



# World Archery News

**JULY 2018**

## Executive Board

### World Youth Championships 2019

World Archery's executive board awarded Madrid in Spain the right to host the 2019 World Archery Youth Championships during its meeting on 16-17 July ahead of the fourth stage of the 2018 Hyundai Archery World Cup. Madrid beat a bid from Taipei City to the appointment. The board also approved a number of bylaws.

**Read more:** <https://bit.ly/2JyD59D>



### New World Records

Mixed teams will be able to claim ranking round world records as of the fourth stage of the 2018 Hyundai Archery World Cup in Berlin, Germany, after the World Archery executive board approved a new bylaw during its meeting at the tournament. Ranking round records were not added to the rulebook with the compound matchplay records when the event was introduced.

**Read more:** <https://bit.ly/2L7drhU>



## IMGA

### Agreement

World Archery and the International Masters Games Association have agreed to integrate every second edition of the World Archery Masters Championships into the World Masters Games, an international multisport event for mature athletes held every four years. The World Archery Masters Championships will be hosted for the first time in August 2018 at the World Archery Excellence Centre in Lausanne, Switzerland.

**Read more:** <https://bit.ly/2KL8dIR>



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## Excellence Centre

### Olympic Solidarity Scholarship

Bangladesh's Md Ruman Shana, a resident athlete at the World Archery Excellence Centre in Lausanne, won the recurve men's event at the 2018 Challenge de Lausanne tournament on 1 July. He is one of three athletes currently on a programme supported by Olympic Solidarity to live and train at the Centre as he attempts to qualify for the Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games. The others are Areneo David, who became Malawi's first Olympian archer at Rio 2016, and Mahmoud Elkhailifa of Sudan.

**Read more:** <https://bit.ly/2zLuukx>



## World Archery Oceania

### Congress

World Archery Oceania's congress elected three positions to its executive committee on 14 July, immediately after the Oceania championships. Catherine Gougeon was elected vice president, Patsy Vercoe secretary general and James Larven treasurer, for a four-year period until 2022. President Susanne Wormersley remains in place until 2020. Her four-year term started in 2016.

**Read more:** <https://bit.ly/2uRRM2D>



### Youth Training Camp

Five youth athletes and their coaches attended a training camp in Dumbea, New Caledonia during the first week of July, just prior to the Pacific island hosting the 2018 World Archery Oceania Championships. Tonga, Samoa and New Zealand sent archers to the camp, which was led by World Archery's development agent in Oceania, Robert Turner.

**Read more:** <https://bit.ly/2NBbtnc>



## World Archery Americas

### Website

World Archery Americas has launched a brand-new website in July 2018.

**New URL address:** [www.waamericas.org](http://www.waamericas.org)



## World Records

### Mixed Team

The mixed teams from Korea and the Netherlands set archery's first official ranking round world records for the pairs event at the fourth stage of the 2018 Hyundai Archery World Cup in Berlin, Germany. The records were officially added to the rulebook by World Archery's executive board before the tournament; previous scores were not claimable. Additional records were set in the junior categories, for mixed teams in which both athletes were under the age of 21.

**Read more:** <https://bit.ly/2uuoQOq>

Nada Azzam and Youssef Tolba's combined qualification score of 1252 out of a possible 1440 points, shot at the archery events of the 2018 African Youth Games in Algiers, Algeria, is the first recurve cadet mixed team ranking round record.



## Events

### Indoor World Series

World Archery has announced the six events confirmed on the 2018 Indoor Archery World Series calendar, a refreshed international tour running from November to February, featuring events in Luxembourg, Macau, Rome, Seoul, Nimes and Las Vegas. The tournaments are open entry, meaning archers register themselves rather than participation only being as part of a national team. Cairo has been added to the 2019 calendar.

**Read more:** <https://bit.ly/2m1LZ6l>





### Berlin 2018

Turkish archer Mete Gazoz beat Lee Woo Seok of Korea with an incredible shoot-off arrow in the recurve men's gold medal match at the fourth stage of the 2018 Hyundai Archery World Cup in Berlin, Germany. The last time the pair faced each other was at the Nanjing 2014 Youth Olympic Games, where Lee beat Gazoz in straight sets. In Berlin the contest was much less one-sided.

Lee Eun Gyeong beat home favourite Lisa Unruh to the recurve women's individual gold medal, qualifying herself for the season-ending final in the process – but eliminating teammate Kang Chae Young. Lee's teammate Jung Dasomi also won bronze over Tan Ya-Ting of Chinese Taipei.

Chinese Taipei beat Korea in an amazing shoot-off to take the recurve men's team gold medal. Wei Chung-Heng delivered an arrow in the X-ring when he needed not only a 10, but a better 10 than Im Dong Hyun's last shot to claim victory for Chinese Taipei. While the Korean men were relegated to silver, the women team did leave Berlin with gold, taking a straight-set victory over Great Britain.

Frenchwoman Sophie Dodemont ticked off three major achievements in Berlin. She won two gold medals – compound women's individual and team – and qualified for circuit's season-ending final in Samsun, Turkey. It's her first World Cup individual title at age 44.

It had been years since the French women had brought back a team medal. They beat India by one point to win the compound women's team title in Germany, handing India a second silver in the event on the season.

Croatia beat the world number one ranked USA compound men's team to gold to win the nation's first ever World Cup team victory. Domagoj Buden won a second medal for the stage with individual silver, defeated by Mike Schloesser, as it was the Dutchman's second stage win of the season after Antalya.

**Read more:** <https://bit.ly/2NpgS9B>

### Asia Cup Stage 3

Chinese Taipei's recurve women's team and individual compound woman Wu Ting-Ting prevented Korea sweeping the gold medals at stage three of the 2018 Asia Cup in Taipei City, Chinese Taipei. The tournament was due to finish on Thursday 12 July but had to be cut short. The entire schedule was completed in just two days, on 9-10 July, to avoid incoming typhoon Maria.

**Read more:** <https://bit.ly/2LtgIKc>

### Oceania Championships

Jason Hurnall beat Finn Matheson of New Zealand, 6-2, in the final of World Archery Oceania's continental qualification tournament for the Buenos Aires 2018 Youth Olympic Games to complete Australia's maximum quota of two. Australia won a girls' quota place at the World Archery Youth Championships at the end of 2017.

**Read more:** <https://bit.ly/2moMkja>



### African Youth Games

Archers from Egypt, South Africa and Namibia won quota places to the upcoming Youth Olympic Games in Argentina by making the final of the archery events at the 2018 African Youth Games in Algiers, Algeria. Egyptian athletes Israa Yassen and Bahaaeldin Aly made the finals in the girl's and boy's events. Their opponents Wian Roux, of South Africa, and Namibia's top seed Quinn Reddig also qualified places for their nations with gold medal match berths.

**Read more:** <https://bit.ly/2Lb0UKB>



### Tokyo 2020

The mascots of the Olympic and Paralympic Games Tokyo 2020 greeted the Japanese public for the first time at their naming ceremony on 22 July. The Tokyo 2020 Olympic mascot's name was revealed as Miraitowa, based on the Japanese words mirai (future) and towa (eternity) combined. The Tokyo 2020 Paralympic mascot's name was revealed as Someity, (pronounced soh-may-tee) which comes from someiyoshino, a popular cherry blossom variety, and additionally echoes the English phrase "so mighty".



### Entry Deadlines

Event	Place	Preliminary	Final
World Archery Field Championships	Cortina (ITA)	6 June	14 August

### Coaching

#### Obituary

Libyan archery coach Ali Arebi has died of a heart attack in Algeria. He was 60 years old. A former Libyan international archer who competed until 2013, he coached Ali El Ghrari at the Nanjing 2014 Youth Olympic Games and then at the Olympic Games in Rio de Janeiro in 2016.

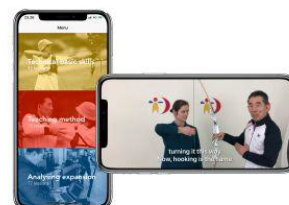
**Read more:** <https://bit.ly/2JyTL17>



#### Mobile App

Coach Kim Hyung Tak's archery coaching application *Kim, Hyung-Tak Archery*, which was released for Apple devices in April, is now available on Android. It's in English and costs 23-32 USD. The application includes written content, more than 65 videos, and 100 pictures and diagrams explaining three areas of archery.

**Read more:** <https://bit.ly/2NY2BZz>



#### Costa Rica

The National Archery Federation of Sri Lanka has appointed Michael Peart, 41, as foreign coach. The former British archer already conducted the Youth Olympic Games training programme. Among his past experiences were also Paralympic Coach for Archery GB and archery consultant for London 2012 Olympic/Paralympic news service.



### Course in Oceania

Participants from Fiji, New Caledonia (FRA), New Zealand, Samoa, Solomon Islands, Tonga attended a level two coaching course held in the *Centre International Sport et Expertise (CISE)* Noumea, New Caledonia on 16-24 July, conducted by Pascal Colmaire, World Archery Director of Education and Development, and supported by the Olympic Solidarity, the French Olympic and Sports Committee, the French Archery Federation and the Archery League of New Caledonia.



The project is to train World Archery certified Coach Trainers from Oceania in a near future, so that the continent has a pool of continental experts able to conduct coaching course in the region at a reduced cost for travel and with a good cultural understanding of the coach candidates. On the course programme in Noumea were suggestions for an efficient National Coaching System (NCS); evaluation of the shooting form of an archer; training process of intermediate shooting techniques, appropriate physical developments, psychological skills, coaching skills in tournament and during practice, competitor's skills and training to equipment tuning.

### Development

#### Donation to Palau

Palau Archery President Brandon Giramur, Vice President Edward Kenic and Sports Development Officer Tutii Chilton will strive to introduce archery to other region islands during the 2018 Micronesian Games on 15-27 July 2018 in Yap, where it is on the program as a demonstration sport. To support the project World Archery has offered to Palau a level-one kit of archery equipment including twelve fitted bows and various other items. The island nations and islands participating in the Games are Commonwealth of Northern Mariana, Territory of Guam, Federated States of Micronesia (Yap, Chuuk, Pohnpei and Kosrae states), Republic of Marshall Islands, Republic of Nauru, Republic of Palau, and Republic of Kiribati.



**Micro Games website:** <https://microgames2018.com>

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## Calendar

## 2018

28 July – 2 August	<b>Central American and Caribbean Games</b>	Barranquilla (COL)
31 July – 4 August	<b>European Grand Prix</b>	Sofia (BUL)
11-19 August	<b>European Para Archery Championships</b>	Pilsen (CZE)
14-18 August	World Archery Masters Championships	Lausanne (SUI)
14-19 August	<b>Panam and Para Panamerican Championships</b>	Medellin (COL)
18 August	World Archery Americas General Assembly	Medellin (COL)
18 Aug.-2 Sept.	<b>Asian Games + OG QT (Archery: 21-28 August)</b>	Jakarta (INA)
27 August – 1 Sept.	<b>European Championships + WAE Congress (26 Aug.)</b>	Legnica (POL)
4-9 September	World Archery Field Championships	Cortina (ITA)
6-9 September	<b>Para World Ranking Event</b>	Salt Lake City (USA)
18-22 September	European 3D Championships	Göteborg (SWE)
6-13 October	<b>Asian Para Games</b> (Para Archery included)	Jakarta (INA)
6-18 October	Youth Olympic Games (Archery: 12-17 October)	Buenos Aires (ARG)
<b>24-25 November</b>	<b>GT Open</b>	<b>Strassen (LUX)</b>
<b>1-2 December</b>	<b>Macau Indoor Archery Open</b>	<b>Macau (CHN)</b>
<b>15-16 December</b>	<b>Roma Archery Trophy</b>	<b>Rome (ITA)</b>
<b>22-23 December</b>	<b>I Seoul U</b>	<b>Seoul (KOR)</b>

## 2019

<b>18-20 January</b>	<b>Nimes Archery Tournament</b>	<b>Nimes (FRA)</b>
<b>8-9 February</b>	<b>The Vegas Shoot</b>	<b>Las Vegas (USA)</b>
<b>9 February</b>	<b>Indoor World Series Final</b>	<b>Las Vegas (USA)</b>
2-9 April	<b>World Ranking Event</b>	Santiago (CHI)
6-12 May	<b>Archery World Cup Stage 1</b>	Shanghai (CHN)
20-26 May	<b>Archery World Cup Stage 2</b>	Antalya (TUR)
1-2 June	World Archery Congress	's-Hertogenbosch (NED)
3-9 June	<b>World Archery Para Championships + PG QT</b>	's-Hertogenbosch (NED)
10-16 June	<b>World Archery Championships + OG QT</b>	's-Hertogenbosch (NED)
14-30 June	<b>European Games + OG QT</b>	Minsk (BLR)
1-7 July	<b>Archery World Cup Stage 3</b>	Berlin (GER)
3-14 July	<b>Universiade (Archery: 9-13 July)</b>	Napoli (ITA)
12-18 July <i>TBC</i>	<b>Tokyo 2020 Test Event</b>	Tokyo (JPN)
26 July – 11 August	<b>Pan American Games</b> (Archery: <b>6-11 August</b> ) + <b>OG QT</b>	Lima (PER)
19-25 August	<b>Archery World Cup Stage 4</b>	Salt Lake City (USA)
<b>2-6 September</b>	<b>World Archery 3D Championships</b>	<b>Lac La Biche (CAN)</b>
November <i>TBC</i>	<b>Asian Archery Championships + OG CQT</b>	New Delhi (IND)

## 2020

24 July – 9 August	<b>Olympic Games</b>	Tokyo (JPN)
25 August – 6 Sept.	<b>Paralympic Games</b>	Tokyo (JPN)

Red = Last Updates  
 Green = Indoor World Series  
 Blue = Para Archery Events  
 Bold = World Ranking Events

OG / PG / YOG = Olympic Games / Paralympic Games / Youth Olympic Games  
 QT = Qualification Tournaments  
 CQT = Continental Qualification Tournaments  
 TBC = To Be Confirmed (= NOT CONFIRMED YET)

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