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Greetings/Bonjour:

Congratulations to all archers, coaches, judges and volunteers who helped make the 2004 indoor national championships the most successful ever! According to programme co-ordinator Greg Durward, 716 archers participated this year.

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1. COC's In The Loop

Earlier this week, I had the privilege of participating in a panel discussion in Toronto that explored the issues surrounding sport in Canada as part of the TIME Newsmaker series. Other panelists included Minister of State for Sport Stan Keyes; Ken Read, President of Alpine Canada; Mary Jollimore, TIME Magazine contributing editor; and Olympian Therese Brisson.

The topic for discussion was Canada's funding of Olympic athletes, whether Ottawa is doing enough to keep our athletes competitive and simply whether it is government's role to invest in sport and why.

There was a general consensus that the role sport plays in Canada is an important one and that there needs to be more coordination among the various sport groups and those who fund sport in Canada. We agreed that sport is not looking for a handout, there is a measurable return on investment, an active population means a decrease in healthcare costs and sport generates economic activity in the communities that host sporting events. There was also some discussion on the topic of a new sport model for Canada, drawing examples from other nations such as Australia where there has been success in restructuring how sport is delivered in that country. One message that clearly came back from the audience was the importance of continuing to focus on excellence and supporting athletes with the ability to reach the podium. All in all, it was an informative, lively exchange with many interesting points being brought forward by panelists and audience members.

As I mentioned in a previous In the Loop, we held a one-day advocacy "blitz" on Thursday, February 19 to meet with Members of Parliament and Senators in Ottawa, to discuss a new approach to the delivery of sport in Canada and increased government investment for high performance sport as well as additional funding for physical activity for all Canadians. I attended these meetings with COC Vice President Walter Sieber; Mark Lowry, COC Executive Director, Sport; Canadian IOC members Charmaine Crooks and Richard Pound; Victor Lachance, Senior Leader, Sport Matters Group; Tom Jones, CEO, Athletes CAN; Tim Page, Executive Director, Diving Canada and Olympians Bruny Surin, Catriona Le May Doan, Cheryl Pounder, Glenroy Gilbert, Lori Dupuis, Therese

Brisson and Claire Carver Dias. These meetings mark the first step towards a collaborative lobbying effort by the COC and our sport partners.

I would like to take this opportunity to express my apologies for an omission I made in the last issue of In the Loop. I neglected to mention that the Canadian Paralympic Committee was among the sport organizations attending the Winter Sport Meeting that took place on February 2-3 in Calgary and that the CPC's participation and contribution as a funding partner was essential to developing the Own the Podium program.

The 2004 COC Congress will take place April 16-18 in Montreal. This year will mark 100 years of Canadian Olympic Team participation. The Congress weekend will include a gala evening at the Canadian Olympic Hall of Fame Induction Dinner, a day of workshops at the COC Sport Excellence Conference, which will feature a host of international and national sport leaders, followed by an evening reception paying tribute to Quebec athletes' sporting excellence, and a Canada Life Athens 2004 Send-off Brunch. If you would like more information regarding the event and ticket sales, contact Deanna Slapack at dslapack@olympic.ca.

Finally, I am pleased to announce that Teryn Buna of Kelowna, B.C. and Ryan Flannigan of Prince Albert, Sask. have been chosen to represent Canada at the Athens 2004 Olympic Youth Camp. Buna and Flannigan have excelled in the areas of athletics, academics and community activities and were chosen from more than 100 applications received from across the country. The COC worked closely with the Canadian School Sport Federation to select the recipients and I am proud to have them as Canada's youth ambassadors at the Athens 2004 Olympic Youth Camp.

Yours in Sport,

Chris Rudge
CEO & Secretary General Canadian Olympic Committee

2. Olympic Qualification Update

FCA is pleased to announce that the following archers have entered the qualification process for selection to Canada's Olympic archery team in Athens.

Men

Duenas, Crispin
Ohayon, Jonathan
MacDonald, Hugh
Rousseau, Claude
Rusnov, Robert

Women

Beaudet, Marie-Pier
Mozhar, Anna
Savage, Racheal

3. COPANARCO MICA Championships Information

The **MICA** Event may be held any time between January 1, and March 31, 2004.
<http://www.e-bizinus.com/fca/Indoors/MICAhome.htm>

1. **Scores shot after March 31, 2004 cannot be considered for MICA.**

2. **Scores sent to Jacqui Jenskey after April 10, 2004 will NOT** be entered or included in the medallists or final results listing!

March - mars

14	MICA	Ottawa, ON	D. Luck	luckd@dfo-mpo.gc.ca
16	MICA	Redlands, CA	J. Ohayon	fcamica@thearcher.com
21	MICA	Winchester, ON	L. Smith	southnation@cyberus.ca
21	MICA	Caledon, ON	B. Savage	bruce_savage@rogers.com

4. In Brief

- 5th World University Archery Championship Madrid, July 21st-24th 2004
- FCA's 2004 Volunteer Handbook will be available (in English only) upon request from the national office. Order #015-A400E. The cost is \$5.00.
- Mailmatch results for are available at
<http://www.fca.ca/MM/2004/mailmatch04.htm>
- 2004 3D championships, July 30 - August 02 in Prince George, BC
WWW.SILVERTIPARCHERS.CA
- 2004 Target/Field Championships, July 31 - August 07 in Toronto 2004 FCA Target/Field Championship schedule, registration form and accommodation information is available now from the FCA website, or at the direct link:
<http://www.decsi.com/~shirley/Nationals/index.htm>

Details of other events and activities at the Championships will be added - so keep looking for updates

- 2005 Indoor 3D nationals February 19-20 Medicine Hat, AB
- 2005 3D/target/field championships Saint John, NB
- The **reporting template for reporting results** to FCA (for inclusion on the webpage) has been **updated**, please download the sheet from the following link:
<http://www.fca.ca/Resultsfolder/FCAScoreTemplateSep15.xls>
- All background information, as well as the minutes, for the Presidents' Conference is listed at: <http://fca.ca/PRES%20CONF/presconfmain.html>
- Educating archers and coaches on abuse use:
<http://www.fca.ca/policy/harassmentlinks.html>

MEETINGS

RÉUNIONS

Teleconference

April 18 High Performance Committee/Comité de la Haute Performance

Prince George, BC

04-07-30 3D committee / Comité de tir sur cible animalière 18:00

Toronto, ON

04-08-03	Executive Committee / Comité exécutif	19:00
04-08-04	Board Meeting / Comité administratif	17:00
04-08-05	Annual General Meeting / Réunion Annuelle Générale	16:00
	Athlete Meeting / Réunion des Athlètes	
	Doping Control Information / Informations du Contrôle du dopage	

5. National Team Coaches 2004

Coaches interested in applying for the following national teams in 2004 should submit their resumés to the national office NO LATER THAN March 31, 2004. FCA's High Performance Committee will review all applications, and placements will be announced on April 15th. Thank you.

- Junior/Cadet World Team
- World Field Team
- Pan American Championships (aka Championships of the Americas)

PANAMERICAN CHAMPIONSHIP 2004 CHAMPIONNAT PANAMERICAIN

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	DIVISION	AGE	CHAPERONE	SEX
Cameron	Nathan	CPD	CDT	?	M
Schleppe	Michael	CPD	JR	n/a	M
Johnson	Nolan	CPD	JR	n/a	M
Kennedy	Heather	CPD	SR		F
Meehan	Lillian	CPD	SR		F
Graham	Darcy	REC	CDT	R. Ducharme	M
Duenas	Crispin	REC	JR	n/a	M
Lyon	Jay	REC	JR	n/a	M
McMillan	Brittany	REC	JR	n/a	F
Passmore	Erin	REC	JR	n/a	F
Arcand	Brian	REC	SR		M
McDonald	Hugh	REC	SR		M
Denys	Alec	W2	SR		M
Murphy	Norbert	W2	SR		M

JUNIOR/CADET WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS 2004 CHAMPIONNAT JUNIOR/CADET

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	DIVISION	AGE	CHAPERONE	SEX
Cornish	Matthew	CPD	CDT	David Cornish	M
Winslow	Evan	CPD	CDT	?	M
Jones	Doris	CPD	CDT	Tim Jones	F
Cornish	Stacey	CPD	JR	n/a	F

Kennedy	Megan	CPD	JR	n/a	F
Lemke	Emerald	CPD	JR	n/a	F
Buzikievich	Kyle	CPD	CDT	?	M
McMillan	Brittany	CPD	JR	n/a	F
Wallace	Ashley	CPD	JR	Karen Wallace	F
Flannigan	Ryan	CPD	JR	n/a	M
Gunter	Allan	CPD	JR	n/a	M
McNeil	Cameron	CPD	JR	n/a	M
Schleppe	Michael	CPD	JR	n/a	M
Scully	Thomas	CPD	JR	n/a	M
Rousseau	Jean-Denis	REC	CDT	Denis Rousseau	M
Duenas	Crispin	REC	JR	n/a	M
Lyon	Jay	REC	JR	n/a	M
Marcinkowski	Matthew	REC	JR	n/a	M
Rivest-Bunster	Patrick	REC	JR	n/a	M
Davidson	Kelsey	REC	JR	n/a	F
Niles	Kristen	REC	JR	n/a	F
Norberg	Jessica	REC	JR	n/a	F
Passmore	Erin	REC	JR	n/a	F

WORLD FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS 2004 CHAMPIONNAT DE TIR EN CAMPAGNE

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	DIVISION
Betts	Phil	REC

Attention all cadets interested in making the World Team in Lillehall, GBR this year. FITA distances have changed! But, FCA team selection criteria will remain the same due to the short notice to our archers. If you wish to submit qualifying scores to make this team, continue to shoot the old distances, but PRACTICE 60M. The same is true for any cadet interested in making the team for the Pan-American Championships (formerly called Championship of the Americas).

OLD CADET DISTANCES

MEN & WOMEN

70m, 60m (122cm), 50m, 30m (80cm)

OLD ELIMINATION ROUND DISTANCE: MEN & WOMEN = 70M

NEW CADET DISTANCES

MEN 70m, 60m (122cm), 50m, 30m (80cm)

WOMEN 60m, 50m (122cm), 40m, 30m (80cm)

NEW ELIMINATION ROUND DISTANCE: MEN & WOMEN = 60M

Attention all clubs: the new round is effective April 1, 2004. Please allow those female archers interested in making these teams to continue to shoot the old round until July 31.

K. J. Millar, Acting Team Selection Co-ordinator

In Closing

The FCA national office will open next week **TUESDAY** through Friday, March 16-19 from 07:30 to 15:30 ET. See you next week!

Dear archery friends

On behalf of the Concordia Archery Tournaments Foundation located in Amsterdam, the Netherlands, it is with pride and pleasure that we announce the revival of the Face 2 Face Archery Tournament, as held in Eindhoven, the Netherlands, from 1992 until 1997.

The Face 2 Face Archery Tournament will take place in Amsterdam from 9 until 12 December 2004 and is supported by the national Dutch Archery Association (NHB) and the city of Amsterdam.

In 1997, this event had 138 archers registered out of 16 nations. The competition presented none-stop pressure and excitement of an enjoyable kind for all competitors (Compound & Recurve), spectators and managers. For all those present, being competitor or visitor, there is no doubt that this competition presents archery in its state-of-the-art format.

Creating the Face 2 Face format was the responsibility of TOP Archery, an independent group of 4 individuals dedicated to popularising archery. We want to express our thanks to Harrie Jackobs, Harry van de Vondervoort, Hans Blüm and Carry van Gool-Floris, who are now supporting us with the re-launch of the Face 2 Face Tournaments.

Our aim is to make the Face 2 Face Archery Tournament a yearly international top archery tournament. Because we want the competition level to be high, we kindly request you to send out your best archers. They will be participating in a competition which, in the past, was nicknamed "The Tension Tournament".

For further details about the format, the regulations, the location and more please consult our website at: www.face2face-archery.org. General information can be found on the website in the English, French and Italian language. At this moment the tournament regulations can be found in the English and French language. You can find the links of these documents and a link of the tournament poster below.

For subscribing your archers please use the form on the website, or contact the organisation by e-mail: info@face2face-archery.org or by phone +31 (0)20 6699484.

Please forward this e-mail or its content to your national coaches and archers in your national teams.

Kind regards

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General Information:

http://www.face2face-archery.org/pdf/F2F_2004_General_InfoV10.pdf

http://www.face2face-archery.org/pdf/F2F_2004_Informations_Generales_V10.pdf

<http://www.face2face-archery.org/pdf/F2F-ITv10.pdf>

Regulations:

http://www.face2face-archery.org/pdf/F2F_2004_regulationsV12.pdf

http://www.face2face-archery.org/pdf/F2F_2004_ReglementV12.pdf

Poster:

http://www.face2face-archery.org/jpg/F2F_poster_feb04.jpg

Job Opportunity

Right To Play - SportWorks Project Coordinator

http://canadiansport.ca/jobs/jobs_view_e.cfm?id=194&show=&search=&start_row=1