



ARCHERY MEDIA GUIDE

BEIJING 2008 OLYMPIC GAMES



Dear Friends of archery,

The Beijing 2008 Olympic Games are finally here and, with the great combined efforts of FITA, the International Olympic Committee, ASOIF and the Beijing Organizing Committee, we are ready to present a truly outstanding event. This time we will have the largest number of participating nations ever at an Olympic archery competition, which shows the development of our sport.

This *Archery Media Guide* has been prepared for the benefit of all broadcasters, journalists, reporters, photographers and enthusiasts of our sport. We thank you for your continued support of archery at the Olympic Games, as our 128 athletes honour the tradition and excellence of Olympic history.

To the athletes and judges, this event may be the most important one in your career. I am convinced that you will make it a great competition. In the spirit of fair play, I wish you all the best possible results.

I would like to thank everyone involved in the preparation and delivery of this archery competition at the Olympic Games. You are making a great contribution to archery.

I wish you an enjoyable and memorable Olympic Games.



Prof. Dr. Ugur Erdener
FITA President

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Setting our sights on new targets

Olympic Games

Beijing 2008 Olympic Games: 8-24 August Archery: 9-15 August

- Archery was a sport in the Olympic Games from 1900-1920. In 1972, archery became a permanent part of the Olympic programme.
- There are 64 men and 64 women competing in the recurve division, for individual and team events in Beijing. There will be four new Olympic Champions: Individual Men, Individual Women, Team Men, and Team Women.
- In the Ranking Round, the athletes shoot 72 arrows at a distance of 70 metres.
- In the Olympic Round (matches), the number 1 individual qualifier (seed) shoots against number 64, and so on...
- In the individual matches, athletes alternate shooting 12 arrows—4 ends of 3 arrows. They have 30 seconds to shoot each arrow and earn a maximum of 10 points per arrow. Winners advance to the next round.
- Each nation that qualified three athletes of the same gender can also compete in the team competition.
- In the team matches, each team shoots 24 arrows—4 ends of 6 arrows. They have only 2 minutes in which to shoot 6 arrows. Each team member shoots 2 arrows per end, shooting only one arrow at a time. Teams alternate shooting after every 3 arrows.
- For more details please refer to the Competition and Equipment sections.



Paralympic Games

Beijing 2008 Paralympic Games: 6-17 September Archery: 9-15 September

136 para-archers competing—88 men and 48 women—in Beijing.

- There are 9 Paralympic titles awarded:
 - Individual Recurve Men W1/W2
 - Individual Recurve Men Standing
 - Individual Compound Men W1
 - Individual Compound Men Open
 - Team Recurve Men Open
 - Individual Recurve Women W1/W2
 - Individual Recurve Women Standing
 - Individual Compound Women Open
 - Team Recurve Women Open

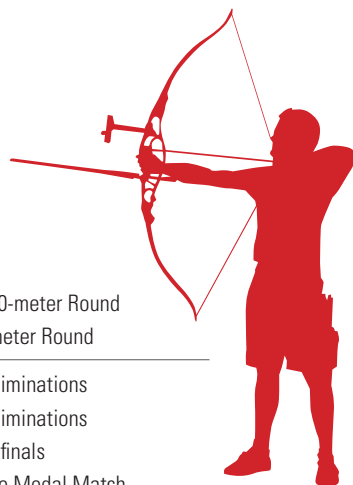
- Archery was one of the original Paralympic Sports contested in Rome in 1960.
- For more information about the Paralympic Games please check www.archery.org and <http://en.beijing2008.cn/>



PARA-ARCHERY



Competition Schedule



9 August DAY 1	12:00 - 14:00	Women's Ranking / 70-meter Round
	15:30 - 17:30	Men's Ranking / 70-meter Round
10 August DAY 2	10:00 - 10:50	Women's Team 1/8 Eliminations
	10:50 - 12:30	Women's Team 1/4 Eliminations
	16:00 - 16:50	Women's Team Semi-finals
	16:55 - 17:20	Women's Team Bronze Medal Match
	17:25 - 17:50	Women's Team Gold Medal Match
	17:55 - 18:10	Women's Team Medal Ceremony
11 August DAY 3	10:00 - 11:40	Men's Team 1/8 Eliminations
	11:40 - 13:20	Men's Team 1/4 Eliminations
	16:00 - 16:50	Men's Team Semi-finals
	16:55 - 17:20	Men's Team Bronze Medal Match
	17:25 - 17:50	Men's Team Gold Medal Match
	17:55 - 18:10	Men's Team Medal Ceremony
12 August DAY 4	10:00 - 12:36	Women's Individual 1/32 & 1/16 Eliminations
	15:30 - 18:06	Women's Individual 1/32 & 1/16 Eliminations
13 August DAY 5	10:00 - 12:36	Men's Individual 1/32 & 1/16 Eliminations
	15:30 - 18:06	Men's Individual 1/32 & 1/16 Eliminations
14 August DAY 6	10:30 - 12:14	Women's Individual 1/8 Eliminations
	16:00 - 16:52	Women's Individual Quarterfinals
	16:52 - 17:18	Women's Individual Semi-finals
	17:21 - 17:34	Women's Individual Bronze Medal Match
	17:37 - 17:50	Women's Individual Gold Medal Match
	17:55 - 18:10	Women's Individual Medal Ceremony
15 August DAY 7	10:30 - 12:14	Men's Individual 1/8 Eliminations
	16:00 - 16:52	Men's Individual Quarterfinals
	16:52 - 17:18	Men's Individual Semi-finals
	17:21 - 17:34	Men's Individual Bronze Medal Match
	17:37 - 17:50	Men's Individual Gold Medal Match
	17:55 - 18:10	Men's Individual Medal Ceremony

Competitions



Venue

- Venue: Beijing Olympic Green Archery Field
- Location: Olympic Green
- Area: 8,609 sq m
- Seats: 5,423 / Court A: 4546 / Court B: 877
- Media seats: 275
- Groundbreaking date: 28 December 2005

Changes from last Games

- Two separate fields of play will be used in order to allow for better TV coverage of matches taking place at the same time.
- The 1/32 and 1/16 elimination rounds will be held in succession on the same day.
- The number of arrows shot per match has been changed from 18 to 12 for all the individual elimination rounds.
- The number of arrows for teams has been changed from 27 to 24 in 4 ends of 6 arrows.
- For the first time, the teams will compete before the individuals (on Days 2-3).

Scoring

The target face has 10 concentric scoring rings (two per colour), scoring from 1 to 10 points. Hence the outside scoring ring is worth 1 point and the inside ring is worth 10 points. For all details please consult the Equipment section.



Competitions

Tiebreaker Rules for Individuals

Each archer will shoot a single arrow, and the archer with the highest-scoring arrow will win.

- If tied after one arrow, a second tiebreaking arrow will be shot for score.
- If after two arrows are shot and the score is still tied, a third tiebreaking arrow will be shot and the archer with the third arrow that measures closest to the centre will win.

Tiebreaker Rules for Teams

Each team member will shoot a single arrow. After the first three tiebreaking arrows are shot, the team with the highest score will win.

- If still tied, another three-arrow end will be shot for score.
- If still tied, a third end of three arrows will be shot for score. If tied, the team with the single arrow measuring closest to the centre will win. If tied, the second (or third) arrow measuring closest to the centre will determine the winner.



Ranking

- The two losers of the semi-finals matches compete in the bronze medal final.
- For the other rounds, the process for ranking the losers with the same score (in the same round) is as follows: the archers are co-ranked at the same position and the subsequent place will take into consideration the number of tied archers.

Penalties/Disqualification Rules

There are set penalties for infractions. The most common are: loss of the value of any arrow shot after the allocated time and having to return behind the waiting line in case of an incorrect relay in the team event.

Protests/Appeals

A participant can appeal any unfair issue, with the exception of the value of a judged arrow.

Differences with World Championships

- There are more participants in the FITA Outdoor World Championships (more than 500 from about 80 countries)
- The archers shoot qualifications over four distances—FITA Round—90m, 70m, 50m and 30m for men and 70m, 60m, 50m and 30m for women.
- Other archery disciplines: Indoor, Field, Ski Archery, 3D Archery.

World and Olympic Records

Individual Men Olympic Records

Type of Record	Archer	Country	Record	Date	Place
12 Arrow Match	OH Kyo-Moon	KOR	115	01.08.1996	Atlanta, USA
70m Round (72 Arrows)	FRANGILLI M.	ITA	684	31.07.1996	Atlanta, USA

Individual Women Olympic Records

Type of Record	Archer	Country	Record	Date	Place
12 Arrow Match	KIM Soo-Nyung	KOR	114	01.07.1992	Barcelona, ESP
70m Round (72 Arrows)	HERASYMENKO L.	UKR	673	01.07.1996	Atlanta, USA

Team Men Olympic Records

Type of Record	Archers	Country	Record	Date	Place
24 Arrow Match					
3 x 72 Arrows 70m Round	JANG Yong-Ho	KOR	2031	01.07.1996	Atlanta, USA
	KIM Bo-Ram	KOR			
	OH Kyo-Moon	KOR			

Team Women Olympic Records

Type of Record	Archers	Country	Record	Date	Place
24 Arrow Match					
3 x 72 Arrows 70m Round	KIM Soo-Nyung	KOR	1994	16.09.2000	Sydney, AUS
	KIM Nam-Soon	KOR			
	YUN Mi-Jin	KOR			

Individual Men World Records

Type of Record	Archer	Country	Record	Date	Place
12 Arrow Match	CHOI Won-Jong	KOR	120/0*	18.10.2005	Ulsan, KOR
70m Round (72 Arrows)	IM Dong-Hyun	KOR	687	12.08.2004	Athens, GRE

Individual Women World Records

Type of Record	Archer	Country	Record	Date	Place
12 Arrow Match	YUN Ok-Hee	KOR	119	29.05.2008	Antalya, TUR
70m Round (72 Arrows)	PARK Sung-Hyun	KOR	682	12.08.2004	Athens, GRE

Team Men World Records

Type of Record	Archers	Country	Record	Date	Place
24 Arrow Match	LEE Chang-Hwan	KOR	231	14.07.2007	Leipzig, GER
	KIM Yeon-Chul	KOR			
	IM Dong-Hyun	KOR			
3 x 72 Arrows 70m Round	IM Dong-Hyun	KOR	2039	28.05.2008	Antalya, TUR
	LEE Chang-Hwan	KOR			
	PARK Kyung-Mo	KOR			

Team Women World Records

Type of Record	Archers	Country	Record	Date	Place
24 Arrow Match	YUN Ok-Hee	KOR	228	29.09.2006	Shanghai, CHN
	YUN Mi-Jin	KOR			
	LEE Tuk-Young	KOR			
3 x 72 Arrows 70m Round	PARK Sung-Hyun	KOR	2030	12.08.2004	Athens, GRE
	LEE Sung-Jin	KOR			
	YUN Mi-Jin	KOR			

* /0 means that zero arrow was in the X10 ring.

Equipment

Target

The target face is 122 cm in diameter.
The target face is attached to the target butt.

The target face has 10 concentric scoring rings.
Each ring is 6.1 cm in width. Hence, the inside scoring ring (the 10 ring) is 12.2 cm in diameter.
The outside scoring ring is worth 1 point and the inside ring is worth 10 points.

There are five colours on the target—white for the two outside rings (1 and 2-point rings), then black (3 and 4), light blue (5 and 6), red (7 and 8), and gold (9 and 10). Should an arrow land on the line dividing two rings, it scores the higher score.

(Note: within the 10 ring is a smaller, lighter circle called the X10.
The very centre of the target is called the bull's eye.)

The target is positioned so that its centre is 130 cm above ground give or take 5 cm.
A wind flag is positioned above the centre of each butt. This flag is essential to archers because wind affects their aim. A windsock is also visible on the Field of Play.

Arrows

Arrows are usually made of a combination of aluminium and carbon fibre.
The arrowhead or point is the part of the arrow that sticks into the target.
The nock is the end of the arrow that fits onto the bow string.
The feathers on an arrow are called the fletching or fletch.

Every arrow must be identified with an archer's name or initials.

Arrows can fly close to 250 km/h with a recurve bow.



Bows

Two kinds of bows are used during archery events, the recurve and compound bows. During the Olympic Games, only the recurve bow is allowed. Its limbs curve away from the archer. It is also called a classic bow.

For information, the compound bow has pulleys and cables to make the holding weight less than half of the draw weight. It is a very precise and competitive bow that also provides exciting matches during World Championships and World Cups.

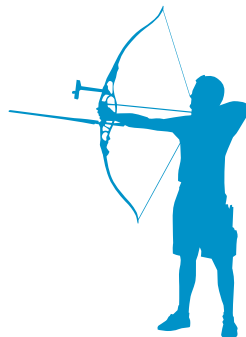
The bow is constructed of high-tech material. Modern risers (handles) are usually made of aluminium or carbon fibre; the limbs are laminated fibreglass, carbon fibre and a wood or synthetic core. The string is a high-strength, low-stretch material.

Other features on a bow include a stabilizer, a sight, upper and lower limbs, a handle riser, a grip, a nock point, an arrow rest, a plunger button and a clicker.



Recurve

Individual Participants – Women



NOC	Name
AUS	FEENEY Alexandra WALLER Jane
BHU	DEMA Dorji
BLR	MULIUK Katsiarina
CAN	BEAUDET Marie-Pier
CHN	CHEN Ling GUO Dan ZHANG Juan Juan
COL	ROMERO Sigrid RENDON Ana Maria SANCHEZ Natalia
CYP	MOUSIKOU Elena
CZE	HORACKOVA Barbora
DEN	LAURSEN Louise
EGY	ABED ELAAL Soha
FRA	ARNOLD Virginie DODEMONT Sophie SCHUH Berengere
GBR	BURGESS Charlotte FOLKARD Naomi WILLIAMSON Alison
GEO	ESEBUA Kristina NARIMANIDZE Khatuna
GER	HITZLER Anja
GRE	PSARRA Evangelia ROMANTZI Elpida
INA	PUSPITASARI Rina Dewi ROCHMAWATI Ika Yuliana
IND	DEVI Laishram Bombayla BANERJEE Dola VARDINENI Pranitha
IRI	ABTIN Najmeh

NOC	Name
ITA	LIONETTI Pia Carmen TONETTA Elena VALEEVA Natalia
JPN	HAYAKAWA Nami HAYASHI Yuki KITABATAKE Sayoko
KAZ	BANNOVA Anastassiya
KOR	JOO Hyun-Jung PARK Sung-Hyun YUN Ok-Hee
MAR	ABBOUDA Khadija
MEX	AVITIA Mariana ROMAN Aida
MRI	MARRIER D'UNIENVILLE Véronique
POL	CWIENCZEK Malgorzata MARCINKIEWICZ Iwona MOSPINEK Justyna
PRK	KWON Un Sil SON Hye Yong
RUS	DAGBAEVA Miroslava ERDYNIEVA Natalia
SUI	DIELEN Nathalie
TJK	KAMALETDINOVA Albina
TPE	WEI Pi-Hsiu WU Hui Ju YUAN Shu Chi
TUR	SATIR Zekiye Keskin
UKR	BEREZHNA Tetyana KOVAL Victoria
USA	LORIG Khatuna NICHOLS Jennifer
VEN	BRITO Leydis

Individual Participants – Men

NOC	Name
AUS	GRAY Matthew KIM Ha-Neul NARAY Michael
BHU	TASHI Peljor
BLR	KUNDA Maxim
BRA	TRAININI Luiz
BUL	PAVLOV Daniel
CAN	BURNES John David DUENAS Crispin LYON Jay
CHN	JIANG Lin LI Wenquan XUE Hai Feng
CUB	STEVENS Juan Carlos
CZE	BULIR Martin
DEN	DALL Niels
EGY	YOUSSEF Maged
ESP	MORILLO Daniel
FIN	HATAVA Matti
FRA	GIROUILLE Romain VALLADONT Jean-Charles
GBR	GODFREY Laurence TERRY Simon WILLS Alan
GER	PIEPER Jens
IND	CHAMPIA Mangal Singh
IRI	HOJATOLLAH Vaezi
ITA	DI BUO Ilario GALIAZZO Marco NESPOLI Mauro
JPN	FURUKAWA Takaharu MORIYA Ryuichi

NOC	Name
KOR	IM Dong-Hyun LEE Chang-Hwan PARK Kyung-Mo
MAS	CHENG Chu Sian BIN SULAIMAN Muhammad Marbawi WAN ABD AZIZ Wan Mohd Khalmizam
MEX	SERRANO Juan Rene VELEZ SANCHEZ Luis Eduardo
MYA	NAY Myo Aung
PHI	JAVIER Mark
POL	DOBROWOLSKI Rafal PIATEK Piotr PROC Jacek
POR	POMBO Nuno
QAT	SALEM Ali
ROU	BODNAR Alexandru
RSA	HARTLEY Calvin
RUS	ABRAMOV Andrey BADENOV Bair TSYREMPILOV Baljinima
SAM	MUAAUSA Walter Joseph
SWE	PETERSSON Magnus
TPE	CHEN Szu Yuan KUO Cheng Wei WANG Cheng Pang
TUR	ERGIN Yusuf Goktug
UKR	IVASHKO Markiyon RUBAN Viktor SERDYUK Oleksandr
USA	ELLISON Brady JOHNSON Richard WUNDERLE Victor

Team Participants

Women's Team Participants

All teams consist of three athletes. Names of archers are recorded on the previous pages.

CHN People's Republic of China

COL Colombia

FRA France

GBR Great Britain

IND India

ITA Italy

JPN Japan

KOR Korea

POL Poland

TPE Chinese Taipei

Total Teams: 10



Men's Team Participants

All teams consist of three athletes. Names of archers are recorded on the previous pages.

AUS Australia

CAN Canada

CHN People's Republic of China

GBR Great Britain

ITA Italy

KOR Korea

MAS Malaysia

POL Poland

RUS Russian Federation

TPE Chinese Taipei

UKR Ukraine

USA United States of America

Total Teams: 12

Total number of countries for team and individual events: 49



Olympic Medallists 1972-2004

Individual Events

Women			Men	
Athens 2004				
Gold	PARK Sung-Hyun	KOR	Marco GALIAZZO	ITA
Silver	LEE Sung-Jin	KOR	Hiroshi YAMAMOTO	JPN
Bronze	Alison WILLIAMSON	GBR	Tim CUDDIHY	AUS
Sydney 2000				
Gold	YUN Mi-Jin	KOR	Simon FAIRWEATHER	AUS
Silver	KIM Nan-Soon	KOR	Victor WUNDERLE	USA
Bronze	KIM Soo-Nyung	KOR	Wietse VAN ALTEN	NED
Atlanta 1996				
Gold	KIM Kyung-Wook	KOR	Justin HUIISH	USA
Silver	HE Ying	CHN	Magnus PETERSSON	SWE
Bronze	Olena SADOVNYCHA	UKR	OH Kyo-Moon	KOR
Barcelona 1992				
Gold	CHO Youn-Jeong	KOR	Sebastien FLUTE	FRA
Silver	KIM Soo-Nyung	KOR	CHUNG Jae-Hun	KOR
Bronze	Natalia VALEEVA	EUN	Simon TERRY	GBR
Seoul 1988				
Gold	KIM Soo-Nyung	KOR	Jay BARRS	USA
Silver	WANG Hee-Kyung	KOR	SUNG Soo-Park	KOR
Bronze	YUN Young-Sook	KOR	Vladimir ECHEEV	URS
Los Angeles 1984				
Gold	SEO Hyang-Soon	KOR	Darrell PACE	USA
Silver	LI Lingjuan	CHN	Richard MCKINNEY	USA
Bronze	KIM Jin-Ho	KOR	Hiroshi YAMAMOTO	JPN
Moscow 1980				
Gold	Keto LOSABERIDZE	URS	Tomi POIKOLAINEN	FIN
Silver	Natalia BOUTOUSOVA	URS	Boris ISACHENKO	URS
Bronze	Paivi MERILUOTO	FIN	Giancarlo FERRARI	ITA
Montreal 1976				
Gold	Luann RYON	USA	Darrell PACE	USA
Silver	Valentina KOVPAN	URS	Hiroshi MICHINAGA	JPN
Bronze	Zebiniso RUSTAMOVA	URS	Giancarlo FERRARI	ITA
Munich 1972				
Gold	Doreen WILBER	USA	John WILLIAMS	USA
Silver	Irena SZYDLOWSKA	POL	Gunnar JERVILL	SWE
Bronze	Emma GAPCHENKO	URS	Kvosti LAASONEN	FIN

For results of the 1900, 1904, 1908 and 1920 Olympic Games, please consult www.archery.org

Olympic Medallists 1988-2004

Team Events

	Women	Men
Athens 2004		
Gold	KOR PARK Sung-Hyun LEE Sung-Jin YUN Mi-Jin	KOR IM Dong-Hyun PARK Kyung-Mo JANG Yong-Ho
Silver	CHN HE Ying ZHANG Juan Juan LIN Sang	TPE CHEN Szu Yuan LIU Ming Huang WANG Cheng Pang
Bronze	TPE YUAN Shu Chi WU Hui Ju CHEN Li Ju	UKR Dmytro HRACHOV Viktor RUBAN Oleksandr SERDYUK
Sydney 2000		
Gold	KOR YUN Mi-Jin KIM Nam-Soon KIM Soo-Nyung	KOR KIM Chung-Tae OH Kyo-Moon JANG Yong-Ho
Silver	UKR Kateryna SERDYUK Nataliya BURDEYNA Olena SADOVNYCHA	ITA Michele FRANGILLI Ilario DI BUO Matteo BISIANI
Bronze	GER Cornelia PFOHL Barbara MENSING Sandra SACHSE	USA Victor WUNDERLE Richard JOHNSON Rodney WHITE



	Women	Men
Atlanta 1996		
Gold	KOR KIM Jo-Sun KIM Kyung-Wook YOUN Hye-Young	USA Justin HUIISH Richard JOHNSON Rod WHITE
Silver	GER Barbara MENSING Cornelia PFOHL Sandra WAGNER	KOR OH Kyo-Moon JANG Yong-Ho KIM Bo-Ram
Bronze	POL Iwona DZIECIOL Katarzyna KLATA Joanna NOWICKA	ITA Andrea PARENTI Michele FRANGILLI Matteo BISIANI
Barcelona 1992		
Gold	KOR LEE Eun-Kyung CHO Youn-Jeong KIM Soo-Nyung	ESP Juan Carlos HOLGADO Antonio VAZQUEZ Antonio MENENDEZ
Silver	CHN WANG Hong WANG Xiaozhu MA Xiangjun	FIN Ismo FALCK Jari LIPPONEN Tomi POIKOLAINEN
Bronze	EUN Natalia VALEEVA Ludmila ARZANIKOVA Khatuna KURIVISHVILI	GBR Richard PRIESTMAN Steve HALLARD Simon TERRY
Seoul 1988		
Gold	KOR KIM Soo-Nyung WANG Hee-Kyung YUN Young-Sook	KOR CHUN In-Soo LEE Han-Sup PARK Sung-Soo
Silver	INA Lilies HANDAYANI Nurfitriyana SAIMAN Kusuma WARDHANI	USA Jay BARRS Richard MCKINNEY Darrell PACE
Bronze	USA Debra OCHS Denise PARKER Melanie SKILLMAN	GBR Steve HALLARD Richard PRIESTMAN Leroy WATSON

Olympic Games Medal Table

Medal Table - Olympic Games 1900-2004

Individual and Team

Rank	NOC	Gold Men	Silver Men	Bronze Men	Gold Women	Silver Women	Bronze Women	Gold Total	Silver Total	Bronze Total	Total
1	Korea	3	3	1	11	4	3	14	7	4	25
2	USA	9	6	5	4	2	3	13	8	8	29
3	Belgium	10	5	3	0	0	0	10	5	3	18
4	France	6	11	6	0	0	0	6	11	6	23
5	Great Britain	1	1	3	1	1	2	2	2	5	9
6	Soviet Union	0	1	1	1	2	2	1	3	3	7
7	Italy	1	1	3	0	0	0	1	1	3	5
8	Finland	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	2	4
9	Australia	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	2
9	Netherlands	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	2
11	Spain	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
12	China	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	4	0	4
13	Japan	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	3
14	Sweden	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
15	Ukraine	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	1	2	3
16	Chinese Taipei	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	2
16	Germany	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	2
16	Poland	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	1	2
19	Indonesia	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1
20	Unified Team*	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	2
	TOTAL	34	34	27	17	17	17	51	51	44	146

*Unified Team / EUN (teams from former Soviet Union in 1992)



Major Event Results 2005-2008

World Championships Medallists - Individual Events

	Women	Men
Leipzig 2007		
Gold	VALEEVA Natalia ITA	IM Dong-Hyun KOR
Silver	PARK Sung-Hyun KOR	TSYREMPILOV Baljinima RUS
Bronze	ERDNYIEVA Natalya RUS	WILLS Alan GBR
Madrid 2005		
Gold	LEE Sung-Jin KOR	CHUNG Jae-Hun KOR
Silver	LEE Tuk-Young KOR	MORIYA Ryuichi JPN
Bronze	PARK Sung-Hyun KOR	CHOI Won-Jong KOR

World Championships Medallists - Team Events

	Women	Men
Leipzig 2007		
Gold	Korea	Korea
Silver	Chinese Taipei	Great Britain
Bronze	Great Britain	Chinese Taipei
Madrid 2005		
Gold	Korea	Korea
Silver	Ukraine	India
Bronze	Russian Federation	Poland



World Cup Medallists - Individual Events

	Women	Men
Dubai 2007		
Gold	BANERJEE Dola IND	TSYREMPILOV Baljinima RUS
Silver	CHOI Eun-Young KOR	SERRANO Juan Rene MEX
Bronze	ERDNYIEVA Natalya RUS	WILLS Alan GBR
Merida 2006		
Gold	ZHANG Juan Juan CHN	PARK Kyung-Mo KOR
Silver	QIAN Jialing CHN	DI BUO Ilario ITA
Bronze	TONETTA Elena ITA	PETERSSON Magnus SWE

The Stars

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Extracted results – Complete biographies are available on www.archery.org

World Ranking: 19



Juan Rene SERRANO (MEX)

Born 23 Feb 1984



2 nd Ind.	World Cup Final Dubai	2007
10 th Ind.	Pan American Games Rio de Janeiro	2007
3 rd Team	Pan American Games Rio de Janeiro	2007
3 rd Ind.	World Cup Antalya	2007
4 th Ind.	World Cup Dover	2007
2 nd Ind.	Pan American Champ. Rio de Janeiro	2006

World Ranking: 2



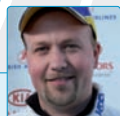
Baljinima TSYREMPILOV (RUS)

Born 29 Oct 1975



1 st Ind.	European Championships Vittel	2008
3 rd Ind.	World Cup Santo Domingo	2008
1 st Ind.	World Cup Final Dubai	2007
2 nd Ind.	World Championships Leipzig	2007
2 nd Ind.	World Cup Varese	2007
1 st Ind.	World Cup Dover	2007

World Ranking: 34



Magnus PETERSSON (SWE)

Born 17 Jun 1975



11 th Ind.	World Championships Leipzig	2007
3 rd Ind.	World Cup Final Merida	2006
2 nd Ind.	World Cup Porec	2006
1 st Ind.	European Championships Athens	2006
4 th Ind.	Olympic Games Sydney	2000
2 nd Ind.	Olympic Games Atlanta	1996

World Ranking: 6



Simon TERRY (GBR)

Born 27 Mar 1974



5 th Ind.	World Cup Boe	2008
4 th Ind.	World Championships Leipzig	2007
2 nd Team	World Championships Leipzig	2007
3 rd Ind.	World Cup Dover	2007
3 rd Ind.	Olympic Games Barcelona	1992
3 rd Team	Olympic Games Barcelona	1992

World Ranking

1	IM Dong-Hyun	Korea	253.00
2	Baljinima TSYREMPILOV	Russia	236.00
3	PARK Kyung-Mo	Korea	180.00
4	Romain GIROUILLE	France	178.20
5	Alan WILLS	Great Britain	168.10
6	Simon TERRY	Great Britain	161.70
7	Viktor RUBAN	Ukraine	160.87
8	Rahul BANERJEE	India	158.85

World Ranking: 3



PARK Kyung-Mo (KOR)

Born 15 Aug 1975



3 rd Ind.	World Cup Antalya	2008
1 st Ind.	World Cup Final Merida	2006
1 st Ind.	World Cup Antalya	2006
5 th Ind.	Olympic Games Athens	2004
1 st Team	Olympic Games Athens	2004
3 rd Ind.	World Championships Beijing	2001

World Ranking: 25



Marco GALIAZZO (ITA)

Born 7 May 1983



5 th Ind.	European Championships Vittel	2008
1 st Team	Indoor World Championships Izmir	2007
4 th Ind.	World Cup Porec	2006
1 st Ind.	Olympic Games Athens	2004
1 st Ind.	European Championships Brussels	2004
1 st Team	Indoor World Championships Nimes	2003

World Ranking: 1



IM Dong-Hyun (KOR)

Born 12 May 1986



1 st Ind.	World Cup Antalya	2008
1 st Ind.	World Championships Leipzig	2007
1 st Team	World Championships Leipzig	2007
1 st Ind.	Asian Games Doha	2006
1 st Team	Asian Games Doha	2006
1 st Team	Olympic Games Athens	2004

World Ranking: 16



XUE Hai Feng (CHN)

Born 13 Jan 1980



4 th Ind.	World Cup Boe	2008
7 th Ind.	World Championships Leipzig	2007
5 th Ind.	Asian Championships Xi'an	2007
4 th Ind.	World Cup Antalya	2007
5 th Ind.	World Cup Porec	2006
12 th Ind.	Olympic Games Athens	2004

The Stars

RECURVE WOMEN

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World Ranking: 1



YUN Ok-Hee (KOR)

Born 1 March 1985



2 nd Ind.	World Cup Boe	2008
1 st Ind.	World Cup Antalya	2008
1 st Ind.	World Cup Porec	2008
2 nd Ind.	Asian Games Doha	2006
1 st Team	Asian Games Doha	2006
1 st Ind.	World Cup Shanghai	2006

World Ranking: 12



Dola BANERJEE (IND)

Born 2 Jun 1980



1 st Ind.	World Cup Final Dubai	2007
6 th Ind.	World Cup Ulsan	2007
1 st Ind.	World Cup Dover	2007
4 th Ind.	Asian Games Doha	2006
1 st Ind.	Commonwealth Championships New Delhi	2006
1 st Ind.	European Grand Prix Antalya	2005

World Ranking: 6



ZHANG Juan Juan (CHN)

Born 2 Jan 1981



3 rd Ind.	World Cup Boe	2008
4 th Ind.	World Cup Final Dubai	2007
6 th Ind.	World Championships Leipzig	2007
2 nd Ind.	World Cup Dover	2007
1 st Ind.	World Cup Final Merida	2006
2 nd Team	Asian Games Doha	2006

World Ranking: 4



Natalya ERDYNIEVA (RUS)

Born 6 Aug 1988



2 nd Ind.	World Cup Santo Domingo	2008
3 rd Ind.	World Cup Final Dubai	2007
3 rd Ind.	World Championships Leipzig	2007
2 nd Ind.	World Cup Varese	2007
1 st Ind.	World Cup Antalya	2007
2 nd Team	Junior World Championships Merida	2006

World Ranking

1	YUN Ok-Hee	Korea	256.50
2	PARK Sung-Hyun	Korea	247.00
3	Natalia VALEEVA	Italy	244.00
4	Natalya ERDYNIEVA	Russia	191.50
5	Justyna MOSPINEK	Poland	186.30
6	ZHANG Juan Juan	PR China	179.35
7	Berengere SCHUH	France	160.00
8	Victoria KOVAL	Ukraine	147.03

World Ranking: 3



Natalia VALEEVA (ITA)

Born 15 Nov 1969



1 st Ind.	World Cup Santo Domingo	2008
1 st Ind.	World Championships Leipzig	2007
1 st Ind.	Indoor World Championships 1991, 95, 99, 2001	
1 st Ind.	World Championships Djakarta	1995
3 rd Ind.	Olympic Games Barcelona	1992
3 rd Team	Olympic Games Barcelona	1992

World Ranking: 2



PARK Sung-Hyun (KOR)

Born 1 Jan 1983



1 st Ind.	World Cup Boe	2008
2 nd Ind.	World Championships Leipzig	2007
1 st Ind.	World Cup Ulsan	2006
1 st Ind.	Olympic Games Athens	2004
1 st Team	Olympic Games Athens	2004
1 st Ind.	World Championships Beijing	2001

World Ranking: 5



Justyna MOSPINEK (POL)

Born 8 Nov 1983



2 nd Ind.	World Cup Porec	2008
8 th Ind.	World Championships Leipzig	2007
4 th Ind.	World Cup Dover	2007
2 nd Ind.	Good Luck Beijing	2007
6 th Ind.	World Cup Shanghai	2006
1 st Ind.	Grand Prix Sassari	2006

World Ranking: 9



Jennifer NICHOLS (USA)

Born 8 Oct 1983



5 th Ind.	World Cup Boe	2008
4 th Ind.	World Championships Leipzig	2007
1 st Ind.	Pan American Games Rio de Janeiro	2007
6 th Ind.	Good Luck Beijing	2007
1 st Ind.	Pan American Champ. Rio de Janeiro	2006
9 th Ind.	Olympic Games Athens	2004

Olympic History



Archery Olympic History

Archery first appeared in the Olympic Games in 1900 and was contested again in 1904, 1908, and 1920. Women competed in the 1904 Olympics, making archery one of the first sports competitions to include women. In those four Games it was possible for an archer to compete in numerous events and win several medals. Hubert van Innis from Belgium is the most decorated archer in Olympic history, winning six gold medals and three silvers in 1900 and 1920.

Archery was re-introduced to the Olympic program in 1972 with individual events for men and for women in which John Williams and Doreen Wilber, of the USA, captured the gold medals. In Seoul 1988, the team competition was added to the medal programme. Barcelona 1992 was the first time that archery featured exciting head-to-head competition and single elimination matches.

Atlanta 1996

The Atlanta 1996 Games marked a new milestone for the exposure of archery. Never before have so many spectators been able to watch archery live on television or in the stands as 54,680 spectators attended the competitions. The Atlanta archery coverage won the Golden Rings Award from the IOC for the best Olympic Sports coverage.

Sydney 2000

One change from the 1996 Olympics was that the team competition was held on two days rather than the one-day format used in Atlanta. This new format for the team competition allowed for the men and women to have their own full day of matches. This change enhanced the enjoyment of the spectators and the worldwide television audience. This will still be the case for Beijing 2008.

Athens 2004

In Athens, archery athletes had the unique chance of competing in the Panathinaiko Stadium where the first Olympic Games of the modern era took place in 1896. The Panathinaiko Stadium was built on the ruins of an ancient stadium built in 329 B.C.

"I think we had the best venue of them all!" said Jim Easton, President of the International Archery Federation (FITA) in 2004. "The staging of our sport in such a historic place certainly added something very special. The Olympic Games in themselves are already a unique occasion for an athlete, so adding this extra dimension of being able to compete in this beautiful marble stadium where the first Games of the modern era took place—well, you could say it marks yet another place in history, one which I am sure each athlete treasured. And no doubt it was very special for the spectators, both on-site and watching on the TV networks around the world. I believe we were able to put on a show worthy of the venue—something which makes everyone very proud."

FITA is convinced that the dedicated archery stadium in Beijing and the work of everyone will also mark a new milestone for exciting archery competitions.



World of Archery

Worldwide

- > 6 million archers worldwide
 - > 139 FITA Member Associations
 - > 950 million TV viewers (cumulative) in 2007
 - > www.archery.org: 1 million visits in the first six months of 2008
 - > www.archery.tv on YouTube: 500,000 visits in the first six months of 2008
 - > Top countries around the world include:
- Asia : Korea, India, China, Japan, Malaysia
- Europe: Russia, Italy, Great Britain, France, Turkey, Ukraine, Poland, Sweden
- Americas: USA, Mexico, El Salvador, Brazil
- Oceania: Australia

A truly worldwide sport!

FITA Personnel in Beijing

President: Prof. Dr. Ugur Erdener (TUR)

Secretary General/Executive Director: Tom Dielen (BEL)

First Vice-President: Paul H. Paulsen (NOR)

Vice-Presidents:

Philippe Bouclet (FRA) / Sanguan Kosavinta (THA) / Ernesto Diaz Bazan (ESA)

Technical Delegates: Juan Carlos Holgado (ESP) / Kotaro Hata (JPN)

Anti-Doping Adminsitrator: Francoise Dagouret (FRA)

Communication Director: Didier Mieville (SUI)

Communication Coordinator: Ludivine Maitre Wicki (SUI)



FITA – Fédération Internationale de Tir à l'Arc International Archery Federation

The International Archery Federation (FITA) was founded in 1931 at a meeting in Lwow, Poland. Seven founding nations were present: France, Italy, Hungary, Poland, Sweden, the United States and the former Czechoslovakia.

The head office for FITA is in Lausanne, Switzerland. Prof. Dr. Ugur Erdener, from Turkey, was elected President in 2005.

According to its Constitution, FITA's main objective is, "to promote and encourage archery throughout the world in conformity with the Olympic principles."

FITA makes and interprets the FITA Rules; supervises the organisation of World Championships, World Cups and other international competitions; and promotes archery through the media and sponsors.

Archery was part of the Olympic Movement from 1900-1920 and has been permanently a part of the Olympic Games since 1972, when the IOC returned the elegant sport of archery to the Olympic programme. Women competed in the 1904 Olympics, making archery one of the first sports competitions to include women. In 1961, FITA became the first International Sports Federation to elect a woman president.

FITA has held World Championships since 1931. Since 1991, FITA has included eight disciplines. In 2006, FITA launched the Archery World Cup.

FITA Headquarter at the Maison du Sport International - Photo © CIO-Richard Juillart



Calendar

The Archery World Cup: an Innovative Concept...aiming high!

- Four stages and one grand Final in spectacular locations.
- Final 2006 in Merida, at the Mayapan Pyramids (MEX), and Final 2007 in Dubai (photos)

2008

1-6	Sept.	Field Archery World Championships	Llwynypia (GBR)
6-17	Sept.	2008 Paralympic Games, Archery 9-15 Sept.	Beijing (CHN)
27	Sept.	Archery World Cup Final	Lausanne (SUI)
6-11	Oct.	Youth Archery World Championships	Antalya (TUR)

2009

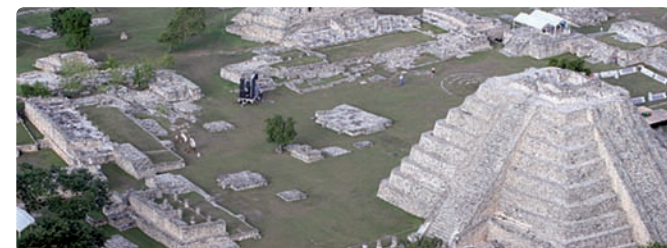
2-8	March	Indoor Archery World Championships	Rzeszow (POL)
31 March-5	April	Archery World Cup Stage 1	Santo Domingo (DOM)
4-9	May	Archery World Cup Stage 2	Porec (CRO)
2-7	June	Archery World Cup Stage 3	Antalya (TUR)
2-12	July	Summer Universiade, Archery: 2-6 July	Belgrade (SRB)
13-19	July	Youth Archery World Championships (Youth Olympic Games Qualifiers)	Ogden (USA)
13-26	July	World Games, Archery: 23-26 July	Kaohsiung (TPE)
4-9	Aug.	Archery World Cup Stage 4	Shanghai (CHN)
1-10	Sept.	Archery World Championships	Ulsan (KOR)
26	Sept.	Archery World Cup Final	Copenhagen (DEN)
10-18	Oct.	World Masters Games, Archery: 11-17 October	Sydney (AUS)

2010

3-14	Oct.	Commonwealth Games, Archery: 4-9 October	Delhi (IND)
12-27	Nov.	Asian Games (Archery included)	Guangzhou (CHN)
tbd		Archery World Cup Final	Edinburgh (GBR)

2011

14-30	Oct.	Pan American Games (Archery included)	Guadalajara (MEX)
tbd		Archery World Cup Final	Istanbul (TUR)



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