



Selection Policy
Youth World Archery
Championships
Legnica, Poland
22 – 28 August 2011

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1 This document details the requirements and processes that will be followed to determine the athletes to be selected by Archery Australia to compete in the 2011 World Youth Archery Championships. The process is detailed to ensure the best athletes are selected while at the same time maintaining a fair and transparent process.

1.2 Definitions.

In this Selection Criteria the words and phrases below have the following meanings

Athlete	means a person registered with Archery Australia
Board	means the Archery Australia Board.
CEO	means the Archery Australia Chief Executive Officer.
AA	means Archery Australia
MQS	means the minimum qualification score as specified in Clause
Nomination Committee	means the Archery Australia Selection Committee as appointed from time to time
Selection Events (SE)	means the competitions prescribed in clauses 5 and 6 of this Selection Criteria
FITA	means the International Archery Federation or World Archery
WYAC	means World Youth Archery Championships
NHC	means National Head Coach
QUALIFICATION PERIOD	1 January 2010 – 15 April 2010.

2. ELIGIBILITY

2.1 Only those athletes who qualify according to this clause will be eligible for selection in the Team.

a) FITA Eligibility Requirements:

Satisfy all FITA Participation Rules.

b) AA Eligibility Requirements:

- 1) Be an Australian citizen.
- 2) Be a registered member of AA.
- 3) Complete and submit the following forms by 5pm 28 February 2011 to the Archery Australia at¹;

Archery Australia
PO Box 54
Panania NSW 2213

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- Application for Consideration for Selection form (*Schedule 1*)
 - Archery Australia Pre-Fitness Test Questionnaire (*Schedule 2*)
 - Contact Details (*Schedule 3*)
 - Colour copy of front page of Passport
 - Read and understood the Archery Australia Athlete Agreement and Code of Conduct. These documents can be found on the Archery Australia website www.archery.org.au under World Youth Championships page
- 4) Remain in “good standing” with AA and at all times comply with the AA Athlete Agreement and Code of Conduct and otherwise conduct themselves in a way that does not bring their sport or the National Team into disrepute.
 - 5) Shoot MQS set out in *Schedule 4* during the period 1 January 2010 – 15 April 2010. MQS can only be achieved in the competitions set out in *Schedule 4*

To achieve the Minimum Qualifying standard, athletes are required to shoot either;

¹ An athlete who has not met the MQS is still obliged to submit the required forms by the set date with the intention of meeting the MQS prior to the end of the qualification period.

- An **A Qualifier** on at least one (1) occasion, or
- A **B Qualifier** on at least two (2) occasions.

6) Submit MQS record form by Friday 15 April 2011 (*Schedule 5*)

7) The selectors may at their discretion choose to waive these requirements, if in their opinion, allowing an athlete to be included in the selection process benefits AA's objectives.

3. SELECTION PROCESS

3.1 At the conclusion of the qualification period AA will publish a list of athletes who have met the eligibility requirements. This list of athletes will form the 2011 Youth World Championships Shadow Squad.

3.2 The 2011 Youth World Championships Team will be selected on the results of the 2011 Youth National Championships, target event.

3.3 Each athlete must successfully pass a Minimum Fitness Standard. The fitness assessment will be a 2.4 kilometre run which will be conducted at the 2011 Australian Youth Championships. The required standards are listed in *Schedule 6*.

3.4 The final team will be the first three (3) athletes in each division at the Australian Youth Championships, who have achieved the MQS levels, and passed the Minimum Fitness Standard. If an athlete chooses not to accept their place on the team, the next eligible athlete at the discretion of the NHC may be offered the position.

3.5 Upon completion of this selection process nominations will be sent to the Board for their approval.

4. APPEALS

4.1 Any appeals or dispute will be dealt with as per the AA Appeals Process. The AA Appeals Process can be found on the Archery Australia website. www.archery.org.au

IMPORTANT DATES

DATE	ACTIONS REQUIRED
28 February 2011	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Application for Consideration for Selection form to be submitted• Archery Australia Pre-Fitness Test Questionnaire to be submitted• Contact Details to be submitted• Colour copy of front page of Passport to be submitted• Read and understood the Archery Australia Athlete Agreement and Code of Conduct. The agreement can be found on the Archery Australia website www.archery.org.au under World Youth Championships page
15 April 2011	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• MQS record form to be submitted

Schedule 1

Application for Consideration for Selection

I (Insert name)

wish to apply for selection in the Archery Australia 2011 Team to compete in the 2011 Archery World Target Championships.

At the time of signing this form, I acknowledge that:

1. I have read and understood the 2011 Archery World Target Championships Selection Policy from Archery Australia.
2. I agree to abide by the terms and conditions of the Selection Policy, the AA Constitution and By-Laws.
3. I have read and understood the Archery Australia Athlete Agreement and Code of Conduct and agree to its terms.
4. I specifically agree that in the case of any appeal I will follow the Archery Australia Appeals Procedure and will not pursue any action in the civil courts in relation to selection.
5. If I am selected, such selection is conditional upon me abiding by the terms and conditions of the Archery Australia Athlete Agreement and Code of Conduct.
6. All athletes will be required to fully fund themselves to the Junior World Championships which will be held in Legnica, Poland.

By signing this form I warrant that I am eligible for selection and in particular that I am a current registered member of Archery Australia

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Applicant

PARENT/GUARDIAN ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

Where the applicant is under 18 years of age, this form must also be signed by the applicant's parent or legal guardian.

I (Insert name)

am the legal parent or guardian of the applicant. I expressly agree to be responsible for the applicant's behaviour and agree to personally accept the conditions set out in this application especially the Archery Australia Athlete Agreement and Code of Conduct.

Signed: _____

Date: _____

Parent/Guardian of Applicant

Schedule 2
ARCHERY AUSTRALIA
ARCHERY SCREENING QUESTIONNAIRE

Name:

Please place a Y for yes or N for no beside each of these questions.

The answers will assist us in determining if a medical consultation is required prior to commencement of a training program.

Has your doctor ever said that you have heart trouble?

Have you ever had chest pain or related discomfort during exercise or at other times?

Do you often feel faint or dizzy?

Have you ever had excessive **unexplained** shortness of breath or fatigue, associated with exercise?

Have you ever been told that you have a heart murmur or high blood pressure?

Do you have a family history of

- Premature death (sudden and unexpected, or otherwise) before age 50 years due to heart disease in 1 or more relatives
- Disability from heart disease in a close relative < 50 years of age
- Heart conditions in family members

Do you have diabetes, high cholesterol or smoke or have smoked in the past?

Has your doctor ever told you that you have a bone or joint problem such as arthritis or a sports injury that might be made worse by exercise?

Is there a good physical reason not mentioned previously why you should not follow an activity program if you wanted to?

Schedule 3

PERSONAL DETAILS

First Name (As per Passport)	Preferred First Name	Family Name
Mailing Address		
		Post Code
Residential Address (if the same as Mailing Address please indicate)		
		Post Code
Telephone (Private)		
Telephone (Business)		
Mobile		
Email		
Date of Birth		

PLEASE INCLUDE A COLOUR COPY OF THE FRONT PAGE OF YOUR PASSPORT

NOTE

It is your responsibility to advise AA immediately of any changes to your personal details. These details will be used to send you information on the selection process and will be used as you details when making travel/accommodation booking and entries. If you change your details and fail to advise AA formally in writing we will take no responsibility for you not receiving information.

Schedule 4

MQS

Minimum eligibility scores can only be obtained from a round shot in the following events;

- International, National, local FITA Registered Tournaments
- Qualifying and Ranking Events (QRE)
- An event witnessed by the NHC or his appointed AA official

	<u>A Qualifying Scores</u>			<u>B Qualifying Scores</u>		
	FITA	72 arrow	AA Rating	FITA	72 arrow	AA Rating
Junior (20 and Under) Compound Men	1386	693	115	1361	679	108
Cadet Compound Men	1389	696	110	1364	684	103
Junior (20 and Under) Compound Women	1360	665	102	1337	652	97
Cadet Compound Women	1368	671	97	1347	658	92
Junior (20 and Under) Recurve Men	1302	649	96	1277	637	92
Cadet Recurve Men	1307	655	91	1242	644	87
Junior (20 and Under) Recurve Women	1300	630	90	1282	619	87
Cadet Recurve Women	1312	637	85	1293	627	82

FITA 90
FITA 70
FITA 60
FITA 72 @ 50m
FITA 72 @ 70m
FITA 72 @ 60m

Schedule 5
MQS RECORD

QUALIFYING A SCORE

Date	Score	Event

QUALIFYING B SCORES

Date	Score	Event

Please provide supporting documentation such as results sheet or copy of scorecard.

I confirm the score/scores listed above were shot by me on the dates indicated and the information provided is true and correct.

Name	
Signature	Date

Schedule 6

Minimum Fitness Standard

	Males		
Age group	Cadet	Junior	
2.4km run times in minutes	11.10	10.40	

	Females		
Age group	Cadet	Junior	
2.4km run times in minutes	13:09	12:39	