



NEWSLETTER MARCH 2025

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Next issue deadline: **14 April 2025**.

Olympic Order

World Archery President **Prof Dr Ugur Erdener** **was awarded the Olympic Order** for exceptional services to the Olympic Movement by International Olympic Committee President Thomas Bach during the 144th Session in Greece.

Awards

Nominations for World Archery's **gender equity and inclusion awards** are open from 8 March until 4 July. [MORE](#)

Staff

Adrien Goy joined the World Archery Excellence Centre as logistics and technical assistant on 1 March.

Safe sport

Member associations are responsible for ensuring their participants in international and continental tournaments and activities are aware of and understand the World Archery [safeguarding policy](#). Presentations on the topic are [available online](#) in English, French and Spanish.

Contact: safeguarding@archery.sport

Event recognition

Member associations must register their tournaments in the **World Archery online calendar** for recognition of world and continental records, and performance awards. Procedure available in [English](#) and [French](#).

Contact: calendar@archery.sport

Online calls

The upcoming online calls for member associations will be held at 09h00 and 16h00 CET on the following dates:

- **23 April** – Qualification to Dakar 2026 Youth Olympic Games
- **21 May** – Congress and motions
- **25 June** – Topic to be confirmed
- **24 July** – Congress: Presentation of candidates

Registration link already sent (same for all calls).

Contact: members@archery.sport

Obituary

Ernesto Diaz Bazan

The former vice president of World Archery, president of World Archery Americas and president of the archery federation of El Salvador died on 18 March aged 69. He also competed at the 1999 and 2001 world championships.

Honours

Irena Rosa

The former international judge received Slovenia's **lifetime achievement award** on 3 February in Ljubljana. [MORE](#)

Harvinder Singh

The Paralympic Champion received a **Times of India sports award** on 22 February. [MORE](#)

Members

Cuba

Tamara Jimenez, president of the archery federation of Cuba and vice president of World Archery Americas, was elected as board member of the Cuban Olympic Committee.

Guyana

Vidushi Persaud-McKinnon, president of the archery federation of Guyana and chair of the World Archery Americas gender equity committee, was elected as member of the 2025 Pan Am Sports women in sport commission.

Hong Kong, China

Lakhvinder Singh was elected as president and **Hung Hing Chiu Simon** re-elected as secretary general of the archery federation of Hong Kong, China until 2026.

Italy

Vittorio Polidori was elected as president of the archery federation of Italy until 2028. **Ivan Braido** remains secretary general.

Kosovo

Atdhe Luzhnica and **Hazir Asllani** were elected as president and secretary general of the archery federation of Kosovo until 2028.

Lebanon

Jack Tamer and **Abdul Kader Antar** were re-elected as president and secretary general of the archery federation of Lebanon until 2028.

Norfolk Islands

David Pitcher and **Rachel Wills** were elected as president and secretary general of the archery federation of Norfolk Islands until 2026.

Education

Excellence Centre

Upcoming events (registration open):

- 6-10 October: [Level 1](#)
- 3-7 November: [Level 2](#)
- 29-30 November: [Coaching Conference](#)
- 8-12 December: [Level 3](#)

More information on the [Centre's website](#).

Clean sport webinar

The next open webinar from the International Testing Authority on the topic of “**Ask the Expert: Testing**” takes place at 14h00-15h00 CET on **25 March**. [Register](#) to follow in English or with Arabic, Spanish, French and Russian translations.

Events

Chengdu 2025

[Accreditation packages](#), [frequently asked questions](#) and the [third bulletin](#) on the World Games in China are now available.

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Calendar highlights

2025

4-14 April	ISF U15 Gymnasiade	Zlatibor, Serbia
8-13 April	Hyundai Archery World Cup stage 1	Central Florida, USA
22-27 April	European Grand Prix leg 1	Antalya, Türkiye
6-11 May	Hyundai Archery World Cup stage 2	Shanghai, China
12-17 May	European Youth Cup leg 1	Sofia, Bulgaria
20-25 May	South American Open Championships	Lima, Peru
26-29 May	Conquest Cup	Istanbul, Türkiye
26-31 May	European Para Cup leg 1	Rome, Italy
3-8 June	Hyundai Archery World Cup stage 3	Antalya, Türkiye
15-20 June	Asia Cup stage 2	Bukit Gombak, Singapore
18-22 June	Copa Merengue	Santo Domingo, Santo Domingo
30 June-7 July	Asian Para Championships	Beijing, China
8-13 July	Hyundai Archery World Cup stage 4	Madrid, Spain



17-20 July	Americas Para Cup leg 1	Morelia, Mexico
18 July-2 August	European Youth Cup leg 1 and final	Čatež, Slovenia
21-26 July	European Grand Prix leg 2	Arnhem, Netherlands
21-28 July	European Para Youth Games	Istanbul, Türkiye
22-26 July	FISU World University Games	Rhine-Ruhr, Germany
7-17 August	The World Games	Chengdu, China
17-24 August	World Archery Youth Championships	Winnipeg, Canada
21 Aug-3 Sept	Mediterranean Games	Taranto, Italy
23-31 August	European Para Cup leg 2	Nove Mesto, Czech Republic
28-30 August	Americas Para Cup leg 2	Chicago, USA
2-3 September	World Archery Congress	Gwangju, Korea
5-12 September	Hyundai World Archery Championships	Gwangju, Korea
15-20 September	European Field Championships	Wałbrzych-Książ, Poland
22-28 September	World Archery Para Championships	Gwangju, Korea
1-5 October	Pan American Field Championships	San Cristóbal de las Casas, Mexico
17-19 October	Hyundai Archery World Cup Final	Nanjing, China
31 Oct-2 Nov	Swiss Open	Lausanne, Switzerland
1-7 November	Fazza Para Tournament	Dubai, United Arab Emirates
7-15 November	Asian Championships	Dhaka, Bangladesh
8 November	World Archery Asia Congress	Dhaka, Bangladesh
3-7 December	Pan American Indoor Championships	San Luis Potosi, Mexico
10-15 December	Asia Cup leg 3	Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

2026

24-30 May	Pan American Youth and Masters Championships	Medellin, Colombia
23-28 June	Pan American Championships (Pan Am Games qualifier)	Guadalajara, Mexico
September/October	Hyundai Archery World Cup Final	Mexico (city to be confirmed)
5-11 October	Parapan American Championships	Lima, Peru

*Colour coding (red cancelled, green added, blue changed)

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Event registration deadlines

Event	Preliminary	Final
Antalya 2025 European Grand Prix		1 April
Shanghai 2025 Hyundai Archery World Cup		15 April
Incheon 2025 Gyeyang Open		20 April
Sofia 2025 European Youth Cup		21 April
Medellin 2025 South American Open Championships		29 April
Kamnik 2025 Veronica's Cup		1 May
Rome 2025 European Para Archery Cup	25 February	6 May
Istanbul 2025 Conquest Cup	26 February	6 May
Beijing 2025 Asia Para Archery Championships	29 February	15 May
Antalya 2025 Hyundai Archery World Cup	3 March	13 May
Singapore 2025 Asia Cup	17 March	24 May
Santo Domingo 2025 Copa Merengue	18 March	29 May



Madrid 2025 Hyundai Archery World Cup	9 April	17 June
Morelia 2025 Americas Para Cup	16 April	25 June
Arnhem 2025 European Grand Prix	20 April	30 June
Winnipeg 2025 World Archery Youth Championships	12 May	27 May
Nové Město 2025 European Para Archery Cup	22 May	1 August
Chicago 2025 Americas Para Archery Cup	28 May	7 August
Čatež 2025 European Youth Cup	1 June	8 July

Events open for bidding

Event	Period	Status	Deadline
World Archery Field Championships	2028	Open	Assessed on application
World Archery 3D Championships	2028	Open	Assessed on application
Hyundai Archery World Cup stages	2029-2031	Open	1 September 2025
World Archery Championships	2029	Open	1 September 2025
World Archery Congress	2029	Open	1 September 2025
World Archery Para Championships	2029	Open	1 September 2025
World Archery Youth Championships	2029	Open	1 September 2025

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