

Saskatchewan Archery Association Inc. Policies and Procedures

Approved by the SAA Board of Directors (October 2025)

INTERNATIONAL COMPETITION ASSISTANCE POLICY

Purpose:

The purpose of this policy is to outline the criteria, process and administration of financial assistance for Saskatchewan Archery Association (SAA) athletes who are selected to compete at World Archery-sanctioned international competitions. This program is designed to support the development and success of Saskatchewan archers representing Canada on the international stage.

Eligibility Criteria

To be eligible for financial assistance, applicants must:

- Be a current member in good standing with the Saskatchewan Archery Association (SAA)
- Be selected or officially invited to participate in a World Archery-sanctioned event, such as:
 - World Cups
 - World Championships (Target, Field, 3D)
 - World Youth Championships
 - Pan American Games
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 - Any other World Archery-sanctioned international tournament
- Submit a complete International Competition Assistance Application Form at least 30 days prior to the event start date.

Application Process

Eligible athletes must complete the SAA International Competition Assistance Application Form and submit it, along with supporting documentation (eg. Proof of selection, event details, travel estimates) to the SAA Board via email to info@saskarchery.ca. Incomplete or late applications may not be considered.

Funding Guidelines

- Funding intended to help offset travel, accommodation and competition-related expenses.
- The amount of funding approved will depend on available SAA resources, number of applications and demonstrated need.
- Athletes may be approved for funding for multiple international events within a season at the discretion of the SAA Board.

Selection and Approval Process

All applications will be reviewed by the SAA Board of Directors. Decisions will be based on eligibility and remaining available funds. Successful and unsuccessful applicants will be notified following the next scheduled SAA Board meeting.

Post-Competition Requirements

Athletes who receive funding are required to submit a brief written summary within 30 days after returning from the event. The report should include highlights, performance results and photos (if possible) for SAA promotional use.