

archery NI

Archery N.I. & Open Field Championships

2021



Lough Cuan

Bowmen

Participant Prospectus



Hands



Face



Space



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Lough Cuan are very pleased to host The Archery NI & Open Field Championships at our Lady Edith Shoot. and that you are taking the opportunity to compete. We hope that you enjoy the competition, and we look forward to seeing you on the day. While the normal 'rules of shooting' apply to the competition, we are operating under some 'restricted shooting' guidelines and there will be some changes to the traditional (pre-covid) field procedures. We would ask, that you familiarise yourself with this guidance and the COVID guidance. While it might be different, we still want you to relax, have fun, enjoy the company, and have an enjoyable and successful competition. While LCB are aware of the current requirements on social distancing, to maintain a respectful and healthy environment for competitors and officials, we strongly recommend a social distance of 1 metre and the wearing of a face covering if close contact is more than 10 minutes (less than 1 metre).

Archery NI & Open Field Championships

HOSTS	Lough Cuan Bowmen
Location	Mount Stewart (National Trust) Portaferry Road, Newtownards, County Down, BT22 2AD Website: Mount Stewart
Dates	Saturday 13th and Sunday 14 th November 2021
Round	24 Target Mixed - 2-Day
Status	World Archery Arrowhead and UK Record Status
Format	Archers will be assigned a designated start time.
Chair of Judges	Shannon Russel-Cowan
Tournament Organiser	Bill Latimer tournamentofficer@loughcuanbowmen.org

1. For Your Information

<p>Event Timings</p>	<p>Registration: Registration will be at your designated time. Register at the farmyard, collect your score card (X2) and then a judge/field marshal will direct you to the practice bosses and then onto the course.</p> <p>Practice area There will be 2/3 practice bosses: a boss with 20cm/40cm faces, a 60cm face an 80cm face. (Provisional)</p> <p>End of Shoot: On completing the shoot, please proceed to registration and hand in your score cards and make any claims for awards/record status. Please ensure they are fully completed as failure to do so may invalidate your score and/or award claim. If you are claiming a record or arrowhead, please complete the appropriate. We would ask that once you have completed the shoot you that you leave the venue. There is no medal ceremony, and scores will be on IANSEO, and sent by e-mail, with being medals posted.</p>
<p>Entry Fee</p>	<p>One day fee: £12 for Seniors and £10 for Juniors (Exact fee would be appreciated) Two-day fee: £20 for Seniors and £15 for Juniors Entries to be submitted via google forms. The entry form will be available at:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lough Cuan Bowmen Facebook page • Lough Cuan Website <p>Closing date for entries: Sunday 7th November 2021 at 6.00pm</p>
<p>Event Format</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This is a 2-day shoot and medals will be awarded on an archer 2-day score • Target groups will consist of 3-4 archers (in-line with covid household regulations) • The course will be 24 targets • A time limit of 3 arrows in 3 minutes is allowed per target. • All bosses are layered foam. • Shooting pegs will be, Red, Blue, Yellow and White.
<p>Affiliation</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Archers who have a dual affiliation, i.e., members of AGB/ANI and who are also members of Archery Ireland MUST enter under their ANI club and must also enter their AGB membership number, if they wish to claim ANI titles. • Archers must hold valid membership of a World Archery Affiliated organisation. Non-Archery GB members must provide evidence of suitable insurance cover. • All Archers Membership cards must be presented on the day.
<p>COVID</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please respect social current distancing requirements within your target group and with other competitors and officials. Our recommendation is minimum of 1 metre. • Each boss will have sanitising wipes and a bag for the disposal of wipes. We would encourage you to sanitise your hands after each end of shooting. • We also recommend a 'quiver pack' with your own personal PPE should you wish to take additional precautions, sanitiser spray, face covering, tissues, rubber gloves etc.

2. For your Information

Awards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Only archers who compete at the correct peg for their respective bow categories will be eligible for ANI titles and trophies. Members of AGB and who are not ANI members or members of another WA affiliated body will be entered into an OPEN category. Open category winners will be awarded medals. Archers who opt to shoot a shorter peg other than in their respective bow category will be awarded with medals 																																																																																																				
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Juniors shooting as Seniors	Juniors over the age of 12 are welcome to shoot on an equal footing with senior Archers and compete for the senior medals but must enter and pay as seniors.
Junior Shooting Groups	Junior archers will be placed in the same target group as their senior family member if shooting. If a senior family member is not shooting, then, Junior members must be accompanied by a parent/family adult member/responsible designated adult.
Red Call	If emergency assistance is required in the field. The following procedure will apply. The archers call the target number followed by RED . When the call is heard by other archers, they will immediately stop shooting and repeat the call. Shooting will recommence on a whistle. No one will resume shooting until the restart is signalled.
Dress	It is recommended that competitors wear clothing appropriate to the venue and weather conditions.
Lost Arrows	When searching for lost arrows, please ensure that 1 archer always remains in front of the boss. If a shooting group arrives at the target, please do not delay shooting. Please record all lost arrows on your scorecard and then record them on the lost arrow sheet at the end of the shoot.
Allergies	Please inform the Tournament Officer prior to the competition, tournamentofficer@loughcuanbowmen.org if you have any allergies which may affect you or other archers during the competition
Smoking	No smoking (including e-cigarettes and VAPE cigarettes) is permitted on the course.
GDPR	In submitting your entry to the competition, the following information will be collected and shared with tournament organisers, scoring systems and other competitors to aid the administration of the shoot for example, target lists and results will be published: First Name, Surname, bow style, shooting classification, Email, Club (and ID), University (and ID), Round (unless defined by age), Disabled (Y/N), Disability info. Information collected will be held to assist ANI/club records.
Photography	As this is a WA arrowhead/World Record Status mixed round, no photography is permitted on the course. Photographs may be taken by ANI/LCB (designated marshal) and may be used for the club website, social media, magazine and in publicity articles (e.g., AGB magazine). If parents/carers have any particular concern about their child/young person being photographed or filmed, they should notify the organisers. Please note in line with the Photographing & Filming Children & Young People in Sport policy we would seek to obtain written permission from the subject and/or their parents/carers to publish images on the internet or in print.
Car Parking	Parking will be available free on site, adjacent to the registration area. We would request under current COVID-19 conditions that you park 2 metres apart where possible. (2 doors width).



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First things first? Should I attend?

Please do not attend if you have a:

1. high temperature.
2. new, continuous cough.
3. loss of, or change to, your sense of smell or taste

OR if you are required to self-isolate for reasons set out in government guidelines or



Thinking Ahead

- Entries will be by the official entry form. This will be available on Lough Cuan and ANI website and LCB Face book pages.
- You will be sent details of your registration time and shooting group via email.
- We recommend a quiver pack with hand sanitiser and additional PPE you feel you may need.



Arrival

- Please arrive at the time allocated to you.
- This is the time you should register at.
- Please keep to the centre of the car park
- Where possible please allow 2 metres between cars. (2 door width)
- This will allow you space to set up your equipment.



Registration

- Go to the registration point.
- Please have your entry fee ready (exact fee please) and place it in the cash box.
- Collect individual score cards (X2).
- Join your target group, observing social distance
- A marshal will then take your target group to the practice area and then onto the course.



Shooting

- Archers will shoot as normal, respecting social distancing.
- Faces must be marked
- Archers will pull their own arrows, using foot or knee against the target for leverage
- Line cutters must be decided by group.
- Should you need to wipe the target face wipes are provided at the rear of the boss.
- We recommend cleaning hands after each target. Sanitiser is provided, but feel free to use your own.



On the Course

- Please maintain social distance of 1m within your group
- Please maintain an appropriate distance between the group ahead and the group behind
- No "catching up" allowed
- A Judge(s) will be on the course to assist you if required.
- Please respect other archers in their desire to maintain social distancing



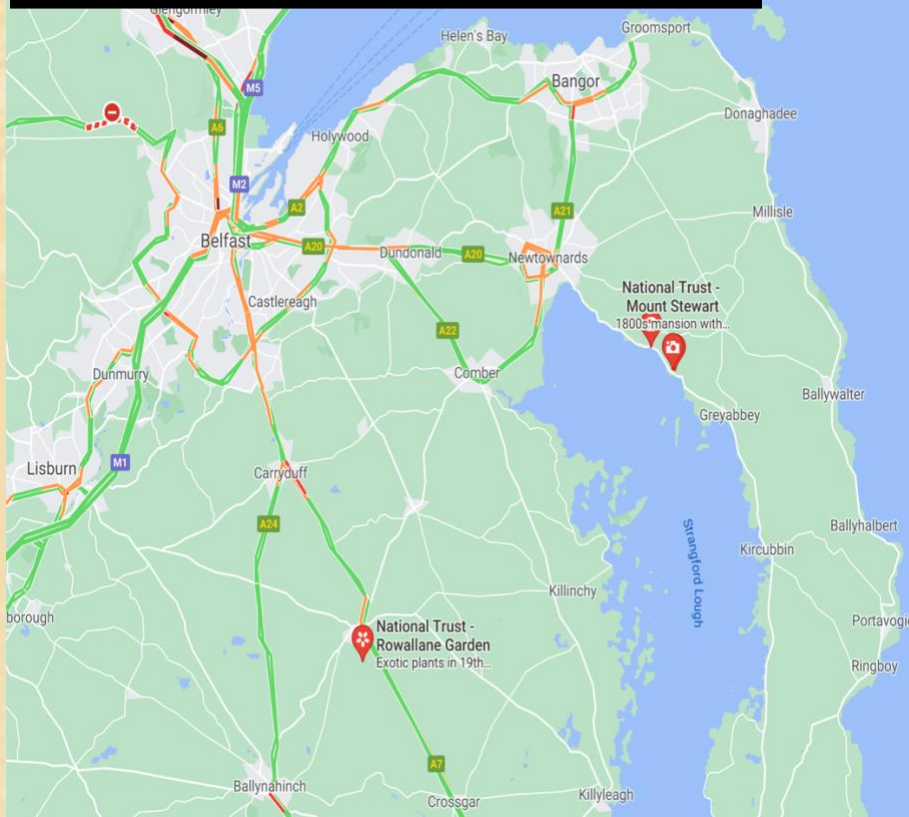
Finishing

- When you finish shooting, please return to the car park.
- Return score card to registration.
- Complete the appropriate award/status claim form
- We would request that in the interest of reducing 'congregations' that archers pack up their equipment and leave the venue.

Shoot Safe Stay Safe

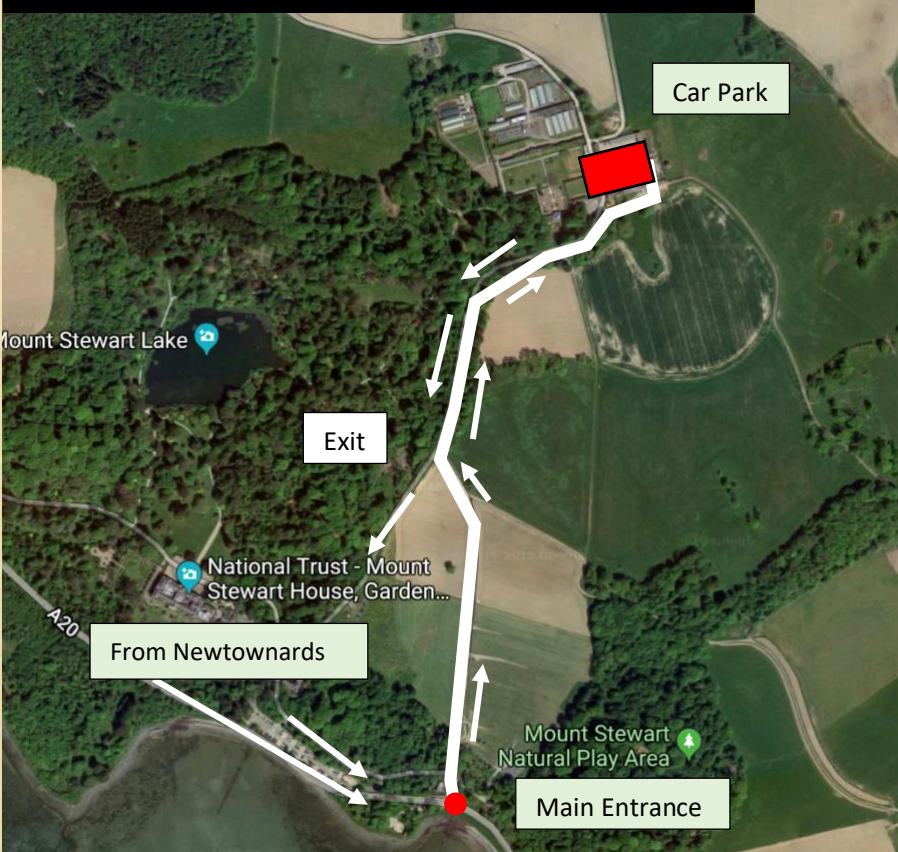


Where exactly is Mount Stewart?



Mount Stewart is located on the Portaferry Road. Travelling from Newtownards it is approximately 5 miles. Get directions on [Google maps](https://www.google.com/maps)

Car Parking at Mount Stewart



Enter Mount Stewart through the main entrance on the Portaferry Road and proceed straight ahead. **You should bring your AGB membership card to show to the attendant.**

Continue past the car parks on your right. You will come to a T junction, turn right, and follow the road.

You will come to a courtyard, keep right, and proceed straight ahead, past a house and outbuildings on your left.

Take the turning to the left and proceed through to the car park. Please observe the speed limits in the demesne.

Car parking at Mount Stewart

On entering the car park, please follow the directions of the marshal.

If space allows, try to park 1 car width apart. This will allow you space to set up your equipment.

Once you have your equipment set up, register for the shoot and a marshal will direct you to the practice area/course.



 Registration



Access to the course.

Exit the car park at the bottom right corner of the car park, turn immediately right and follow the path (signposted) to the course.




Lough Cuan Bowmen is an archery club based in Newtownards, Co. Down. The Club was founded in 1986 and promotes archery as a competitive and recreational sport.

We practice both field and target archery and as a club our archers host 'have-a-go' events for Youth groups, Corporate Events, Church Groups, Schools, Duke of Edinburgh Award Scheme and Local Fairs. We run frequent classes for beginners who want to experience the sport of archery under the supervision of a qualified coach.

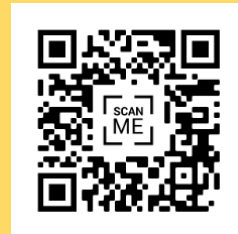
Find out more - Lough Cuan Bowmen

You can find out more about the club at:

 www.loughcuanbowmen.org

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My Quiver Pack

These are some items we suggest you may wish to bring with you in your quiver based on your approach to personal safety. However, **we would request** that you bring hand sanitiser (minimum 70% alcohol based as per AGB) to use while you are shooting.

