

County of Surrey Archery Association

County Records & Rankings

CSAA maintains County Records and Rankings as an incentive to its members to work for and attain a high level of performance. For this reason it will maintain records in as many disciplines, bow styles and age ranges as is practical. The Association may therefore add new record categories if the level of participation in that category warrants it.

Where the scoring system for a round changes, a round is discontinued or county records are discontinued for a round, we will keep those records and publish them but they will be coloured in green.

The Association publishes county records, which list all of the records currently maintained.

Restrictions

Age Groups: You may only claim records for your actual age group or above. For this purpose the age that will be used will be:

- your age on the date that the round was shot, or
- where a round takes place over two or more days and you enter **and** compete in the whole of that competition, your age on the first day of the competition.
- Juniors:
- Can claim for age appropriate rounds (or above their age group) for outdoor rounds. Please use table 3-4 in the Rules of Shooting to determine which rounds are eligible for juniors to submit records for.
- Outdoor junior records are not age grouped as they are governed by age related rounds. A junior may shoot above their age group but will be competing for the county record for that round against older junior archers.
- When juniors claim an indoor record they have to state their age group as each age group is shown separately due to the fact that all archers shoot the same distance indoors irrespective of age. New claims will be entered into the junior's current age category.
- Juniors shooting indoors or outdoors who wish to enter competitions for senior awards may claim the subsequent junior record but not the senior record.
- Seniors:
- Claims must be in accordance with table 3-4 in the Rules of Shooting.
- ALL ARCHERS
- All rounds **MUST** be shot in accordance with the Rules Of Shooting.

Constituent Rounds: You may only claim records for "constituent" rounds, when that round has been specifically shot; you cannot claim for such a round, when shot as part of a longer round.

For example (but not limited to):

- Long and Short Metric records cannot be claimed when shot as part of a World Archery 1440 Round or a Metric round, even if the World Archery 1440 Round or Metric round is shot over two days;
- Bray records cannot be claimed when shot as part of a World Archery 18m Indoor Round or World Archery 25m Indoor Round.
- If more than one round is shot on the same day, it is only permissible to claim a record for the first round, but the following exceptions apply:
- If the 1st and 2nd rounds together comprise a recognised double round, then a record may be claimed for that double round.
- Double rounds:
- Double rounds are always treated as two instances of the round, but must be shot on the

same or consecutive days, at the same venue and as part of the same event. You can claim records for single rounds, but this is subject to current GNAS rules relating to two rounds shot on the same day. So, for example:

- If you shoot a double World Archery 1440 Round over two or four days, you may claim records for the double round and for each single World Archery 1440 Round
- If you shoot a double American on one day, you may claim records for the double round and the first single round only.
- Target Faces: Indoor records:
- In cases where the option exists to shoot a round on a choice of target face, the choice of a multiple target face was introduced only to reduce the risk of arrow damage; these are not recognized as separate rounds. However the Association recognizes that there may be a need for records for the rounds to be represented respective of the target face on which it is shot.

Claiming for a Record or Ranking:

- To receive a Surrey county record/ranking, you must:
Claim the record/ranking in writing/email to the county Records Officer
all record claims must be made via your Club Records Officer.
- It is the archers responsibility to ensure that their Club Records Officer submits their scores. All scores must be submitted within 3 months of being shot.
- All scores must be shot at either an out of club tournament or on a club competition day, i.e. a handicap shoot, inter clubs competition, normal club day shoots are not permitted.
- Club Records Officers must provide evidence of the score on either a tournament results sheet or a photo of the correctly completed score sheet
- Score sheets must be completed in accordance with Archery GB rules of shooting and must be signed by both the archer and scorer. The Target Captain must also print their name on the scoresheet.
- It is the applicant's responsibility to ensure that their club Records Officer follows the correct process within the required time scale. If in doubt, please contact the county Records Officer in plenty of time and they will endeavor to communicate with the Club Records Officer.

Refusal of a score:

Any score which does not meet the criteria as stated above will be refused without exception

- If a record/ranking claim is refused:
- The CSAA RO will contact the archer's Club RO and outline the reason for the refusal.
- If appeal is made then the CSAA RO Sub Committee will be called to review and may take any or all of the following actions:-
- There may be discussions with Club RO regarding the archer's previous scores to establish pattern. The archers scores for the last indoor/outdoor season, including copies of scoresheets (if appropriate) may be requested. At this point the Club may prefer to carry out an internal audit of the archer's scores and take any appropriate actions following the review.
- If deemed necessary, following step 3, score sheets from external shoots may be obtained to compare against club scores
- Jointly with the Club RO (if applicable), any potential irregularities in scores/handicaps/addition/handwriting/target captain signature and any other discrepancies will be looked into.
- If the issue cannot be satisfactorily resolved, the archer may be contacted to arrange a meeting to discuss concerns face to face.

A single appeal only will be accepted, provided that it is submitted in writing, includes the reason for the appeal and is received within 30 days of the claim being refused.

It shall be a condition of awarding county records/rankings that the claimant shall agree that the record:

- may be published by any method agreed by the Association
- may be published within and outside the sport
- may be retained indefinitely as part of the Association's archive and even after it has been superseded or the holder has left the Association or the sport.