



ARCHERY

Technical Guidelines & Ground Rules

I. EVENTS

Competition in Archery for the Secondary Level shall consist of the following events:

	BOYS	GIRLS	TARGET FACES	# OF ARROWS/END/ SET
EVENTS	1. 70 meter distance	1. 60 meter distance	122 cm	36 arrows = 6 arrows per end
	2. 60 meter distance	2. 50 meter distance	122 cm	36 arrows = 6 arrows per end
	3. 50 meter distance	3. 40 meter distance	80 cm	36 arrows = 6 arrows per end
	4. 30 meter distance	4. 30 meter distance	80 cm	36 arrows = 6 arrows per end
	5. 1440 round	5. 1440 round		144 arrows – aggregate scores
	6. Olympic Round (70 meters)	6. Olympic Round (60 meters)	122 cm	Set System – 3 arrows per end 5 ends – 6 set points
	7. Team Event (70 meters)	7. Team Event (60 meters)	122 cm	Set system – 2 arrows per archer 4 ends – 5 set points
	8. Mixed Team (60 meters)	8. Mixed Team (60 meters)	122 cm	Set System – 2 arrows per archer 4 ends – 5 set points

I. MEDALS TO BE AWARDED

Medals at stake in the archery tournament are as follows:

EVENTS	MEDALS NEEDED	MEDAL COUNTS	
		Girls	Boys
60 Meter Distance for Girls	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd places 1 set	1	
70 Meter Distance for Boys	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd places 1 set		1
50 Meter Distance for Girls	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd places 1 set	1	
60 Meter Distance for Boys	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd places 1 set		1
40 Meter Distance for Girls	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd places 1 set	1	
50 Meter Distance for Boys	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd places 1 set		1
30 Meter Distance for Girls	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd places 1 set	1	
30 Meter Distance for Boys	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd places 1 set		1
1440 Round for Girls	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd places 1 set	1	
1440 Round for Boys	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd places 1 set		1
Olympic Rd. Individual Champion – Girls	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd places 1 set	1	
Olympic Rd. Individual Champion – Boys	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd places 1 set		1
Team Champion – Girls	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd places 4 sets	1	
Team Champion – Boys	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd places 4 sets		1
Mixed Team Event	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd places 2sets	1	1
TOTAL Medals Needed/at Stake	22 sets	8	8

II. TOURNAMENT RULES

- A. The latest edition of the World Archery (formerly **FITA**) rules for outdoor target archery shall be used to govern the conduct of the tournament. (Dated April 1, 2018).
- B. The results of the 1440 Round will be used as the bases for ranking the individual competitors in the Girls and Boys Divisions. Based on their ranks, the archers will then proceed to the Olympic Round to determine the Overall Individual Champions for Girls and Boys Divisions.
- C. Competition in the Olympic Round will be as follows:
 1. An **Elimination round** in which the top 72 archers (seeded according to their rank in the 1440 Round) in each division shoot a series of matches to determine the quarterfinalists. Each match shall consist of five (5) sets of three (3) arrows shot at the 122cm target face placed at the 60meter distance for girls and 70 meters for boys. The set system of scoring shall be used.
 2. A Finals round in which the remaining quarter finalists (top 8 archers in each class) shoot a series of matches, ending with the Gold Medal Matches. Each match shall consist up to five (5) sets of three (3) arrows shot at the 122cm target face placed at the 60meter distance for girls and 70-meter distance for boys. (Alternate shooting will apply on the BMM and GMM). The set system of scoring shall be used.
 3. The scores in the 1440 Round of the ***top three archers*** from each team shall be the Region's aggregate score. All Regional Team scores will be calculated in a similar manner and each Regional Team will be ranked from 1 to 18 in the Girls and Boys Classes. *However, any member of a team who shot in the 1440 Round may be fielded in the Team Event provided the final composition must be submitted to the tournament secretary before the announced deadline for the re-computation of team aggregate score.* All teams will shoot in the Olympic Round Team Event which consists of:
 - The **Team Elimination Round** in which the seventeen (18) teams in each division shoot a series of elimination matches to determine the top teams in each class. Each match shall consist of four (4) ends of six (6) arrows at the 122cm target face placed at the 60meter distance for girls and 70meter for boys. Each archer shall shoot two (2) arrows per end. The set system of scoring shall be used.
 - The **Team Finals Round** in which the top eight (8) teams in each class shoot a series of matches ending with the Team Gold Medal Matches. Each match shall consist of four (4) ends of six (6) arrows shot at the 122cm target face placed at the 60meter distance for girls and 70 meters for boys (Alternate shooting will apply on the BMM* and GMM*). Each archer shall shoot two (2) arrows per end. The set system of scoring shall be used.
 4. The scores in the 1440 Round of the top-ranked boy archer and top-ranked girl archer from each team shall be the Regional MIXED TEAM's aggregate score. All Mixed Team scores will be calculated in a similar manner and each Regional

Mixed Team will be ranked from 1-18. All teams will shoot in the Olympic Round Mixed Team Event which consist of:

- The **Mixed Team Elimination Round** in which the eighteen (18) teams in each division shoot a series of elimination matches to determine the top teams. Each match shall consist of four (4) ends of four (4) arrows at the 122cm target face placed at the 60-meter distance. Each archer shall shoot two (2) arrows per end. The set system of scoring shall be used.
- The **Mixed Team Finals Round** in which the top eight (8) teams shoot a series of matches ending with the Mixed Team Gold Medal Matches. Each match shall consist of four (4) ends of four (4) arrows shot at 122cm target face placed at the 60meter distance (Alternate shooting will apply on the BMM and GMM). The set system of scoring shall be used.

III. PARTICIPANTS

- A. A regional delegation's archery team shall consist of a Boys Team and a Girls Team. A team shall be composed of not more than four (4) but not less than three (3) archers and a team coach. Team chaperones may accompany the girl's teams but they shall not be allowed to coach. *Team trainers, archer's personal coaches, parents and delegation team officials will not be allowed in the archer's area and field of play during the tournament.*
- B. DepEd rules on eligibility shall apply.

IV. UNIFORMS

- A. All members of the team including the coaches must wear the same uniform during the Team Event.
- B. The archer's family name followed by the initial of his first name (e.g. DELA CRUZ, A.), should be printed on the upper back portion of the shirt. Letter height is from 5cm. in block letters. All shirts worn during the tournament must bear the archer's name as describe above. Aside from the official delegation uniform, a team may wear an alternate uniform which should also have the archer's names printed at the back. All archers must wear rubber shoes. Slippers, Crocs, sandals and similar footwear shall not be allowed. Rubber boots and rain gear may be allowed if the weather and field conditions warrant their use.
- C. Archers must always wear their target assignment numbers on their arrow quivers when shooting in the tournament, during the official practice day and during the official inspection of equipment. Numbers must be properly pinned on the archers' quivers.
- D. Team uniforms are required to be worn during the official practice day.

V. ARCHERS' EQUIPMENT

- A. Each archer should have his/her own set of equipment which should conform to WA Recurve Bow specifications (Book 3, 11.1). It is the archer's responsibility to use equipment which complies with the rules. If in doubt the archer should show his equipment to the Judge(s) before using it in competitions.

Any archer found to be using equipment contravening the rules may have his or her scores disqualified.

VI. TEAM CAPTAINS' MEETING

- A. A team captains meeting will be held during the Solidarity session of the *Palarong Pambansa* to discuss the schedule, uniform requirements, latest rules or rule modifications, medals to be awarded and other important matters.

VII. OFFICIAL PRACTICE DAY

An official practice day shall be held one day before the start of the tournament on the actual tournament venue to familiarize the archers with the prevailing conditions at the tournament site. The tournament field must be laid out and all venue equipment should be in place. The official practice shall be controlled by the Director of Shooting and the Official Timer.

VIII. INSPECTION OF EQUIPMENT

Initial inspection of archers' equipment will be conducted by the Judges Committee during the Official Practice Day. However, subsequent inspections may be done during the course of the tournament to ensure adherence to equipment rules, provided that these will not affect the settings of the bow in question. Later violations, when found, will be penalized according to WA rules.

IX. PRACTICE FACILITIES

- A. A practice field must be made available at least two (2) days before the Opening Ceremony of the *Palarong Pambansa*.
- B. The tournament field may be used by the competitors for practice on all the days of the competition at times arranged by the tournament manager. However, all practice must cease fifteen (15) minutes before the start of competition.