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Did you know...

...the BC Winter Games are held every 2 years in different cities around the Province? This is BC's premier multi-sport event for young athletes, coaches, and officials and will be happening in February 2018 in Kamloops. Cadet-aged athletes are encouraged to tryout for their Zone team. This is an invaluable experience to compete with other archers in the province, and to meet athletes from other sports that share their passion and drive to excel. Up-to-date information can be found on our [website](#).

World Championships—2017 complete, 2018 around the corner!

Our [Youth World Championships](#) competitors met with wet & windy conditions in Rosario, offering challenges they wouldn't normally face at home in BC. Wind gusts up to 60km/hr blew over target butts and threw around tents on practice day, but settled down a bit when competition started. Elissa Foley, Cadet Recurve, finished tied for 57th. Emerie Watson, Cadet Compound, finished tied for 33rd, and her team finished tied for 9th. Jordan Adachi, Junior Compound, finished tied for 17th, and his team went on to win a Silver medal! Congratulations to all of you. You've made the province proud.

Brian Maxwell competed at his first [Senior Worlds in Mexico City](#). Brian finished tied for 17th, and his team went on to compete in the Bronze medal match, losing to Korea in 3 straight sets. Brian's 6 arrows were the highest scoring of the 3-member team, proving that he is a force to be reckoned with. Way to go, Brian! Well done.

2018 is just around the corner, and the next big event is the [Indoor World Championships](#), to be held in Yankton, South Dakota. Three Canadian athletes in each of the Junior and Senior divisions of Recurve and Compound, Men and Women, will be selected to represent the nation, based on the Archery Canada Team Selection criteria. Check the documents on the [AC website](#) to see if you will be eligible to compete at this great event.

Targeted Athlete Program—Deadline November 15th

Deadline for applications for the Targeted Athlete Program is November 15th. Please submit your application form and supporting documentation as per the website. ([bottom left corner: CSI/PS Targeted Athlete Program](#))

Guest Insurance Reports due October 31st

All member clubs are reminded that the Guest Insurance reporting is due on October 31st. [Instructions and guidelines](#) can be found on the website.

JOP News

Any clubs interested in hosting the JOP program must have at least one certified coach overseeing the program. Minimum acceptable certification is Instructor of Beginner Archers. Please see the [policy](#) for more details.

Bids have been received for the JOP Indoors and JOP Outdoors and have been awarded to the following clubs:

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| <u>Indoors</u> , April 8 at all venues: | <u>Outdoors</u> : |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Silvertip, Prince George • Maple Ridge Archery • SOSA or Armstrong (tbd) | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quesnel River Archers, June 16 or 17 • Starr Archery, Abbotsford, June 16 |

We are still looking for venues to host in Zones 1, 6 and 7. If your club is able to put on a 900-round for Outdoors and a double 300-round for Indoors (neither are registered events), please contact the [JOP Chair](#) or the [Executive Director](#) to submit your request.

BC Winter Games



BC Winter Games trials will be held in late November, early December in each of the Zones. Please check out the [BCWG info page](#) on our website for details of the event, eligibility and dates for the Trials. Preregistration is required to attend the Trials.

BC Archery Championships—mark your calendars!

The BC Archery Championship events have been awarded to the following 3 clubs:

BC Indoor Target Championships: Victoria Bowmen, Easter weekend, 2018 & 2019

BC 3D Championships: Cariboo Archers, Williams Lake, June 23/24, 2018 & June 22/23, 2019

BC Outdoor Championships: Silvertip Archers, Prince George, Labour Day weekend 2018

More information about registration and accommodations will be posted on the [Calendar](#) page of the website within a few months of each event.

Canada Winter Games 2019

Selection criteria is now posted on our [CWG info page](#). Any athlete that shoots Recurve or Compound and is Junior age or younger (born in 1999 or later) may be eligible to try out for the Games. Check the document and refer back to the info page for updates.



Head Coach: Linda Price

Team Manager: Paul van Tassel

New membership forms

The 2018 membership forms are loaded on the website. Any new members joining or current members renewing can sign-up now and have their memberships valid through December 2018.

Don't wait til the last minute! Be proactive and [renew your membership](#) now.

Any clubs hosting the JOP program were emailed the new forms. In case you've misplaced the email, the form can be downloaded from the website.



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