**TO ALL World Archery MEMBER ASSOCIATIONS**

**Dear President,**

On behalf of the Local Organising Committee of the World Archery Youth Championships 2017, and World Archery Argentina (FATARCO); I would like to invite you to the World Archery Youth Championships 2017, 2 – 8 October in Rosario, Argentina.

Please find enclosed the necessary information for registration, organisation and participation for this event. Please complete all the necessary details in WAREOS before the following deadlines:

Summary of deadlines:

* Preliminary Entries 04 July 2017
* Final Entries 11 September 2017
* Hotel Reservation 04 July 2017
* Transportation 04 July 2017
* Visa Support 04 July 2017
* Final Hotel Reservation & Payment 11 September 2017

Looking forward to welcoming you in Rosario, Argentina.

Sincerely yours,



Mr Estanislao Osores Soler

President

Organising Committee

PRELIMINARY PROGRAMME

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| 30 September 2017 | Arrival of participants  Practice field and local transport available |
| 1 October 2017  Sunday | Arrival of participants  Practice field and local transport available |
| 02 October 2017  Monday | **Official Practice and Opening Ceremony**  Equipment Inspection  Team Managers Meeting |
| 03 October 2017  Tuesday | **Qualification Round Recurve and Compound**  (Junior Recurve 70m and Compound 50m Round)  (Cadet Recurve 60m and Cadet Compound 50m Round)  Shoot offs if required |
| 04 October 2017  Wednesday | **Individual Eliminations**  (Junior Recurve 70m and Compound 50m Round)  (Cadet Recurve 60m and Cadet Compound 50m Round) |
| 05 October 2017  Thursday | **Individual Eliminations and Mixed Team**  (Junior Recurve 70m and Compound 50m Round)  (Cadet Recurve 60m and Cadet Compound 50m Round) |
| 06 October 2017  Friday | **Team Eliminations &**  **2018 Youth Olympic Games Qualifier Tournament** |
| 07 October 2017  Saturday | **Finals – Compound** |
| 08 October 2017  Sunday | **Finals – Recurve**  **Closing Ceremony and Party** |
| 09 October 2017  Monday | Departure of teams |

**NOTE:**

This is a preliminary program and could be changed according to the number of participants and TV requirements. All changes will be published and distributed to all participants in good time.

PRELIMINARY & FINAL REGISTRATION

All entries, accommodation reservations, transport needs, flight arrival/departure information and visa invitation letter requests are to be completed using WAREOS.

The World Archery Online Registration System (WAREOS): [http://register.worldarchery.org](http://register.worldarchery.org/) has been updated to handle the entire registration process for this event. No entry forms, hotel reservations or transport forms will be accepted as all information is to be entered into WAREOS.

In order to use WAREOS, please login on [http://register.worldarchery.org](http://register.worldarchery.org/) with your Username and Password assigned by World Archery. After entering WAREOS, please find the event, from the list, for which you wish to register your athletes. Select/press the “Entries” button to see the list of categories in the event. Select/press the “category” to enter the athlete and official numbers/details participating for that event. A "WAREOS User Manual" can be downloaded in PDF format (English) using the same website link.

For any questions regarding the WAREOS, please contact the World Archery office, Mr. JK LEE ([jklee@archery.org](mailto:jklee@archery.org)).

A maximum number of **3 athletes per country** is allowed to be registered into each category of the event. Preliminary entries should be completed using WAREOS.

Start date for online registration using WAREOS **19 April 2017**

End of Preliminary registration using WAREOS: **04 July2017**

End of Final registration using WAREOS: **11 September 2017**

Please respect the stated deadlines.

Member Associations should only use WAREOS to make any changes/amendments to their entries and will be able to do so at any time. Any changes made in WAREOS an email will instantly be automatically sent to the Organising Committee and Member Association with the updated information.

However, for any changes made after the deadlines specified or if entries differ by more than 4 athletes from the preliminary entries, the following penalty fees will automatically be applied.

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| **Penalty fees to be paid to Organising Committee:** | **Cost (USD):** |
| Entries made after the preliminary and/or final entry deadline date. | **50** per entry |
| If final entries differ from the preliminary entries by more than 4 athletes/officials. | **150** per entry |
| Failure to have made preliminary entries before the deadline date but then submitting final entries. | **150** per entry |

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| **Penalty Fee to be paid to World Archery:** | **Cost (USD):** |
| Lost accreditation. | **30** each |
| Changes made to the athlete and/or team official names after the final entry deadline date and within 3 days prior to the start of the event. | **50** each change |

**NOTE:** USD currency exchange rates will be those on the date of the event.

Member Associations that have penalty fees outstanding from 2016 must pay these penalty fees before being eligible to enter and compete.

Any entries received less than 3 days before the team managers meeting for the World Championships will be refused if no preliminary entry and/or final entry are made prior. This decision cannot be appealed by the teams and is fully compliant with the current World Archery rules, article 3.7.1.2. Entries received after the deadlines are subject to penalties as clearly stated in the rule book and the invitation documents of World Cups and World Championships. A Member Association that has made final entries in WAREOS and does not participate will be invoiced for the number of entries entered in the system, unless they have informed World Archery and the Organising Committee in writing at least one week prior to the event that they are unable to attend.

ACCOMMODATION & GENERAL INFORMATION

The official hotels are the Pullman and the Holiday Inn. Hotel allocation will be made on a “first come, first serve basis”. Accommodation rates include breakfast, lunch and dinner buffet with non-alcoholic drinks.

**Lunch will be served at the Jockey Club near the premises used for the qualification rounds.**

Teams that book their own accommodation in hotels not arranged by the Organising Committee will be charged a double entry fee.

* Reservations should be made before: **04 July 2017**
* Final Hotel Reservation & Transportation before: **11 September 2017**.

To confirm hotel reservations, 50% of the total amount deposit is to be paid by a bank transferred to the OC before **04 July 2017**. Reservations after this date will be considered only according to availability.

**1. - PULLMAN HOTEL (five stars)**

* **Single room** USD 200/per person/day (full board)
* **Double/Twin room** USD 150/per person/day (full board)
* **Triple room** USD 120/per person/day (full board)

**BANK INFORMATION for PULLMAN HOTEL ACCOMODATION ONLY**

Standard Chartered Bank, New York, USA

One Madison Ave., New York, NY 10010-3603, USA

Swift code SCBNUS33

ABA 026002561

Beneficiary: Banco Macro S.A., Buenos Aires, Argentina

Ac. 3544032487001

Swift code BOSUARBA

For further credit to **CASINO DE ROSARIO S.A.**

**Ac. 367209405667663**

<http://www.citycenter-rosario.com.ar>

**PULLMAN HOTEL (five stars)**







**2. - HOLIDAY INN HOTEL (four stars)**

* **Single room** USD 200/per person/day (full board)
* **Double/Twin room** USD 150/per person/day (full board)
* **Triple room** USD 120/per person/day (full board)

**BANK INFORMATION for HOLIDAY INN HOTEL ACCOMODATION ONLY**

Standard Chartered Bank, New York, USA

One Madison Ave., New York, NY 10010-3603, USA

Swift code SCBNUS33

ABA 026002561

Beneficiary: Banco de Galicia, Buenos Aires, Argentina

Ac. 3544032000001

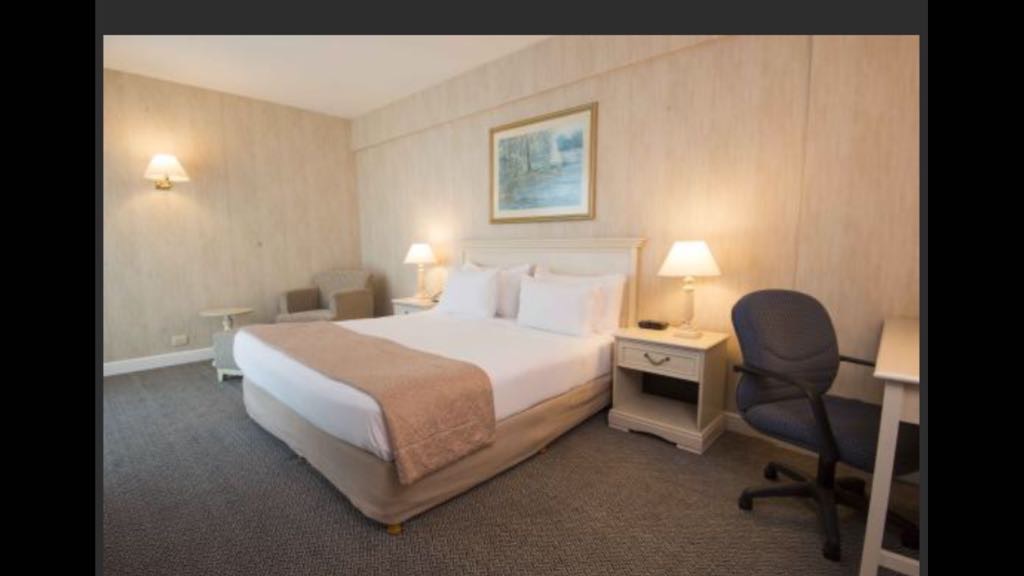
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For further credit to **ORGANIZACION PANAMERICA S.A.**

**Ac. 975010312336**

<http://www.holidayinnrosario.com>





Important Note:

Please refer to the accommodation pages for detailed hotel information. Please complete all necessary sections in WAREOS and make full payment for entries and accommodation by the specified deadlines. Bank transfers only, no credit cards or travel checks will be accepted.

Participants who book their accommodation in non-official hotels will need to pay a double entry fee. In addition, the LOC will not be responsible to provide any event information at this hotel or provide transportation to the venues.

Teams that book non-official accommodation will need to register at the Championships accreditation office no later than the day before official practice day. Failing to do so will result in no changes being made to the entry list and it is likely that participation in the event will be refused if registration is not completed in time.

ENTRY FEE

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| **Entry Fees:** |  |
| Individual: | **200 USD** per athlete |
| Officials: | **100 USD** per person |
| Temporary Upgrade: | **30 USD** per accreditation (for athletes wishing to be a coach temporarily) |

Entry fee in NON official hotels:

Individual: **400 USD** per athlete

Officials: **200 USD** per person

No entry fee for teams.

Entry fees include daily local transport to and from the practice field to/from official hotels during the qualification, elimination and final rounds (schedule to be confirmed on site).

Entry fees do not include bus transportation from international Ezeiza or Aeroparque airports in Buenos Aires to Rosario, and from there to official or non-official hotels. Nor do they include transportation to the non-official training field before September 30 or the cost of the use of such a field.

**AIRPORT TRANSPORTATION FEES**

Tienda León bus from Buenos Aires Ezeiza or Aeroparque airports:

**USD 140/person/round trip.** It includes free of charge transportation of one handbag, one suitcase and one bow case per person. Drop off at the official hotels. This rate/service is only valid for Tienda León bus service requested via WAREOS.

Transportation between Rosario airports and the official hotels is free of charge.

PAYMENT CONDITIONS:

Entry fees should be paid in full before arrival.

Payment of accommodation and local transportation: a minimum deposit of 50% of the total amount should be made when booking by **04 July 2017**. The final outstanding balance shall be transferred before arrival. Accommodation cannot be guaranteed after this deadline. A balanced invoice will be provided via WAREOS.

BANK INFORMATION TO BE USED for TRANSPORTATION and ENTRY FEES ONLY

BANK: STANDARD CHARTERED BANK, New York, USA

ADDRESS: One Madison Ave., New York, NY 10010-3603, USA

ABA 026002561

SWIFT CODE: SCBLUS33XXX

CHIPS UID 011575, 404782

ACCOUNT: 3544034620001 Banco Santander Rio S.A.

BENEFICIARY BANK SWIFT CODE: BSCHARBA

BANK ACCOUNT HOLDER NAME: FATARCO

ACCOUNT 024-18176/3

**NOTE**: ALL PAYMENTS SHALL BE MADE IN USD By BANK TRANSFER.

All bank charges will be paid by the participants.

CREDIT CARDS or TRAVEL CHECKS will not be accepted.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Transportation

Transportation will be provided from Rosario airport to the official hotels, two days before the official practice day and two days after the closing day. Local transport will be available between official hotels, practice and competition venues. Transport schedules will be confirmed on site. Buses and/or vans will be provided.

Cancellations & Changes

All cancellations and changes must be made through WAREOS:

* Cancellations received **before 21 August 2017** a full refund of the deposit payment will be made.
* Cancellations received **after 21 August 2017**, no refund will be given.
* Refunds will be processed after the event.
* Name changes to team officials or athletes (same category and division) will be accepted up to **72 hours before** the event without any additional charge.
* Should flight arrival details change last minute, please contact the Organising Committee using the details indicated in the Team Managers’ Booklet.
* If a participant’s arrival is later than the original scheduled arrival date, the room charges will start from the dates of the original booking made by the Member Association.
* Any changes made in WAREOS an email will automatically be sent to the Organising Committee and Member Association with the updated information.

Training

A non-official training field will be available as from **27 September 2017**. The training field is near the competition field and around **10** km from the hotels.

Transportation and use of facilities should be arranged by each team at their own cost)

For those teams competing in the 2017 Hyundai World Championships in Mexico City, 2 weeks later, please contact the LOC if your team wishes to stay in Rosario to practice before travelling onto Mexico City.

Weather

According to weather information, the average temperature in October is expected to be around 16-24 °C.

Media Registration:

Media representatives can apply for registration by emailing [info@archery.org](mailto:info@archery.org)

Ceremonies

Opening or closing ceremony as per preliminary programme.

Internet

Will be available in the official hotels for free (in hotel rooms and in the lobby). There will also be Wi-Fi available for access to results

Water

Bottled water will be available at the qualification and practice venues

LOC Contact:

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Visa

All participants who need an entry visa to Argentina, will be required to complete the **Visa Support sections** in WAREOS by no later than **07 August 2017**.

It is the applicants’ responsibility for supplying the necessary information, ensuring all details are up to date, correct and submitted by the deadlines specified.

In addition, all participants that require a visa are kindly requested to supply a copy of their latest/valid passport. Copies of each applicate can be uploaded on WAREOS. All passport copies and personal details entered/uploaded to WAREOS will be held securely and in the strictest of confidence and not shared with other parties.