

Selection Addendum - Recurve Archers

2023 World Archery World Cups and World Championships

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1. Introduction

This document serves as a Selection Addendum to Archery Canada’s Recurve National Team Selection Policy.

The purpose of this Addendum is to define the event specific criteria used by Archery Canada to select the recurve athletes, who will compete at the following 2023 World Archery Events:

A. World Cup Addendums

- Antalya, Turkey: April, 2023
- Shanghai, China: May 2023
- Medellin, Colombia: June, 2023
- Paris, France: August, 2023

B. World Championship Addendum

- Berlin, Germany: August, 2023

For reference, the Recurve Canadian Selection Policy can be found under the following link:

<https://archerycanada.ca/wp-content/uploads/2020/09/Recurve-Canadian-Team-Selection-Policy.pdf>

2. Selection Eligibility

Team selection will be made pursuant to Archery Canada's Recurve National Team Selection Policy, as appropriate, and this Addendum. Eligibility requirements must be met as stated in the Selection Policy and this Addendum.

3. Selection Authority

Collaborating with the Technical Leadership Team (High Performance Director, Interim National Coach Advisor, Junior National Coach, other as required), the HPD is accountable to select athletes and staff, for participation at events, in accordance with the Recurve Canadian Team Selection Policy and event specific criteria.

4. Discrepancies & Amendments

These procedures are based on World Archery rules and regulations as presently known and understood. In the event of changes by World Archery (WA) that could impact the selection and eligibility criteria, Archery Canada will be bound by these changes. At such time the WA regulations will be distributed to the affected athletes immediately, and Archery Canada will review and amend this document to comply with the new regulations or conditions.

The selection criteria are based on the latest information available to Archery Canada. However, the selections are always subject to unforeseen, intervening circumstances, and realistically may not have accounted for every possible contingency. If any force of nature, or force majeure, which may include unforeseen circumstances related to global affairs or pandemic, should cause the alteration or cancellation of any of the selection events listed in this document, these selection procedures will be revised, and approved by the Selection Approval Panel.

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

5. Team Selection Details

For the 2023 competition season, and with the funding support from Sport Canada, the Canadian Olympic Foundation, and the Canadian Olympic Committee as recommended by Own the Podium, Archery Canada will select athletes on an event by event basis, as outlined below. The selection process will vary by event and gender. Team size will vary by event and gender.

5.1 World Cup Selection

5.1.1 World Cup #1, Antalya, Turkey, April 18-23, 2023

Archery Canada will compete at the Antalya World Cup.

A) Team Size

Archery Canada may select up to 4 men & 1 women to compete in the men's & women's individual, men's team, and mixed team competitions

B) Event Specific Selection Criteria

Primary Criteria - Past Performance:

As per Archery Canada's selection policy under section 4.1.2 and found at the following link [Archery Canada Selection Policy](#), Past Performance for the Antalya World Cup selection is defined as follows:

- Performance during 2022 and 2023, including indoor and outdoor results, data from within the Athlete Depth Chart and scores achieved in the domestic and international training environment under the observation of a member of the Technical Leadership or a designated high performance program coach. Performances may be weighted based on date, level of competition, quality of competitors and environmental factors.

Secondary Criteria- Future Potential:

As per Archery Canada's selection policy under section 4.1.4 and found at the following link [Archery Canada Selection Policy](#), Archery Canada may select up to two male athletes based on Future Potential. To qualify to be selected under the Future Potential criteria, athletes must have had limited experience competing in World Cup competitions and demonstrate reasonable potential to be nominated as a member of the 2024 Paris Olympic Team.

C) Dates

Archery Canada will select the team on or before March 15th, 2023.

5.1.2 World Cup #2, Shanghai, China, May 16-21, 2023

Archery Canada does not currently intend to compete at the Shanghai World Cup. Based on funding & performance circumstances, this decision may be amended immediately following the Antalya World Cup on April 23rd

5.1.3 World Cup #3, Medellin, Colombia, June 13-18, 2023

Archery Canada will compete at the Medellin World Cup.

A) Team Size

Archery Canada may select up to 4 men & 4 women to compete in the men's & women's individual, men's & women's team, and mixed team competitions.

B) Event Specific Criteria

i. Primary Criteria - Defined Competition (Automatic Selection)

Results from two (2) defined competitions will be used to select up to 3 men & 3 women as follows:

Defined Competition 1: 2023 Antalya World Cup

- Any athlete finishing in the Top 8 individually or in the Top 3 as a team will automatically be selected.

Defined Competition 2: 2023 World Championship Selection Trials

- If required and Defined Competition selection spots remain, individual performance results from the World Championship Selection Camp in Cambridge, Ontario on May 12-14 will be used to select the remaining 3 men & 3 women.

ii. Secondary Criteria - Past Performance

A 4th male and female athlete may be selected based on performance history since January 1st, 2019 as stated in Archery Canada's selection policy under section 4.1.2 and found at the following link: [Archery Canada Selection Policy](#)

Note: To qualify to be selected under the Past Performance criteria, any selected athlete must have demonstrated reasonable potential to be nominated as a member of the 2024 Paris Olympic Team.

C) Dates

Archery Canada will select the team by May 16th, 2023.

5.1.4 World Cup #4, Paris, France, August 15-20, 2023

Archery Canada will compete at the Paris World Cup.

A) Team Size

Archery Canada may select up to 3 men & 1 women to compete in the men's & women's individual, men's team, and mixed team competitions.

B) Event Specific Criteria

i. Primary Criteria - Defined Competition (Automatic Selection)

Results from two (2) defined competitions will be used to select up to 3 men & 1 women as follows:

Defined Competition 1 & 2: 2023 Antalya and Medellin World Cups

- Any athlete finishing in the Top 8 individually at the Antalya or Medellin World Cups will automatically be selected
- Any athletes finishing in the Top 3 in a team competition at the Antalya or Medellin World Cups will automatically be selected

Note: If more than 3 men & 1 women qualify through the Defined Competition criteria, then the highest individual placing performance/s at either World Cup will determine athlete ranking, with the highest final ranked athlete selected. If a tie still exists, the average arrow value in match play will be used to determine athlete ranking. If a tie still exists, the average arrow value in the qualification round will be used to determine athlete ranking.

ii. Secondary Criteria - Past Performance

If required, additional athletes may be selected based on performance history and progression, since January 1st, 2019 as stated in Archery Canada's selection policy under section 4.1.2 and found at the following link: [Archery Canada Selection Policy](#)

Note: To qualify to be selected under the Past Performance criteria, any selected athlete must have demonstrated reasonable potential to be nominated as a member of the 2024 Paris Olympic Team.

C) Dates

Archery Canada will select the team on or before June 20th, 2023.

5.2 World Championship Selection

Archery Canada will compete at the World Championship, in Berlin, Germany, July 31 - August 6, 2023.

A) Team Size

Archery Canada may select up to 3 men & 3 women to compete in the men's & women's individual, men's & women's team, and mixed team competitions.

B) Minimum Qualification Score

A Minimum Qualification Score (MQS) is required to be selected through Criteria #1, Defined Competition. The score must be achieved at the Defined Competition (World Championship Trials) and is as follows:

Women: Individual Defined Competition score of 8.625 based on total Arrow Average Value (AAV) for the competition.

Men: Individual Defined Competition score of 8.944 based on total Arrow Average Value for the competition.

Note: Under the guidance of the HPD, Archery Canada's Technical Leadership Team reserves the right to complete a Men's, Women's or Mixed team based on Past Performance evaluation and demonstrated competitiveness as a team.

C) Event Specific Criteria

i. Criteria #1 - Defined Competition (Automatic Selection)

Results from one (1) Defined Competition will be used to select up to 2 men & 2 women as follows:

Defined Competition 1: 2023 World Championship Selection Trials (May 12-14, Cambridge, Ontario)

- The top 2 athletes by gender at the competition will automatically be selected given the MQS clause (5.2.B)

ii. Criteria #2 - Past Performance

A 3rd male and female athlete will be selected based on performance history and progression since January 1st, 2019 as stated in Archery Canada's selection policy under section 4.1.2 and found at the following link: [Archery Canada Selection Policy](#)

Note: the 3rd athlete will be selected with the objective of optimizing Canada's potential to secure quota spots for the 2024 Paris Olympic Games.

D) Dates

Archery Canada will finalize team selection on or before June 20th, 2023.

6. Funding

Guidelines for funding have been set out in the Appendix of the Athlete Agreement. Event Specific Levy Fees may apply.

7. Team Staffing

Team Staffing will be identified based on team size and composition in alignment with Archery Canada's Athlete Protection and Travel Guidelines. A minimum of two staff will be identified, taking into consideration a balance of genders or specific skill sets to support the team. The Archery Canada High Performance Director has the sole discretion to select the support staff, which may include a team leader, assistant coaches and the Interim National Coach Advisor.

8. Appeals

Archery Canada's Appeal Policy provides Individuals with a fair, affordable, and expedient appeal process. The Appeal Policy may be found at <https://archerycanada.ca/about-us/policies/>.

Due to the timelines associated with selection for the above World Cups, a reduced period of 7 days following the selection announcement is provided for these events as permitted under the Appeal Policy section 6.