

## **Archery New Brunswick (ANB) Policy – Tournaments and Championships**

**Effective date: April 13, 2013**

This Policy is effective on the date it is approved by a vote of the Board of Directors as evidenced in the minutes of the relevant Board of Directors meeting.

### **Purpose and scope**

The purpose of this Policy is to define the annual archery championships to be held annually in New Brunswick as well as the ancillary requirements of scheduling, eligibility, fees, format of the tournaments, the Hosting Club's responsibilities as well as to define the rules applicable for annual ANB Championship tournaments and ANB sanctioned tournaments.

The provisions contained in this Policy are mandatory. Amendments to this Policy may be made under the authority of the Executive Committee.

### **Policy**

#### **1.0 ANB may hold any of the following tournaments annually:**

- a) A tournament to determine the Indoor Target Archery Championships of ANB may be held on or about the third weekend of April in each year. This tournament will be scheduled for one day and will coincide with the Annual General Meeting of members.
- b) A tournament to determine the Outdoor Target Archery Champions of ANB may be held prior to Nationals of each year.
- c) A tournament to determine the Field Archery Champions of ANB may be held prior to the Nationals of each year.
- d) A tournament to determine the 3D Outdoor Archery Champions of ANB may be held prior to the Nationals of each year
- e) A tournament to determine the 3D Indoor Archery Champions of ANB may be held on or about the third weekend in April of each year.
- f) A tournament called the Canadian Regional Indoors may be held each year in accordance with Archery Canada's scheduling requirements.
- g) A tournament called the Atlantic Regionals may be held each year in accordance with the rotation schedule agreed to between the Atlantic Provincial Sports Organizations (PSOs) for Archery.

## **1.1 Rules for scheduling tournaments**

- a) Each year at the Meeting of the Board of Directors held, in part, to set forth the next year's tournament schedule the Vice President shall accept bids from any affiliated Club wishing to host any ANB sanctioned tournaments and the ANB Championship tournaments detailed in section 1.0 above.
- b) From the various bids the Board of Directors shall decide by a majority vote which of the bids will be accepted.

## **1.2 Annual Tournaments' Eligibility & Fees**

- a) To qualify for awards at any ANB sanctioned or Championship tournaments all archers must be registered members of ANB prior to commencement of the tournament.
- b) The Board of Directors shall set tournament and hosting fees, if any, for all classes of entrants and all types of tournaments.

## **1.3 Format of ANB Annual Championships and ANB sanctioned Tournaments**

- a) All tournaments shall be run according to the rules of Archery as approved by the Federation of Canadian Archers (also known as Archery Canada and herein after referred to as AC) giving regard to its type and format.
- b) The Indoor Target Championship shall be a one day affair and will consist of a FITA 1 round (60 arrows).
- c) The Outdoor Target Championship shall be a two day affair and will consist of a 720 round (72 arrows) on the first day followed by a 1440 round on the second day (144 arrows). At the discretion of the Board and the Host Club and, with the consent of the Board, it may also consist of two 1440 (144 arrows shot on each day). The Board may alter the format to any combination of Target Tournaments to suit current circumstances.
- d) The Field Archery Championship shall be at least a one day affair and consist of one FITA Field Round.
- d) The 3D Outdoor Championship shall be a one day affair and consist of at least two rounds of twenty targets.

## **1.4 Hosting Club Responsibilities**

The following duties and responsibilities must be accepted by any Club submitting a bid to Host an ANB Championship event:

- a) That all equipment and facilities provided or acquired by the Host Club to conduct the Championship event will meet current Archery Canada rules and standards.

b). That at least thirty (30) days before the Championship event the Host Club must forward complete event information and entry forms to all ANB affiliated Clubs.

c) That within thirty (30) days of the completion of the Championship event the Host Club shall present the following documents to the ANB:

- i) A financial report of the event.
- ii) Complete list of award winners and scores attained at the event.
- iii) Complete Technical Committee report on the event.

## **1.5 Rules, Titles, and Awards for annual and local tournaments**

a) Archery Canada (AC) tournament rules shall apply.

b) ANB Championship and ANB sanctioned Tournament Championship Awards shall be presented to the ANB members as described in the AC tournament rules for each event type.

c) For all annual ANB Championship tournaments, the Hosting Club shall appoint a Director of Shooting/Provincial Judge and such other field officers as required by the AC tournament rules and the expected number of participating archers.

d) For all ANB sanctioned tournaments, the local club shall appoint a Provincial judge as described in the AC tournament rules.