



The ANZ League outdoor league shoot has been a great success over the past decade, and following on from this, Archery New Zealand has developed a new Individual Indoor League system which starts the first week of May and goes for 15 consecutive weeks. This indoor league incorporates a new handicap system that has been used worldwide by some of the largest archery bodies and has proven to be very successful and enjoyable. Applying this handicap system allows all competitors of the same bow time to compete against one another on a completely level playing field.

Proposed Rules:

- The round to be shot is a 'Vegas' style event which incorporates a 40cm face with the large 10 scored as 10 for both compound and recurve. X's are also scored and used for tie-breaks.
- Archers may opt to use either a single face or three-spot target (vertical or triangular set-up).
- World Archery arrow rules apply. IE the max diameter shaft that can be used is 9.3mm. Events shall be run to World Archery rules, but without a requirement for timing or judges.
- The round may be shot indoors or outdoors.
- Divisions shall be: Compound, Recurve, Recurve Barebow, Longbow and Crossbow (no gender or age divisions).
- Archers may only shoot 1 round per week. This must be nominated before the round begins.
- Results must be sent to the organisers by Sunday 8pm so that results can be published Monday morning.
- Results are based on an archer's top 10 performances over the 15-week period. This allows for shooters to miss up to 5 weeks and not be penalised.
- Archers may choose to join the league at any time.
- Shooting must be witnessed by at least one other club member.
- Entrance to the League is free of charge.

Within each division, there shall be an overall championship and a handicapped championship: The Overall Championship shall be determined based on the highest aggregate of each archer's top 10 submitted scores.

The Handicapped Championship shall be determined based on the highest 10 number of Points, awarded as follows:

An archer's handicap for each week is calculated = $(300 - \text{mean average of previous rounds shot to date in the calendar year})$. This handicap is added to the archer's score to give an adjusted total.

Participants must be members of ArcheryNZ, or an international association affiliated with World Archery.

Certificates will be awarded to champions in each division for both the Overall League Championship and the Handicapped League Championship.

And the Cherry on the Cake:

Prizes!! – **Hoyt Archery** are supporting this newly developed indoor league by providing the winners of the Overall and Handicap championships of the Compound and Recurve divisions with Hoyt Rolling Duffle Bags. The organizers would like to thank Hoyt Archery for getting in behind this new indoor league and look forward to awarding the recipients their prize! Other prizes may be available as we get closer to the start date.

Please contact ANZIndoor@gmail.com for any further information.