

# AAE ARIZONA CUP April 8 - 12, 2009



# **General Information**

**Tournament Location:** 

FITA Event Range Ben Avery Shooting Facility 4044 W. Black Canyon Blvd Phoenix, Arizona, USA

#### **Title Sponsor:**

Arizona Archery Enterprises
Cavalier USA

## AAE's website:

www.arizonaarchery.com

World Ranking Event: COPARCO recently selected the 2009 AAE AZ Cup tournament to be one of their FITA WRT events.

**Tournament Coordinator:** Robert Pian

for and on the behalf of the: Arizona State Archery Association

Tournament Website: www.arizonacup.com

## Format:

Qualification: FITA Round, (36 arrows at four distances = 144 arrows), Team Rounds and Elimination Round -The Tournament is open to all Recurve and Compound Competitors. *This tournament is one of the United States Archery Team qualifying tournaments.* See the USAA's USAT criteria.

Ranking for the Elimination and Team Rounds will be based on the Qualification Round.

## **Rules:**

USAA and FITA rules, including dress codes. All archers must wear appropriate footwear including sport shoes covering the foot. (FITA, Book 1, 3.22.1.2)

## Membership:

USAA, NFAA or a foreign IOC National Governing Body for archery. To be eligible for USAT points, you must be a USAA member. We encourage membership in both USAA and NFAA. NAA membership website and NFAA membership website

#### Category:

Recurve and Compound Men (shooting 90/70/50/30 meters) Recurve and Compound Women (shooting 70/60/50/30 meters)

No other official categories are offered. (Archers who are also eligible as Collegiate, Junior and Paralympian will officially compete in the above official categories; however these subcategories will also be sorted and listed for recognition purposes only.)

<u>Drug Testing:</u> Any archer may be subject to unannounced drug testing. Refusal to test may lead to disqualification. Request information from USADA or WADA in advance of tournament, if you have questions. <u>USADA website</u> <u>WADA website</u>

Official Hotel: Crowne Plaza - Phoenix (Metro Center), details posted at <a href="https://resweb.passkey.com/go/ASA">https://resweb.passkey.com/go/ASA</a>. Room Block pricing ends March 30, 2009. There are a limited number of rooms at the special pricing.

<u>Food on Site:</u> Food concession information will be on <u>www.arizonacup.com</u>, when it becomes available.

<u>Airport:</u> Phoenix Sky Harbor International Airport (PHX) - 33 miles from tournament venue.

Entry Fee: \$120.00 payable in US dollars

(includes \$96 tournament fee and \$24 Ben Avery Facility range fee) Late Fee: add \$35.00 US if registration will be received after March 30.

# **How to Register:**

You may print the registration form and mail-in with your payment or you may register and pay online. Go to link shown on www.arizonacup.com

## **Deadline:**

Must be <u>received by March 30, 2009</u> – Space is limited to the field capacity so register early. Registrations received after March 30 will be assessed a late fee. Late entries will be accepted in order received as field capacity permits. There is no on-site registration.

#### **Cancellations:**

Up to March 30 will receive a full refund. A \$35 fee will be withheld after March 30. Email notification of cancellation is acceptable. No refunds after April 3, 2009.

#### Waiver:

All archers must sign a liability waiver prior to participating in tournament activities. Archers under 18 years of age must also have a parent or quardian sign the waiver. See Registration Form.

#### **National Teams:**

Official National Team competition will be held on Sunday, April 12. Only those archers designated by their nation in the Team Meeting may compete. Only those categories with two or more teams will be contested. National Teams need to be registered by the country in advance. See separate FITA Member Invitation for additional information and registration forms for national teams and officials.

# **Open Teams:**

Arizona Cup Open Team Round is included in the registration for all registered archers including National Team members. Deadline to register an open team is 10:45am on Friday, April 10<sup>th</sup>. Open Team Competition will be held on Friday afternoon, April 10.

# Awards:

Awards will be given to the top three archers in the four official categories for the Qualification Round and the Elimination Round. Arizona Cup Champions are the winners of the Elimination Rounds.

<u>Shade and Seating:</u> Shade canopies and seating will be provided for the archers. Complimentary spectator canopies and bleacher seating. Spectators may erect their own shade canopies behind the designated line. All spectator tents must be securely staked down. Spectator admission is free.

<u>Coaches:</u> Personal coaches are not allowed in the archer's area during scoring. Personal coaches must stay behind the spectator line during scoring. Personal coaches are allowed forward to the waiting line during practice. Credentialed National Coaches are allowed up to the waiting line during scoring and may sit in the archer's tents.

**Agents:** Approved persons assisting AR archers or the Tournament Officials may sit in the archer's tents. These persons will be assigned identification credentials.

For additional information: e-mail: info@arizonacup.com or visit our web site: www.arizonacup.com Nov. 1, 2008