessary, by the second alternate after consultation with World Archery

8) Other Detail

Appeals:

Archery Canada's Appeals Policy will guide any appeals related to the 2021 World Archery Youth Target Championships selections. The policy can be found here: <u>Archery Canada Appeals Policy</u>. If both parties are in agreement, the Archery Canada Appeals Policy can be bypassed, and the matter can be brought immediately before the Sport Dispute Resolution Centre of Canada (SDRCC) who will then manage the appeals process.

As per the Archery Canada Appeals Policy, Athletes will have fourteen (14) days from the day in which the notice of decision was provided, to submit a written notice of appeal to the national office of Archery Canada either electronically to appeal@archerycanada.ca or personally delivered to the Executive Director with the fourteen-day period.

Decision Making Authority:

The decision-making authority for the 2021 Youth World Target Championships, includes the Non-Olympic Programs Coordinator and the Selection Approval Panel as laid out in Archery Canada's Selection Policy and this addendum.

Team Nomination and Announcement Dates:

The 2021 World Youth Target Championships team will be selected and announced no later than June 29th 2021

Staffing:

Coaches will be identified by the Non-Olympic Programs Coordinator, following the following criteria:

- a) Expression of Interest: All interested coaches should submit their name and availability to the Non-Olympic Programs Coordinator
- b) Coaching Experience
- c) Ability to contribute to the achievement of objectives for the World Archery Youth Target Championships
- d) Their contribution levels to the National Team Program

Appendix One : A 720 Recorded Round

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While we are encouraging participation where appropriate, Archers, the Designated Recorder and Clubs **must strictly adhere to their local Provincial and Federal Public Health Orders**, and keep up to date as they continue to change.

- The "Recorded Round" will consist of 72 arrows shot at 50 metres for compound athletes and 70 metres (juniors & seniors) or 60 metres (cadets) for recurve athletes.
- The "Recorded Round" scores are not eligible for the AC Ranking list.
- Archery Canada rules will apply, except for rule 4.8.3.3. As a result, a "Recorded Round" can have as few as 1 archer or as many archers as the range can accommodate within Provincial Health Regulations.
- Recorded Rounds pertaining to this selection document must be submitted to Archery Canada via the linked registration form (see below) no later than June 29th 2021.
- Recorded Rounds must be submitted at least 48 hours prior to the time and date of the round.
- There must be a Designated Recorder (DR) in charge of the round, who meet one of the criteria listed below
 - o an NCCP trained archery coach
 - o a certified archery judge (any level of certification)
 - o an Archery Canada certified Range Safety Officer.
 - o A member of Archery Canada, who is 18 or older.
- the DR is responsible for:
 - Submitting intent to host a Recorded Round to Archery Canada no later than 48 hours prior to the shoot and no later than June 29th 2021 by registering online at:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSevOC3_XS9IspyQSIsXCsCoXT7hReUSnWhDIQPEtXUrHvNI6w/viewform

- Submit the score(s), and a photo of each archers' score card, signed by the archer and the DR, within 24 hours of the completion of the "Recorded Round" to the program coordinator. The score card must be legible, and the photo must be clear. Scores and Score Cards must be submitted to:
 - Sean McKenty: compound@archerycanada.ca
 - Kylah Cawley: kcawley@archerycanada.ca
- If there is only one (1) athlete shooting the "Recorded Round', either the judge or the DR will participate in scoring and will submit a photograph of each end of the archer's score
- The "DR" must ensure that the range meets AC rules with accurate measurements and that target sizes and heights are correct.
 - (Book 2, Chapter 7, 7.1.1.1 to 7.1.1.10 and 7.2.1 to 7.2.2.3).
- Every effort should be made to have an AC judge at the event, although this may not be possible under local COVID rules and restrictions. If there is no AC judge, the DR is the judge and his/her decision is final.

- o If the DR has any questions, the DR may contact a judge for advice.
- "Recorded Rounds" can be shot on established ranges, practice ranges, or private property. In
 all cases, the location must be compliant with the rules and safety regulations applicable to
 local bylaws and those of the Provincial/Territorial Association and Archery Canada. Archery
 Canada reserves the right to request an alternate location if it is not deemed acceptable under
 any of the preceding.
- The "Recorded Round" must be shot according to the rules for the 720 Round as laid out in AC Rule Book 3 Chapters 11 to 14 with respect to Athlete's Equipment, Shooting, Timing and Scoring.