

KENT ARCHERY ASSOCIATION

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Entry Form

for the

Kent Para-Archery Festival and Championship

Saturday, 22nd July 2017

at

**Sittingbourne Community College,
Swanstreet Avenue, Sittingbourne, Kent ME10 4NL**

Directions:

Sittingbourne Community College is located just off the A2 on the Canterbury side of Sittingbourne.

If approaching from Canterbury, Swanstreet Avenue is on the left-hand side of the road.

Rounds:

The rounds to be shot will be:
the World Archery 70m Recurve Round, 50m Compound Round and 30m VI Round
plus local equivalents for juniors.

ENTRY INFORMATION

Eligibility: This tournament is open only to archers who are existing members of ArcheryGB or another World Archery member association.

Proof of membership may be requested at the tournament.

Championship Rounds: To take part in the County Championship, you will need to:

- be a member of the KAA, either through your club or as a Direct Member **and**
- hold a current ArcheryGB classification document (to be shown at registration) **and**
- shoot the specified round.

All rounds will consist of 6 dozen arrows, as follows:

<u>Seniors:</u>	Open Recurve	70m Recurve Round	(122cm face)
	Open Recurve Barebow	70m Recurve Round	(122cm face)
	Open Longbow	70m Recurve Round	(122cm face)
	Open Compound	50m Compound Round	(80cm face)
	ARW1/ARW2	50m Compound Round	(80cm face)
	Visually Impaired (B1)	30m VI Round	(80cm face)

<u>Juniors:</u>	categories as for seniors:		
	All except VI	30m round	(80cm face)
	Visually Impaired (B1)	15m VI Round	(80cm face)

Festival Rounds: You do not require any formal classification documentation, as the "Festival" is intended to allow any archer with a disability to take part, including those from other county associations.

Able bodied archers may also take part subject to space, but will not be eligible for awards.

The rounds to be shot are the same as for the Championship Rounds, except that seniors may choose to shoot the junior round, subject to space availability.

Record Status: This competition does **not** have National Record Status.

Club: Because this event is organised by a county association, you must enter the tournament either as a member of your first-claim club (GNAS Law 20.b.v) or as a Direct Member of KAA/other county/ArcheryGB (provided, of course, that you are).

Entry Fee: All competitors: **£6.00**

Cheques Payable to: Kent Archery Association

Closing Date for Entries: **01 July 2017**

No substitutions will be permitted and no refunds will be made after the closing date.

Tournament Organiser: Adam Kenyon
✉ 11 Westlands Avenue, Sittingbourne, Kent ME10 1PG
☎ 01795 556791
✉ to-para-archery@archerykent.org.uk

Entry Form: Please complete the entry form in **BLOCK CAPITALS** and return it with payment before the closing date. Entries will only be accepted with full payment. If you require a target list / results sheet, please include a valid email address on the entry form.

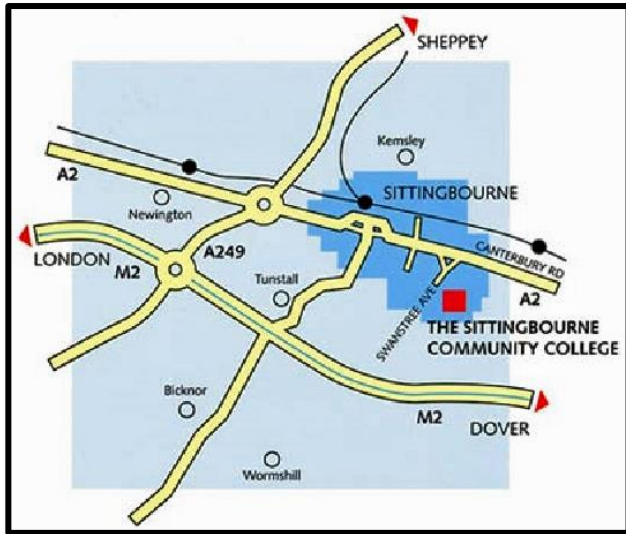
Assembly and Practice	10:00 a.m.
Sighters:	11:00 a.m.
Judge:	Debbie Horn
Gentleman Patron:	To be confirmed
Lady Paramount:	To be confirmed

Targets:	All target butts are foam, mounted on 4-leg stands.
Dress Code:	ArcheryGB dress regulations as shown in the 'Rules of Shooting' will apply as if this were a National Record Status tournament, but traditional dark green / white or club shooting colours are preferred. Uniform can be worn You are requested to observe the dress code until after the presentation of awards.
Awards:	All awards are subject to entry and will be presented by the Lady Paramount as soon as possible after completion of shooting. Trophies will be awarded for a period of one year and will be dependent on the level of sponsorship received.

Lost Arrows:	This tournament is held on a mixed-use sports field; if you lose any arrows, you must find them before you leave the venue.
Disclaimer:	Neither the Kent Archery Association nor the owners of the grounds can accept responsibility for loss or damage to equipment while on, entering or leaving the venue. No responsibility will be accepted for damage to arrows missing or passing through a target boss.
Photography:	To comply with the ArcheryGB Policy for "Safeguarding Children, Young People & Vulnerable Adults", any person wishing to pursue any form of photography for any purpose is required to report to the tournament organiser before starting and to comply with any conditions given.
Juniors:	All competitors under the age of 18 must be supervised by a parent, guardian or other nominated responsible adult at all times.
Privacy Policy:	Personal information supplied by you on the entry form will only be used for the purposes of this tournament, unless you indicate to the contrary. No information will be disclosed to third parties, except as required by law.
Refreshments:	Tea & coffee will be available free of charge to competitors and anyone who is there to assist competitors. Biscuits will be subject to suitable sponsorship. Please ensure you bring a mug
Accommodation:	If overnight accommodation is needed please contact the T/O for the names of possible, suitable establishments that have expressed support in the competition

THE VENUE

Sittingbourne Community College



Postcode for satnavs: **ME10 4NL**

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS



Venue:

by kind permission of Mrs Fiona Trigwell, Principal of Sittingbourne Community College, home to one of the county's top school clubs, SCCA, and has supported this event previously.



Equipment:

Targets and stands have been loaned by:
Sittingbourne Community College Archers.



Target faces:

kindly donated by:
Clickers Archery Ltd
63 Borrowdale Drive, Norwich, Norfolk, NR1 4NS
Phone: 01603 300490
Email: sales@clickersarchery.co.uk



Awards:

Medals and a number of trophies have been kindly sponsored by:
Cinque Ports Mobility
125 Enbrook Valley, Folkestone, Kent CT20 3NE
Phone: 01303 850760
www.cinqueportsmobility.com

COMPETITION CATEGORIES AND CLASSIFICATIONS

Competitions:

The KAA wants to provide an enjoyable competitive environment for all para-archers. This event is therefore split into two separate competitions that will take place together at the same time – you need to specify on the entry form which one you want to enter:

County Championship: To take part in the County Championship, you will need to:

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Categories:

Please note that competition categories might be combined at the discretion of the tournament organiser, where the number of entries is particularly low.

Open categories: Archers with any type of disability, in separate categories for each of the specified bow-styles – bow-styles are as defined in the ArcheryGB Rules of Shooting.

ARW1/ARW2: A single competition category for archers of either of these disability classifications, shooting any accepted bow-style. Note that compound bows in this category are limited to 35lb peek draw weight for ladies and 45lb for gentlemen; they cannot have either a peep-sight or scope, but can be shot with a release aid.

Visually Impaired: A single category is provided for all visually impaired archers. All competitors are required to wear blindfolds and shoot with tactile sights – no other sights are permitted. The blindfold can be either a sleep mask or wraparound glasses or goggles which must be worn at all times until the end of the competition.

Simple Guide to Para-Archery Classifications:

The following definitions are taken from the ‘IPC Layman’s Guide to Paralympic Classification’. Further guidance is also now available from the ‘Para-Archery’ section of the World Archery website, following transfer of responsibility to them during 2012.

Archery Standing (ARST): The sport class ARST includes athletes competing in a standing position and those who require some standing support because of poor balance. They either have a leg-length difference, limb deficiency or impairments that also affect their arms and trunk.

Wheelchair 1 (ARW1): Archers in this sport class compete in a wheelchair because their impairment includes the loss of leg and trunk function. Also, their arms show a loss of muscle strength, co-ordination or range of movement. For example, one condition that might fit this sport class profile is tetraplegia.

Wheelchair 2 (ARW2): Similar to archers in the sport class ARW1, archers in this sport class have a strong activity limitation in their trunk and legs and compete in a wheelchair. Their arms however, show normal function. This profile would likely apply to paraplegic archers.

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KENT PARA-ARCHERY FESTIVAL AND CHAMPIONSHIP

Entry Form

Where multiple choices are provided in the unshaded column, please indicate **only one** in each row, preferably by circling it. Age group must be based on your age on the date of the tournament.

Surname:							
Forename(s):							
Title:	Mrs.	Miss	Mr.	Mstr.	Other		
Address:							
Telephone no.:							
E-mail Address:							
ArcheryGB member no.:							
Club name:							
Gender:	Lady			Gentleman			
Age Group:	Senior			Junior			
Competition required:	Kent Championship			Festival			
Category:	Open Recurve	Open Recurve Barebow	Open Longbow	Open Compound	ARW1/ ARW2	VI (B1)	Able- bodied
Round: Distance	70m /50m /40m /30m/ 20m			50m /40m /30m /20m			
Seated:	Yes			No			
Competitor's Signature: All competitors are required to accept the terms and conditions of entry.	<p>.....</p> <p>Date:.....</p> <p>I certify I am a member of ArcheryGB or another World Archery Member Association.</p> <p>I accept the terms of entry specified on the entry form and GNAS Rules of Shooting.</p>						
Cheque enclosed:	£6.00			(Payable to "Kent Archery Association")			
Signature of parent or guardian: Entries from juniors can only be accepted if signed here by a parent or guardian.	<p>.....</p> <p>Date:.....</p> <p>I accept the terms of entry specified on the entry form.</p>						