

World Archery Youth Championship (WAYC)

August 9 – 15, 2021 Wroclaw, Poland

Selection Addendum – Recurve Archers

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1. Introduction

General

Selection for the World Archery Youth Championships (WAYC), now being held in Wroclaw, Poland, August 9 – 15, will be made pursuant to the Recurve Team Selection Policy. All athletes must meet the eligibility criteria as defined in the policy which can be found at the following link:

<https://archerycanada.ca/wp-content/uploads/2019/12/Recurve-Canadian-Team-Selection-Policy.pdf>

The following specific criteria from the Recurve Canadian Team Selection Policy will be used:

4.1.2 - Past Performance – Athlete performance history; may include scores, rankings and final results. Past performances may be weighted based on date, level of competition, quality of competitors and environmental factors.

4.1.3 - Team Dynamics - Individual behaviours that may contribute to or detract from overall team performance. In competitions where the team round will be contested, this may also include an athlete's ability to perform in the team event.

4.1.4 - Future Potential – The role an event may play in the development of a specific athlete who has demonstrated key qualities that are indicative of strong future potential. These qualities may include but are not limited to: talent, commitment and performance and progression history.

Age Eligibility

Junior recurve archers born in 2001 or earlier may compete in the Junior WAYC.

Cadet recurve archers born in 2004 or earlier may compete in the Cadet WAYC.

For the purposes of determining athlete age in 2021 World Archery rules will apply.

Note: See World Archery Book 2 Rule 4.2.3 and 4.2.4 to determine age in 2021. Example. An athlete turning 16 years of age within the year, will be considered 16 for the entire year.

Categories

WAYC will have the following Recurve competition categories.

- Junior Women Individual
- Junior Men Individual
- Cadet Women Individual
- Cadet Men individual
- Junior Women Team (3 person team)
- Junior Men Team (3 person team)
- Cadet Women Team (3 person team)
- Cadet Men Team (3 person team)
- Mixed Junior Team (2 person team)
- Mixed Cadet Team (2 person team)

Objective

Despite the changes in this addendum, Archery Canada's performance objective remains the same - to finish in the top 32 or top half (if fewer than 32 competitors) at this tournament in any category in which Canada competes.

2. General Information

Canada can select up to:

- 3 junior men and 3 junior women, born in 2001 or earlier, and
- 3 cadet men and 3 cadet women, born in 2004 or earlier.

Register Intent to Compete:

Any athlete that meets the above age criteria and wants to be a member of the Canadian recurve team that will compete at the 2021 WAYC, must register their intention to compete by midnight, May 31st 2021. Please use the procedure as outlined online, link below, to notify Archery Canada of your intention:

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

3. Selection Information

Scores for selection can be submitted through the following methods:

- 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.

3.1 Priority 1 - PRT Scores

AC will compare scores submitted from “Recorded 720 Rounds” or Registered 720 scores to the athlete’s PRT number and will select archers with scores at or above their PRT number and/or those closest to their PRT number.

For general information on the PRT, please click on the following link to the PRT document on the AC web site.

<https://archerycanada.ca/wp-content/uploads/2020/12/Podium-Result-Track-Writing.pdf>

The PRT scores for each age / gender are listed in the following chart.

For the purposes of determining age for the PRT, World Archery rules will apply.

Note: See Book 2 Rule 4.2.3 and 4.2.4 to determine PRT age. Example. An athlete turning 16 years of age within the year, will be considered 16 for the purposes of the PRT.

PRT Numbers 2021		
Junior	Men	Women
18 yrs old	636	630
19 yrs old	646	635
20 yrs old	654	640
Cadet		
Men	Women	
15 yrs old	618	624
16 yrs old	640	628
17 yrs old	642	646

Chart 1: Podium Results Track Score

Priority 3.1 - Priority 2 - Minimum Qualifying Score (MQS)

Archers must achieve a minimum of one score equal to or above the Minimum Qualifying Score (MQS) shot in 2021, in the chart below.

Minimum Qualifying Scores (MQS)		
Junior	Men	Women
70m	633	603
Cadet	Men	Women
60m	632	612

Chart 2 - Minimum Qualifying Score (MQS)

Note 1: If, for any of the selection opportunities, there is a tie for the 3rd position in a given category, the next highest score achieved during 2021 will be used to rank and select the athletes.

Note 2: Archery Canada reserves the right to add additional athletes for the purpose of fielding competitive teams for the team competition portion of the WAYC.

The 2021 World Archery Youth Championship Canadian Team will be announced on or before July (16th) 2021

4. Discrepancies & Amendments

In the event of changes by World Archery to the event or the selection and eligibility criteria, Archery Canada will review and amend this Selection Addendum as required to comply with new regulations or conditions.

Archery Canada is carefully following the evolution of the coronavirus on the global and domestic level and how it may impact international competitions. Unless otherwise required by exceptional and unforeseen circumstances related to the impact of the coronavirus, Archery Canada will respect these published selection addenda as written.

However, situations related to the coronavirus pandemic may arise that require this selection addendum to be modified. Any modifications will be made promptly and as often as required following developments that directly impact the selection policy. In such circumstances, any modifications will be communicated to all affected individuals as soon as possible.

Further, situations may arise that do not allow this selection policy to be modified or applied as written due to time constraints or other exceptional and unforeseen circumstances. In such situations any decision, including selection decisions, will be made by the individual(s) with appropriate decision-making authority, and in consultation with the relevant individual(s) or committee(s) (as applicable), and in accordance with the selection policy and the stated performance objectives for WAYC. Should it be necessary to make any decisions in this manner, Archery Canada will communicate with all affected individuals as soon as possible

Appendix One: A 720 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.

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 July 12th 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
 - an NCCP trained archery coach
 - a certified archery judge (any level of certification)
 - an Archery Canada certified Range Safety Officer.
 - A member of Archery Canada
- the DR is responsible for:
 - Submitting intent to host a Recorded Round to Archery Canada no later than 48 hours prior to the shoot by registering online at:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSevOC3_XS9lspyQSlSXCsCoXT7hReUSnWhDIQP-EtXUrHvNI6w/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 the below, no later than July 12th 2021:
 - Kyla Cawley, Program Manager, 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.
- 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, excluding AC rule 4.8.3.3 with respect to Athlete’s Equipment, Shooting, Timing and Scoring.

APPENDIX 2 – ADDITIONAL INFORMATION - WAYC

Tournament Schedule (brief version and subject to change)

August 7 – Arrival in Wroclaw

August 8 – Practice

August 9 – Official Practice – attendance is mandatory

August 10 – Qualification Round – Recurve and Compound

Mixed Team Eliminations

August 11 – Individual Eliminations – Recurve and Compound

August 12 – Individual and Team Eliminations

August 13 – Mixed Team Eliminations – Recurve and Compound

August 14 – Finals – Compound

August 15 – Finals – Recurve

August 16 – Team Departure

Registration

All tournament arrangements for team members will be made by Archery Canada, including registration, flights, accommodation, ground travel.

Team members and staff will travel, live, train and compete together as a team.

Parents and non-team members must make all their own travel and accommodation arrangements and are asked NOT to book themselves in to the same hotel where the team is staying.

Passports and Visa's

Passports are required for travel to Poland, which must be valid for a minimum of six months after the travel dates to Poland. Therefore, if your passport expires on or before February 1st, 2022, you must obtain a new passport.

Canadian citizens do not require a visa to travel to Poland unless they will stay in Poland for more than 90 days.

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.

Team Staff

Team staff will be selected and approved by the High-Performance Director and will travel and stay at the same hotel as the athletes.

Withdrawal from 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