

# **European Club Teams Cup**

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## 1. Type of the competition

- Outdoor Target archery 70 M rounds
- The competition includes a qualification round (2x70m) according to the FITA rules, for the team ranking, followed by the Team-matches as per article nr . 5
- The procedure of the team event will take place on the principle of flights (see following rules). Each match is shot according to the FITA rules.
- Recurve Division only.
- Separate men and women events.
- A Club can participate with only one team men and one team women
- Each Clubteam is composed of 3 archers (each archer of the team has to belong to the same club). The members of the team must have all the same nationality which is that of the Member Association of which the Club is member and must be members of the participating club as per the 1<sup>st</sup> January of that year..
- Number maximum of Clubteams by country:
   5 men Clubteams recurve and 5 women Clubteams recurve
- If there is a full selection there are 30 archers for one country:
   5 women Clubteams recurve and 5 men Clubteams recurve.
- The 16 first men Clubteams and the 16 first women club-teams teams from the qualification round are qualified for the Team-matches.
   The ranking of the teams is obtained by adding the scores of the 3 archers of the clubteam at the end of the qualification round.
- If less than 16 Clubteams take part in a category, but with 12 or more of them, byes are allowed whenever necessary. If less than 12 Clubteams take part in a category, only the first 8 Clubteams of the qualification round, qualify for the match-event.
- A floating trophy, offered by EMAU (one for men, one for women) will be issued every year.
  - The winning teams will be in charge of the engraving of the trophies.
  - The clubteam which wins the trophy 3 times in a row, may keep the floating trophy permanently and a new trophy will be arranged by EMAU.

### 2. Selection of Clubteams

- The EMAU Member Association takes care of its Federation's clubteam-participation.
- Mixed teams are not accepted.
- The participating Clubteams must be officially recognized by their Federation, according to their National Rules.
- Before being allowed to participate in the European Clubteams Cup, the Federation must confirm that the clubteam-athletes are members of the participating club as per the 1<sup>st</sup> January of that year.

## 3. Selection of the organizer

- Each year EMAU asks the EMAU Member Associations for bids for the organization of the European Clubteams Cup for the coming year.
- Deadline for such application submission is 31st October of the year.
- The National Federation forwards to EMAU Secretary General its club's bid application, within the deadline.
- EMAU-council allocates the event

# 4. Program / Schedule

• The competition duration is 2 days.

The competition is proposed to be organized on September or October

**Friday** : Arrival of the teams

16.00-19.00 hrs Practice

❖ Saturday : 10.00-12h45 hrs Qualification round women 2 x 70 M

14.00-16.15 hrs Qualification round men 2 x 70 M

17.00 -18hr. Protocol Ceremony

**Sunday:** 08.30 - 0.30 p.m. Team matches

four (4) ends of six (6) arrows (2 per athlete)

12.00 to 13.00 hrs Award ceremony

Friday				
Start			End	
	Arriving of the clubs	15 pm.	19 pm.	
	Possibility of practice	16 pm.	19 pm.	
Saturday				
9.00 a.m.	Team Captain meeting Opening Ceremony	1 hr.	10.00 a.m.	
10.00 a.m.	Practice Women	30 min		
10.30.a.m	2X70m. Women ( A-B-C)	2 hr.15.	12h.45 a.m.	
12.a.m.	Lunch		14. p.m.	
13h.30 p.m.	Practice Men	30 min	14h.00	
14h.p.m.	2X70m. Men (A-B-C)	2.15 hr.	16h.15 p.m.	
17.00hr.		1hr.	18h.p.m.	
Sunday				
08.30 a.m.	Practice	30 min	09.00 a.m.	
09.15 a.m.	1st matches Teams W & M	25 min	09.4 a.m.	
09.40 a.m.	2nd matches Teams W & M	25 min	10.05 a.m.	
10.05 a.m.	3rd matches Teams W & M	25 min	10.03 a.m.	
10.30 a.m.	15 minutes break	15 min	10.45 a.m.	
10.45 a.m.	1st ranking groupmatches Teams M&W	25 min	11.10 a.m.	
11.10 a.m.	2 <sup>nd</sup> ranking groupmatches Teams M&W	25 min	11.35 a.m.	
11.35 a.m.	Finals 1 <sup>st</sup> place Teams W & M	25 min	12.00 a.m.	
12.00 a.m.	Award Ceremony	1 hr	01.00 p.m.	

#### 5. Rules

- All members of a team have to wear the same uniform.
- If a team arrived with more than 3 archers, they must communicate to the TD the names of the 3 archers composing the team before the end of the practice Session on Friday.
- The 3 archers of a team that shoot in the Qualification Round, have to shoot the team matches on Sunday. It is not allowed to change an archer during the competition.
- At the end of the individual qualification ranking round, the first 16 teams (men and women) are entered into 4 groups of 4 teams, according to the following scheme:

Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	Group 4
1 <sup>st</sup>	2 <sup>nd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>
$8^{th}$	$7^{\mathrm{th}}$	6 <sup>th</sup>	5 <sup>th</sup>
9 <sup>th</sup>	10 <sup>th</sup>	11 <sup>th</sup>	12 <sup>th</sup>
16 <sup>th</sup>	15 <sup>th</sup>	14 <sup>th</sup>	13 <sup>th</sup>

• In each group each team competes against the three others in the group.

	1 <sup>st</sup> Match	2 <sup>nd</sup> Match	3 <sup>rd</sup> Match
Group 1	1/16	1 /9	1/8
	8/9	8/ 16	16 /9
Group 2	2/15	2/10	2/7
	7/10	7/15	15/10
Group 3	3/14	3/11	3/6
	6/11	6/14	14/11
Group 4	4/13	4/12	4/5
	5/12	5/13	13/12

At the end of these 3 matches, a ranking in each group is established by the allocation of the following points:

won match 2 point bye 2 point

tie match 1 point each team

lost match 0 point

At this stage of the competition, all the teams have shot three matches in each group.

After the groups' matches and the points allocation, this is the situation:

Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	Group 4
1 <sup>st</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>	1 <sup>st</sup>
$2^{\text{nd}}$	$2^{\text{nd}}$	$2^{\rm nd}$	$2^{\rm nd}$
3 <sup>rd</sup>	$3^{\rm rd}$	3 <sup>rd</sup>	3 <sup>rd</sup>
4 <sup>th</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>	4 <sup>th</sup>

#### Then follow 2 matches for the 4 teams of each group:

- Match 1: the teams at the same rank in the 4 groups meet to establish their final ranking: teams of group nr. 1 meet the teams of the group 4 teams of group nr. 2 meet the teams of the group 3
- Match 2: the winners and the losers of the first match shoot against each other. If the timing allows it, the two winners amongst the 1<sup>st</sup> of match nr. 1, can shoot their (final) match separately, otherwise all teams shoot together.

At the end of the  $2^{nd}$  match: the  $1^{st}$  of each "group" are ranked from the  $2^{nd}$  of each "group" are ranked from the  $5^{th}$  to the  $8^{th}$  position based on their points.

#### **Handling of ties:**

- Ties for 16<sup>th</sup> place in the team ranking after the qualification is solved by a shoot off.
- In case of tie after each match, each of the 2 teams gets 1 point
- In case of tie of points after the three matches: the total score of the 3 team matches decides the tie
- If there is still a tie, there is a shoot off
- In case of tie during the two last matches there is a shoot, according to the FITA rules

The winner of the final round of the European Clubteams Cup (men and women) wins the

# "European Clubteams Cup"

# 6. Yearly planning:

At the beginning of the year EMAU writes to the Federations and asks for bids from

organizers for the event for the following year

31<sup>st</sup> of October deadline for bids to be received by EMAU for the coming year

November EMAU Council decides on the bids and EMAU publishes the

Event allocation on the EMAU Website.

5 months before the event The organizers send to EMAU Member Associations an Invitation

letter with all information about inscription, transport, hotel, with a copy to EMAU Secretary General for publication in the EMAU

website.

90 days before the event EMAU Member Associations send the club-Entries to the Organizers

together with the confirmation that

a) the Clubs are members of their Federation

and

b) the nominated archers are members of the participating club

(article 2) as per the 1<sup>st</sup> January of that year.

30 days before the event Payment to be made as per the information in the

Invitation

# 7. Technical Delegate – Tournament Judge Commission

EMAU appoints the Technical Delegate.

The cost for travel, accommodation, meal and local transportation will be carried by the Organizers.

Number of judges 10.

Of these 10 judges:

the host country will appoint 8 National Judges

EMAU will appoint 2 Continental Judges and carries their travel cost.

the host country carries the local transport and accommodation costs of all 10

judges.

# 8. Entry fees

- EMAU council decides on the level of the entry fee (max Euro 150.-./clubteam).
- The participating Clubteams have to pay the entry fee and all the accommodation-fees as per the invitation-information, to the Organizing Committee 30 days before the competition (see article 6).

# 9. The field of play for the European Clubteams Cup

There will be 2 teams in a lane of 5 m. In this case, 16 lanes of 5 m are necessary which means: a field of minimum 80 m width

It might be necessary to have some narrower lanes when the FOP does not allow for 5 m. wide lanes.

The position of the judges must be discussed as per the availabilities on the FOP's.

# 10. Range Layout

The range must comply with FITA Rules (Book 2, art. 7.1.1.13 & 7.1.1.14)