

# Online call with Member Associations

Update on COVID19 and impact on World Archery

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2 April 2020 via BlueJeans

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## Secretary General's welcome

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## Updates aside from COVID-19

- [Newsletter published](#)
- [Barebow World Records](#)

## Last executive meetings

- Executive Committee, 26 March
- Executive Board, 30 March

## Generally about COVID-19

- World Archery does not control the public health situation but it does **control its actions** during the crisis.
- World Archery **wants to resume usual business**, for the good of athletes and stakeholders, but will only do so when the public health situation improves.



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**Update on Tokyo**

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## 2.Tokyo 2020

Postponement confirmed

Dates:        Olympic Games        23 July - 8 August 2021  
              Paralympic Games    24 August - 5 September 2021

	Per gender	Total	%
Total number of quotas	M 64/ W 64	128	%
<b>Allocated Quota</b>	<b>M43 / W 44</b>	<b>87</b>	<b>68</b>
Remaining Quota	M 21/ W 20	41	32

Qualification:

- **ALL PLACES OBTAINED REMAIN VALID** since it is still the Tokyo2020 Olympics
- For remaining quota: system will be reviewed and approved by IOC. Principles have been received. However most likely we will keep current structure with 4 remaining events (3 CQTs and 1 FQT).
- All current qualification tournaments are suspended
- We need to know from Member Associations what is the situation with your own internal selection system



**2020 season**

### 3. 2020 Season

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Executive Committee meeting on 26 March, [press release](#) was published

**All international events** (World Cup, World Ranking Events) **until the end of June are postponed or cancelled.** Several ones in July have also been postponed

World Archery intends to hold as many international events as possible during the remainder of this outdoor season so that athletes have an opportunity to compete on the world stage, and the federation can fulfil its obligations to broadcasters and partners

- However, events will only be rescheduled when the situation improves

### 3. 2020 Season

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**Registration** for all international events **has been closed** (including the ones beyond the end of June) for 1 month, the period might be extended

That means:

- WAREOS not operational
- No need to cancel registrations yourself – not even possible
- You can still see information about past registrations and payments

### 3. 2020 Season

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World Archery staff is working with the organisers of the tournaments to **generate multiple options** for a replacement calendar.

The new dates of any event will be announced **no later than two months in advance**, giving teams and athletes an adequate and equal period to prepare, and organisers a shortened but clear registration timeline.

Examples:

- 1 July event - announced on 1 May
- 15 August event - confirmed latest on 15 June
- 1 October event – confirmed latest on 1 August

### 3. Decision on recognition

World Archery strongly recommends all of its Member Associations not to organise events during this period even if the public health authorities have not yet decided such action.

**World Archery has suspended recognition of all tournaments from 1 April 2020 for world records, performance awards and minimum qualifying scores.**

The decision will be in effect until the international calendar is suspended, which is at least until 30 June 2020.

This decision is based on

- A clear position that health should come first
- A solidarity between countries affected and not affected
- A fairness between athletes

### 3. Decision on recognition

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That means:

- World Archery does not cancel your events as such
  - Although not advised, you can still organise national events
- It is already automatically marked as “not recognised” for all events in the Extranet online system so that they will not be invoiced at the end of the year.
- In case it makes a difference the ones registered up until 31 March (not cancelled by MA), it will be accounted for in relation to Art. 1.7.3

### 3. 2020 other activities

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- World Archery Coaches Seminar – planned for October 2020
  - Will become an online seminar
  - There will be notification in the newsletter when registration opens
- Joined Committee meeting 2020
  - Will be transformed in an Online set of meetings
- Plans for online athletes / judges / coaches / event organisers summits
- Development projects
  - All on hold until the end of June and we will not start planning before July
  - No further shipment of equipment due to restrictions in place
  - World Academy of Sport Project suspended however online courses available!
  - Judges seminar / conference in Americas postponed



**2021 season**

## 4. 2021 Impact on Calendar

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- We will need a FQT for Olympic and Paralympic Games and most likely also CQTs in 2021 if no rescheduling in 2020
  - End date of qualification **29 June 2021**
- World University Games (Universiade) will stay in 2021 but overlap with Paralympic Games. New dates: 16-27 August 2021
- World Games will be moved to 2022. New dates: 7-17 July 2022
- Possible other date changes as a result of OG/PG Games dates
- World Archery 3D Championships Terni (ITA) – moved to 2022 and Field Committee is looking if they can be combined with World Archery Field Championships
- Other world championships maintained



## Impact on organisation



## 5. Office & WAEC operations

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### **World Archery Office:**

The staff is working remotely, and their hours have been reduced. The office is focused on critical issues.

Contact is preferred by email rather than telephone. The office line will not be operated at all times.

Online calls for member associations will continue, extra sessions are added when necessary.

The hiring processes for a replacement of education director and member association services coordinator are on hold. Still looking for an editor to assist communication department.

## 5. Office & WAEC operations

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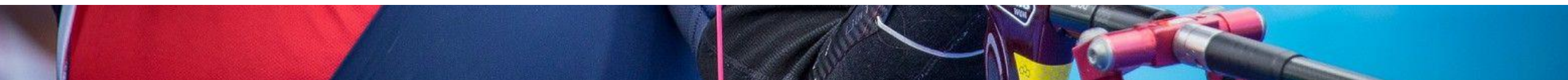
### **World Archery Excellence Centre:**

The Centre is closed until the end of April but this will be most likely extended until the end of June.

They produced various exercises and tips to train at home. Feel free to use [the file](#) or [videos](#). In case you are interested in translating the document to your language, please contact the [WAEC staff](#).



**Impact on athletes**



## 6. Impact on athletes

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- Several of our top professional or semi-professional athletes especially compound but also recurve base their income on
  - Prize money
  - Contingency money
  - Giving lectures and seminars
  - Working in archery shops
- All of the above income sources are close to zero which can lead to precarity for our athletes and could cause several of our top athletes to stop with our sport
- Olympic Solidarity Scholarship holders will have their scholarship extended
- We ask Member Associations to see what can be done to assist them



## Impact on Member Associations

# 7. Impact on Member associations

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## **Funding**

- Governements/NOC having other priorities
- Less membership due to other priorities
- Issues with submission of budgets and strategic plans
- Categories of sports and review after 4 years

## **Governance**

- Issues with elections and general assemblies (inform us)!

## **Communication is essential**

- Cut in all non priority areas but communicate even more

**World Archery is there to empower you and as a partner**



**Bid application deadlines**

## 8. Bid applications

Bid deadlines approaching – [published on webpage](#)

Event name	Period	Deadline
<a href="#">Hyundai Archery World Cup Final</a>	Autumn 2021	Apr-20
<a href="#">World Archery Congress</a>	Autumn 2021	Apr-20
<a href="#">World Archery Field Championships</a>	Spring/Autumn 2022	30-Sep-20
<a href="#">Hyundai Archery World Cup Final</a>	Autumn 2022	Apr-20
<a href="#">World Archery Youth Championships</a>	Summer 2023	Apr-20
<a href="#">Hyundai Archery World Cup Final</a>	Autumn 2023	Apr-20
<a href="#">World Archery Congress</a>	Autumn 2023	Apr-20
<a href="#">Hyundai Archery World Cup (2 stages)</a>	Spring-Summer 2024	30-Sep-20
<a href="#">Hyundai Archery World Cup Final</a>	Autumn 2024	30-Sep-20
<a href="#"><b>World Archery 3D Championships</b></a>	<b>Aug-Sep 2024</b>	<b>30-Sep-20</b>
<a href="#">World Archery Field Championships</a>	2024	30-Sep-20
<a href="#">World Archery Congress</a>	2025	30-Sep-21
<a href="#">World Archery Championships</a>	2025	30-Sep-21
<a href="#">World Archery Youth Championships</a>	2025	30-Sep-21
<a href="#">World Archery Para Championships</a>	2025	30-Sep-21
<a href="#">World Archery 3D Championships</a>	Aug-Sep 2026	30-Sep-21



**NEXT ONLINE CALL: 9 April 16:00 CET**

**Judging system from the perspective of national federation**



Thank you!

