ARCHERY

AGE GROUP

U15 Recurve	12-14 years of age (as of Dec. 31, 2024)
U15 Compound	12-14 years of age (as of Dec. 31, 2024)
U17 Recurve	15-16 years of age (as of Dec. 31, 2024)
U17 Compound	15-16 years of age (as of Dec. 31, 2024)



ZONE TEAM COMPOSITION

The maximum team size shall be:

8 athletes per Zone

U15 Recurve (12-14 years)		U17 Recurve (15-16 years)		U15 Compound (12 -14 years)		U17 Compound (15-16 years)	
<u>1</u>	female athlete	<u>1</u>	female athlete	<u>1</u>	female athlete	<u>1</u>	female athlete
<u>1</u>	male athlete	<u>1</u>	male athlete	1	male athlete	<u>1</u>	male athlete

<u>1</u> coaches and <u>1</u> manager per Zone (1 female & 1 male between the 2 positions)

FILL POLICY

Any zone which does not have an archer assigned to a particular category after their zone trials, will forfeit the opportunity to send a representative archer for that category. This spot will be filled by alternate archers from other zones based on a highest to lowest trials score ranking system. Athletes filling for other zones represent the zone for which they fill.

Fills must be submitted for approval to the Multisport Games Unit by January 16, 2024.

ELIGIBILITY

Athletes

- Athletes must be members of Archery Alberta.
- Members who have competed on Canadian Teams attending any international championships or Canada Winter Games are ineligible.
- Athletes shall compete in the zone in which he/she resides without exceptions. If an athlete resides in more than one zone the athlete must declare their intention to compete for one of their zones and may not compete for a team space in any other zone they reside in.
- Athletes may only try out in one discipline at playoffs.

Athletes seventeen (17) years of age, or athletes turning seventeen (17) during the Alberta Games, are NOT eligible to attend the Games. For Alberta Games Eligibility Policy information please visit <u>www.albertawintergames.ca</u>

<u>Coaches</u>

• NCCP Certification – A minimum of one (1) member per zone of the staff must be registered as a fully certified Coach under the National Coaching Certification Program to at least Instructor Beginner. If a zone does not have a certified coach they must contact the Archery PSO to discuss what options are available to the zone.

• **Background check** – all coaches and chaperones must submit to a background check at volunteer's expense. This check must be submitted to the PSO along with all other coaching paperwork by the time a team is named.

All coaches and chaperones must be at least eighteen (18) years old by the start of the Alberta Games.

AFFILIATION

Affiliation with the ATAA is \$40.00. Contact the nearest club or email the membership secretary at <u>membership@archeryalberta.ca</u>. Affiliation is mandatory by day of zone trials (playoffs).

ENTRY AND ZONE PLAYOFF PROCEDURES

- Zone playoffs will be held prior to December 18, 2023.
- Athletes may only try out in one discipline (Recurve or Compound) at playoffs.
- Athletes may only shoot their team trials on the specified trials date at the specified location for their zone. Special consideration for this may be given for special circumstances (such as medical procedures) but this must be requested of and approved by the Provincial Sport Coordinator prior to the specified zone trials. If special consideration is granted athletes can still only qualify for a team space by shooting in a different zone trial (no other tournament will be accepted) and it must be done before their zone shoots their trials.
- Entries will be sent to and received by the Provincial Sport Coordinator prior to December 22, 2023.
- All zone playoffs will consist of a FITA 300 round. A provincial judge is required for these playoffs

To determine the date and location of Zone playoffs/selection please visit <u>www.archeryalberta.ca</u> or <u>www.albertawintergames.ca</u>

PROVINCIAL GAMES REGISTRATION FEE AND DEADLINE

All Zone team athletes, who qualify to compete at the 2024 Alberta Winter Games (excluding coaches and chaperones), are required to pay an individual registration fee of \$80.00. This fee will offset the costs related to transportation, accommodation, meals, Zone identification, medals, athlete entertainment and sport competitions. This fee is payable to your provincial sport organization and must accompany the athlete's registration form for the Provincial Games.

Please note the registration deadline for Archery is **December 22, 2023.** You MUST have your trials paperwork and athlete registration complete and to our Provincial Sport Coordinator, Brian Struthers, by December 22, 2023. Failure to do so could result in an athlete losing their spot on the team. Submissions can be sent to <u>Provincial-coordinator@archeryalberta.ca</u>

EVENTS

The competition will be governed by Archery Canada rules with the exception of:

- All archers (despite age and category) will shoot 40 cm targets.
- Qualifying round will consist of two 300 rounds.
- Individual medal rounds will consist of 4 ends of 3 arrows in a double elimination match play.
- Team medal rounds consisting of 4 ends of 4 arrows (2 per archer) in single elimination match play.

PROTEST PROCEDURES

As per Archery Canada rules.

EQUIPMENT SPECIFICATIONS

Archery Canada (AC) Compound and AC Recurve equipment rules will apply.

PROVINCIAL SPORT COORDINATOR

Brian Struthers c/o Archery Alberta #31, 251 90th Ave. S.E. Calgary, AB T2J 0A4 Telephone: (403) 259-6011 Email: <u>Provincial-coordinator@archeryalberta.ca</u> Website: <u>www.archeryalberta.ca</u>

ZONE SPORT REPRESENTATIVE

Each of the eight (8) zones has a designated Archery representative. To contact your zone sport representative please <u>visit www.albertagames.com</u> for the list and contact information for each zone sport representative.

Zone	Name	Contact
Zone 1	ALBER	
Zone 2		
Zone 3	GAVE	3
Zone 4		
Zone 5		
Zone 6		
Zone 7		
Zone 8		