



EUROPEAN GRAND PRIX RULES (valid as per 1.1.2018)

Art. 1 – Definition

- European Grand Prix competitions will be shot according to the World Archery and the World Archery Europe (WAE) Rules.
- Only 1 outdoor target event there will be every year and will host Recurve and Compound Divisions.
- The competition will be organized with a 70 m. and 50 m.Round .
- The winners will receive prizes money.

Art.2 – Organization

1. The WAE Member Association or the Organizer Committee may submit an application to host a Grand Prix. The bid must be submitted at least 2 (two) years previous to the year of event. The application form has to be sent to the WAE Secretary General together with the Bid/Evaluation Checklist for Grand Prix events. (Attachment 1)
2. WAE Executive Board will designate the preferred dates for the Grand Prix events in the subsequent years.
3. WAE Executive Board will allocate the events. WAE will apply for World Ranking Status (WRS) for each Grand Prix.
4. WAE Executive Board will appoint a Technical Delegate for the Grand Prix event and request that 2 WAE Continental Judges and the DOS be appointed by the WAE Judge Committee .
5. A Jury of Appeal will be appointed by the T.D. on the spot: a Chairman and 2 members.

An Appeal is subject to a fee of 50,00 Euro that shall be returned if the appeal is upheld or if the Jury of Appeal decides that it is appropriate. If the appeal is not accepted, the fee of 50,00 Euro will be collected by the TD, who will send money to the WAE Secretary General.

Art. 3 – Competition

1. The Grand Prix event shall include individual, teams and mixed team events.
2. The event will be staged over 5 days as follows:

Day 1	Official training and Equipment inspection , Team Captains meeting
Day 2	Qualification
Day 3	Elimination individuals and mixed team
Day 4	Team event
Day 5	Finals individuals

Art. 4 - Participation

1. Only teams recognized by their Member Association of WAE may participate in the Grand Prix
 - Teams and individuals from outside of WAE may be invited to participate providing that they are from a Member Association of WA.
2. Each Member Association may enter a maximum of 6 men and 6 women per Division.
3. The host country may enter a maximum of 8 men and 8 women per division
4. Team-event
 - 1 (one) team per Member Association in each division is allowed to participate, i.e. 1 men's team and 1 women's team, Compound and Recurve .
 - The team captain declares the composition of the teams before the end of the Captains meeting.
5. Mixed Team

This competition teams up one man and one woman who shoot four ends of four arrows in a match.

Art. 5 – Club Archers allowed to participate

1. In order to increase the number of participants to the Grand Prix, it is allowed also Individual registrations to the competitions. It means that not only National Team archers can participate in a Grand Prix, but also Club archers. National teams will have priority during the preliminary entry phase.

After the preliminary entry deadline all Club members could register.

The Club archers can participate only in the individual competition, not in team competition and in mixed team. Registrations must be done through their National Federations and the entries can be accepted by the Organizing Committee until the total capacity of the field has been reached. (Attachment 2)

Note for wheelchair competitors :

In case there is a wheelchair competitor within the team shooting, she/he may be on the shooting line in front of the coaches box.

During award-ceremonies a wheelchair competitor will be in front of the podium (in front of the corresponding places on the podium).

Art.6 – Responsibilities of the Organizers

- 1 Registration: deadline for Preliminary Registration through WAREOS (World Archery Registration & Entries Online System) to be not later than 90 days before the first day of the competition, while the Final Registration through WAREOS must be not later than 20 days before the first days of the competition.
- 2 In order to encourage the participation in the Grand Prix event, the Organizing Committee should limit the expenses for all teams and officials by offering minimal entry fees, transport costs and reasonably prices accommodation. The following will act as a guide:
 - Accommodation: Euro 85 .- per person per day , including full board (the price in double rooms)

- Entry fees: Euro 150.- per archer ;
 - Transportation: Hotel to shooting venue: free of charges .
Airport/Station to hotel: minimal charges
 - It is not obligatory to hold a banquet or party at the close of the event.
Should the Organizers wish to host such an event Euro 25 per person is advised.
 - **Booking non official hotel**
Participants to the European competitions, both youth and seniors, who book their accommodation in non-official hotels will need to pay an entry fee of 300,00 Euro.
In addition, the LOC will be not responsible to provide any event information at non-official hotels and will not provide transportation to the venue for teams booking in non-official hotels.
3. The Organizers will provide the competition field with at least 56 targets, the separate practice field, the cameras and big screen for finals, and the commentator.
Furthermore the MA will try to have at least for the medal matches the National TV.
 4. The Organizers shall arrange and bear the cost for food, lodging and if necessary local transportation for all the Judges.
 - 5 The Technical Delegate will advise the Organizers and will check that all preparations are in accordance with WA and WAE Rules. The expenses for the travel and accommodation of the TD will be borne by the Organizers.
 - 6 The Technical Delegate will pay the MA an “inspection” visit (at least 3 months before the event) during which the organizational points of the event will be discussed and the site of the event should be visited as well. The cost for travel, local transport, lodging and meals during this visit will be borne by the Organizers.
- Note: Where the Technical Delegate or the Chairman of the Tournament Judge Commission sees a need for additional Continental Judges to be appointed, a request to the WAE Secretary General and the WAE Judges Committee should be made.
- 7 The Organizers shall invite a local photographer or the official WAE photographer and bear the cost for travel, food, lodging and if necessary local transportation. The photos must be published every day on the O.C. website and also on WAE Website.
 - 8 All facilities such as accommodation, medical facilities, banking facilities and shops should be within easy access of the shooting venue.
 9. Encourage sponsorship for the event
 - Encourage media interest, with press accreditation and press facilities.
 - Include the WAE name and logo and the logos of the WAE Sponsors in all announcements, promotions, publicity, signage, website, results, print materials and public relation.
 - Advertisement of official sponsors of WAE must be displayed on the venue at no extra costs.

Art. 8 - Results

1. The results must be done according to WAE results system (IANSEO) and must be published live (arrow by arrow) on the Website created by the organizer and be made available to WAE Website.
2. The Organizers must be supported by IANSEO Results Team, according to an agreement made between the MA and the Results Team almost six months before the event . The Results Team will be in charge for what concerns the accreditation, devices management, sport presentation, the results and the publicity of the daily results on the event Website and on the WAE website.
The Organizers bear the cost for travel of the team, also for equipment transport, food, lodging and if necessary local transportation.
3. On the competition fields a result list must be published after each distance. (If possible also interim-result lists within the distances) in paper format. If possible results must be showed on video display for public and athletes. At the end of each day a result list must be published and issued to all participating Member Associations.
4. At the end of the event complete result-packages must be distributed in electronic format to all participating Member Associations as well as to WAE officials, Technical Delegate and the Tournament Judge Commission. (MA must provide some volunteers)
5. The complete results (in pdf-file) including a final tabulatory result list indicating the final ranking of all the participants, must be sent by e-mail to the WAE Secretary General, a.colasante@archeryeurope.org
6. All the scorers of the competition will be delivered by the Ianseo Team to the LOC. The scorers must be stored for one year by the Member Association of the LOC.
- 7 Pictures and results live upload requires a high quality internet connection on the venue which must be provided by OC.
8. Security and emergency medical necessities.

Art. 9 – Doping -

The Organizers through its National Archery Federation must arrange for Doping control, including alcohol test.

A number of 6 tests is necessary for a Grand Prix.

Doping tests will have to be done in accordance with WA Regulations. The organizer must arrange for and will carry the cost of such tests through its National Archery Federation and must provide the anti-doping room-facilities on site for such a doping test. The necessary equipment for the doping-tests must be brought by the relevant Testing Agency.

The necessary alcohol tests equipment will be supplied by WAE when this equipment is not available in the country of the event-organizer. WAE must be contacted as early as possible.

Art. 10 - Prizes

WAE will give a total amount of 8.000 Euro for each competition (Recurve and Compound, Men and Women) to the winners.

Prize-money for European winners:

- 1st place: Euro 1000
- 2nd place: Euro 600
- 3rd place: Euro 400

Please note the word “Grand Prix” is strictly reserved for competitions that count for the World Ranking Circuit, that are proposed to WA by WAE .

Unless specified otherwise in this document, WA Rules will apply.
See also the contents of the Organizer Agreement.

Attachment: Club Archer Registration Form
Club Archer Regulation and Registration Procedure
Application form to host a Grand Prix

Grand Prix Rules as per 1. 1. 2018

CLUB ARCHER REGISTRATION FORM

Event: **European Grand Prix**

PLACE.....

DATE

Country:			
Family Name:			
Name:		WA ID # (if any)	
Date of birth:		DIVISION	Rec. men
Club name:			Rec. women
			Comp. men
			Comp. women

Email address:			
Postal address	Street:		
	City:		

ALL cells must be completed

To complete ONLY by THE LOC

Date the Form was received:

Day	Month	Year

Please send this form completed to the Local Organizing Committee and to your National Archery Federation / Association:

- A) **The Local Organizing Committee(LOC)** will contact you to coordinate final registration, payment and any other information needed to complete your registration to the event.
- B) **Your Federation will need to register your data in WAREOS (WA Registration & Entry Online System) in order to include you into the results system and WA WAREOS data base.**

REGULATION for CLUB ARCHERS participating in European GRAND PRIX

1. The Club Archer is responsible to send the completed form to the LOC and to his/her Federation. Sending the form does not guarantee his/her participation. The process of registration and inclusion must respect the Club Archers' regulations and procedures in order to be able to participate to this event.
2. As soon as the Club Archer will be registered in WAREOS (by his/her Federation) and the LOC has accepted his/her registration, the Club Archer will be informed by the LOC that he/she can officially take part in the event.
3. Club Archers participating in WAE event must be members of a WA Member Association (therefore official members of the Archery Federation of his/her country).
4. The LOC will work on a "first come, first serve" basis, to take into consideration the forms they will be receiving. However, in order to participate, the Club Archer must also fulfill all the requirements requested in terms of booking, payments and other information requested by the LOC.
5. Club Archers cannot have coaches or guest accredited to access the FoP (blue area). If guest or coaches will accompany a Club Archer he will be treated as a spectator.
6. DRESS REGULATIONS: Club Archers must respect WA rules (Book 1, point 3.22) in terms of uniform for the WA events. Club Archers cannot use any National Team uniform (neither of his country nor any other).
7. Club Archer must be present in the Official Practice day when he will pick up his/her accreditation, confirm name and data given and pass the equipment inspection. The Club Archer is not allowed to miss the official practice and arrive directly to the qualification day. Travel plan should be arranged according to the schedule.
8. Club archers could be Junior or Senior Categories. Cadet's archers are not allowed to participate in the event as Club Archer.

CLUB ARCHER REGISTRATION PROCEDURE

- The Club Archer interested in participating in a Grand Prix competition, has to read Invitation Package and study cost and conditions to participate.
- After the end of the Preliminary Registration, the LOC (Local Organizing Committee) will calculate the available spaces for Club Arches per Division and inform WAE , which will advertise and publish the spots available for Club Archer on WAE Website.
- Max 30% of spots of the spots available (for Division) are for Club Archers from the host country, 70% are for International Club Archers.
- The Club Archer will visit the WAE Website and as soon as she/he knows the places available, completes the “Club Archer Registration Form” and sends it to the LOC and to her/his National Archery Federation.
- The belonging Federation, receiving the Club Archer Registration Form, has to check:
 - if she/he is a member of the Federation
- If all is OK, the Federation will register the data of the archer in WAREOS (WA Registration & Online System) in order to include her/him into the result system and WA WAREOS data base. If Club Archer is included in WAREOS, the Federation has to inform LOC that the archer is eligible for the event.
- The LOC will prepare a list of Club Archers forms ordered by date of arrival and inform the Club Archer that her/his form has been received and she/he is included in the Club Archers list. The LOC requests to start room booking and fees-cost payment as indicated in the Invitation Package.
- The Club Archer contacts LOC to arrange room booking, arranges payments and informs about travel plan.

EUROPEAN GRAND PRIX APPLICATION TO HOST AN EVENT

THE NATIONAL ARCHERY ASSOCIATION OF:

OR

THE ORGANIZER COMMITTEE

APPLIES FOR THE ORGANIZATION OF A COMPETITION OF THE EUROPEAN GRAND PRIX AND UNDERTAKES TO RESPECT POINT 1, AS MENTIONED BELOW.

In the year:

City where the competition will be held:

Divisions to be hosted : Recurve / Compound

Qualification Round Recurve 70 meters Round, Compound 50 m.

The application form has to be sent to the WAE Secretary General together with the Bid Evaluation Checklist

Point 1 :

*The National Archery Association or the Organizer Committee of
applying for a European Grand Prix competition as mentioned above, herewith confirms, to accept enrolment of all Archery Associations belonging to WAE and WA, who wish to participate in the competition*

Point 2

It is mandatory that the WAE Member Association after being allocated the Grand Prix competition also signs the WAE Organizer Agreement, which will be sent by WAE Secretariat after the allocation has been confirmed.

Seal of the Federation

Date

Signature

Form to be submitted at least 2 (two) years previous to the year of event to:

WAE Secretary General, Via Vitorchiano, 115, I-00189 Rome(Italy) Fax 0039 06 3331203

E-Mail: a.colasante@archeryeurope.org
