



Title	State Indoor Matchplay Manual
Date	30/5/24

Archery Victoria – State Indoor Matchplay TO Manual

This event is designed to be in addition to the State Indoor Championships and will use the State Indoor to select the participants from this event. This will give our archers more exposure to matchplay, using the benefits of a mutual distance/target face size to encourage more heavily contested divisions.

We are also presenting the state medals at this competition and holding a second chance tournament at the conclusion of the event, which we hope will encourage archers to stick around throughout the day, to watch the matches. And give our archers more experience at shooting with spectators present.

The archers competing will be the Top 4 in the following groups, as ranked after the Indoor State Championships.

- **Open Men’s Compound**
- **Open Men’s Recurve**
- **Open Women’s Compound**
- **Open Women’s Recurve**
- **U18 Recurve**
- **U18 Compound**
- **All Barebow**
- **All Longbow**

Open – Includes U21, Open, Masters, Vets, Vet +

U18 – Includes U18, U16, U14, U12. Boys and Girls Combined.

Competitors can only compete in ONE division even if they qualify for more than one. They may choose the division they compete in.

If a competitor turns down a spot then the offer moves down to the next qualified person.

Ranking

Archers will be seeded following their results from the Indoor State Championships.

Gold Medal Match

Winners of the semi finals

Longbow/Barebow Gold Matches shot concurrently, as are the U18 Compound/Recurve Gold Matches. Open Recurve Matches and Open Compound Matches.

Bronze medal match

Losers of the semi finals

All Bronze Matches to be shot concurrently.

Scoring

Scoring Format will be World Archery scoring.

Compound will shoot 5 ends of 3 arrows for a maximum score of 150.

Recurve, Barebow and Longbow will use the set system
9.3mm arrow size limit for matches.

Flipboards are recommended for use, so that spectators can follow the scores of each match. As well as an arrow score caller/commentator during the gold medal matches.

Suggested Timings for Event

- 9:00 Registration
- 9:30 Practice
- 10:00 Semi-Finals
- 10:30-10:40 Verification of Scorecards and re-allocation of matches
- 10:40 Bronze Medal Matches
- 11:10-11:25 Range Shuffled*₁
- 11:25-11:55 Barebow/Longbow Gold Medal Matches
- 11:45-12:25 U18 Recurve/U18 Compound Medal Matches
- 12:25-12:55 Mens Compound/Womens Compound Medal Matches
- 12:55-1:25 Womens Recurve/Mens Recurve Medal Matches
- 1:30-2:30 Lunch Break and Presentation of State/National Indoor Medals and State Matchplay Medals

- 2:30-TBC Vegas style shoot-off*₂ for all archers in (U18 recurve/compound and barebow/longbow) and separately all 4 open divisions. Run as a “second chance” event, but gives those knocked out round 1 another chance to shoot under pressure, venue is encouraged to allocate some prize money to this or engage local sponsors for this section.

*1 Range will be shuffled so as to allow spectators to observe the medal matches in progress. With 1 target butt kept open to the far side of the range to allow those waiting to compete in the following match room to practice. Only available to those in the match immediately following the current match.

*2 Shoot-off format is that all archers will shoot 3 arrows, walk down to the target and collect and keep doing so until the highest score wins. Inner 10 scoring for compound and regular scoring for recurve. For example, if after end 1, the scores are 30,29,29,28. The archer with a 30 has won and the event is concluded, however if the scores are 30,30,30,29. All those who have “tied the highest score” will continue until there is 1 archer left with the highest total score for their 3 arrows. This can last for 1 end or could be multiple.

*Previous Year Statistics
U18 Compound would have featured*

*1 Male
3 Female 1 U18
1 U16
2 U14*

*U18 Recurve would have featured 2 Male
2 Female
2 U18*

1 U16 1 U14

*Barebow would have featured 1 Open Male
1 Open Female
1 50+ Male*

1 60+ Male

*Longbow
3 Open Male 1 50+ Male*

*Open Women's Compound 2 U21
2 Open*