Games of the XXXII Olympiad - Tokyo 2020



Nomination Criteria

Introduction

This Nomination Criteria sets out how Archery NZ will consider Athletes for nomination to the NZOC for selection to compete at the Games of the XXXII Olympiad to be held in Tokyo, Japan 23rd July – 8th August 2021, hereafter referred to as the "Games".

The principle aims of nomination for this International Event is New Zealand representation in the Archery Events at the Games.

The number of Athletes Archery NZ may nominate in the Archery Event for an individual Archery Event is a maximum of 3 athletes per gender if a quota is obtained in the respective team competition or 1 athlete per gender, if a quota is only obtained in the respective individual Archery Event.

Nomination Criteria

1. Application of this Nomination Criteria

- 1.1. This Nomination Criteria is issued by the Board of Archery NZ
- 1.2. This Nomination Criteria shall take effect from 1st June 2020 and was amended 22nd June 2020, 3rd July 2020, 10th February 2021 and 23rd May 2021. This Nomination Criteria supersedes the Games of the XXXII Olympiad Tokyo 2020 Nomination Criteria dated 18th July 2018, including any amendments to that criteria.
- 1.3. This Nomination Criteria applies to:
 - i. All Athletes wishing to be considered for nomination to the Games Team to compete in the Games in an Archery Event; and
 - ii. Archery NZ, including its Selectors, intending to nominate Athletes to NZOC to be considered for selection to the Games Team for the Games.

2. Selection Panel

- 2.1. **Composition:** The Selection Panel have been appointed by the Board of Archery NZ. The Selection Panel who will consider nomination of Athletes to NZOC to be considered for selection in the Games Team are:
 - a) Dale Lightfoot
 - b) Barbara Scott
 - c) Pam Gordon

3. Nomination Procedure

- 3.1. **Conditions of Nomination:** The Selectors may only consider an Athlete for nomination if the Athlete has satisfied the following conditions of nomination:
 - a) Returned a completed Athlete Application to the NZOC, in the form prescribed by the NZOC to the follow dates ("Application Date"):
 - i. No later than 5.00pm 23 September 2020; or
 - ii. In exceptional circumstances, no later than 5.00pm 23 January 2021 where Archery NZ provides the NZOC with evidence that demonstrates that the Athlete could not have been reasonably in contemplation before 23 September 2020; and
 - b) Returned a completed Athlete Agreement to the NZOC, in the form prescribed by the NZOC prior to the Nomination Date; and

- Demonstrated to the satisfaction of Archery NZ that they are not suffering any physical
 or mental impairment that would prevent them from competing in the Games to the
 highest possible standard; and
- d) Acted in such a manner so as not to bring the Athlete, the sport, Archery NZ or the NZOC into public disrepute; and
- e) To Archery NZ's knowledge has not used or administered any substance which if it has been detected as being present in the Athlete's body tissue or fluids, would have constituted doping, or used any prohibited method or committed any other doping offence as defined in the Archery NZ's, World Archery's or NZOC's Integrity Regulation; and
- f) Met the following Archery NZ minimum qualification score which is in compliance with the World Archery's Qualification System for Tokyo 2020 Olympic Games ("World Archery Qualification System") between the first day of 2019 World Archery Championships and 27 June 2021 and provide evidence of such scores to Archery NZ:
 - Men 70m round 640
 - Women 70m round 605; and
- g) Be a current and full financial member of Archery NZ and not have any outstanding liabilities to Archery NZ; and
- h) Be a New Zealand Citizen and hold a valid passport which at the date of the event has at least 6 months before expiry is due; and
- i) Complete and "Intention to Apply" Form (available on the Archery NZ website), to be received no later than 1 June 2019 or such later date as agreed by Archery NZ; and
- Not be under investigation for any breach of, nor to have breached, any rule under the Archery NZ Constitution, the Archery NZ Regulations, or any rules or regulations of World Archery, the IOC or the NZOC; and
- k) From 23 January 2021 (or such extended dates as agreed by the NZOC Board) has provided their name and contact address details to NZOC for the purpose of out of competition drug testing with Drug Free Sport New Zealand.
- 3.2. **Qualification:** New Zealand must qualify for places in an Archery Event(s) in accordance with World Archery's Qualification System and/or World Archery's requirements for the Games. Qualification for a place in any Archery Event(s) by an Athlete does not guarantee that Athlete will be nominated or selected to compete in the Archery Event(s) at the Games.
- 3.3. **Nomination if Nomination Criteria Met:** Provided the requirements set out in clause 3.1 and 3.2 are met, the Selectors shall nominate to the NZOC on the Nomination Date those Athletes it considers meet the Nomination Criteria set out below.

4. Nomination Criteria

- 4.1. **Nomination Criteria:** The Archery NZ Nomination Criteria for nomination to the Games Team is made up of two parts:
 - a) The Over-Riding Nomination Criteria specified in clause 4.2; and
 - b) The Specific Nomination Factors specified in clause 4.3.

4.2. Over-Riding Nomination Criteria:

- a) In determining whether or not to nominate an Athlete to an Archery Event, the Selectors must be satisfied overall that the Athlete:
 - i. Is capable of achieving a top 16 place at the Games in the Archery Event, with the potential to win an Olympic Diploma (top 8 placing); and
 - ii. Has a track record of sufficient quality and depth that Archery NZ believes demonstrates the Athlete will be competitive at the Games and will perform creditably in the Archery Event.
- b) **Evidence:** In determining whether or not the Athlete has met the Over-Riding Nomination Criteria for Archery Events in Clause 4.2(a) above, the Selectors shall consider the Athlete's performance and results in the Archery Event at which they seek to be selected for the Games in the following Key Events during the period 9 June 2019 and 23 May 2021:

Pacific Games, Apia Samoa 2019

World University Games, Napoli 2019

World Cup Stage 4, Berlin, Germany 2019

World Championships, 's-Hertogenbosch, Netherlands, 2019

Ready Steady Tokyo Olympic Test Event 2019

Archery NZ National Championships, Hamilton, 2021*

*Compulsory Event: If the Archer is unable to attend the Archery NZ 2021 National Outdoor Target Championships, they must submit at Archery NZ Dispensation Form prior to this event for approval by both the Selectors and the Board of Archery NZ at their sole discretion.

- c) Guidance on results and performances which would meet the overriding criteria set out in clause 4.2(a) above, are set out in Schedule A.
- 4.3. **Specific Nomination Factors:** When considering the Over-Riding Nomination Criteria above, the Selectors may also take into account any one or more of the following factors about an Athlete:
 - a) Any other performance or results in competitions/events in addition to Key Events;
 - b) Adequate fitness and a commitment to maintain a fitness and training programme as agreed with the applicable coach(es);
 - Demonstrated good behaviour, including a commitment to training and attendance at training camps;
 - d) Demonstrated compatibility with others in a team environment;
 - e) Demonstrated compliance with the rules of events and competitions;

- Understanding and respect for the obligations that accompany being a member of a New Zealand team when competing at the Games, including respect for team members and support staff;
- g) Willingness to promote Archery NZ in a positive manner;
- h) Demonstrated ability to take personal responsibility for self and their results;
- i) Proven ability reliability; and
- j) And such other factor(s) the Selectors consider relevant.
- 4.4. **Own Enquiries:** In considering any one or more of the above factors, the Selection Panel may make such enquiries of the Athlete, or other persons, as they see fit.
- 4.5. **Weight to be Given to Specific Nomination Factors:** The Selectors may give weight to any one or more of the Specific Nomination Factors and, if it does, may apply such weighting to one or more Athletes. No particular factors shall be weighted more or less significantly by reason only of the order in which that factor appears in this Nomination Criteria.
- 4.6. **Extenuating Circumstances:** In any decision regarding the nomination of Athletes to the Games Team, the Selection Panel may, at its sole discretion, take into account any extenuating circumstances in accordance with clause 5 below.
- 4.7. **Nomination Procedure:** After consideration of the Nomination Criteria, the Selectors shall follow the procedure set out in Clause 9 of the NZOC Nomination and Selection Regulation.

5. Extenuating Circumstances

- 5.1. **Extenuating Circumstances:** In considering the nomination of Athletes in accordance with this Nomination Criteria, the Selection Panel may, in their sole discretion, given weight to any extenuating circumstances which may include, but are not limited to, the following:
 - a) Injury or illness;
 - b) Travel delays;
 - c) Equipment failure;
 - d) Bereavement or personal misfortune; and/or
 - e) Any other factors reasonable considered by the Selectors to constitute extenuating circumstances
- 5.2. **Athlete to Advise:** Athletes unable to compete at events or other attendances required under this Nomination Criteria, must be advise the Convener of Selectors of the extenuating circumstances and reason, in writing using the Dispensation Form, with as much notice as possible and ideally seven (7) days prior to the commencement of the event, trial or other attendance with this Nomination Criteria, then the Selectors have no obligation to rely in such circumstances.
- 5.3. **Medical Certificate:** In the case of injury or illness, Athletes may be required by the Selection Panel to provide a medical certificate and/or to undergo an examination by a health practitioner/s nominated by the Board of Archery NZ, and to provide that opinion and/or

- report to the Convenor of Selectors. Any failure to agree to such a request may result in the Selectors bring unable to consider the injury or illness as an extenuating circumstance.
- 5.4. **Case by Case:** In the case of any extenuating circumstance/s, the Selection Panel will make a decision on a case-by-case basis.

6. Appeal Procedure

- 6.1. **Nomination Appeals:** An Athlete may appeal to Archery NZ against their non-nomination to the NZOC by the Selection Panel provided that the Athlete has returned a completed:
 - a) Athlete Application to the NZOC by the Application Date; and
 - b) Athlete Agreement to the NZOC by the Nomination Date.

7. Inconsistencies

- 7.1. **NZOC Nomination and Selection Regulation:** In the event there is any inconsistency between these Nomination Criteria and the NZOC Nomination and Selection Regulation, the NZOC Nomination and Selection Regulation shall prevail.
- 7.2. **World Archery Qualification System:** If this Nomination Criteria imposes a higher qualification standard or a lesser number of participants than stated by the World Archery Qualification System, this shall not be regarded as an inconsistency.

8. Amendments to this Nomination Criteria

- 8.1. **Prior to Nomination Date:** This Nomination Criteria may be amended or supplemented from time to time by the Board, before the Nomination Date, provided NZOC has approved the amendments/s and supplement/s.
- 8.2. **Notice:** The Board will give as much notice as possible of any amendment/s or supplement/s made under clause 8.1 to this Nomination Criteria, to persons it considers may be affected by any such amendment/s or supplement/s.

9. Definitions

- 9.1. **Application Date** means the dates set out in clause 3.1(a), by which Athletes must submit a completed Athlete Application in accordance with clause 8.3 of the NZOC Nomination and Selection Regulation.
- 9.2. **Archery NZ** means Archery New Zealand Incorporated.
- 9.3. **Archery Event** means an event in the Games in which an Athlete competes in one of the following events:

- a) Men's Recurve 70m Qualification Round & Elimination Match Play; or
- b) Women's Recurve 70m Qualification Round & Elimination Match Play; or
- c) Men's Team competition; or
- d) Women's Team competition, or
- e) Mixed Team competition.
- 9.4. Athlete means a person who wishes to be considered for nomination to the Games Team.
- 9.5. **Athlete Agreement** means the agreement that must be completed by any Athlete wishing to be considered for nomination and selection to the Games Team in accordance with clause 8.4 of the NZOC Nomination and Selection Regulation.
- 9.6. **Athlete Application** means the form set by the NZOC that must be complete by any Athlete applying to be nominated and selected to the Games Team.
- 9.7. **Board** means the Board of Archery NZ as constituted under the Constitution.
- 9.8. **Constitution** means the Constitution of Archery NZ.
- 9.9. **Convener of Selectors** means the person appointed as Convener of Selectors for the Games set out in clause 2 of this Nomination Criteria.
- 9.10. **Dispensation form** means the Archery NZ Application for Dispensation Forms available on the Archery NZ website (www.archerynz.co.nz)
- 9.11. **Games** means the Games of the XXXII Olympiad to be held in Tokyo, Japan from 23 July 8 August 2021
- 9.12. **Games Team** means the New Zealand Team at the Games selected in accordance with the NZOC Selection Policy for the Games.
- 9.13. **Intention to Apply** form means the Archery NZ Intention to Apply Form available on the Archery NZ website (www.archerynz.co.nz)
- 9.14. **International Events Application Form** means the Archery NZ International Event Application Form available on the Archery NZ website (www.archerynz.co.nz)
- 9.15. **Key Events** means international, continental or national competition listed in clause 4.2(b) which is a major or pinnacle event for the sport or is at least the equivalent of a World Cup or World Championship, and have an equivalent field to that which is likely to occur at the Games.
- 9.16. Nominated Athlete means an Athlete who has been nominated to the NZOC by Archery NZ.
- 9.17. **Nomination Criteria** means the criteria made up of the Over-Riding Nomination Criteria and Specific Nomination Factors, and is also referred to as "this Criteria".

- 9.18. **Nomination Date** means on or before 27 June 2021 (and include any alternative date as agreed between NZOC and Archery NZ), by which Archery NZ must submit any Nominated Athletes to the NZOC.
- 9.19. **NZOC** means the New Zealand Olympic Committee Incorporated.
- 9.20. **NZOC Nomination and Selection Regulation** means the regulation of the NZOC relation to the nomination and selection process for all Olympic and Commonwealth Games including the Games.
- 9.21. Over-Riding Nomination Criteria means the criteria set out in clause 4.2.
- 9.22. **Selectors** means the selectors appointed by Archery NZ in accordance with clause 2 of this Nomination Criteria.
- 9.23. Specific Nomination Factors means the nomination factors set out in clause 4.3.

Schedule A

Summary of Ranking Scores from World Events in 2019 - 2021

Score of Top 16 ranked archers:	Women	Field of	Men	Field of
Medellin World Cup	644	52	670	74
Shanghai World Cup	639	76	664	99
Antalya World Cup	654	110	672	129
Berlin World Cup	620	74	638	89
s'Hertogenbosch World Champs	663	152	678	200
Tokyo Olympic Test Event	658	63	659	67
Average	646	88	664	110

Score of Top 8 ranked archer:	Women	Field of	Men	Field of	
Medellin World Cup	654	52	682	74	
Shanghai World Cup	649	76	672	99	
Antalya World Cup	659	110	679	129	
Berlin World Cup	633	74	647	89	
s'Hertogenbosch World Champs	671	152	685	200	
Tokyo Olympic Test Event	664	63	663 4028	67	
Average	655	88	671	110	