

# TEAM SELECTION POLICY

Archery ACT Society Inc

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This policy outlines the expectations and selection process for AACT Teams

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## 1. Overview

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Archery Australia (AA) typically holds three National Championships each year, for which each recognised governing body (RGBs) can nominate a representative team. The three events are: The National Championships (Open Nationals), The Youth National Championships (Youth Nationals) and the National Indoor Championships. Each of these tournaments is composed of team and individual competitions. This policy outlines the processes and procedures available for all archers intending to be a member of the Australian Capital Territory (ACT) Team competing at any Archery Australia National Championships.

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## 2. Team Composition

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Archery ACT (AACT) Teams will be selected in line with current AA rules and/or policies, from among archers who apply and are eligible to compete at the National Archery Championships. A summary of the team composition for each event is provided below, which is current as of 2019.

### Open Nationals:

- a recurve team comprised of a maximum four (4) men and four (4) women; and
- a compound team comprised of a maximum four (4) men and four (4) women; competing in any class.

### Youth Nationals:

- a recurve team comprised of a maximum of ten (10) archers; and
- a compound team comprised of a maximum of ten (10) archers; inclusive of gender, classes and divisions.

### Indoor Nationals:

A Senior Recurve team, a Senior Compound team, a Senior Barebow Recurve team, a Youth Recurve team, and a Youth Compound team

The composition of each team shall be up to four (4) athletes, with the composition of each team as follows:

- Senior teams will be of mixed gender:
  - A team of four must include no more than 75% of one gender
  - A team of three must include no more than 66% of one gender
  - A team of two must include no more than 50% of one gender.
- Youth teams will be of mixed gender:
  - A team of four must include no more than 75% of one gender
  - A team of three must include no more than 66% of one gender
  - A team of two must include no more than 50% of one gender.
- ❖ Each team can include only 1xU14, 1xU16, 1xU18, and 1xU21

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### **3. Team Member Expectations**

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Once selected, team members must:

- Be and remain financial members of an AACT affiliated archery club while on the team;
- Compete in all events that make up the team competition at the given tournament for which they are selected;
- Shoot the bow type for which they were selected;
- Provide evidence of registration in the event;
- Comply with all current tournament and shooting rules and team guidelines;
- Adhere to the Athletes Code of Conduct;
- Wear the AACT uniform at the event;
- Comply with team management directives at the event;
- Attend sanctioned team events in the lead up to the National event;
- Participate in AACT team activities unless excused;
- Sign a Media Consent Form (Appendix 4) for the promotion of AACT; and
- Support the objectives of AACT.

Selected Team members are encouraged to:

- Attend the event dinner, and;
- Attend the AACT annual dinner for the year of the event.

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### **4. Team Selection**

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- The selection period will commence after the previous championships or 10 months prior to the relevant Championships, whichever is greater.
- The closing date for applications will be announced by AACT in the given year.
- Archers will be required to submit two (2) verified scores for each event that form part of the team competition at the relevant National Championships. Minimum scores for selection are provided in Appendix 1.
- Scores must be shot during the selection period at a club, state, or nationally registered event with score sheets or Archers Diary to be added as a reference.
- Archers seeking team selection must complete an application form (AACT Team Application Form – Appendix 2) and submit it to the AACT secretary by the nominated closing date.
- Archers who do not attain scores as outlined in Appendix 1 are still encouraged to submit an application form, as they may be considered by the AACT Committee for inclusion in the team.

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### **5. Team Captains**

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- AACT invites archers to express their interest in the position of team captain by submitting an expression of interest as indicated in their team application. (Appendix 2)
- The team captain will support their team and all AACT archers competing at the event.

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## 6. *Uniforms*

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- The AACT team shooting uniform shall be worn at all times by team members in competition during the Indoor, Youth and/or Open National Championships. Breaches of this directive may result in sanctions, including loss of any financial reimbursements.
  - Uniform consists of AACT approved shirt with name on the back, and black shorts/skirt/trousers.
  - Team members will be supplied two (2) shirts free of charge by AACT Society Inc. Additional shirts will be the responsibility of the archer.
  - Provided there are no changes to the team shirt, team members who already possess a team shirt can request a monetary amount, equivalent to the two shirts, to go towards their registration in the event.
  - Archers competing at the national events who are not part of the team may elect to purchase a generic AACT shirt at their own expense.
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## 7. *Parents/Carers*

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- Where a team member is under 18 years of age their parent(s)/guardian(s) shall acknowledge in the member's written application, that the Team Member's behaviour, participation and matters relating to shooting shall be vested in the Team Manager and Assistant Manager.
  - An ACT team application form (Appendix 2) and media consent form (Appendix 4) shall be completed and signed by parent(s)/guardian(s) and archers and submitted to the AACT Secretary prior to the closing date for applications.
  - All AACT team members under 18 years of age must be accompanied by a parent or guardian, with contact details and information provided to the team manager and AACT Secretary prior to the Championships.
  - Accompanying parent(s)/guardian(s) are encouraged to sign a media consent form for themselves (Appendix 4) and provide it to the team manager and AACT Secretary prior to the Championships.
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## 8. *AACT Team Officials*

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- People interested in being AACT team managers, assistant managers or team coach must express an interest by nominating with the relevant form (Appendix 3), submitted by the closing date for Team Member applications as specified by AACT.
- AACT Team Officials will be given the cost of entry to the competition in recognition of their time volunteered. Event entrants can be selected to be team officials at the discretion of the AACT committee.
- Two AACT team uniform shirts will be supplied shirts free of charge by AACT Society Inc in the first year of selection and in any subsequent year if required.
- Team officials shall be provided a petty cash advance, of an amount as determined by AACT committee, to cover incidental expenses, which will require acquittal upon completion of the event.
- Team officials must have a current WWVP card and have the number and expiration date lodged with AACT.
- Team officials must complete the media consent form (Appendix 4).

- The Team Manager is the senior member of the AACT team officials and will have the final leadership and decision-making authority.

## **8.1 Manager Duties:**

The Team Manager and Assistant Team Manager shall work together to:

- Attend to the wellbeing and morale of all archers in the team during formal training events and the championships;
- Attend team managers meetings as necessary and keep all team members advised of all relevant information;
- On behalf of the team members and, if required, make representations to the tournament committee and/or jury of appeal;
- Be responsible for the administration and management of the team and the welfare of all team members at training and competition;
- Prepare and submit a report on the performance of the team at a meeting of AACT as soon as practicable after the close of the National Championships; and
- Keep an accurate record of funds and prepare a financial report at the conclusion of the championship for the AACT Committee.

## **8.2 Team Coach Duties:**

The Team Coach shall:

- Organise and run at least one formal training event between team selection and the Championships;
- Provide coaching in both technical and mental aspects, as necessary, during formal training events and the championships;
- Assist archers to repair equipment, as necessary - both compound and recurve, during formal training events and the championships;
- Work with the team managers to attend to the wellbeing and morale of all archers in the team during formal training events and the championships;
- Provide individual post-tournament feedback to team members as soon as practicable after the close of the National Championships. Record a copy of the feedback in the AACT Coaches drop box; and
- Keep an accurate record of funds and prepare a financial report at the conclusion of the championship for the AACT Committee.

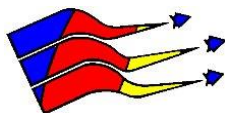
## ACT Team Selection - Minimum Score Table (Open)

<b>Open Nationals</b>				
	<b><u>1440</u></b>	<b><u>60/900</u></b>	<b><u>Field</u></b>	<b><u>Indoor (18m)</u></b>
Male Compound	1266	841	352	553
Female Compound	1233	808	325	546
Male Recurve	1140	788	310	539
Female Recurve	1145	765	293	525
Male Barebow Recurve	1030	708	293	489
Female Barebow Recurve	1052	673	275	467
Male Barebow Compound	1091	738	310	508
Female Barebow Compound	1111	708	293	489
Male Longbow	1123	634	290	441
Female Longbow	1066	589	271	412
Master & Veteran Male Compound	1233	808	325	546
Master & Veteran Female Compound	1233	808	325	538
Master & Veteran Male Recurve	1145	765	293	525
Master & Veteran Female Recurve	1162	738	275	508
Master & Veteran Male Barebow Recurve	1052	634	234	467
Master & Veteran Female Barebow Recurve	985	634	210	441
Master & Veteran Male Barebow Compound	1162	738	310	508
Master & Veteran Female Barebow Compound	1111	708	293	489
Master & Veteran Male Longbow	1066	670	271	412
Master & Veteran Female Longbow	1001	631	251	379

## ACT Team Selection - Minimum Score Table (Youth)

Youth Nationals					
	<u>1440</u>	<u>720</u>	<u>Field</u>	<u>Clout</u>	<u>Indoor</u>
U21 Male Compound	1023	505	275	245	500
U21 Female Compound	1091	505	275	245	500
U21 Male Recurve	796	386	210	225	441
U21 Female Recurve	798	339	186	225	412
U21 Male Longbow	644	340	207	175	303
U21 Female Longbow	552	292	184	175	263
U21 Male Compound Barebow	621	310	186	195	343
U21 Female Compound Barebow	533	264	163	195	303
U21 Male Recurve Barebow	450	292	140	195	263
U21 Female Recurve Barebow	450	220	140	195	263
U18 Male Compound	960	428	275	245	462
U18 Female Compound	985	383	255	245	437
U18 Male Recurve	710	358	210	225	379
U18 Female Recurve	737	310	186	225	343
U18 Male Longbow	560	289	161	175	223
U18 Female Longbow	393	201	117	175	152
U18 Male Compound Barebow	552	292	184	195	263
U18 Female Compound Barebow	560	289	161	195	223
U18 Male Recurve Barebow	464	246	161	195	223
U18 Female Recurve Barebow	473	243	138	195	186
U16 Male Compound	1055	537	255	245	437
U16 Female Compound	988	505	233	245	409
U16 Male Recurve	831	428	186	225	343
U16 Female Recurve	743	383	163	225	303
U16 Male Longbow	393	295	117	175	152
U16 Female Longbow	393	295	117	175	152
U16 Male Compound Barebow	704	390	117	195	223
U16 Female Compound Barebow	610	343	138	195	186
U16 Male Recurve Barebow	610	343	138	195	186
U16 Female Recurve Barebow	518	295	117	195	152
U14 Male Compound	1093	569	271	245	409
U14 Female Compound	1093	569	271	245	409
U14 Male Recurve	883	474	207	225	303
U14 Female Recurve	883	474	207	225	303
U14 Male Longbow	393	295	117	175	152
U14 Female Longbow	393	295	117	175	152
U14 Male Compound Barebow	610	343	138	195	186
U14 Female Compound Barebow	610	343	138	195	186
U14 Male Recurve Barebow	518	295	117	195	152
U14 Female Recurve Barebow	518	295	117	195	152





## Archery ACT Society Inc. - Team Application Form

Please submit completed application form to [secretary@archeryact.asn.au](mailto:secretary@archeryact.asn.au)

Date					
Name					
Email address					
Contact Numbers					
Event (cross out not applicable)	Youth National Championships	Open National Championships	Indoor National Championships		
Gender					
Date of Birth					
AA Number					
Club					
Bow Type					
Age Category					
Qualifying Scores		Score	Date attained	Score	Date attained
	Target 1440				
	Target 720 (Youth)				
	Target 60/900 (Open)				
	Field				
	Clout (Youth)				
	Indoor				
	Please ensure that supporting documentation accompanies this application such as a result sheet, archer's diary entry, or copy of scorecard.				
Interest in applying to be Team Captain (please circle)	YES/NO				
At the time of signing I agree that:	<input type="checkbox"/> I have read and understand the AACT team selection criteria				
	<input type="checkbox"/> I have read and understand Archery Australia's Athlete Code of Conduct				
	<input type="checkbox"/> I am currently a financial member of an archery club affiliated with AACT, and will be a financial member at the time of the National Championship event that I have nominated for.				
Signature					

## Parent/Guardian Acknowledgement

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

I, \_\_\_\_\_ am the parent or legal guardian of the applicant, and I expressly  
*Insert Full Name*

agree to be responsible for the applicant's behaviour and agree to personally accept the conditions set out in this application. The applicant will be accompanied by an approved adult.

Date	
Name	
Email address	
Contact Numbers	
Signature	

The designated adult that will accompany the applicant is: \_\_\_\_\_ .  
*Insert Full Name*

If the designated adult is other than the parent/guardian, then please complete details below and sign.

Date	
Name	
Email address	
Contact Numbers	
Signature of designated adult	



## Archery ACT Society Inc Team Officials Application Form

Please submit completed application form to [secretary@archeryact.asn.au](mailto:secretary@archeryact.asn.au)

Date		
Name		
Email address		
Contact Numbers		
Event (cross one out)	Youth National Championships	Open National Championships
Gender		
AA Number		
Club		
WWVP Card no & Expiration		
Relevant Qualifications		
Position applied for	Team Manager/ Assistant Team Manager / Team Coach	
Expression of interest (please provide AACT committee with reasons for selection, including relevant experiences etc.)		
At the time of signing I agree that:	<input type="checkbox"/> I have read and understand the AACT team selection criteria	
	<input type="checkbox"/> I have read and understand the AACT team manager/ team coach (cross out not applicable) roles and responsibilities	
	<input type="checkbox"/> I am currently a financial member of AACT	
	<input type="checkbox"/> I have an understanding of AA Tournament Rules	
	<input type="checkbox"/> (AACT team manager applicants only) I have an understanding of the Appeals process	
	<input type="checkbox"/> (AACT team manager applicants only) I have some understanding of both Recurve and Compound equipment to support archers if necessary	
	<input type="checkbox"/> (AACT team coach applicants only) I am currently an Accredited AA Coach	
	<input type="checkbox"/> (AACT team coach applicants only) I have an understanding of both Recurve and Compound technique and equipment to support archers	
Signature		



## Archery ACT Society Inc Photographic/Media Consent Form

I hereby consent to the collection and use of my personal images, results, awards and prizes received.

I acknowledge these may be used by Archery ACT Society Inc. and published on the Archery ACT Society Inc. website, newsletters, social media pages and publications as well as distributed to members, as promotional images of the sport.

I understand that my personal information can be viewed by anyone who accesses the Archery ACT Society Inc. website or publications or the general media and that my consent can be withdrawn at any time.

I .....

NAME – PLEASE PRINT

consent to the disclosure of personal information by publishing on the Archery ACT Society Inc website, newsletters, social media and other publications.

This consent only applies to the following:

1. Photographs
2. Results
3. Awards / Prizes

I further understand that this consent may be withdrawn at any time, upon written notice, and that consent is given voluntarily.

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Signature

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Signature of parent/guardian (*if under 18*)

Date: .....