



*Northern Counties Archery Society.*

## Judges Information Update September 2015

### Judges Regional Seminar

The date of the next Regional seminar has been booked for Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> October at The Wetherby District Social Club, Sandbeck Way, Wetherby, West Yorkshire. LS22 7DN. The seminar will be based primarily on the Regional re-assessment exam which should be issued within a few days of you receiving this newsletter.

All judges are invited to attend and to have ago at the Regional paper prior to the seminar, we can then discuss the answers you have all come up with.

Please remember that on this paper there will be field and target questions, and you will be expected to answer both, however your re-assessment will be purely based on your answers for the discipline you are Regional in currently. The other set of questions is to gauge the level of knowledge you have of the other discipline.

Can you please let me know if you will be attending the Seminar so that I can arrange the catering at lunch time. For those of you who have not attended a seminar before this is provided free of charge.

### Assessments

During September three assessments for Regional Status were undertaken.

The first was by Glen Small from Cheshire, who took his assessment at the Corus Deeside WA 1440 and then a week later we had Lorraine Morris and Colin Mudd, both from Lancashire take their Regional assessments at the Assheton Bowmen York/Hereford Open.

I am very happy to report that all of them passed their assessments.

The judge registrar has been informed of their success and all have been upgraded to Regional status.

### WA Interpretations

Book 4, Articles 22.1.1.1, 22.2.1, 22.3.1.1, 22.4.1.1, and 22.7.4

Archery GB has requested an interpretation as to what markings are permitted on the back of the riser (side facing the athlete) in Field and 3D events.

#### **Response from the Field and 3D Archery Committee:**

In the opinion of the Field and 3D Archery Committee, the response depends upon the division being considered. With respect to the Recurve and Compound Division, markings on the back of the riser are permitted if applied by the manufacturer during the manufacturing process. In all other Divisions, the back of the riser should be plain, without marks, blemishes or patterns, including arrow marks, scratches, logos, wording, or laminate patterns that could be used for the purpose of aiming. If the back of the riser displays any marks within the sight window area as described above, the entire length of the sight window shall be taped over.

**World Archery Field and 3D Archery Committee, 28 August 2015**

**Approved by the World Archery C&R Committee, 29 August 2015**

Book 3, Article 20

World Archery Norway has requested an interpretation as to the applicability of the dress rules set forth in Book 3, Article 20.

#### **Response from C&R:**

It is the opinion of C&R the dress rules set forth in Book 3, Article 20, apply at the following events:

- Competition for World and Continental titles;
- Competition for Olympic and Paralympic titles (which may be more restrictive than World Archery clothing rules);

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- Competition at Outdoor World Cups;
- Competition for Outdoor World Ranking; and
- Archery events of Major Event Organisations (any international multi-sport organisation that acts as the ruling body for any continental, regional or other International Event).

Provided, that such dress rules do not apply at (i) events which are organized at the Member Association or lower level, in which case the applicable Member Association's dress rules shall apply or (ii) Indoor World Cup events except to the extent that World Archery Executive Board otherwise determines appropriate.

**World Archery Constitution and Rules Committee, 10 September 2015**

### **Judges Required**

Wigan & Orrell archers hold an annual 720 and head to head in August and are looking for several judges to help out at next year's tournament due to the retirement of several of the judges who have attended in previous years.

They also require a National judge to be CoJ of the event.

Can anyone who is interested/available to attend the event either contact me or email the tournament organiser, details of which are below.

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