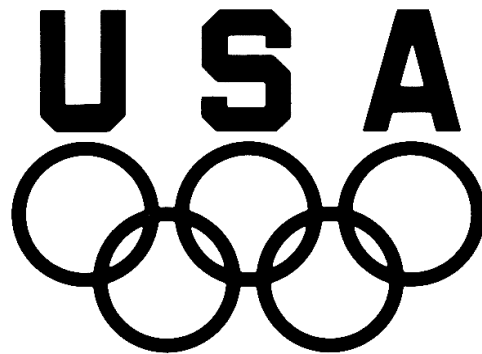


# United States Olympic Committee



## ATHLETE SELECTION PROCEDURE FORM

**for the**

## **2016 OLYMPIC GAMES**



**USA ARCHERY (USA ARCHERY)  
ATHLETE SELECTION PROCEDURES  
2016 OLYMPIC GAMES  
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**1. SELECTION SYSTEM**

1.2. Provide the minimum eligibility requirements for an athlete to be considered for nomination to the Team:

1.1.1. Nationality/Passport requirements:

Athlete must be a national of the United States at the beginning of the First Nomination Shoot and hold a valid U.S. passport that will not expire for six months after the conclusion of the Games.

1.1.2. Minimum World Archery standards for participation:

Any competitor in the Olympic, Paralympic, Pan American or Parapan American Games must be a national of the country of the National Olympic Committee (NOC) or National Paralympic Committee (NPC) which is entering such competitor. For additional information regarding an athlete who is a national of two or more countries, has changed his or her nationality or acquired a new nationality, refer to the IOC Charter (Rule 42), the IPC Handbook (Section 2, Chapter 3.1), or the PASO Statutes (Article XXII, Sections 4 and 5).

1.1.3. Minimum International Federation (IF) standards for participation (if any):

The Minimum Qualifying Scores (MQS) for participation in the Olympic Games as set by Federation International de Tir a l'Arc (World Archery) are:

**Men Minimum Qualification Scores**

Men 72-arrow 70m Round **630**

**Women Minimum Qualification Scores**

Women 72-arrow 70m Round **600**

The MQS can be shot in any 70m registered event or a USA ARCHERY approved Ranking and Qualification after 26 July 2015. A listing of registered events can be found on the USA ARCHERY website, [www.usarchery.org](http://www.usarchery.org).



To be nominated to the 2016 Olympic Team, nominated archers must have met the MQS prior to the end of the Third Nomination Shoot.

- 1.1.4. Other requirements (if any):  
Athletes must be a member in good standing of USA Archery.
- 1.2. Tryout Events:
  - 1.2.1. Provide the event names, dates and locations of all trials, events and camps to be used as part of the selection process.

**First Nomination Shoot**                      **2015**  
\*TBD

**Second Nomination Shoot**                      April 2016  
\*TBD

**Third Nomination Shoot**                      June 2016  
\*TBD

All locations to be announced at least 45 days prior to the event and will be posted on the USA Archery Website ([www.usarchery.org](http://www.usarchery.org)).

- 1.2.2. Provide event names, dates, locations and description of how athletes qualify for the trials, events and camps listed above in 1.2.1. (if any).

Please refer to Attachment A on the Selection Procedures.

1.2.2.1. The First Nomination Shoot of the 2016 U.S. Olympic Archery Team Trials is open to any USA ARCHERY Member in good standing wishing to qualify for the 2016 U.S. Olympic Team. Athletes wishing to compete at the First Nomination Shoot must provide USA Archery the following by the dates listed:

1.2.2.1.1. A completed trials registration form with the trials registration fee. Registration for the 2016 U.S. Olympic Trials – Archery will open at least 60 days prior to the start of the First Nomination Shoot and the deadline for completing the trials registration form will be posted at [usarchery.org](http://usarchery.org) with the registration materials. However, late registration is allowed until the date specified in the registration materials with an additional late registration fee. The registration fee covers all three nomination shoots.



1.2.2.1.2. Registration form can be found on the USA Archery Website ([www.usarchery.org](http://www.usarchery.org)).

1.3 Provide a comprehensive, step-by-step description of the method that explains how athletes will go through the selection process to become Team nominees (include maximum Team size).

1.3.1. The nominees for the 2016 Olympic Team will be determined by the results from the three Nomination Shoots.

1.3.1.1. The First Nomination Shoot will cut to the top 16 men and top 16 women, who will comprise the membership of the Shadow Team. Only members of the Shadow Team will be considered for nomination to the 2016 Olympic Team except as noted in the "Medal Contender Clause" below.

1.3.1.2. The Second Nomination Shoot will narrow the field to the top 8 men and top 8 women.

1.3.1.3. The Third Nomination Shoot will determine the final ranking of the athletes based on an accumulation of points acquired from objective criteria during the Three Nomination Shoots.

1.3.1.4. A maximum of 3 men and 3 women, depending on the number of quota spots qualified, will be nominated to the 2016 Olympic Games Team.

1.3.1.5. Nominated archers must have met the Minimum Qualifying Standard (MQS) by June 24, 2016.

1.3.1.6. If the archer has not met the MQS, the nomination archers slot will go to the next highest ranked archer from the 2016 U.S. Olympic Trials - Archery.

1.3.2. Process for earning 2016 Olympic Games Quota Spots.

1.3.2.1. USA Archery will attempt to earn the three quota spots per gender at the 2015 World Championships in Copenhagen, Denmark on July 26 - August 2, 2015.

1.3.2.2. If the maximum of three quota spots per gender are not earned by USA Archery at the 2015 World Championships, USA Archery will travel to compete at qualifying tournaments to be confirmed at a later date. The events are a Continental Qualifier and a Final World Qualification Tournament. The events will be announced at [www.usarchery.org](http://www.usarchery.org) as soon as USA Archery is made aware of the dates and locations of the tournaments.

1.3.2.3. The number of quota spots earned for the 2016 Olympic Games will determine the number of USA Archery athletes chosen



during the 2016 U.S. Olympic Trials - Archery, Third Nomination Shoot except as noted below in the “Medal Contender Clause.”

1.3.2.4. Archers will be nominated to the 2016 Olympic Games Team based on his/her results during the 2016 USA Archery Olympic Trials except as noted below in the Medal Contender Clause up to the number of quota spots earned.

**1.3.3. MEDAL CONTENDER CLAUSE - ILLNESS, INJURY, OR EXCEPTIONAL CIRCUMSTANCE**

For purpose of this Selection Criteria, the term “Medal Contender” is defined as an athlete who has met two of the following criteria:

- i. Top 8 Individual at 2015 World Championships in the Recurve Division*
- ii. Top 10 Individual World Rankings at the end of 2015 Calendar Year in the Recurve Division*
- iii. Qualified Individually for the 2015 World Cup Final in the Recurve Division*

1.3.3.1 If the Medal Contender Clause is in effect for illness, injury, or exceptional circumstance the Medal Contender will go through the following process:

**BOARD OF JUSTICE (BOJ) APPROVAL**

1.3.3.1.1 In the event the Medal Contender is unable to compete in one (or all) of the three nomination shoots of the 2016 U.S. Olympic Trials – Archery due to a verifiable illness, injury, or exceptional circumstance, the Medal Contender must submit a written petition to the USA Archery CEO, no later than 24 hours following the conclusion of the first missed Nomination Shoot.

1.3.3.1.2 If the petition is for an illness or injury, the Medal Contender must also provide with the petition a release and authorization form (see Attachment D) that allows USA Archery, including a qualified physician selected by USA Archery, to review the medical records for purposes of verifying the illness or injury. An illness or injury for this purpose will be defined as any illness/injury requiring emergency medical treatment where the athlete is hospitalized



for one or more days that prevents an athlete from traveling or competing at the selection event or an illness/injury requiring emergency medical treatment where the athlete is treated by a physician and not allowed to compete due to doctor's orders. The Medal Contender will also submit with the petition written evidence and other records from a qualified physician acceptable to USA Archery as evidence. Such a petition must be signed by the Medal Contender and parent or legal guardian (if Medal Contender is a minor).

1.3.3.1.3 If the petition is for exceptional circumstances, the same petition process will apply except a release and authorization form will not be required. An exceptional circumstance for this purpose is defined as an unpreventable event or situation that prohibits a person from competing. The athlete will be required to provide documentation upon request in order to substantiate the claim of an exceptional circumstance. The Medal Contender must submit a petition for consideration along with written evidence to support their claim. Such a petition must be signed by the Medal Contender and parent or legal guardian (if Medal Contender is a minor).

1.3.3.2. All petitions will be submitted to a hearing panel, consisting of 20% athlete representation, appointed by the USA Archery Board of Justice for resolution pursuant to the complaint procedures set forth in Article XV of the USA ARCHERY By-laws (available on the USA ARCHERY website, [www.usarchery.org](http://www.usarchery.org)). The hearing panel appointed by Board of Justice will determine whether the Medal Contender will be allowed to continue in the Olympic Trials process. If they are allowed to continue, the following actions will take place based on which of the three nomination shoots were missed.

1.3.3.3. The Medal Contender Clause will only apply to recurve divisions that USA Archery has been awarded 3 Olympic quota slots for the 2016 Olympic Games.

1.3.3.4 MISSING FIRST, SECOND, OR THIRD NOMINATION SHOOT



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1.3.3.4.1 The Medal Contender approved archer will shoot-off against the #3 Ranked Archer following the Third Nomination Shoot.

1.3.3.4.2 Shoot-off will take place at a time to be determined prior to the June 24, 2016 Nomination date.

1.3.3.4.3 The shoot-off will consist of the following:

- i. Ranking Round – 72 Arrows at 70 meters; highest score worth one point.
- ii. Six matches using Set-Play System, three arrow ends; each match victory worth one point.
- iii. Archer to reach four points will earn the third Olympic Nomination Position.
- iv. If two or more Medal contenders per gender are involved in the shoot-off, the Medal Contenders will compete against each other in a Best of Seven Series to earn the right to face the #3 Ranked Archer from the 2016 U.S. Olympic Trials – Archery.

**2. DISCRETIONARY SELECTION (if applicable)**

1. Provide rationale for utilizing discretionary selection (if any):

N/A

2. List the discretionary criteria and explain how they will be used (if any):

N/A

3. Provide the name of the committee that will be responsible for making discretionary selections, along with a complete list of the members' titles currently serving on the committee:

N/A

1. Specify the process that will be used to identify and handle any potential conflicts of interest involving a member of the committee.

N/A



### 3. REMOVAL OF ATHLETES

1. Prior to acceptance of nominations by the USOC, the NGB/HPMO has jurisdiction over potential nominees.

An athlete who is to be nominated to the Team by the NGB/HPMO may be removed as a nominee for any of the following reasons, as determined by the NGB/HPMO:

1. Voluntary withdrawal. Athlete must submit a written letter to the NGB/HPMO CEO/Executive Director.
2. Injury or illness as certified by a physician (or medical staff) approved by the NGB/HPMO. If an athlete refuses verification of his/her illness or injury by a physician (or medical staff) approved by the NGB/HPMO, his/her injury will be assumed to be disabling and he/she may be removed.
3. Violation of the NGB's/HPMO's Code of Conduct (Attachment B).

An athlete who is removed from the Team pursuant to this provision has the right to a hearing per the NGB's/HPMO's Bylaws (USA Archery Bylaws, Section 4.1) and the USOC's Bylaws, Section 9.

2. Once an athlete nomination is accepted by the USOC, the USOC has jurisdiction over the Team, at which time, in addition to any applicable NGB/HPMO Code of Conduct, the USOC's Code of Conduct and Grievance Procedures apply. The USOC's Code of Conduct and Grievance Procedures can be found at:  
<http://www2.teamusa.org/For-Athletes/Athlete-Ombudsman/Games-Information.aspx>
3. An athlete may be removed as a nominee to the Team or from the Team for an adjudicated violation of IOC, PASO, IPC, WADA, IF, USADA and/or USOC anti-doping protocol, policies and procedures, as applicable.

### 4. REPLACEMENT OF ATHLETES

1. Describe the selection and approval process for determining replacement athlete(s) should a vacancy occur:
  1. prior to submission of Entries by Name to the Local Organizing Committee, including any applicable group or committee:

In the event that an archer is unable to compete for Team USA, USA Archery will select the next available, eligible archer based on the ranking from the 2016 U.S. Olympic Trials - Archery.

2. after submission of Entries by Name to the Local Organizing Committee, including any applicable group or committee:





In the event that an archer is unable to compete for Team USA, USA Archery will select the next available, eligible archer based on the ranking from the 2016 U.S. Olympic Trials – Archery.

## **5. SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS**

USA Archery will retain the approved Selection Procedures and all supporting documents, including scouting or evaluation forms, etc., and data from the selection process for six months past the date of the Closing Ceremony of the Games.

## **6. REQUIRED DOCUMENTS**

In addition to the USOC Code of Conduct, the following documents are required to be signed by an athlete as a condition of nomination to the Pan American Games and are included as attachments:

- USA Archery's Code of Conduct (Attachment B)
- USA Archery's Waiver of Liability (Attachment C)

## **7. PUBLICITY/DISTRIBUTION OF PROCEDURES**

The USOC approved Selection Procedures (complete and unaltered) will be posted/published by the USA Archery in the following locations:

1. NGB/HPMO Web site: [www.usarchery.org](http://www.usarchery.org)

These procedures will be posted as soon as possible, but not more than five business days following notice of approval by the USOC.

2. Other:

## **8. DATE OF NOMINATION**

The Nomination of Athletes form, including replacements, will be announced to all athletes and submitted to the USOC on or before:

**June 24, 2016**

## **9. MANDATORY TRAINING AND/OR COMPETITION**

Specify the location, schedule and duration of mandatory training and/or competition:



OLYMPIC TEAM CAMP I *CHULA VISTA, CA	TBC	2016
2016 WORLD CUP XX *TBD		2016
OLYMPIC TEAM CAMP II *CHULA VISTA, CA	TBC	2016
DEPART FOR 2016 RIO GAMES		Late July, 2016

(All dates and locations will be announced to team members at least 30 days in advance of the event.)

## 10. ANTI-DOPING REQUIREMENTS

Athletes must adhere to all IOC, IPC, PASO, WADA, IF, USADA and USOC anti-doping protocols, policies and procedures, as applicable. This includes participation in Out-of-Competition Testing as required by the IOC, IPC, PASO, WADA, IF, USADA and USOC Rules, as applicable.

## 11. DEVELOPMENT OF SELECTION PROCEDURES

The following committee/group (include names and titles) was responsible for creating these Selection Procedures:

USA Archery High Performance Manager, Guy Krueger  
USA Archery National Head Coach, Kisik Lee  
USA Archery CEO, Denise Parker  
USA Archery Recurve Athlete Rep, Nick Kale  
USA Archery Compound Athlete Rep, Erika Jones  
USA Archery National Teams Manager, Audrey Tyrrell  
USA Archery Events Manager, Sheri Rhodes  
USA Archery Outreach Director, Mary Emmons  
USA Archery Para Head Coach, Randi Smith  
USA Archery Media and Public Relations, Teresa Johnson

## 12. NGB/HPMO BYLAWS AND GRIEVANCE PROCEDURES

The USA Archery Bylaws and Grievance Procedures can be found at:

<http://www.teamusa.org/USA-Archery/Resources/Governance/Bylaws>

## 13. INTERNATIONAL DISCLAIMER

These procedures are based on IOC, IPC, PASO, as applicable, and/or World Archery rules and regulations as presently known and understood. Any change in



the selection procedures caused by a change in IOC, IPC, PASO, as applicable, and/or World Archery rules and regulations will be distributed to the affected athletes immediately. The selection criteria are based on the latest information available to USA Archery. However, the selections are always subject to unforeseen, intervening circumstances, and realistically may not have accounted for every possible contingency.

If any force of nature, or force majeure, should cause the alteration or cancellation of any of the selection events listed in this document, these selection procedures will be revised, pursuant to their resubmission to the USOC.

#### 14. ATHLETE OMBUDSMAN

Athletes who have questions regarding their opportunity to compete that are not answered by USA Archery may contact the USOC Athlete Ombudsman by:

- Telephone at (719) 866-5000
- E-mail at [athlete.ombudsman@usoc.org](mailto:athlete.ombudsman@usoc.org)
- <http://www2.teamusa.org/For-Athletes/Athlete-Ombudsman.aspx>

#### 15. NGB/HPMO SIGNATURES

**I certify that I have read and understand the standards/criteria set by our IF and/or CF (PAG/PPAG only) and incorporated those standards/criteria into our Selection Procedures. I further certify that the information provided herein regarding Athlete Selection Procedures represents the method approved by NGB/HPMO.**

Position	Print Name	Signature	Date
NGB/HPMO President or CEO/Executive Director	DENISE PARKER		12/18/14
Nat. Team Coach, Head Coach, or Nat. Program Director	Kris Lee		12-09-14
USOC Athletes' Advisory Council Representative*	Nick Katz		12-9-14

\* If the USOC AAC Representative has delegated authority to the Alternate AAC Representative to sign the Selection Procedures, attach a letter from the AAC Representative indicating the reason he/she has delegated authority.

\* Signature by the Athlete Representative constitutes that he/she has read and understands the Selection Procedures. If the Athlete Representative reads and does not agree with the Athlete Selection Procedures being submitted by the NGB/HPMO, he/she may submit those reasons in writing to his/her Sport Performance Team.



\* If, for some reason, a sport does not have an elected USOC AAC Representative, the NGB/HPMO must designate an athlete from that sport to review and sign the Selection Procedures.

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## 2016 U.S. Olympic Trials - Archery Event Schedule - Nomination Shoots

### SHOOTING SCHEDULE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

#### 1. 2016 U.S. Olympic Trials – Archery: First Nomination Shoot – TBD FALL 2015

<b>Day One</b>	Official Practice
<b>Day Two</b>	AM: 70 meter, 72-Arrow Ranking Round PM: 70 meter, 72-Arrow Ranking Round
	<b>Cut to Top 16 Archers from 144-Arrow Ranking Round</b>
<b>Day Three</b>	USAT Event Elimination Matches (not part of Trials)
<b>Day Four</b>	Round Robin Matches – Eight Matches
<b>Day Five</b>	Round Robin Matches – Seven Matches

#### 2. 2016 U.S. Olympic Trials – Archery: Second Nomination Shoot – TBD April 2016

<b>Day One</b>	Official Practice
<b>Day Two</b>	AM: 70 meter, 72 Arrow Qualification Round PM: 70 meter, 72 Arrow Qualification Round
<b>Day Three</b>	USAT Event Elimination Matches (not part of Trials)
<b>Day Four</b>	Round Robin Matches – Eight Matches
<b>Day Five</b>	Round Robin Matches – Seven Matches
	<b>Cut to Top 8 Archers</b>
<b>Day Six</b>	Team Round Simulation Round Robin Matches – Seven Matches

#### 3. 2016 U.S. Olympic Trials – Archery: Third Nomination Shoot – TBD May/June 2016

<b>Day One</b>	Official Practice
<b>Day Two</b>	AM: 70 meter, 72 Arrow Qualification Round PM: Elimination Round Matches
<b>Day Three</b>	USAT Event Elimination Matches (Not part of the Trials) Team Round Simulation
<b>Day Four</b>	Round Robin Matches – Seven Matches

**Confirmation of 2016 U.S. Olympic Team – Archery – Up to 3 Men & 3 Women**



**1. FIRST NOMINATION SHOOT – TBD**

**1.1 GENERAL INFORMATION - HELD IN CONJUNCTION WITH USAT EVENT**

**1.1.1 TENTATIVE COMPETITION SCHEDULE - FIRST NOMINATION SHOOT**

- 1.1.1.1 Day One Official Practice
- 1.1.1.2 Day Two Double 70m. Ranking Round (144 Arrows)

**CUT TO THE TOP 16 ARCHERS**

- 1.1.1.3 Day Three USAT Event Elimination Matches (not part of Trials)
- 1.1.1.4 Day Four Round Robin Matches – Eight Matches
- 1.1.1.5 Day Five Round Robin Matches – Eight Matches

**1.2 DAY TWO – DOUBLE 70 METER QUALIFICATION ROUND (144 ARROWS) FIRST NOMINATION SHOOT**

1.2.1 Two 72 Arrow Qualification Round (144 arrows) will be shot on Day 2 of the First Nomination Shoot, and ranking points will be allocated to the top sixteen archers according to their ranking at the conclusion of the Qualification Round. Points will be allocated according to Table 1:

Ranking	Points	Ranking	Points
1	4.00	9	2.00
2	3.75	10	1.75
3	3.50	11	1.50
4	3.25	12	1.25
5	3.00	13	1.00
6	2.75	14	0.75
7	2.50	15	0.50
8	2.25	16	0.25

**Table 1. Qualification Round Ranking Points Distribution.**

- 1.2.2 Both 70 meter, 72-arrow qualification rounds will be competed according to World Archery Rules.
- 1.2.3 A tie in cumulative score following the two 72 arrow Qualification Rounds for the 16th position will be broken with a single arrow shoot-off, in accordance with World Archery Rules 14.5.2.
- 1.2.4 A tie within the top 16 archers from the double 72 arrow Qualification Round(144 arrow score) will be broken by the total number of 10’s followed by the total number of X’s.
  - 1.2.4.1 If a tie still exists between two or more archers, the tied archers will receive the same ranking and points associated with that ranking.



1.2.4.2 The next lower ranked archer will receive the ranking  $y$  places down from the ranking of the tied archers where  $y$  is the number of archers tied. For example if three archers tie for 2nd place score with the same number of 10's and X's, then those three archers will receive the 2nd ranking for the Qualification Round and will receive 3.75 points. The next lower ranked archer would be 5th ranked in the Qualification Round and receive 3.0 points.

**1.3 QUALIFICATION ROUND BONUS POINTS**

1.3.1 Following each of the 70 meter, 72-arrow qualification rounds, Qualification Round Bonus Points will be awarded according to Table 2:

Men's Scores	Awarded Bonus Points	Women's Scores
680+	3.0	670+
670-679	2.0	660-669
660-669	1.0	650-659
Less than 660	-	Less than 650

**Table 2. Qualification Round Bonus Points Distribution.**

**1.4 CUT TO THE TOP 16 MEN AND TOP 16 WOMEN ATHLETES FIRST NOMINATION SHOOT**

1.4.1 Following the completion of the double 70m Round, Qualification Round Ranking Points and Qualification Round Bonus Points will be totaled for each athlete. *Total Points* for each athlete will be defined as the total of Qualification Round Ranking Points and Qualification Round Bonus Points. Archers will be ranked by *Total Points* in each division.

1.4.2 The top 16 Men and Top 16 Women, based on Total Points, will continue to the Round Robin Matches except as noted in the "Medal Contender Clause" (see I.C. 3). All other archers will be eliminated from the nomination process.

1.4.3 A tie for the 16th position to the Round Robin Matches will be broken with a single arrow shoot-off in accordance with World Archery Rule 14.5.2.

1.4.4 If an archer qualifying for the Round Robin Matches withdraws prior to the start of the round robin matches, the next highest ranked archer from the Total Points standings will be allowed to compete in Round Robin Matches and will receive no qualification round ranking points.

1.4.5 The 16 men and 16 women will be designated as the Shadow Team.

**1.5 DAY FOUR AND FIVE - ROUND ROBIN MATCHES FIRST NOMINATION SHOOT**

1.5.1 In the fifteen round robin matches, each male athlete will shoot against each other male athlete once and each female athlete will shoot against each other female athlete once.

1.5.2 Each Round Robin match will be conducted using the Set-Play System using three arrow ends, 2 minutes per end.

1.5.3 Eight Round Robin Matches will be competed on the first day of Round Robin Matches.

1.5.4 Seven Round Robin Matches will be competed on the second day of Round Robin Matches.





- 1.5.5 Awarded Match Bonus Points – one point will be given for a win and zero for a loss, in each of the 15 matches.
- 1.5.6 If an archer withdraws from the Round Robin Matches after competition has commenced, all archers will receive a win bonus point for the match shot against the withdrawn archer, regardless of whether they won or lost the match against the withdrawn archer.
  - 1.5.6.1 - *See 5.5 for information regarding withdrawing from the event.*

**1.6 THREE-ARROW END AVERAGE FIFTEEN ROUND ROBIN MATCHES ON DAY FOUR AND FIVE  
FIRST NOMINATION SHOOT**

- 1.6.1 Following the series of fifteen matches from the First Nomination Shoot, archers will be ranked and awarded points according to their Three Arrow End Average for the scores shot during the Round Robin portion of the event.
- 1.6.2 Three Arrow End Scores will be recorded for each match against other archers, per category, in Round Robin Match Play.
- 1.6.3 The Three Arrow End Average will be rounded to the thousandth place.
- 1.6.4 End scores shot during bye matches will not be calculated in the Three Arrow End Average.
- 1.6.5 Points will be allocated according to the archer’s Three Arrow End Average Ranking, as shown in Table 3:

Ranking	Points
1	8.0
2	7.5
3	7.0
4	6.5
5	6.0
6	5.5
7	5.0
8	4.5

Ranking	Points
9	4.0
10	3.5
11	3.0
12	2.5
13	2.0
14	1.5
15	1.0
16	0.5

**Table 3. Three Arrow End Average Ranking Points Distribution.**

- 1.6.6 If an archer withdraws from competition during the Round Robin Matches, archers who have shot against that archer prior to that archer withdrawing, will have their match score shot against the withdrawn archer count towards their Three Arrow End Average.
  - 1.6.6.1 Archers who did not shoot against the withdrawn archer prior to that archer withdrawing will receive a bye and will not score their ends shot in the bye match. These arrows shot in this situation will NOT count toward the archer’s Three Arrow End Average.
  - 1.6.6.2 *See 5.5 for information regarding withdrawing from the event.*
- 1.6.7 If a tie exists between two or more archers in the Three Arrow End Average for the First Nomination Shoot, the tied archers will receive the same ranking and points associated with that ranking.



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1.6.7.1 The next lower ranked archer will receive the ranking  $y$  places down from the ranking of the tied archers where  $y$  is the number of archers tied. For example if three archers tie for 2nd place score with the same Three Arrow Average, then those three archers will receive the 2nd ranking for the Three Arrow Average and will receive 4.0 points. The next lower ranked archer would be 5th ranked in the Three Arrow Average and receive 2.0 points.

### 1.7 AWARDED POINTS - FIRST NOMINATION SHOOT

- 1.7.1 Awarded Ranking and Bonus Points become final following the completion of the First Nomination Shoot.
- 1.7.2 Any ties in Cumulative Total Points will remain and will not be broken.
- 1.7.3 Cumulative Total Points during the First Nomination Shoot will be carried over to the Second Nomination Shoot.



**2. SECOND NOMINATION SHOOT – April , 2016**

**2.1 GENERAL INFORMATION  
SECOND NOMINATION SHOOT HELD IN CONJUNCTION WITH USAT EVENT**

**2.1.1 TENTATIVE COMPETITION SCHEDULE**

2.1.1.1	Day One	Official Practice
2.1.1.2	Day Two: AM	70meter, 72 arrow Ranking Round
2.1.1.3	Day Two: PM	70meter, 72 arrow Ranking Round
2.1.1.4	Day Three	USAT Event Elimination matches
2.1.1.5	Day Four	Round Robin Matches – Eight Matches
2.1.1.6	Day Five	Round Robin Matches – Seven Matches

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2.1.1.7	Day Six	Team Round Simulation
2.1.1.8	Day Six	Round Robin Matches - Seven Matches

2.1.2 The Shadow Team comprised of the 16 men and 16 women from the First Nomination Shoot are eligible to compete at the Second Nomination Shoot.

2.1.3 Cumulative Total Points from First Nomination Shoot will be carried forward to the Second Nomination Shoot.

**2.2 DAY TWO – 70 METERS, TWO EACH 72-ARROW RANKING ROUND  
SECOND NOMINATION SHOOT**

2.2.1 The two 70meter, 72-arrow Ranking Round will be competed according to World Archery Rules.

2.2.2 Following the completion of each 72 arrows at 70 meters, Ranking Round Points will be allocated to each of the sixteen archers according to Table 4:

Ranking	Points
1	4.00
2	3.75
3	3.50
4	3.25
5	3.00
6	2.75
7	2.50
8	2.25

Ranking	Points
9	2.00
10	1.75
11	1.50
12	1.25
13	1.00
14	0.75
15	0.50
16	0.25

**Table 4. Second Nomination Shoot Ranking Round Ranking Points Distribution.**

2.2.3 A tie within the top 16 archers from the 2x72 arrow Ranking Round will be broken by the total number of 10's followed by the total number of X's.

2.2.3.1 If a tie still exists between two or more archers, the tied archers will receive the same ranking and points associated with that ranking.



2.2.3.2 The next lower ranked archer will receive the ranking  $y$  places down from the ranking of the tied archers where  $y$  is the number of archers tied. For example if three archers tie for 2nd place score with the same number of 10's and X's, then those three archers will receive the 2nd ranking for the Ranking Round and will receive 3.75 points. The next lower ranked archer would be 5th ranked in the Ranking Round and receive 3.0 points.

**2.3 RANKING ROUND BONUS POINTS**

2.3.1 Following the completion of each 70 meter, 72-arrow Ranking Round, Ranking Round Bonus Points will be awarded according to Table 5:

Men's Scores	Awarded Bonus Points	Women's Scores
680+	3.0	670+
670-679	2.0	660-669
660-669	1.0	650-659
Less than 660	-	Less than 650

**Table 5. Ranking Round Bonus Points Distribution.**

**2.4 DAY FOUR AND FIVE – ROUND ROBIN MATCHES  
SECOND NOMINATION SHOOT**

2.4.1 In the Fifteen Round Robin matches, each male athlete will shoot against each other male athlete once and each female athlete will shoot against each other female athlete once.

2.4.2 Each Round Robin Match will be conducted using the Set-Play System using three arrow ends, in accordance with World Archery Rules.

2.4.3 Eight Round Robin Matches will be competed on Day Four of the Second Nomination Shoot.

2.4.4 Seven Round Robin Matches will be competed on Day Five of the Second Nomination Shoot.

2.4.5 Awarded Match Bonus Points – one point will be given for a win and zero points for a loss, in each of the 15 matches.

2.4.6 If an archer withdraws from the Round Robin Matches after competition has commenced, all archers will receive a win bonus point for the match shot against the withdrawn archer, regardless of whether they won or lost the match against the withdrawn archer.

2.4.7.1 - *See 5.5 for information regarding withdrawing from the event.*

**2.5 THREE-ARROW END AVERAGE  
FIFTEEN ROUND ROBIN MATCHES ON DAY THREE AND FOUR  
SECOND NOMINATION SHOOT**

2.5.1 Following the series of fifteen matches in the Round Robin Matches, archers will be ranked according to their Three Arrow End Average for the scores shot during the Round Robin portion of the event..

2.5.1.1 Scores shot during a bye match will not be included in the Three-Arrow End Average during Round Robin Matches.



- 2.5.2 Three Arrow End Scores will be recorded from competed matches and the average score from competed Three Arrow Ends will be used to determine an archer’s Three Arrow End Average during Round Robin Matches.
- 2.5.3 If an archer withdraws from competition during the Round Robin Matches, archers who have shot against that archer prior to that archer withdrawing, will have their match score shot against the withdrawn archer count towards their Three Arrow End Average.
  - 2.5.3.1 Archers who did not shoot against the withdrawn archer prior to that archer withdrawing will receive a bye and will not score their ends shot in the bye match. These arrows shot in this situation will NOT count toward the archer’s Three Arrow End Average.
  - 2.5.3.2 *See 5.5 for information regarding withdrawing from the event.*
- 2.5.4 If a tie exists between two or more archers in the Three Arrow End Average for the Second Nomination Shoot top 16, the tied archers will receive the same ranking and points associated with that ranking.
  - 2.5.4.1 The next lower ranked archer will receive the ranking y places down from the ranking of the tied archers where y is the number of archers tied. For example if three archers tie for 2nd place score with the same Three Arrow Average, then those three archers will receive the 2nd ranking for the Three Arrow Average and will receive 7.5 points. The next lower ranked archer would be 5th ranked in the Three Arrow Average and receive 6.0 points.
- 2.5.5 Points will be allocated according to the archer’s Three Arrow End Average compared to that of the other sixteen archers, as shown in Table 6:

Ranking	Points	Ranking	Points
1	8.0	9	4.0
2	7.5	10	3.5
3	7.0	11	3.0
4	6.5	12	2.5
5	6.0	13	2.0
6	5.5	14	1.5
7	5.0	15	1.0
8	4.5	16	0.5

**Table 6: Three Arrow End Average Points Distribution.**

**2.6 CUT TO THE TOP 8 ARCHERS  
SECOND NOMINATION SHOOT**

- 2.6.1 Following the Round Robin Matches on Day 4, Total Points from the First and Second Nomination Shoots will be tabulated.
- 2.6.2 Based on Total Points, the field will be cut to the top 8 men and top 8 women.
- 2.6.3 Only the top 8 men and top 8 women will proceed to the remainder of the Second Nomination Shoot and beyond.
- 2.6.4 Ties for the 8th position will be broken by using a set play match to determine the archer to advance into the top 8 archers.



2.6.4.1 If more than two archers tie for the 8th position, a single arrow shoot-off will be shot to determine the two archers going into the set play match. The two archers with the closest arrows to the center will compete against each other for the set play match.

**2.7 DAY SIX - TEAM ROUND SIMULATION – SECOND NOMINATION SHOOT**

2.7.1 During the Second Nomination Shoot, the top 8 recurve archers will shoot a Team Round Simulation at 70m of 6 ends of 6 arrows per end such that:

2.7.1.1 - Each archer will shoot 6 arrow ends on their own target.

2.7.1.2 - Each archer will have 20 seconds to step onto the shooting line and shoot each arrow.

2.7.1.3 Each archer will step off the shooting line and back onto the 1 meter line after the 20 second shooting time is up and will repeat the process after the timer signals a 20 second rest.

2.7.1.3.1 - Standard scoring procedures will apply such that if an arrow is not shot within the time limit, it will score as zero points.

2.7.1.3.2 - If an arrow is shot after the 20 second time limit has lapsed the archer will lose their highest scoring arrow for that end.

2.7.1.4 Archers will have 20 seconds of rest between each arrow.

2.7.2 Archers will score each 6 arrow end using normal scoring rules.

2.7.3 The archers will be ranked by their 36 arrow total against the other archers in the top 8 and will be allocated points according to Table 7:

Ranking	Points
1	8.0
2	7.0
3	6.0
4	5.0
5	4.0
6	3.0
7	2.0
8	1.0

**Table 7. Second Nomination Shoot Team Round Simulation Points Distribution.**

2.7.4 If a tie exists between two or more archers in the Team Round Simulation 36 arrow total score for the Second Nomination Shoot, the tied archers will receive the same ranking and points associated with that ranking.

2.5.4.1 The next lower ranked archer will receive the ranking y places down from the ranking of the tied archers where y is the number of archers tied. For example if three archers tie for 2nd place score with the same Team



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Round Simulation 36 arrow score, then those three archers will receive the 2nd ranking for their 36 arrow score and will receive 7.0 points. The next lower ranked archer would be 5th ranked in the Three Arrow Average and receive 4.0 points.

### 2.8 DAY SIX – ROUND ROBIN MATCHES SECOND NOMINATION SHOOT

- 2.8.1 In the Seven Round Robin matches, each male athlete will shoot against each other male athlete once and each female athlete will shoot against each other female athlete once.
- 2.8.2 Each Round Robin Match will be conducted using the Set-Play System using three arrow ends, as per World Archery Rules.
- 2.8.3 Seven Round Robin Matches will be competed on Day Six of the Second Nomination Shoot.
- 2.8.4 Awarded Match Bonus Points – two points will be given for a win and zero points for a loss, in each of the seven matches.
- 2.8.5 If an archer withdraws from the Round Robin Matches after competition has commenced, all archers will receive a win bonus point for the match shot against the withdrawn archer, regardless of whether they won or lost the match against the withdrawn archer.
  - 2.8.5.1 - *See 5.5 for information regarding withdrawing from the event.*

### 2.9 THREE-ARROW END AVERAGE SEVEN ROUND ROBIN MATCHES ON DAY SIX SECOND NOMINATION SHOOT

- 2.9.1 Following the series of seven matches in the Round Robin Matches, archers will be ranked according to their Three Arrow End Average.
  - 2.9.1.1 Scores shot during a bye match will not be included in the Three-Arrow End Average during Round Robin Matches.
- 2.9.2 Three Arrow End Scores will be recorded from competed matches and the average score from competed Three Arrow Sets will be used to determine an archer's Three Arrow End Average during Round Robin Matches.
- 2.9.3 If an archer withdraws from competition during the Round Robin Matches, archers who have shot against that archer prior to that archer withdrawing, will have their match score shot against the withdrawn archer count towards their Three Arrow End Average.
  - 2.9.3.1 Archers who did not shoot against the withdrawn archer prior to that archer withdrawing will receive a bye and will not score their ends shot in the bye match. These arrows shot in this situation will NOT count toward the archer's Three Arrow End Average.
  - 2.9.3.2 *See 5.5 for information regarding withdrawing from the event.*
- 2.9.4 If a tie exists between two or more archers in the Three Arrow End Average for the Second Nomination Shoot top 8, the tied archers will receive the same ranking and points associated with that ranking.
  - 2.9.4.1 The next lower ranked archer will receive the ranking  $y$  places down from the ranking of the tied archers where  $y$  is the number of archers tied. For example if three archers tie for 2nd place score with the same Three Arrow Average, then those three archers will receive the 2nd ranking for the Three Arrow Average and will receive 7.0 points. The next lower



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ranked archer would be 5th ranked in the Three Arrow Average and receive 4.0 points.

- 2.9.5 Points will be allocated according to the archer's Three Arrow End Average, as compared to the other eight archers, as shown in Table 8:

<b>Ranking</b>	<b>Points</b>
<b>1</b>	8.0
<b>2</b>	7.0
<b>3</b>	6.0
<b>4</b>	5.0
<b>5</b>	4.0
<b>6</b>	3.0
<b>7</b>	2.0
<b>8</b>	1.0

**Table 8: Second Nomination Shoot Three Arrow End Average Points Distribution.**

### **2.10 AWARDED BONUS POINTS SECOND NOMINATION SHOOT**

- 2.10.1 Points awarded from the First and Second Nomination Shoot will be added to determine the athlete's ranking following the completion of the Second Nomination Shoot.
- 2.10.2 Total Points become final following the completion of the Second Nomination Shoot.
- 2.10.3 Any ties in Total Points will remain and will not be broken.
- 2.10.4 Total Points from the First & Second Nomination Shoot will be carried over to the Third Nomination Shoot.





**3. THIRD NOMINATION SHOOT – MAY, 2016**

**3.1 GENERAL INFORMATION  
THIRD NOMINATION SHOOT HELD IN CONJUNCTION WITH USAT EVENT**

**3.1.1 TENTATIVE COMPETITION SCHEDULE**

3.1.1.1	Day One	Official Practice
3.1.1.2	Day Two: AM	70 meter, 72 arrow Ranking Round
3.1.1.3	Day Two: PM	Elimination Round Matches – Three Matches
3.1.1.4	Day Three: AM	USAT Event Elimination Matches
3.1.1.5	Day Three: PM	Team Round Simulation Round
3.1.1.6	Day Four	Round Robin Matches - Seven Matches

**3.1.2** The top 8 men and top 8 women from the Second Nomination Shoot are eligible to compete at the Third Nomination Shoot.

**3.1.3** Cumulative awarded points from the First & Second Nomination Shoots will be carried forward to the Third Nomination Shoot.

**3.2 DAY TWO: AM – 70 METER, 72-ARROW RANKING ROUND  
THIRD NOMINATION SHOOT**

**3.2.1** The 70meter, 72-arrow Ranking Round will be competed according to World Archery Rules.

**3.2.2** Following the completion of the 72 arrows at 70 meters, Ranking Round Points will be allocated to the eight archers according to Table 9:

<b>Ranking</b>	<b>Points</b>
<b>1</b>	16.0
<b>2</b>	14.0
<b>3</b>	12.0
<b>4</b>	10.0
<b>5</b>	8.0
<b>6</b>	6.0
<b>7</b>	4.0
<b>8</b>	2.0

**Table 9. Third Nomination Shoot Ranking Round Ranking Points Distribution.**

**3.2.3** A tie within the top 8 archers from the 72 arrow Ranking Round will be broken by the total number of 10's followed by the total number of X's.

**3.2.3.1** If a tie still exists between two or more archers, the tied archers will receive the same ranking and points associated with that ranking.

**3.2.3.2** The next lower ranked archer will receive the ranking *y* places down from the ranking of the tied archers where *y* is the number of archers tied. For example if three archers tie for 2nd place score with the same number of 10's and X's, then those three archers will receive the 2nd ranking for the Ranking Round and will receive 14.0 points. The next lower ranked archer would be 5th ranked in the Ranking Round and receive 8.0 points.



**3.3 RANKING ROUND BONUS POINTS**

3.3.1 Following the completion of each 70 meter, 72-arrow Ranking Round, Ranking Round Bonus Points will be awarded according to Table 10:

Men's Scores	Awarded Bonus Points	Women's Scores
680+	6.0	670+
670-679	4.0	660-669
660-669	2.0	650-659
Less than 660	-	Less than 650

**Table 10. Third Nomination Shoot Ranking Round Bonus Points Distribution.**

**3.4 DAY TWO: PM - ELIMINATION ROUND MATCHES  
THIRD NOMINATION SHOOT**

3.4.4 Elimination Round Match-Play competitions will be conducted in the afternoon of Day Two of the Third Nomination Shoot.

3.4.5 Each Elimination Round Match in each category will be held individually.

3.4.6 Archers will be placed into a seeded bracket (World Archery Rules, Book 1, Appendix 10) based on their Cumulative Rankings following the 70 meter, 72 arrow Ranking Round from the Third Nomination Shoot.

3.4.7 Elimination Round Matches will be conducted using the Set-Play System, three arrow ends, in accordance with World Archery Rules.

3.4.7.1 Elimination Round Matches will be conducting using alternating shooting.

3.4.7.2 Timing for all arrows shot will be 20 seconds per arrow, including single arrow shoot-offs.

3.4.8 Gold and Bronze Medal Matches will be conducted to determine an athlete's placements.

3.4.9 Points for Elimination Round Matches in the Second Nomination Shoot will be allocated to archers based on Table 11:

<b><i>Placement</i></b>	<b><i>Points</i></b>
<b>1</b>	16.0
<b>2</b>	14.0
<b>3</b>	10.0
<b>4</b>	8.0
<b>5</b>	4.0
<b>6</b>	4.0
<b>7</b>	4.0
<b>8</b>	4.0

**Table 11. Third Nomination Shoot Elimination Round Points Distribution.**



**3.5 DAY THREE: PM - TEAM ROUND SIMULATION - THIRD NOMINATION SHOOT**

- 3.5.1 During the Third Nomination Shoot, the top 8 recurve archers will shoot a Team Round Simulation at 70m of 6 ends of 6 arrows per end such that:
  - 3.5.1.1 - Each archer will shoot 6 arrow ends on their own target.
  - 3.5.1.2 - Each archer will have 20 seconds to step onto the shooting line and shoot each arrow.
  - 3.5.1.3 - Each archer will step off the shooting line and back onto the 1 meter line after the 20 second shooting time is up and will repeat the process after the timer signals a 20 second rest.
    - 3.5.1.3.1 - Standard scoring procedures will apply such that if an arrow is not shot within the time limit, it will score as zero points.
    - 3.5.1.3.2 - If an arrow is shot after the 20 second time limit has lapsed the archer will lose their highest scoring arrow for that end.
  - 3.5.1.3 - Archers will have 20 seconds of rest between each arrow.
- 3.5.2 Archers will score each 6 arrow end using normal scoring rules.
- 3.5.3 The archers will be ranked by their 36 arrow total against the other archers in the top 8 and will be allocated points according to Table 12:

<b>Ranking</b>	<b>Points</b>
<b>1</b>	16.0
<b>2</b>	14.0
<b>3</b>	12.0
<b>4</b>	10.0
<b>5</b>	8.0
<b>6</b>	6.0
<b>7</b>	4.0
<b>8</b>	2.0

**Table 12. Third Nomination Shoot Team Round Simulation Points Distribution.**

- 3.5.4 If a tie exists between two or more archers in the Team Round Simulation 36 arrow total score for the Third Nomination Shoot, the tied archers will receive the same ranking and points associated with that ranking.
  - 3.5.4.1 The next lower ranked archer will receive the ranking y places down from the ranking of the tied archers where y is the number of archers tied. For example if three archers tie for 2nd place score with the same Team Round Simulation 36 arrow score, then those three archers will receive the 2nd ranking for their 36 arrow score and will receive 14.0 points. The next lower ranked archer would be 5th ranked in the Three Arrow Average and receive 8.0 points.



**3.6 DAY FOUR – ROUND ROBIN MATCHES  
THIRD NOMINATION SHOOT**

- 3.6.1 In the Seven Round Robin matches shot on day four, each male athlete will shoot against each other male athlete once and each female athlete will shoot against each other female athlete once.
- 3.6.2 Each Round Robin Match will be shot using alternating shooting, 20 seconds per arrow.
  - 3.6.2.1 Each match will have an official to run the alternate shooting.
- 3.6.3 Each Round Robin Match will be conducted using the Set-Play System, using three arrow ends, in accordance with World Archery Rules.
- 3.6.4 Seven Round Robin Matches will be competed on Day Three of the Third Nomination Shoot.
- 3.6.5 Awarded Match Bonus Points – three points will be given for a win and zero points for a loss in each of the seven matches.
- 3.6.6 If an archer withdraws from the Round Robin Matches after competition has commenced, all archers will receive a win bonus point for the match shot against the withdrawn archer, regardless of whether they won or lost the match against the withdrawn archer.
  - 3.6.6.1 - *See 5.5 for information regarding withdrawing from the event.*

**3.7 THREE-ARROW END AVERAGE  
SEVEN ROUND ROBIN MATCHES ON DAY FOUR  
THIRD NOMINATION SHOOT**

- 3.7.1 Following the series of seven matches in the Round Robin Matches, archers will be ranked according to their Three Arrow End Average.
  - 3.7.1.1 Scores shot during a bye match will not be included in the Three-Arrow End Average during Round Robin Matches.
- 3.7.2 Three Arrow End Scores will be recorded from competed matches and the average score from competed Three Arrow Ends will be used to determine an archer's Three Arrow End Average during Round Robin Matches.
- 3.7.3 If an archer withdraws from competition during the Round Robin Matches, archers who have shot against that archer prior to that archer withdrawing, will have their match score shot against the withdrawn archer count towards their Three Arrow End Average.
  - 3.7.3.1 Archers who did not shoot against the withdrawn archer prior to that archer withdrawing will receive a bye and will not score their ends shot in the bye match. These arrows shot in this situation will NOT count toward the archer's Three Arrow End Average.
  - 3.7.3.2 *See 5.5 for information regarding withdrawing from the event.*
- 3.7.4 If a tie exists between two or more archers in the Three Arrow End Average for the Third Nomination Shoot, the tied archers will receive the same ranking and points associated with that ranking.
  - 3.7.4.1 The next lower ranked archer will receive the ranking y places down from the ranking of the tied archers where y is the number of archers tied. For example if three archers tie for 2nd place score with the same Three Arrow Average, then those three archers will receive the 2nd ranking for the Three Arrow Average and will receive 14.0 points. The next lower ranked archer would be 5th ranked in the Three Arrow Average and receive 8.0 points.



3.7.5 Bonus Points will be allocated according to the archer's Three Arrow End Average as compared to the other sixteen archers, as shown in Table 13:

<b><i>Ranking</i></b>	<b><i>Points</i></b>
<b>1</b>	16.0
<b>2</b>	14.0
<b>3</b>	12.0
<b>4</b>	10.0
<b>5</b>	8.0
<b>6</b>	6.0
<b>7</b>	4.0
<b>8</b>	2.0

**Table 13: Third Nomination Shoot Three Arrow End Average Points Distribution.**



**4. 2016 U.S. OLYMPIC TRIALS – ARCHERY - FINAL RANKINGS**

- 4.1.1 Athletes will be ranked for Final Rankings by adding together their Total Cumulative Points from the First, Second, and Third Nomination Shoots.
- 4.1.2 In the event of a tie in the for any position in the top 4 of the Final Rankings for the 2016 U.S. Olympic Trials - Archery:
  - 4.1.2.1 The tie will be broken using a Set-Play System Match, three arrow ends.
  - 4.1.2.2 If more than 2 archers are tied for a position, the two archers with the highest three arrow average outlined in Section 3.7 from the Third Nomination Shoot will shoot for the higher ranking position. For example, if three archers are tied for the 3rd position, the two archers with the highest three arrow average from the round robin matches from the Third Nomination Shoot will shoot a set play match for 3rd place. The archer with the lowest three arrow average will be ranked 5th.
  - 4.1.2.3 If more than 2 archers meet the requirements for the tie breaker match or if two or more archers tie to be the 2nd person for the tie breaker match, a single arrow shoot-off will be used to separate the tie and determine the two archers that will shoot the match against each other.
- 4.1.3 In the event of a tie for all other positions, the tie will be broken by using the three arrow average from the round robin portion of the Third Nomination Shoot described in Section 3.7.
  - 4.1.3.1 The archer with the higher three arrow average as described in section 3.7 will receive the higher final ranking.
  - 4.1.3.2 If a tie still exists, the archer with the higher Qualification Round Score from the Third Nomination Shoot will receive the higher final ranking.
  - 4.1.3.3 If a tie still exists, the tie will be broken with a single arrow shoot-off, in accordance with World Archery Rules 14.5.
- 4.1.4 Upon completion of each Nomination Shoot the Point Totals become final.
- 4.1.5 Up to the top three archers in each gender will be nominated to the U.S. Olympic Team for the 2016 Olympic Games in Rio following the Third Nomination Shoot except as noted in the “Medal Contender Clause (see 1.3).
- 4.1.6 Archers nominated to the 2016 U.S. Olympic Team must stay for a meeting with the Team Leader immediately after the Third Nomination Shoot.
- 4.1.7 In the event that a nominated archer is unable to compete for the U.S. Olympic Team, USA Archery will select the next available archer based on the final ranking order in that category from the 2016 U.S. Olympic Trials - Archery.
- 4.1.8 The Nomination Committee will recommend to the USA ARCHERY Board of Directors, athletes for nomination according to their Final Ranking in the 2016 U.S. Olympic Trials Archery except as noted in the “Medal Contender Clause” (see 1.3). USA ARCHERY will confirm the rankings and then nominate athletes to the USOC according to their rankings except as noted in the “Medal Contender Clause (see 1.3) and equal to the number of qualified positions for the 2016 Olympic Games.
- 4.1.9 Athletes must maintain their performance level leading up to the 2016 Olympic Games and participate in Mandatory Training and Competitions.
- 4.1.10 Failure to participate in the mandatory training and competitions will result in USA ARCHERY withdrawing the athlete’s nomination to the USOC.



4.1.10.1 If this situation occurs, USA Archery will nominate a replacement athlete for the position based on the Final Rankings and compliance with all requirements.

## **5. ADDITIONAL RULES REGARDING 2010 U.S. OLYMPIC TRIALS - ARCHERY SELECTION PROCESS**

- 5.1 World Archery Rules apply to all components of the 2016 U.S. Olympic Trials - Archery.
- 5.2 There will be no equipment failures during the Round Robin Matches or Elimination Matches.
- 5.3 Archers are responsible for ensuring their scores are correct. If a scoring mistake is discovered after bonus points are awarded, the score may not be considered in accordance with established USA Archery Scoring Procedures.
- 5.4 Upon commencement of the Round Robin Matches, the Qualification/Ranking Round Scores, Qualification/Ranking Round Bonus Points are considered final.
- 5.5 If an archer withdraws from the trials event for any reason other than the reasons listed below that athlete may be subject to a Code of Conduct Violation for affecting the outcome of a trials event and may have to appear before the Board of Justice for a hearing which could result in a sanction.
  - 5.5.1 Required military service.
  - 5.5.2 Death in the immediate family. Immediate family defined as your Partner and parents, children, stepchildren, fostered or adopted children, brothers, sisters, grandchildren, or grandparents, of either you or your Partner.
  - 5.5.3 Serious injury preventing the athlete from competing. Serious injury defined as one of the following:
    - i. injury requiring emergency medical treatment where the athlete is hospitalized for one or more days that prevents an athlete from traveling or competing at the event.
    - ii. injury requiring emergency medical treatment where the athlete is treated by a physician and not allowed to compete due to doctor's orders.
- 5.6 If an archer, for any reason, is unable to participate or continue in the 2016 U.S. Olympic Trials - Archery, the archer concerned shall be deemed to have abandoned the event.
- 5.7 In the event that an archer abandons one of the Nomination Shoots, the remaining archers will continue to compete with the other remaining archers.
  - 5.7.1 If an archer abandons one of the Nominations Shoots, USA Archery will bring in the next highest-ranked archer to compete in the subsequent Nomination Shoot.
  - 5.7.2 The next highest-ranked archer will begin the 2016 USA ARCHERY Olympic Trials with zero points.
- 5.8 USA Archery Event Protocol will be followed throughout the course of the Selection Event.
- 5.9 Archer results and point totals are final upon the completion of each stage of the Selection Procedures.
- 5.10 In the event of inclement weather, USA Archery will make every attempt to complete the trials procedures as written; however, if weather or any other circumstance prevents the completion of the selection procedures, modified format, schedule and procedures will be posted and announced as soon as possible.

### **5.11 Summary of Dates**



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July, 2015	Start of 2016 U.S. Olympic Trials – Archery Registration
September, 2015	Close of 2016 U.S. Olympic Trials – Archery Registration
September, 2015	Late Registration Closesat 5 PM - MST
TBD	First Nomination Shoot
December 31, 2015	Finalize USOC Long-List Registration. All documents on file for Shadow Team
April, 2016	Second Nomination Shoot
May, 2016	Third Nomination Shoot
June 2016	Athlete’s nominations sent to USA ARCHERY Board to ratify nominations.
On or before June 24, 2016 (10am)	Team nominated to the USOC.
TBD	Olympic Team Camp 1
TBD	World Cup Event
Late July, 2016	Depart for Olympic Games
July 5, 2016	Start of 2016 Olympic Games





## 6.2016 U.S. Olympic Trials – Archery - Team Selection

### 6.1 Team Selection Points Available

6.1.1 Athletes will be ranked by adding the total accumulated Points during First, Second, and Third Nomination Shoots.

<b>First Nomination Shoot – Available Points</b>		
<b>Day 2</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Section</b>
Qualification Round Bonus Points – 72 Arrows - AM	Max. of 3 points	<b>1.3</b>
Qualification Round Bonus Points – 72 Arrows - PM	Max. of 3 points	<b>1.3</b>
Qualification Placement Points from 144 arrows at 70m.	Max. of 4 points	<b>1.2</b>
<b>CUT TO THE TOP 16 ARCHERS</b>		
<b>Day 3</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Section</b>
Round Robin Matches – AM / PM (8 Matches, +1 ea. win)	Max. of 8 points	<b>1.4</b>
<b>Day 4</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Section</b>
Round Robin Matches – AM / PM (7 Matches, +1 ea. win)	Max. of 7 points	<b>1.4</b>
Three Arrow Set Score Average Ranking Points	Max. of 8 points	<b>1.5</b>
<b>Total Available Points</b>	<b>33 points</b>	

<b>Second Nomination Shoot - Available Points</b>		
<b>Day 2</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Section</b>
Ranking Placement Points - 72 arrows at 70m. - AM	Max. of 4 points	<b>2.2</b>
Ranking Placement Points - 72 arrows at 70m. - PM	Max. of 4 points	<b>2.2</b>
Ranking Round Bonus Points for Each 72 Ranking Round	Max. of 6 points	<b>2.3</b>
<b>Day 3</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Section</b>
Round Robin Matches (8 Matches, +1 ea. win)	Max. of 8 points	<b>2.4</b>
<b>Day 4</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Section</b>
Round Robin Matches (7 Matches, +1 ea. win)	Max. of 7 points	<b>2.4</b>
Three Arrow Set Score Average Ranking Points from Round Robin Matches	Max. of 8 points	<b>2.5</b>
<b>Total Available Points</b>	<b>37 Points</b>	
<b>CUT TO THE TOP EIGHT ARCHERS</b>		
<b>Day 5</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Section</b>
Team Round Simulation Ranking Points	Max. of 8 Points	<b>2.7</b>
<b>Day 6</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Section</b>
Round Robin Bonus Points for Wins (+2 ea.)	Max. of 14 points	<b>2.8</b>
Three Arrow Set Score Average Ranking Points	Max. of 8 points	<b>2.9</b>
<b>Total Available Points</b>	<b>30 Points</b>	
<b>Total Points</b>	<b>67 points</b>	



<b>Third Nomination Shoot - Available Points</b>		
<b>Day 2</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Section</b>
Ranking Placement Points from 70m. Round	Max. of 16 points	<b>3.2</b>
Ranking Round Bonus Points	Max. of 6 points	<b>3.3</b>
Elimination Round Placement Points	Max. of 16 points	<b>3.4</b>
<b>Day 3</b>	<b>Points</b>	<b>Section</b>
Team Round Simulation Ranking Points	Max. of 16 points	<b>3.5</b>
Round Robin Bonus Points for wins (+3 ea.)	Max. of 21 points	<b>3.6</b>
Three Arrow Set Score Average Ranking Points	Max. of 16 points	<b>3.7</b>
<b>Total Available Points</b>	<b>91 points</b>	

<b>Total Available Points</b>	
First Nomination Shoot - Total Points	33 points
Second Nomination Shoot - Total Points	67 Points
Third Nomination Shoot - Total Points	91 Points
<b>Cumulative Total Points</b>	<b>191 Points</b>



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## CODE OF CONDUCT

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## WAIVER AND RELEASE

Attachment B, USA Archery's Code of Conduct and Attachment C, USA Archery's Waiver of Liability to be posted at a later date.

Attachment D

Consent for Release of Medical Information for the "Medal Contender" Clause for the 2016 U.S. Olympic Team Trials - Archery

Date:
Time:
Address: \_\_\_\_\_
\_\_\_\_\_
\_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_ do hereby request that

\_\_\_\_\_ release medical information

contained in my medical records for the periods of and/or relative to the following specified injury, illness, condition

\_\_\_\_\_.

Information is to be released to:

\_\_\_\_\_
\_\_\_\_\_
\_\_\_\_\_

In understand that releasing copies of this information shall no longer guarantee the confidentiality of the information contained in my medical records. I release the

\_\_\_\_\_, my attending physician(s) and all personnel from liability concerning the release of this information.

The following information will be released:

History and Physical Examination \_\_\_\_\_ Consultation Report(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Operative Report(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Laboratory Report(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Radiology Report(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Progress Notes(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Physician's Orders \_\_\_\_\_ ER/OR Report(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Other Reports
(specify) \_\_\_\_\_

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I understand that this release will become a permanent part of my medical record.  
Release will expire thirty days from the above date, unless previously revoked by myself.

Furthermore, I hereby fully release U.S. Archery and each of its members, officers, directors, employees, agents, and other representatives of any nature whatsoever of and from any and all liabilities, damages, claims or causes of action of any nature or kind whatsoever which I have or may claim to have, arising out of or having any connection, directly or indirectly with the release of my medical records.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_  
(Patient/in case of minor, parent/guardian)

Witness \_\_\_\_\_