PARA-ARCHERY EUROPEAN CUP CIRCUIT Rules V4.1 April 2024

Art 1 - Definition

- The Para-archery European Cup Circuit will consist of 2 European Para-archery events that will be shot according to World Archery (WA) and World Archery Europe (WAE) Rules.
- The 2 events will take place within a calendar year and will host Para-archery Divisions.
- The results of the Para-Archery European Cup will be based on an accumulation of the WRE rankings for individual archers, and national mixed teams.
- Archers and teams from countries who are not WAE MAs can attend the tournament but are not considered in the European Cup ranking results.

Art 2 - Organization

- Only Member Associations of WAE may apply to host a leg of the Para-archery European Cup.
- Standard WRE administrative procedures apply.
- WAE Executive Board will allocate the events. WAE will support application for World Ranking Status (WRS) for each leg.
- WAE Executive Board will appoint a Technical Delegate (TD) for each of the Para—archery European Cup events and request that 3 WAE Continental Judges are appointed by the WAE Judges Committee.
- A Jury of Appeal will be appointed by the TD at the event: a Chairman and 2 members as well as 2 alternates.

Art. 3 – Competition

- Each leg of the Para-Archery European Cup shall include individual and mixed team events (qualification rounds and elimination rounds to finals).
- A maximum number of 6 athletes per country are allowed to be registered into each category of the event. Only 4 archers per country will be included in the European Para Cup ranking.
- Awards will be made in all official WA categories, except the Visually Impaired divisions.
- The ranking of the European Cup will be based on an accumulation of points that archers and mixed teams obtained at both events.

Art. 4 – Allocation of points per event

For each leg, individual and mixed teams can obtain points and bonus points as follows:

- Top WAE MAs individuals/mixed team at the qualification rounds ranking:
 - o 1st best ranked 10 points
 - o 2nd best ranked 8 points
 - o 3rd best ranked 6 points
 - 4th best ranked 4 points
 - 5th best ranked 2 points
- Bonus points on ¼ finals to finals results. 1 point will be awarded each time the archer or team wins a match. Points will be awarded even when opponents are from countries which are not WAE MAs.
 - Gold medal 3 points
 - Silver or Bronze medal 2 points
 - o 4th place 1 point

Art. 5 - Para-Archery European Cup ranking

- The ranking and result of the 2024 Para-Archery European Cup is the accumulation of the points that each individual and team obtains in the 2 legs.
- For the mixed team, the result is by country. Archers making up the mixed team do not have to be the same at both events.
- For individuals and mixed teams, ties will be broken firstly by attendance at both events and secondly by cumulative qualification round score.

Art 6 - Award ceremony/Medals

- An award ceremony for the European Para Archery Cup is organized at the end of the second leg award ceremony.
- The medals for the final ranking for the top 3 individuals in each category and 3 mixed teams will be provided by WAE.

