



## Rules for the 2023 Back2Back

- Athletes will be randomly assigned into groups of 6
- 8/10 athletes will be seeded through the draw, (based on world and GB Tour ranking)
- Ends of 3 arrows are shot in 90 seconds, and arrows scored in regulation 10-6
- Arrows are in line with the World Archery max diameter rule.
- Each person in the group will shoot a 12-arrow match against each other, matches are shot in 4 ends of 3 arrows. The person with the highest score after 12 arrows will be the winner.
- If a match is won, you receive 2 points.
- If a match is drawn, each person will receive 1 point.
- If there is a tie for an elimination position in the 2 qualification rounds, it will be decided through a 1 arrow shoot off as per WA rules.
- From the first round of matches, 12 female and 18 male athletes will progress into the second round through the following ways:
  - 1st and 2nd place in each group
  - 4/8 athletes with the highest score
- From the second round of matches 6 athletes will progress into the Shoot Down Eliminator through the following ways:
  - 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place in each group for men
  - 2 athletes with the highest score for women only

## The Shoot Down Eliminator Rules

The top 6 athletes in each division will take part in the Shoot Down Eliminator to decide the top 6 places.

- Ends of 5 arrows are shot in 150 seconds on a 5-spot face, and arrows score 11-6
- The athlete with the lowest score will be eliminated after each end of 5 arrows
- If there is a tied score, the athlete with the arrow furthest away from the 11 will be eliminated
- When 3 athletes are left in, arrows will be shot alternate in 20 seconds, the highest ranked athlete left in the competition will be the first to shoot each end
- The winner will be the last athlete to not be eliminated

Any disputes will be resolved by the Competition Director, the COJ, and a 3<sup>rd</sup> member of the OC.

