

We had a very successful EBHC in Austria, the biggest and probably best run event ever sanctioned by the IFAA. A difficult event to beat! It definitely impressed Tom Dielen, the Secretary General of World Archery. He has never seen such a large set-up with some 10 ranges. To see a 200+m practice range with some 120+ 3D targets is quite a sight. Tom's visit also provided an opportunity to discuss various issues that effect both associations and to strengthen ties between the two parties. Feedback will be provided at the World Council meeting in Australia.

The feedback from the archers and IFAA officials has been overwhelming positive. If you missed the EBHC 2016 videos, you can watch it here.

The IFAA would like to **CONGRATULATE** the OBSV, the UBSV Glemmtal and volunteers for their outstanding effort in hosting a successful tournament.

BOWHUNTER - BEST SCORES

In acknowledgement of the extraordinary scores shot at the IFAA Bowhunter Championships over the past years, a list of BEST SCORES has been published on the IFAA web page. It cannot be referred to as World Records as the World Council has not accepted the World Record principle for the Bowhunter tournaments as target sizes and high scoring zones differ greatly. You will find the scores here.

2016 WIAMM

The 2016 WIAMM inserts has been posted some time ago and should have been distributed to the relevant participants. Please contact the IFAA Secretary urgently should you have not

received the inserts.

Kilmore & Craigavon Club of Northern Ireland (NIFAA) shared their happy awards presentation with us.



TOURNAMENTS

Australia

Only 3 weeks to go before the world descents on Wagga Wagga for the long anticipated 2016 WFAC. More than 500 archers have registered already representing 15 member countries. The Animal targets being used in the tournament can be viewed here.



The 2016 EIAC organising team has launched a photography contest with the purpose to share in a graphic way how archers are preparing for the EIAC 2016.

The EIAC <u>Facebook</u> page already contains some beautiful photos.

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Registration for the <u>2017 WBHC</u> has been temporarily stopped to allow the organisers to verify the current registrations and make corrections if required. More than 2000 archers showed interest in shooting the competition of which 1400 have paid and are officially registered. Registration is limited to 1600 archers.

Once the verification process has been completed, the online registration will be opened again to allow for the remainder of entries.



The 2016 <u>SAFAC</u> will be hosted in the city of Saquarema, 110km from Rio de Janeiro, Brazil over the period 11 -14 November. Archers from Brazil, Mexico, Argentina and Chile will attend as well as guest archers from Bolivia, Paraguay, Ecuador, Columbia and Peru.

We wish Field Brazil and the organisers a successful tournament.

Registration for the <u>2017 WIAC</u> is open. Archers can register on the WIAC web page. With 208 days to go there is still to register.

The FRATF negotiated a special <u>accommodation rate</u> for participants at the Fundata – Cheile Gradistei holiday resort.

IFAA APPROVED 3D TARGETS



IFAA has approved the <u>Italespanso 3D Targets</u> for use at Officially Sanctioned IFAA tournaments. To see which other companies provide 3D targets that are approved, visit the <u>IFAA web page</u>.

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