

RULES

- 1. The National Scout Archery Competition is open to all members of the Scout Association as defined in PORs (both youth and adult) aged eight years and above and who qualify under rule 2 below.
- 2. It is the responsibility of the Scouter in charge of each group/competitor to ensure that each entrant is physically capable of shooting a bow unaided, is mentally capable of understanding the need for safety rules and is willing to obey them. Each entrant must have sufficient experience not to need constant correction on the range to the detriment of other competitors.
- 3. Phasels Wood Scout Activity Centre will be in use by others throughout the weekend. Whilst Scouts are free to move around Phasels Wood in a responsible manner, they must not enter other camping areas or any area that is out of bounds.
- 4. Infringement of any safety rule or any other conduct likely to damage the good name of Scouting will result in the offender being removed from the Camp, possibly together with the remainder of their Group/Unit.
- 5. All the archery will be outside. All competitors are required to dress appropriately for the conditions and to treat the inevitable variations in a sportsmanlike manner. Outdoor shooting will not be stopped unless the conditions are dangerous. Competitors must have footwear suitable for the terrain and NO open toed sandals or flip flops are permitted.
- 6. In the first instance, the Field Captain of each range is responsible for all matters relating to equipment and range conduct. In the case of a dispute, the organiser's decision is final.
- 7. Competitors <u>must</u> report to the relevant range ten minutes before the allocated time for a safety briefing prior to shooting. All sessions are time limited and latecomers will not be permitted any extra time, nor will there be any breaks in the shooting time so please ensure all competitors have visited the toilet prior to going to the range, have drinks, coats, sun cream etc. with them.
- 8. In the events where equipment is provided for competitors, no equipment other than that provided may be used with the exception of own quivers, bracers and finger tabs.
- 9. Own equipment being used must be 'legal' as per Archery GB and may be checked by the Field Captain prior to shooting.

Event organised by Hampshire Scout Archery Club

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