



ARCHERY TOURNAMENT RULES

Check-In

Each player must check in by their scheduled first match. If you are not checked in at your scheduled match time then you may be removed from the tournament. Please bring your Rice ID to check-in with the IMS staff members on site. If you arrive early, you may have time to practice shooting before your first official match-up.

Rules

Each participant is allowed 5 warm-up shots before their first round and 1 practice shot before any other rounds within the tournament.

Each round, each player will have 2 minutes to complete 3 shots on their target and whoever gets the most points wins that round robin match.

Only archers are able to walk to the targets. If someone else wants to walk to the targets they must ask the Judge's permission first.

Make sure you do not touch the target face until all the scoring has been completed, otherwise any line cutters will be scored at the lowest value.

All the archers should gather in front of their target first before going to look for missing arrows yet. The person who is doing the scoring will then call the name of the first archer on the score sheet

You may also want to record your score in your own score pad for future reference and also to help you double check the scorers adding up.

Once everyone on the target has scored then the arrows can be pulled and any missed arrows can be picked up from behind the target.

Match Ups

Every player's score will be recorded each round. This is a single elimination round robin style tournament, so each round you are matched against another player and the player with the highest score during that match up will win that round's match. The winner will move on to the



next round, while the player who lost that round will be eliminated from the tournament. The final championship game will consist of 4 minute rounds with 6 shots allowed for each player. The player with the highest score out of those 6 shots will win the tournament.

Target Scoring

- White = 1 point
- Black = 3 points
- Blue = 5 points
- Red = 7 points
- Gold = 9 points

The 5 Zone scoring method will be used in this tournament. An arrow that is touching a line separating zones (a 'line cutter'), scores the value of the higher scoring zone.

Scores are recorded on a score sheet with the highest scoring arrow recorded first, for example "9-7-1". An arrow that does not score is called a miss and is marked 'M' on the score sheet.

Outdoor arrows are shot in 'ends' of six or three arrows (depending on the round or distance being shot). Once all arrows have been scored and all archers accept the recorded values they can be removed from the target face. Once written down, the arrow values can only be changed by a judge, and then only before the arrows have been removed from the target.

Scoresheet example:

archery GB		NAME OF SHOOT Venue Date of Shoot UK Record Status (if appropriate)				Target No Round											
Name:				Gender:													
Club:				Bowstyle:													
Score		End total	Score			End total	Score	Hits	Gold	Run Total							
9	9	7	5	5	3	38	9	7	7	5	1	<i>M</i>	29	67	11	3	67
7	5	5	5	3	1	26	9	7	5	3	<i>M</i>	<i>M</i>	24	50	10	1	117
9	7	7	5	5	5	38	9	9	7	7	5	5	42	80	12	3	197
The scores for each arrow		The total after 6 arrows		Two ends added together		The number of arrows scoring 10 in FITA or 9 in Archery GB scoring											
Round totals																	
Archer's signature:				Scorer's signature:													



Archery equipment will be provided on site to participants. You may not use your own equipment during this tournament. Additionally, all final decisions will be made by the IMS staff members on-site.

If you have any questions, please email IMS@rice.edu.

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