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1. Clarification of Outdoor Range Layout

A few months ago FCA received a request for clarification about the range layout for outdoor competitions. What is exactly an outdoor tournament? Is it possible, for example, to use a practice range for golf with a weather protection for the archer? I sent a request for clarification to FITA and the C & R Committee just sent FCA their answer.

“Weather protection must be restricted to the competitors area. It was never obligatory but may be provided as a service of the organizer.”

Appendix 1 Book 2 (page 35) shows the Competitors area approximately 8m behind the shooting line.

In conclusion, you cannot shoot an outdoor FITA under a roof.

Ghislain Arsenault, Chairman
Judge Committee of FCA
http://www.fca.ca/Judge/l_message06.htm

2. Canadian Sports Policy on Excellence

October 22, 2004

Kathleen Millar, Executive Director
Federation of Canadian Archers Inc.
2460 Lancaster Road
Suite 200
Ottawa ON K1B 4S5

Dear Kathy,

It was a pleasure meeting with you yesterday and learning about the new directions that Archery in Canada is heading towards. We discussed the focus of funding that Sport Canada has for sport with regards to excellence and perhaps if I quote parts from the Canadian Sports Policy on Excellence it will make it clearer.

“ Increase accessibility for high performance athletes... to successfully compete at the highest levels of international competition”

As such our focus, and therefore our primary funding, is on Olympic and Paralympic sports. In Archery, that would mean the Recurve discipline for able-bodied athletes and Compound for the disabled.

Archery, has for the first time in many years, had both men and women competing in the Olympics. That is a great start, now hopefully the next leap will be to have more archers qualify and compete at the next Games and to have them finish with a higher rank. We are always looking for progress within our sports! And as everywhere else, those that have a higher rate of success benefit more financially.

I hope that this helps and if I can be of any further assistance, please don't hesitate to ask.

Best regards,

Carol Malcolm-O'Grady
Senior Programme Officer

3. New Canadian open record- Nouveaux records canadiens ouverts

Senior man compound - Sénior homme arc à poulies: Blair Lyon, Winnipeg MB in a CDN FITA 1440 with a score of 340 at 90m. 2004-09-26

Félicitations - Congratulations

Christiane Murphy
Gestionnaire des records canadiens / Canadian records co-ordinator

4. Information for FITA Indoor World Championships 2005

Those interested so far in competing at the indoor worlds include:

Kevin Brayford	Greg Durward
Allan Gunter	Mike Hornsberger
Greg Maund	Kris Maier
Kristin Niles	Jeannot Robitaille
Caitlyn Schleppe	Thomas Scully
Ashley Wallace	Rob Wardlaw

<http://www.fca.ca/ex/2005/05JulWorldIndoor.htm>

5. James Wiebe Named Technical Delegate to 2007 Jeux Canada Games

National Judge and national-level Director of Shooting, James Wiebe, has been named Technical Delegate to the Whitehorse, YK Games in 2007. Jim has a long-time association with the Yukon to certify both judges and coaches. His expertise and experience will ensure that this important developmental event is run to world standards.

6. 2005 Canada Cup

FCA is happy to announce that the Victoria Bowmen will host the 2005 major event Canada Cup as follows:

Friday, May 13 th , 2005	Saturday, May 14 th , 2005	Sunday, May 15 th , 2005
Optional FITA Star <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Not for ranking purposes of the Canada Cup	09:00 Official Practice 10:00 Long Distances 13:00 Lunch 14:00 Short Distances 18:00 Social Event	09:00 Official practice 10:00 Double elimination match play 16:00 Awards

7. 2005 FCA target/field/3D Championship Schedule

The Organising Committee has changed its original dates in order to avoid a conflict with the Québec Summer Games and the NAA National Championships. Unfortunately, when the dates were changed, there were problems obtaining access to both sites. Here is the schedule (meetings to be added later).

Schedule		
2005 Canadian Target/Field/3D		
Fri. July 22 juillet	12:00 - 17:00	Target Practice / pratique sur cible fixe
	18:00 PM	Welcome BBQ d' accueil
Sat. July 23 juillet	08:00 - 11:00	Official Practice / pratique officielle
	12:00	FITA 1 Long Distances longues
Sun. July 24 juillet	10:00	FITA 1 Short Distances courtes
Mon. July 25 juillet	10:00	FITA 2 Long Distances longues
	15:00	Coupe Fred Usher Cup
Tue. July 26 juillet	10:00	FITA 2 Short Distances courtes
	18:00	FITA Awards Banquet de Reconnaissance
Wed. July 27 juillet	09:00	FCA Open / Cadet Shoot-off (?)
	12:00 - 17:00	Field Practice / pratique en campagne

Thr. July 28 juillet	09:00	Field Practice / pratique en campagne
	13:00	Field 24 targets / 24 cible en campagne
Fri. July 29 juillet	09:00	Field 24 targets / 24 cible en campagne
	13:00 – 17:00	3D Practice / pratique sur cible animalière
	18:00	Welcome BBQ d' accueil 3D
		Field Awards/ Rémise des médailles
Sat. July 30 juillet	09:00	3D practice / pratique sur cible animalière
	13:00	course #1 20 targets / cibles du parcours #1
	18:00	3D banquet sur cible animalière
Sun. July 31 juillet	09:00	course #2 20 targets / cibles du parcours #2
	13:00	course #3 20 targets / cibles du parcours #3
Mon. Aug. 1 août	09:00	course #4 20 targets / cibles du parcours #4
	13:00	Grand Prix
	15:00	3D awards / Rémise des médailles 3D

8. CAAWS WISE Fund

The Canadian Association for the Advancement of Women and Sport and Physical Activity (CAAWS) announced today that it is offering twelve grants of \$850 to active girls and women and/or organizations offering sport programs targeted to girls and women. The WISE (Women in Sport Encouragement) Fund was developed in response to the ongoing financial need within the sport community and will help fund MSO-NSO-PSO sport initiatives in an effort to help financially assist members of the sport community in Canada. This fund is provided by CAAWS with support from Sport Canada.

National and Multi-Sport Organizations, as well as their provincial affiliates, are encouraged to apply. Individuals (such as athletes, coaches, officials) may also apply. Please feel free to forward this information within your community as you see fit. Note that details related to the WISE Fund criteria and application process are attached, however, a complete copy of the WISE Fund information (including the application form) can be found at www.caaws.ca.

Applications will be accepted between November 1st, 2004 and December 3rd, 2004 and an announcement regarding the successful recipients will be made on or before January 20th, 2005.

9. MICA 2005

The MICA Event may be held any time between January 1 and April 30, 2005.
<http://www.e-bizinus.com/fca/MICA>

Follow the "Register a Site" Link to register

Below are some important dates:

1. Host Clubs must register for MICA using the above link by January 15, 2005.
2. Scores shot after April 30, 2005 cannot be considered for MICA.
3. Please send the results 48 hours after you have run the event at your club. Results should be submitted using the Excel results spreadsheet which can be downloaded from the above site. E-mail them to: canadamica@hotmail.com
4. Scores sent to Jacqui Jenskey after May 10, 2005 will NOT be entered or included in the medallists or final results listing!

10. FCA Regional Indoor Championships Information - Attention Clubs

The FCA Regional Indoor Championships will be held on March 5 and/or March 6, 2005. Unless your Provincial Organisation organizes hosting sites, any club may apply to host this event. It must be officiated by a Provincial level judge and must be run according to the official rules. Every effort is made to ensure that the Championship is held under similar conditions at all host sites.

In the past, a number of clubs have run the FCA Championship in conjunction with the COPANARCO indoor MICA event. You are strongly discouraged from doing this as these events run under different rules regarding ages, equipment divisions, scoring and target type/size. It is VERY difficult for archers, judges and the DOS to run either event properly with all of these differences.

A web site will be running soon with all the details and a registration form, but you can make plans now to host this important Championship. Last year 700 archers competed at 28 sites across the country.

Greg Durward

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11. In Brief

- 2005 NAA Target Nationals July 30-August 5 in Colorado Springs, CO.
- 5th Korean International - accommodation & meals covered by OC May 16-20, 2005
For further information: Korea Archery Association, #901, 88 Olympic Center, Oryun-Dong, Seoul, Korea, Tel: +82 2 420 4263, +82 2 422 3627, Fax: +82 2 420 4262, Email: archery@sports.or.kr.
- FCA outdoor championships rotation schedule is available at: <http://www.fca.ca/policy/champrotation.html>
- The Face 2 Face Tournament 9 - 12 December in Amsterdam, the Netherlands www.face2face-archery.org email info@face2face-archery.org.
- FITA Star award application procedure <http://www.fca.ca/fitastars/fitastarpage.html>.
- FCA Privacy Policy <http://www.fca.ca/policy/Privacy.html>
- New generic scorecards at: <http://www.fca.ca/forms/formspage.html>
- Qualification process for 2005 World Target Team – Madrid, ESP
 - Three scores are required, with one major event.

- The effective dates will be Jan 01, 2004 to May 16, 2005
- In order to assure that Canada sends archers who are shooting international-level scores, 1 score must be shot in 2005.
- Anti-doping link at: <http://www.fca.ca/antidoping.html>
- 2005 Indoor 3D nationals February 19-20 Medicine Hat, AB www.spitz3d.com
- 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>
- Championship results needed 3D 1996, indoor 1975, 1977, 1984, 1987. Contact Al Wills at: alwills@shaw.ca

MEETINGS

Regina

04-12-03/05 Sport Officials of Canada / Officiels sportifs du Canada

Ottawa

05-01-29/30 Executive Committee / Comité exécutif 09:00

RÉUNIONS

In Closing

The FCA national office will be closed on November 5. It will re-open November 8, 9, 10 & 12 from 07:30 to 15:30 ET. See you next week!