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Coaches, Club and Team Leaders: Importance of understanding and knowing the rules.

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Rules, policies and procedures topics for a successful archer. Feel free to ask questions throughout this session.

Important sport

- At the turn of the century the Olympic sport of archery was on the edge of elimination.
- Now considered a core Olympic sport thanks to media friendly match play.

Tournament rules and procedures conduct, fair, effective and meaningful competitions.

Be warned:

- Many don't know the rules and repeat inaccurate rumors.
- Many older archers refer to out dated rules.
- Many confuse NFAA Vegas rules with WA USA Archery rules.

Archers and coaches can cause themselves and other problems by not knowing proper procedures. Be friendly, helpful and ask for help.

Dress, sponsorship and branding.

- USA Archery <http://www.teamusa.org/usa-archery/resources/forms-and-policies>
 - Dress code
 - Official practice
 - Enforcement
 - Advertising
 - Camo dress vs equipment
- WA <https://worldarchery.org/Rules> Book 3 Chapter 20
 - No camo dress or equipment
 - 11.3.3. "Athlete equipment shall not include camouflage colors of any kind."
- Olympics, WA and Branding restrictions.

WA and USA Archery

- WA Bow Division and Year of birth/Gender Class = Category
 - WA Master (50), Adult, Junior, Cadet, Para
 - USA Archery: JOAD Bowman and Cup, 60+ 70+ and bare bow target.
- Para Book 3 Chapter 21 <https://worldarchery.org/Rules>
 - Open, W2, W1, VI (Sub classes)
- WA rules, World championship and the Olympics.

Equipment inspection

- Equipment: Information sheet http://www.azjoad.com/main/forms/USAA-AZ_Tournament_Rules_and_Procedures_Summary-Nov-19-2015.pdf
 - Includes Dress code.
 - Inspection is not required to use a compliant piece of equipment.
- Periodic rechecking, i.e. compound poundage.

Coaching conduct

- During practice; Coach may be with the archer.
- During scoring; Coach to be behind the waiting line or tourney policy (Behind archers area).
 - Coach may talk. (Do not disturb the archers.)
 - Archer may not talk during shooting time. (Within reason)
 - Too close to the other archers to talk back to coach.
- # of coaches in the archers area
- Future of coaching at USA Archery tournaments.
- USA Archery Membership Code of Conduct applies.

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Shooting line

- High draw and side draw allowance varies.
 - Safety down range and avoiding problems.
- Scopes and tripods.
- 80 cm space and avoiding problems.

3 meter line

- Entire arrow (not parts of an arrow) across the 3 meter line is a shot arrow?

Equipment failure, Medical issue, make up arrows

- Ranking/Qualification round only.
 - No make up for match play.
- An equipment failure and medical issue are not remedies for poor preparation.
 - Arrow tips stuck in the target, missing finger tab, sore muscle or illness.
- Justified arrival delay beyond the archers control may make up 12 arrows.
- Make up arrows at DOS discretion.
 - Before the next distance.
 - Weather consideration.
 - Live scoring.
- Up to 15 minute delay for make up under normal shooting conditions.
 - 15 minutes is not specifically timed.

Multi face target scoring

- Compound team outdoors: <http://www.azjoad.com/main/forms/2016-Outdoor-Compound-Team-Round-3-Scoring.pdf>
- Multi spot indoors:
<http://www.azjoad.com/main/forms/3Spot%20Scoring%20Guidelines.pdf>

Score cards

- Arrow value scorecard corrections made before arrows are removed from target.
 - By the archers and initialed.
- Paper score card arrow values take precedent.
 - Electronic arithmetic takes precedents.
- Paper score card.
 - Fill in all blanks and boxes.
 - Sign, archer and scorer.

Elimination and finals, individual and team

- Recurve sets vs Compound cumulative score.
 - Teams (up to for recurve) 4 ends sets.
 - Individual (up to for recurve) 5 end sets.
- Must be "present" at the start of the "match" or forfeit.
- No equipment failure or medical time delays or make up during "match" play.
- Simultaneous vs alternating shooting.
- Finals alternating shooting: Video monitor vs scope. Coach's scope. Archer agents.

Match line judging procedures

- Confirm who shoots first. Timers
- Shooting conduct.
- Confirm range is clear.

At target and scoring judges

- Scoring procedure.
- Signal ties.

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1 Meter line, Team round http://www.azjoad.com/main/forms/2014_Team-Rounds-Instruction-and-Information-April.pdf

- Arrow in quiver until on the shooting line.
- Only one person across the 1 meter line at one time.
- Only time the yellow card is used.
- Internationally, team member's changes not less than one hour before the matches start.

Red card

- Displayed when an arrow value will be deducted.
 - Out of time arrow.
 - Out of sequence alternate or team shooting.

Consequences of breaking the rules

- Consequence Book 3, Chapter 15, Page 15-16 <https://worldarchery.org/Rules>

Protest and appeal

- \$50 USD
- Notice: 5 minutes or before the next round begins.
- Written: 15 minutes (Form optional)
- UN appealable: judges arrow value call and judges yellow card.

Media

- Credentials
- Lane
- Mixed zone
 - Upon departure

Team manager duties beyond "coaching"

- Air travel, ground transport, food, lodging, comfort.
 - Health, safety and welfare.
- Team athlete communication and representation.
- Coach WA dress code matches team uniform.
- Team managers meeting.
- Appeals. \$
- Finals matches
 - Dress code, archer(s) agent and coach.
 - Report to will call area (archer(s), agent, coach).
 - Coaches box coach's scope.
 - Media zone.
 - Awards ceremony.

USA Archery coaching policies <http://www.teamusa.org/USA-Archery/Resources/Forms-and-Policies>

- Pledge -Code of Conduct - Safe Sport
 - Misconduct
 - Verbal Acts
 - Physical Acts
 - Bullying Harassment and Hazing
- USA Archery official competition team personal coach, team selection, international sanctioning.
- Severe weather policy

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