



## 2016 IFAA World Council Meeting 23 & 24/09/2016 - AUSTRALIA

By the time you are reading this, 34 proposals for amendment to either the IFAA Constitution, IFAA By-Laws or IFAA Policies have been sent to all Member Associations. Member Associations now have until the **20<sup>th</sup> of July** to discuss, ask questions, comment or propose amendments to the proposals. After 2 weeks of receipt, the final proposals (amended or not) will be returned to the Member Associations for consideration and vote, which can be cast by proxy or by the delegate attending the WCM in Australia.

# Info

From the Office of the  
Secretary of the International  
Field Archery Association

What's  
happening?



European Professional Archery is a commercially run enterprise acting as promoters of professional tournaments. They promote the PMFU and PFFU professional classes within the IFAA, and they are dedicated to producing a real **Professional Archery Series** within Europe. The concept was created by IFAA Vice President, Steve Kendrick and Alternative Services owner, Tony Goodwin. They also employ a film crew on an ad-hoc basis for each event and have volunteers that work towards the successful promotion of the events.

Since 2007 the Pro Archery Series has grown in stature every year and today it is widely regarded as the **"unofficial world cup"** of Field Archery where the world's top archers compete on the world's toughest courses for their share of the **€ 13,000.00 EURO prize fund per event.**

World class competitors such as Dave Cousins, Ivana Buden, Jesse Broadwater, Jamie Van Natta, Chris White, Liam Grimwood, Stephan Hansen and Tim Gillingham regularly compete in Pro Archery Series events. Every event is presented online to a global audience with live scoring, over four hours of on-demand video coverage with entertaining and expert commentary, and much more - all available for you to watch free of charge.

The 2016 Calendar of the Pro Archery Series...

16/17 April - Fort van Lier - BELGIUM

25/26 June - Cartel Classic - Müllenborn - GERMANY

16/17 July - Doinker Masters - Esch - LUXEMBOURG

3/4 September - Alternative Welsh Masters - Dan-y-Darren - WALES

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## IFAA WORLD RECORDS

We regularly receive queries from individuals to find out if their scores qualify for World or Regional records. Although the IFAA By-Laws Article III section F mentions what records are recognized, it is often not clearly understood why some record scores are recognized while others are not. The principle behind recognizing a record is quite simple:

- **The archer who shoots the record must be a member in good standing with the IFAA member association.** "Guest" archers cannot shoot IFAA records.
- **The tournament must be IFAA sanctioned.** Qualifying for World records currently are:
  - The Field and Hunter Rounds of the World Field Archery Championships
  - The World Indoor Archery and Regional Indoor Championships
  - The Field Rounds and Hunter Rounds of the Regional Field Archery Championships i.e. NAFAC, ARFAC, EFAC, SAFAC, PRFAC [Read more...](#)

The 2016 North American Field Archery Championships (NAFAC) will be hosted by Oranco Bowmen in the picturesque town of Chino, California. The tournament will start on Saturday, 18 June, with a 28 target Field round followed immediately (much to my surprise) by a 28 target Animal round. "A full day's work" for the archers! The tournament will conclude on Sunday, 19 June with a 28 target Hunter round. We wish the NFAA and the organisers a successful and safe tournament.



Only 3 weeks to go before the start of the most historical event in the history of the IFAA. Excitement is building up in Saalbach Hinterglemm with the arrival of the massive amount of 3D targets on 21 May.

The 1740+ participants will also be in good hands after the Range Captains and Marshalls attended a first aid refreshment course on the 14<sup>th</sup> of May. A schedule of the target groups can also be viewed on the EBHC 2016 Facebook page. The IFAA and World Family of Archers want to thank the OBSV, the organisers - UBSV Glemmtal and volunteers for their commitment and dedication in hosting a successful and safe tournament. Watch [here](#) how the organisers prepared for the EBHC 2016.

The EIAC 2016 will be hosted in Oropesa del Mar, Castellon from 02 to 05 November 2016.



The [webpage](#) for the tournament is active and registration is open. Thus far 123 archers has entered with the most entries from Spain and Finland.



Preparation for the WIAC 2017 has started with the [webpage](#) of the tournament going live on the 1<sup>st</sup> of June 2016. The tournament will be hosted by the Romanian Traditional and Field Archery Association in Brasov county, Romania from the 29<sup>th</sup> of March to the 1<sup>st</sup> of April 2017. Registration will open soon.

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