

**INFO.E-MAIL LES NOUVELLES/NEWS le 23 mars / March 23, 2005**

**Greetings/Bonjour:**

This is a special early Easter edition of Info.E-mail. Please note that FCA office will be closed from March 25 to 29. Thank you.

The Canada Cup Organising Committee has created a website for your convenience at:  
[www.victoriabowmen.com/05canadacup/](http://www.victoriabowmen.com/05canadacup/)

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**1. FCA Regional Coach Positions**

The Federation of Canadian Archers has created a Regional Coach Council to educate and develop a strong, motivated and informed network of Canadian coaches.

The Council requires 5 regional coaches to represent 5 geographical regions:

- British Columbia/Alberta/Yukon
- Saskatchewan/Manitoba/Northwest Territories
- Ontario/Nunavut
- Québec
- Atlantic Canada

**ROLE**

The Regional Coach remains an active coach who will:

- Work with other Regional Coaches to define FCA HP coaching standards, develop standardized training concepts, develop and change policies as needed, plan, and share best practices.
- Work with archery PSOs to build a coach network and positive relationship with PSO coaches, club coaches and define how best the Regional Coach can fit into the existing PSO structure.
- Work with certified and uncertified coaches within the region to share knowledge, mentor and monitor as needed
- Work with affiliated and non-affiliated FCA clubs to disseminate information and develop club coach network
- Will develop talent identification tools to link coaches and archers
- Educate coaches and offer professional development seminars in the region & nationally
- Teach use of and importance of athlete training plans
- Liaise with PSO Learning Facilitators to bring new coaches into the network
- Work with parents, schools, and outside agencies to promote coaching education and communication

**QUALIFICATIONS** (in order of importance):

1. Minimum current national level 3 certified archery coach demonstrating one-on-one coaching experience (preferably with provincial team athletes or Excellence members)
2. Excellent inter-personal skills; a team player
3. Good verbal and written skills in either official language
4. Excellent organisational skills
5. Proven ability to work with other coaches at the provincial or national level
6. Recent Games experience, e.g. Canada Games, Pan Am Games, World Games
7. Recent National Team Experience
8. Recent Experience leading provincial teams to FCA outdoor championships demonstrating current working relationship with a Provincial Sport Organisation
9. Current knowledge of Kinesiology, Psychology, Physiology, related Sport Science
10. First-aid training

**DEFINITION OF SATISFACTORY PERFORMANCE**

The Regional Coach will be expected to commit to the position for a minimum of two years.

Reporting to the Vice-President of High Performance each April and September, the Regional Coach will also communicate monthly electronically with all other regions, report on any team events, and respond to all communication in a timely manner. The Regional Coach will meet project deadlines. Also some travel is expected. In 2005 and 2006, the Regional Coach will attend part of or all of the FCA national target championships to staff the information booth and speak with coaches and parents. Also, the Regional Coach will travel with international teams once every two years minimum. The Regional Coach will use the FCA Self-evaluation questionnaire to submit to the FCA President each January. A formal performance review will take place annually.

**REMUNERATION**

Regional Coaches are paid a small honoraria and most travel expenses.

**APPLICATION PROCESS**

With proof of NCCP certification, the applicant will supply:

- A one-page essay answering "What do you feel you can bring to this position?"
- A Criminal Record Check
- 3 references (listing name, contact information, relationship to the applicant, and how many years known to the applicant)
  - suggested references include an archery-PSO, any other archery organisation, other certified coaches, archers.

The applicant will agree to undergo a Child Abuse Registry check.

**APPLICATION DEADLINE:**

Completed applications must be submitted to the FCA national office no later than April 15, 2005.

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**2. Calling for Team Coach - Madrid**

The FCA is calling for the Team Coach and support staff to accompany the Canadian

team to the World target Championship in Spain, June 20 – 26<sup>th</sup>, 2005. The team could be as large as 16 archers, male and female, compound and recurve. Under FITA rules, a maximum of 4 staff are permitted to accompany a team. The criteria for selection of archers for this team can be seen on the FCA web site in the Excellence section.

The team coach will be selected by the FCA High Performance Committee. The coach will then select a team leader and two other support staff.

The Team Leader is responsible for the smooth administration of the team including assisting with travel arrangements, accommodation, entry fees and on site management. He/she works with the coach to ensure the smooth operation of the team both on and off the field. Both bilingualism and coaching certification would be assets but are not mandatory.

The two additional support staff will work with the Team Leader and Coach to assist with team management and to assist the archers in any way on the field during the competition. One of these two staff will be bilingual and from Quebec. Some time will be required to work with the individual archers to determine how best to assist them. This is an opportunity for people with an interest in working with National Teams to gain the experience necessary to be a Team Leader and/or Coach for future teams. Both bilingualism and coaching certification would be assets.

The team budget will not be known until the FCA receives a response to its funding application to Sport Canada.

Applications should be sent to the FCA office by email or regular mail and must be received by Monday, April 11, 2005.

E-mail: [information@fca.ca](mailto:information@fca.ca)

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### **3. Calling for Team Coach/Leader - Genoa**

The FCA is calling for one Team Coach to accompany the Canadian team to the World 3Di Championship in Genoa, May 17-21, 2005. The team could be as large as 4 archers, male and female, compound and recurve. The criteria for selection of archers for this team can be seen on the FCA web site in the Excellence section.

The team coach/leader will be selected by the FCA High Performance Committee.

The Team coach/leader is responsible for the smooth administration of the team including assisting with travel arrangements, accommodation, entry fees and on site management. He/she works to ensure the smooth operation of the team both on and off the field. Both bilingualism and coaching certification would be assets but are not mandatory. Some time will be required to work with the individual archers to determine how best to assist them.

FCA will contribute \$1500 toward coach expenses.

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#### 4. Call for Judges – FCA National Championships Saint John, NB

Judge Committee Chair Ghislain Arseneault is asking all judges interested in assisting at the target, field and/or 3D championships taking place this summer in Saint John, NB to contact him immediately. Thank you.

E-mail Address:

ghislain.arseneault@cgocable.ca

Mobile: 819 380-8129

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#### 5. In Brief

- Race to Madrid: <http://www.fca.ca/ex/2005/race4madrid/RaceforMadrid.htm>
- Final FCA Indoor Championship results at: <http://www.e-bizinus.com/fca/indoors/Results.htm>
- National 3D Team Selection Criteria 2005 <http://www.fca.ca/ex/2005/05World3D.htm>
- FCA mailmatch programme February results are posted:  
<http://www.fca.ca/MM/2005/MM2005.htm>
- 2005 Carol Anne Letheren Leadership & Sport Scholarship March 30, 2005  
[http://www.olympic.ca/EN/funding/letheren\\_award.shtml](http://www.olympic.ca/EN/funding/letheren_award.shtml)
- Organize your archery shooting league with this new software/  
<http://www.fca.ca/ArcheryLeague/League.htm>  
For more information on the program or for suggestions, contact: [Phil Betts](#)
- This is an annual reminder that **coaches** qualify for FCA's insurance programme only when they are members of FCA. Don't forget to renew your membership!
- FCA/COA VISA application information is available through your local Royal Bank. Join up today!
- The bilingual 2005 Championships website, with registration form, is up and running at:  
[www.archerynb.ca/national2005](http://www.archerynb.ca/national2005)
- For Recurve Archers: 2005 Athlete Assistance Programme Criteria is listed at:  
<http://www.fca.ca/ex/05aapcriteria.html>
- FCA's Conflict of Interest Policy is on-line at: <http://www.fca.ca/policy/conflictpolicy.htm>
- FCA outdoor championships rotation schedule is available at:  
<http://www.fca.ca/policy/champrotation.html>
- FCA continues to recognise the accomplishments of its volunteers, coaches and athletes. Listings are available at: <http://www.fca.ca/volinaction.htm>
- 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>
- All background information, as well as the minutes, for the Presidents' Conference is listed at: <http://fca.ca/PRES%20CONF/presconfmain.html>

#### MEETINGS

Winnipeg

05-04-01/03 Master Learning Facilitator / Maître Facilitateur d'Apprentissage 09:00

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#### RÉUNIONS

## **6. The World Target Championships Madrid, SPAIN – June 20-26, 2005**

### **Who Can Go On This Team?**

The maximum number of archers that can represent Canada at this event are:

- 4 compound women
- 4 compound men
- 4 Olympic women
- 4 Olympic men

Archers must be members of the FCA AND the Excellence 2008 programme and meet the criteria listed below.

### **How can I get on the team?**

The archers for this team will be chosen as follows:

**Three** FITA 1440 scores for each archer shot between January 01, 2004 to May 16, 2005 will be averaged. A maximum of two of those scores can be from the year 2004.

**One of the three scores must be from a major event.**

The average of the three scores must be equal to or greater than the 2004/2005 Red Squad criteria for the appropriate gender and equipment category. The top four archers with the highest average in each equipment category will be named to the Canadian Team for the World Championships. If an archer is unable to attend, the next archer on the list will be selected, providing they meet the above criteria.

Please note that only two scores from 2004 can be used in the team selection average but archers do not have to use scores from 2004. **Two** scores from 2005 and **1** from 2004 **or** even **3** scores from 2005 could be used. The score from the major event can be from either year. Major events for team selection and ranking are listed on the FCA web site.

Archers must be members of Excellence 2008 by May 1<sup>st</sup>, 2005 to be members of this team. If archers were not members of the Excellence 2004 programme and wish to use scores from the year 2004, they must join Excellence 2008 and submit their year 2004 scores to the FCA office or Joan McDonald by May 01, 2005.

The FCA must submit Canada's final entry form to FITA no later than May 20<sup>th</sup>, 2005. Therefore, scores must be submitted to Joan McDonald or the FCA by midnight May 16<sup>th</sup> to give the FCA the time to finalize the team and still give archers a chance to compete in as many qualifying events as possible.

If you intend to try to make this team, please contact Joan McDonald right away. This will help us anticipate how many archers will be going and assist us with planning.

### **When Do Scores Have To Be Submitted and To Whom?**

Scores must be shot in registered Canadian FITA or FITA Star events and must be submitted to either the FCA office fax (613) 260-2114 or Joan McDonald fax (905) 508-1463 **before midnight Eastern time on May 16<sup>th</sup>, 2005.**

The team will be announced by e-mail or phone to team members on May 17<sup>th</sup> and listed in FCA's Info.E-mail bulletin on May 20<sup>th</sup> and posted on the FCA web site.

### **Where is the Competition?**

The competition will be held in Madrid, Spain. The preliminary rounds June 20 – 24 will be held at the Club de Campo Villa. The finals round June 25 – 26<sup>th</sup> will be held at the Royal Palace. The Club de Campo Villa is located about 7 km from the Royal Palace. There is some information on the web site [www.madrid2005.net](http://www.madrid2005.net)

### **What Will This Cost and What Funding Is There For This Event?**

Funding for this team is not known at this time. Sport Canada, who is our major funding source, will not even finish its review of all sports until the end of March 2005. It will then take some time for them to compile their report, make recommendations etc. etc. Our experience is that we do not receive our funding allotment until September or later of each year.

However, we do know our funding levels will be small and probably won't improve. Since Sport Canada only directly funds Olympic sports, our funding levels will not go up until the international performance of our recurve archers improves substantially.

However, FCA will pay the registration fee of for each competitor (140 Euros or \$226 CDN) and for each team (120 Euros or \$194 Cdn) and for each of the four officials who are permitted to accompany the Canadian Team under FITA rules (50 Euros or \$81 CDN).

The FCA will also pay for the team uniform for each archer who makes the team. FCA will attempt to cover costs for transportation between the field and the hotels.

All other costs for transportation from your home to Madrid, ESP accommodation, meals etc. must be paid for by the archer. If funding becomes available from Sport Canada, archers may be re-imbursed for a percentage of these costs. **Please keep your receipts!**

The FCA must register the archers. The FCA must also pay 60% of the hotel costs by April 20<sup>th</sup> and the remaining 40% before May 20<sup>th</sup>. If there are cancellations before May 30<sup>th</sup> only 50 – 75% of the cost will be refunded. After May 31<sup>st</sup>, no refunds will be made. Further information will follow on how this will be managed.

All archers must have a valid Canadian passport, which does not expire within 6 months of your return date from Spain. Please inform Joan McDonald if you intend to try go on this team as soon as possible.

### **Accommodation**

Prices at hotels either include just breakfast or include both breakfast and dinner. We will select a plan that includes just breakfast so that archers can choose their own dinners at their own price. For two to a room the prices range from 82 euros to 48 euros per person. A single room ranges from 133 euros to 78 euros. Some hotels offer three per room with a price range from 72 euros to 42 euros per person. We could prepay lunches, which would be served on the field for 17 euros each but I would suggest not taking this option. Archers shoot for half a day and could get their own lunch before or after shooting. Banquet tickets for the final party are 40 euros. The exchange rate on March 14, 2005 was one Euro equals 1.61276 Canadian dollars.

If you look on the [www.madrid2005.net](http://www.madrid2005.net) web site, you will find a map with the location of the hotels. I would suggest we select either # 5 or # 6, select double rooms with only breakfast at either 45 or 48 euros per person per night. Please send me your comments.

### **Who Are The Support Staff?**

The Team Coach will be selected on April 15<sup>th</sup>. The coach can then select up to 3 additional people to assist in managing the team. The Canadian Team is not allowed more than 4 support staff.

### **What About Team Uniforms?**

The T-shirt and/or polo shirt that was used for the last few years remains unchanged. The team uniform remains unchanged. The FCA has decided to ask each archer to bring his or her own black shorts/slacks. The only stipulation is that they are all black and are long enough to extend to your fingertips when standing normally (FITA rule).

The tracksuit is made from water-resistant material. The jacket is red with some white and the pants are black. The sleeves zip out of the jacket leaving a very attractive vest. The pants legs zip off leaving a pair of black shorts.

Team members will receive a patch for their jackets saying National Team/Equipe National and a separate patch with the name of the team. This tracksuit will not change for the next four years. Photos are available on the FCA web site shortly.

If you intend to try and make this team and do not have an FCA track suit, it must be ordered by March 27 as it takes about 8 weeks to get the track suits. Please get the order form and the measurement chart from the FCA web site and sent it to Marthe Cusson ASAP

**If you intend to try to make this team, please let Joan McDonald (jmcdonald@attglobal.net) know as soon as possible.**

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact:

**Joan McDonald**  
**Interim Team Selection Co-ordinator**  
**Phone: (905) 508-9532**  
**Fax: (905) 508-1463**  
**E-mail: jmcdonald@attglobal.net**

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## **7. Information for The World 3Di Championships Genoa, ITA**

<b>Information</b> <b>Championnat Mondial sur Cible animalière</b> <b>Genoa, ITA – le 17-21 mai, 2005</b>	<b>Information for</b> <b>The World 3Di Championships</b> <b>Genoa, ITA – May 17-21, 2005</b>
<b>Qui peut faire partie de l'Équipe ?</b> Le maximum d'archers pouvant représenter le Canada pour cette compétition est de : 3 femmes & hommes arc à poulie 3 femmes & hommes arc recourbé 3 femmes & hommes arc nu	<b>Who Can Go On This Team?</b> The maximum number of archers that can represent Canada at this event are: 3 compound women & men 3 barebow women & men 3 recurve women & men Archers must be members of the FCA AND the Excellence 2008 programme and meet the criteria

Les archers doivent être membres de la FCA, et du programme Excellence 2008 et doivent remplir les critères ci-dessous.

### **Méthode de qualifications pour l'Équipe**

Les archers intéressés doivent en faire la demande auprès de leur représentant provincial 3D de la FCA ou auprès du PSO.

- Les archers soumettent leurs 4 meilleurs pointages; 2 pointages doivent provenir de l'année courante et 2 pointages peuvent provenir de compétitions de l'année précédente.
- 1 pointage doit provenir d'un événement majeur (Championnat 3D canadien, Championnat 3D intérieur canadien, une compétition Triple Couronne IBO)
- Les cartes de pointage authentifiées doivent être remises au VP 3D dans les deux semaines suivant l'événement (À l'exception des compétitions de 2004, qui peuvent être soumises au début de la saison 2005).

Les archers doivent être membre du programme Excellence 2008 avant le 15e avril 2005 pour faire parti de cette équipe.

La FCA doit soumettre les formulaires inscriptions finales Canadienne à FITA au plus tard le 16 avril 2005. Donc les pointages doivent être soumis à **TOM PAUKOVIC** ou à la FCA avant minuit le 15 avril 2005 afin que la FCA ait le temps de finaliser l'équipe tout en donnant aux athlètes plus de temps pour participer au plus grand nombre d'évènements possible pour se qualifier.

Si vous avez l'intention de tenter de vous qualifier pour cette Équipe, contactez **TOM PAUKOVIC** immédiatement. Ceci nous aidera à anticiper le nombre d'archers participant et nous appuiera dans la planification.

Les pointages doivent provenir des tournois homologués de la FCA et les pointages envoyés soit au bureau national de la FCA (fax 613)260-2114 ou **TOM PAUKOVIC** (204) 367-2773 **avant minuit heure de l'Est le 15 avril 2005.**

L'Équipe sera officiellement nommée par courrier électronique ou les membres contactés par téléphone le 16 avril et les noms publiés dans le bulletin Information courrier électronique

listed below.

### **How can I get on the team?**

Interested Archers should apply through their FCA 3D provincial representative or their PSO.

- Archers submit their 4 best scores; 2 scores must be from the current year and 2 scores can be from the previous competitive year
- 1 score must be from a major event (Canadian 3D Championship, Canadian Indoor 3D Championship, a leg of the IBO Triple Crown
- Witnessed score cards must be submitted to VP 3D within two weeks of the event ( Exception events from 2004 can be submitted at the beginning of the 2005 season)

Archers must be members of Excellence 2008 by April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2005 to be members of this team

The FCA must submit Canada's final entry form to FITA no later than April 16<sup>th</sup>, 2005. Therefore, scores must be submitted to **TOM PAUKOVIC** or the FCA by midnight April 15<sup>th</sup> to give the FCA the time to finalize the team and still give archers a chance to compete in as many qualifying events as possible.

If you intend to try to make this team, please contact **TOM PAUKOVIC** right away. This will help us anticipate how many archers will be going and assist us with planning.

Scores must be shot in registered FCA event and must be submitted to either the FCA office fax (613) 260-2114 or **TOM PAUKOVIC** fax (204) 367-2773 **before midnight Eastern time on April 15<sup>th</sup>, 2005.**

The team will be announced by e-mail or phone to team members on April 16<sup>th</sup> and listed in FCA's Info.E-mail bulletin on April 22<sup>nd</sup> and posted on the FCA web site.

hebdomadaire de la FCA du 22 avril et seront aussi affichés le site Web de la FCA.

### **Endroit de la compétition**

La compétition aura lieu à Genoa, en Italie. Les rondes préliminaires auront lieu du 18 – 19 mai. Les rondes finales auront lieu les 20 – 21 mai. Vous pouvez retrouver de l'information à l'adresse suivante sur internet.  
[www.genova2005.com](http://www.genova2005.com)

### **Que sera le coût et l'aide financière pour cet événement?**

Il n'est pas des fonds alloués pour cette équipe n'est pas disponible.

Cependant la FCA paiera pour l'inscription de chaque compétiteur (150 Euros ou \$243 CDN).

La FCA paiera pour l'uniforme de chaque archer qui s'est classés sur l'équipe.

Toutes autres dépenses, telles transport de votre demeure à l'aéroport jusqu'à Genoa, ITA, les accommodations en Espagne, repas, banquet et autres doivent être la responsabilité de l'archer.

La FCA doit inscrire les archers. Tous les archers doivent avoir un passeport valide, dont la date d'expiration n'excède pas 6 mois après votre retour au Canada de l'Italie. S'il vous plaît veuillez informer **TOM PAUKOVIC** le plus tôt si vous avez l'intention de vous joindre à l'Équipe.

### **Accommodation**

La FCA n'a aucunes informations en ce moment.

### **Le Personnel de Soutien**

L'entraîneur d'Équipe sera choisi le 15 avril..

### **L'Uniforme de l'Équipe**

Le T-Shirt et/ou le gilet polo reste le même que nous utilisons depuis quelques années. L'uniforme demeure inchangé. La FCA a décidé de demander aux archers d'apporter leur propre pantalons noir et pantalons courts(shorts). La seule obligation est que la longueur des pantalons courts(shorts) soit selon le règlement FITA. Lorsque debout en position normale, le bout des doigts ne dépasse pas le pantalon.

Le survêtement est fait d'un matériel

### **Where is the Competition?**

The competition will be held in Genoa, Italy. The preliminary rounds will be held on May 18th and 19th. The final rounds will be held on May 20 and 21st. There is some information on the web site [www.genova2005.com](http://www.genova2005.com)

### **What Will This Cost and What Funding Is There For This Event?**

There are no funds allocated for this event.

However, FCA will pay the registration fee of for each competitor (150 Euros or \$243 CDN)

The FCA will also pay for the team uniform for each archer who makes the team.

All other costs for transportation from your home to Genoa, ITA, accommodation, meals, banquet etc. must be paid for by the archer.

The FCA must register the archers. All archers must have a valid Canadian passport, which does not expire within 6 months of your return date from Italy. Please inform **TOM PAUKOVIC** if you intend to try for this team as soon as possible.

### **Accommodation**

FCA has no information at this time.

### **Who Are The Support Staff?**

The Team Coach will be selected on April 15<sup>th</sup>.

### **What About Team Uniforms?**

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The tracksuit is made from water-resistant material. The jacket is red with some white and the pants are

imperméable. Le manteau est rouge orné de blanc et pantalons noirs. Les manches sont détachables (fermeture-éclair) faisant une veste attrayante. Les bas de pantalons sont aussi détachables pour devenir des « shorts » noires. Les membres d'une Équipe nationale recevront un écusson identifiant National Team/Équipe Nationale et un écusson identifiant le nom de l'Équipe. Ce survêtement ne changera pas pour les quatre prochaines années. Des photos de l'uniforme sont disponibles sur le site de la FCA.

Si vous avez l'intention de faire parti de l'équipe et que vous ne possédez pas l'uniforme de la FCA, il doit être commandé avant le 27 mars car il faut 8 semaines pour recevoir le survêtement. S'il vous plait allez sur le site web de la FCA chercher le bond de commande et la charte des mesures et faites la parvenir à Marthe Cusson le plus tôt possible.

**Si vous avez l'intention d'être sur cette équipe veuillez s'il vous plait en informer TOM PAUKOVIC ([paukovic@merlin.mb.ca](mailto:paukovic@merlin.mb.ca)) le plus tôt possible.**

Pour toutes autres informations, n'hésitez pas à contacter :

**TOM PAUKOVIC**  
Co-ordonnateur Sélection d'Équipe 3D  
Téléphone : (204) 367-8798  
Télécopieur : (204) 367-2773  
Courrier : [paukovic@merlin.mb.ca](mailto:paukovic@merlin.mb.ca)

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**If you intend to try to make this team, please let TOM PAUKOVIC ([paukovic@merlin.mb.ca](mailto:paukovic@merlin.mb.ca)) know as soon as possible.**

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact:

**TOM PAUKOVIC**  
3D Team Selection Co-ordinator  
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Fax: (204) 367-2773  
E-mail: [paukovic@merlin.mb.ca](mailto:paukovic@merlin.mb.ca)

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### **8. Training Camp and Talent Identification for Athletes with a Disability (AWAD)**

Thanks to a special High Performance grant from Sport Canada, FCA is proud to announce its first AWAD Training & Talent Identification camp in western Canada. Host Tom Paukovic (FCA Vice-President) welcomes AWAD archers and their coaches to Powerview, MB on May 7-8, 2005.

All AR-W1, AR-W2, AR-Standing and AR-Open equipment divisions are invited. Interested archers should check the International Paralympic Committee (IPC) Archery rules website for details on classification at: <http://www.geocities.com/Colosseum/Sideline/3598/> AND contact AWAD national coach Arthur Nault at: [arthurnault@videotron.ca](mailto:arthurnault@videotron.ca) ASAP.

Camp goals:

To re-build FCA's AWAD programme  
To identify and train new archers to the AWAD programme  
To classify new archers and ensure that they are using the correct equipment for their classification  
To work individually with the archer (and personal coach if available)  
To improve archer form and equipment tuning  
To implement training plans to IPC world championships September 2005

If you are interested in attending this national training camp, please contact:

Arthur Nault, FCA Vice-President/National AWAD coach,  
6010 rue Aline,  
Brossard, QC  
J4Z 1R9  
(450) 445-5027  
E-mail: arthurnault@videotron.ca

Deadline date for registration is: **April 11, 2005.**

Funding level per archer/coach is dependent upon number of participants. FCA will guarantee the cost of **airfare** per participant up to 20 participants.

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### **9. 2004 International Fair Play Awards**

The VP International is now soliciting nominations for the 2004 International Fair Play Awards. Should you know of a FCA members who has distinguished themselves in fair play and/or sportsmanship in 2004, please contact Al Wills vp-international@fca.ca

Information on the awards:

The C.I.F.P. awards distinctions for fair play under the following three categories each year:

1. to an athlete, or a team, for a gesture of fair play that cost, or could have cost his/her victory, or could have downgraded his sport performance;
2. to a person for his/her remarkable general attitude showed all along his/her sport career, for an outstanding and constant spirit of fair play, for observing the unwritten rule of sport not to take advantage of an opponent's bad luck;
3. to a person or organization for an activity aiming at promoting fair play by organizing national or local campaigns, giving lectures, writing articles in the press, or making comments on the radio or television.

The CIFP awards are the following in the ascending order of merit:

- I. Letter of Congratulations,
- II. Diploma of Honour,
- III. International Fair Play Trophies

- Pierre de Coubertin International Fair Play Trophy  
(for an athlete or a team, for a gesture of fair play)

- Jean Borotra International Fair Play Trophy

(for a person, for a general attitude of fair play one showed during his/her career)

- Willi Daume International Fair Play Trophy  
(for a person or an organization, for promoting fair play)

The Trophies and Diplomas of Honour are presented to the laureates in a ceremony held every year.

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**In Closing**

The FCA national office will be closed on March 25 and will re-open March 29-31 from 07:30 to 15:30 ET. See you next week!