

2017/2018 ISAA AGM

In Attendance:

Frank Stafford	Secretary	Nicola Maiorano	DU
Sinead Naughton	Ex –Officio/GMITC (Voter)	Hugh Farrell	MU (Voter)
Alice Jordan	Vice – Chairperson	James Greer	MU
Thomas Brouder	Chairperson	Jack Brophy	MU
Liam Higgins	Treasurer	Seán Potts	MU
Luke Vickery	UL (Voter)	Eoin De Brit	MU
Kian Brough	UL	Ciarán Martin	MU
Brendan Browne	ITC (Voter)	Tommy Kearns	GMIT
Ian Kenna	ITC	Dale Burke	GMIT
Christabel Chai Sing Chze	DKIT	Tiarnan McGee	GMIT (Voter)
Xian Wei Desmond Doi	DKIT (Voter)	Matthew Durand	GMIT
Eunice Kiew Ying Sing	DKIT	Nur Nariah Binte Zailani	MU
Clíodhna Ní Ghabann	NCAD (Voter)	Juliani Vidal	MU
Kieran Veale	AIT (Voter)	Bérénice de Pol	MU
Emer Coughlan	AIT	Daniel Moloney	UCC
Lewis O'Donaghue	AIT	Emma Daly	UCC
Sophie Schafhauser	DIT (Voter)	Carla Reinhardt	UCC (Voter)
Lyndon Heffernan	MU	Daniel Foley	DIT
Eve Kearney	DU (Voter)	Fiachra Verjans Mac Dermott	DCU
Richard Murray	DU	Ahmed Abdalla	DCU
Rhiannon O'Connor	DCU (Voter)	Carl McCaffrey	UCD (Voter)
Oscar Veide	DCU	Ryan Walsh	DCU
Josh Coughlan	NUIG (Voter)	Sinéad O'Connell	Records officer

1) Quorum:

There are currently 18 registered clubs in the ISAA, Quorum is set at 12, and all votes must receive 12 votes or more to pass.

2) Apologies:

Apologies were read out for UU, Amy Garde and Conor ÓBhealain.

3) Minutes of EGM:

The minutes of the ISAA EGM were presented. Nobody present had any disagreement with the minutes.

Proposed by UL, Seconded by NUIG.

Vote: In Favour = 14, Against = 0 Abstain = 0.

Motion was passed.

4) Chairpersons Report:

All colleges and committee members have worked hard to ensure the league has ran well this year. A new website was setup that is much more user friendly and contains more information and is being kept up to date. There was a disqualification at the GMIT Intervarsity, what we have learned from this is that all members of the association should be fully aware of the rules regarding scoring and clubs should ensure all their members are aware of the rules and constitution. Several of the most common issues are articles 2.3.6, 2.6.2.2, 2.7.1.4, 2.7.1.7, 2.7.4.1 of the constitution and 1.4.4.3, 2.4, 4.1.7, 6.3.1, 6.4.1.1 and 6.4.3 of the rulebook.

Action item: Ensure all members are aware of what they must do and know the above mentioned articles [All clubs].

5) Treasurers Report:

The treasurers report was presented, 850euro was taken in and 800euro was spent therefore 50euro was carried over to next year.

The matching grant from Archery Ireland was not awarded due to previous issues however the committee hopes to have it restored next year.

6) Constitutional amendments (Please see Constitutional amendments section at end for full wording):

a) #1:

Proposed by UL, Seconded by ITC.

Vote: In Favour = 14, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

b) #2:

Proposed by DKIT, Seconded by NCAD.

Vote: In Favour = 14, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

c) # 3:

Proposed by AIT, Seconded by GMIT.

Vote: In Favour = 14, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

d) # 4:

Proposed by UCC, Seconded by DIT.

Vote: In Favour = 14, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

e) # 5:

Proposed by UL, Seconded by AIT.

Vote: In Favour = 14, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

f) # 6:

Proposed by ITC, Seconded by MU.

Vote: In Favour = 14, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

g) # 7:

Proposed by UCC, Seconded by UL.

Vote: In Favour = 13, Against = 1, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

h) # 8:

Proposed by ITC, Seconded by NCAD.

Vote: In Favour = 14, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

i) #9:

Proposed by UL, Seconded by MU.

Vote: In Favour = 14, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

j) # 10:

Proposed by GMIT, Seconded by DCU.

Vote: In Favour = 14, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

k) # 11:

Proposed by AIT, Seconded by UL.

Vote: In Favour = 14, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

l) #12:

Proposed by ITC, Seconded by DIT.

Vote: In Favour = 14, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

m) # 13:

Proposed by NCAD, Seconded by UCC.

Vote: In Favour = 14, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

n) # 14:

Proposed by MU, Seconded by DIT.

Vote: In Favour = 14, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

o) # 15:

Proposed by UL, Seconded by GMITC.

Vote: In Favour = 14, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

p) # 16:

Proposed by ITC, Seconded by UCC.

Vote: In Favour = 14, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

q) # 17:

Proposed by ITC, Seconded by GMIT.

Vote: In Favour = 14, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

r) # 18:

Proposed by NCAD, Seconded by AIT.

Vote: In Favour = 14, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

s) # 19:

Proposed by DKIT, Seconded by DU.

Vote: In Favour = 13, Against = 1, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

t) # 20:

Proposed by GMITC, Seconded by MU.

Vote: In Favour = 14, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

u) # 21:

Proposed by AIT, Seconded by GMIT.

Vote: In Favour = 14, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

v) # 22:

Proposed by UCC, Seconded by DCU.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 1, Abstain = 1.

Amendment was passed.

w) # 23:

Proposed by GMITC, Seconded by UL.

Vote: In Favour = 14, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

DCU Temporarily leave to get bags.

x) # 24:

Proposed by UL, Seconded by ITC.

Vote: In Favour = 13, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

DKIT left to catch bus.

y) # 25:

Proposed by UCC, Seconded by AIT.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

z) # 26:

Proposed by UCC, Seconded by MU.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

aa) # 27:

Proposed by NCAD, Seconded by AIT.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

bb) # 28:

Proposed by UCC, Seconded by UL.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

cc) # 29:

Proposed by ITC, Seconded by DIT.

Vote: In Favour = 11, Against = 0, Abstain = 1.

Amendment was failed to pass as two thirds majority of the Association was not met.

DCU return.

dd) # 30:

Proposed by ITC, Seconded by UCC.

Vote: In Favour = 13, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

ee) # 31:

Proposed by AIT, Seconded by GMITC.

Vote: In Favour = 13, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

7) Rulebook amendments (Please see section rulebook amendments section at end for full wording):

a) #1:

Proposed by UCC, Seconded by AIT.

Vote: In Favour = 13, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

b) #2:

Proposed by GMITC, Seconded by NCAD.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 1, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

c) # 3:

Proposed by UL, Seconded by ITC.

Vote: In Favour = 13, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

d) #4:

Proposed by UCC, Seconded by ITC.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 1, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

e) # 5:

Proposed by UCC, Seconded by UL.

Vote: In Favour = 13, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

f) # 6:

Proposed by NCAD, Seconded by GMIT.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 1, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

g) # 7:

Proposed by DIT, Seconded by UCC.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 0, Abstain = 1.

Amendment was passed.

h) # 8:

Proposed by UL, Seconded by UCC.

Vote: In Favour = 10, Against = 2, Abstain = 1.

Amendment was not passed as two thirds majority of the Association was not met.

Concerns were raised about whether chinos were allowed or not. Chinos are a type of denim so technically no. A rule could be brought in that allows chinos but will need to define stitching which seemed unnecessarily complicated, can be revisited next year.

i) # 9:

Proposed by ITC, Seconded by AIT.

Vote: In Favour = 13, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

DU leave

j) # 10:

Proposed by ITC, Seconded by UCC.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

k) # 11:

Proposed by NCAD, Seconded by AIT.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

l) # 12:

Proposed by UCC, Seconded by GMIT.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

m) # 13:

Proposed by UL, Seconded by ITC.

Vote: In Favour = 11, Against = 1, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was not passed as two thirds majority of the Association was not met.

n) # 14:

Proposed by AIT, Seconded by MU.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

o) # 15:

Proposed by GMITC, Seconded by UCC.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

p) # 16:

Proposed by ITC, Seconded by UL.

Vote: In Favour = 11, Against = 1, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was not passed as two thirds majority of the Association was not met.

q) # 17:

Proposed by NCAD, Seconded by AIT.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

r) # 18:

Proposed by UCC, Seconded by UL.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Amendment was passed.

AIT leave and nominate Sinead O'Connell as the AIT delegate.

8) Election of officers:

a) Chairperson:

Fiachra Verjans Mac Dermott (DCU)

Proposed by DCU, seconded by AIT.

Fiachra turned down the position.

Emma Daly (UCC)

Proposed by UCC, Seconded by DCU.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Emma Daly is elected to position of chairperson, no other nominations were received.

b) Vice - Chairperson:

Thomas Brouder (UCC)

Proposed by UCC, seconded by UL.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Thomas Brouder is elected to position of Vice - Chairperson, no other nominations were received.

c) Secretary:

Clíodhna Ní Ghabann (NCAD)

Proposed by NCAD, seconded by UL.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Clíodhna Ní Ghabann is elected to position of Secretary, no other nominations were received.

d) Treasurer:

Luke Vickery (UL)

Proposed by NUIG, seconded by UCC.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Luke Vickery is elected to position of Treasurer, no other nominations were received

e) Records Officer:

Oscar Veide (DCU)

Proposed by NUIG, seconded by UL.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Oscar Veide is elected to position of Records Officer, no other nominations were received.

f) Public Relations Officer:

Alice Jordan (DIT)

Proposed by GMITC, seconded by NUIG.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Alice Jordan is elected to position of Public Relations Officer, no other nominations were received.

g) Archery Ireland Representative:

Fiachra Verjans Mac Dermott (DCU)

Proposed by DCU, seconded by GMIT.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Fiachra Verjans Mac Dermott is elected to position of Archery Ireland Representative, no other nominations were received.

h) Athlete protection Officer:

Carla Reinhardt (UCC)

Proposed by UL, seconded by MU.

Vote: In Favour = 11, Against = 0, Abstain = 1.

Carla Reinhardt was not elected as two thirds majority of the Association was not met, no other nominations were received.

No Athlete protection Officer was elected

i) Ex-Officio:

Liam Higgins (UL)

Proposed by GMITC, seconded by ITC.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Liam Higgins is elected to position of Ex-Officio, no other nominations were received.

Action item: Elect a athlete protection officer.

9) 2018/2019 intervarsity Calender:

Nobody present had any problems with the proposed calender or the order colleges were organised.

- AIT: They did not request one or inform anyone on the committee so it was assumed they don't want to hold one.
- DIT: No
- NCAD: No
- RCSI: Not present or inform anyone on committee they wanted to host one.
- UCC: No
- UU: Not present or inform anyone on committee they wanted to host one.
- ITC: Want to hold one, can hold the first intervarsity on the 10th and 11th of November.
- ITT: Not present or inform anyone on committee they wanted to host one.
- MU: Could hold joint intervarsity, no other colleges wanted to join so MU wont be holding an intervarsity.
- UCD: No
- DCU: Can hold one on the 24th of November, needs to confirm with venue.
- DKIT: Not present or inform anyone on committee they wanted to host one.
- GMIT: Can hold an intervarsity on the 9th and 10th of February.

- NUIG: Can hold the finals on the 30th of March.
- UL: Can hold an intervarsity on the 16th of March.

Action Item: Book halls and organise intervarsity [ITC, DCU, GMIT, NUIG and UL].

10) Archery Ireland (AI) affiliation:

The committee brought forward the idea of having all colleges affiliate with Archery Ireland. Currently UCD, GMIT and NUIG have already affiliated this year, with DIT, UCC and DCU in the process of getting affiliated. Thomas Brouder met with one of the sports officers in UCC recently to discuss the club and she was shocked to hear that the club was not affiliated with Archery Ireland.

Common questions that are brought up by clubs in the ISAA that could be solved by joining Archery Ireland.

a) Can you organise a judge for our competition?

This is made awkward by not being affiliated with Archery Ireland (AI), as AI must prioritise their own competitions at the minute and there is a limited number of judges.

b) Can we run a coaching course to help us establish a beginner course in our college archery club to ensure the continuation of our club in the future?

AI host a wide range of courses for affiliated clubs including coaching courses, and will assist in establishing a beginner courses and have a lot of documentation about organising these available.

c) Can we not convert our scoring system for Intersarsity's and end of year awards system to the software programme lanseo?

As well as the coaching course AI also offer courses in lanseo, Judging and being a director of shooting. It may be possible to do the full league on lanseo but more research is required here to identify if it can be done and how.

d) Can we get more archers to shoot in the free spaces at our competitions? More income to buy beginner equipment for the club.

If a club is affiliated with AI and the paperwork for the competition is done properly, then external members who are in other AI affiliated clubs can shoot at the intersarsity. This will raise the income for the host club.

e) We can't bring all our archers to ISAA competitions due to venue sizes. Can we have more competitions?

If a club is affiliated their members can join AI and compete at any of their competitions.

f) Can we run our Intersarsity to Irish Record Status/ World Record Status?

Need to be affiliated with AI to get Irish record/ World record status. This can be very advantageous to clubs as well as members, as breaking these records can look very good on grant applications.

e) Can we run a student outdoor competition – separate to the ISAA League? It would include a novice section of 30 and 50m distances.

The main problem with this is the experience level required and different equipment needed for outdoor shoots. If we affiliate with AI they are willing to assist us in organising a student outdoor competition possible at sports HQ, if there is demand for it.

f) Can I represent my college abroad at International competitions?

To represent your college the college and the member must be affiliated with Archery Ireland.

For a club to be AI affiliated they need a Chairperson (president), secretary, treasurer, APO, designated person and line manager. With the APO, designated person and line manager all requiring specific training for the role. These members need to be members of AI.

As part of this proposal the current €50 affiliation fee is scrapped. There are then two options for how student clubs may affiliate with AI, they can choose to join for 12 months at a cost of €250 with individual membership set at €35 or for 9 months at €150 (subject to AI approval) and €30 (subject to AI approval) individual membership. This cost will cover the cost of medals covering the cost of hall rental for courses and provide the additional resources as previously mentioned. Each club will need to fill out the relevant paperwork and submit proof of insurance from the college to AI.

The committee is aware this extra cost may put pressure on smaller clubs. Currently we are proposing that bigger clubs move over using the normal affiliation method, an alternative will be investigated for smaller clubs that may be based on price per member or something similar.

It is currently unclear if the full ISAA committee will be required if this goes ahead, however there will still need to be AGMs, Captains meeting and other general ISAA specific operations, so the majority of the committee will still be required. It is possible the position of treasurer will not be required.

The issue of getting the insurance for just the nine months of the academic year was also discussed with AI, and this is possible.

The clubs not currently affiliated with AI were asked their opinions.

- GMITC – Have very few members and can't afford €150, but if an alternative can be found then they would be interested.
- DIT – Are in the process of joining.
- ITC – Should be interested.
- UL – Probably yes would like to join.
- NCAD – Unsure if club will exist next year or not.
- MU – Probably yes.

Action items: Check Ianseo to see if it is possible to run a full league on it [Committee]

Investigate options for affiliation of smaller clubs [Committee]

Revote on affiliation fees at EGM [All clubs]

11) Affiliation fees:

A vote on the matter of AI affiliation was proposed to be postponed till the ISAA EGM, when all issues should be sorted out. This therefore also involves postponing the vote on the general affiliation fee till after this.

Recommended by Thomas Brouder as part of general executive committee (GEC).

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Vote is postponed.

12) Entry Fee:

The recommended entry fees put forward by the GEC was €10 including lunch and €8 not including lunch. NUIG proposed that the price be raised to €12 if the club provided very good food, however this was withdrawn as it would be too difficult to define and enforce this. It was also clarified that if the competition was on over two days, then an archer could shoot once as a student and as a guest in the other sessions. Clarification was sought for the price of guests being €15 or not, this was postponed till the EGM and the matter would be investigated in the mean time.

Vote: In Favour = 12, Against = 0, Abstain = 0.

Student shoot fees are set for the 2018/2019 ISAA season.

13) PB/league Records:

PB records were lost several years ago, however the records officer has compiled all the PBs from this year and the last few years. Next years clubs should keep on updating the records officer (Oscar Veide incoming) about what members new PB records are.

14) Medal options:

The different options for the medals were presented. If the ISAA chooses to fully affiliate with AI they can organise medals, these would be fairly similar to their medals. If the ISAA chooses to fully affiliate with Archery Ireland, It was recommended that the medals shouldn't be the exact same as the archery ireland medals and there should be some difference, as the ISAA will still be its own separate stand alone Third Level Institution League.

15) One Year Trial of Overall League Winner:

Three options were presented, two were proposed by the GEC and a third option was proposed by NUIG. The ways each of these options calculate and award points to each college was presented and explained to all present. Concerns were raised that these systems would only work for larger colleges and smaller colleges would never do well. However, people did feel that it would help in adding diversity to the league as clubs might be more likely to train up people in compound and barebow.

Brought forward by NUIG and GEC.

Vote: In Favour = 9, Against = 1, Abstain = 2.

The overall league winner system was not passed as two thirds majority of the Association was not met.

16) AOB :

a) Addition of traditional bow category:

The following was sent in by AIT as a possible addition to the league.

“AIT would like to make a proposal around having a Traditional bow category in next year's Inter-Varsity competition. The first reason for this is that as archery in AIT is run under the Society for Creative

Anachronism we encourage the use of traditional bows and archery equipment. The second reason for this is given the differences between shooting a modern barebow and shooting a traditional bow (the differences in release speed of modern bows with those of traditional bows and the use of metal/carbon fibre arrows in comparison to wooden arrows are typically taken into account with our Open Bow category, the equivalent of using a typical Barebow under Inter Varsity rules) having to achieve a score of 15% more for different archer grades within the Society here in Europe, where these rules have been refined over the last 25 years. The third reason has been the positive feedback received from many individuals around our shooting of traditional bows in competition.”

The number of members of the ISAA who compete in traditional barebow is too small to warrant adding another category. Currently it is at the hosts discretion whether they allow traditional bows to compete or not.

Proposed by AIT, was not seconded.

The addition of the traditional barebow category did not meet the requirements to go for a vote.

b) Translation of Rulebook and Constitution:

Brought forward by Ex - Officio.

It was discussed should the rulebook and constitution be translated into different languages, possible options being Spanish, German, French and Chinese. As it just being in English can mean it is difficult for some people to fully understand, and they are then relying on others who may have different interests. Currently the World Archery rules and constitution are only officially released in English as this is the international language of Archery. This is a possible option for the future if someone is willing to do it.

c) Movement Between Categories:

Brought up by NUIG.

There is concerns over people being able to move between intermediate and advanced, as in some categories there arent many people competing in advanced and people may see this as providing easy medals. Currently if people do this there are no consequences, possible proposals for ways of dealing with this will be investigated by the committee. One possible option is to look at the code of ethics and as this would be an ethical issue.

Constitutional Amendments

Page No:	1
Current Text	This edition contains all laws and by-laws approved at the Irish Student Archery Association Extraordinary General Meeting on August 12 2017. There may be additional by-laws and interpretations after this date including amendments to the by-laws which may affect this edition. Please check the ISAA website (www.student.archery.ie) for a listing of all new by-laws, by-law amendments, and interpretations which may be in force. This version supersedes all previous versions.
Proposed Amendment #1	This edition contains all laws and by-laws approved at the Irish Student Archery Association Extraordinary General Meeting on August 12 2017. There may be additional by-laws and interpretations after this date including amendments to the by-laws, <u>voted in by the Association</u>, which may affect this edition. Please check the ISAA website (www.student.archery.ie) for a listing of all new by-laws, by-law amendments, and interpretations which may be in force. This version supersedes all previous versions.

Page No:	5 and 6
Current Text	“Club” means a third-level archery club which is properly affiliated to the Association, in accordance with Articles 2.3.2 to 2.3.4 inclusive;
Proposed Amendment #2	“Club” means a third-level institution archery club which is properly affiliated to the Association, in accordance with Articles 2.3.2 to 2.3.4 inclusive;

Page No:	5 and 6
Current Text	No current text in section 2.1.1. defining “Third Level Institution”
Proposed Amendment #3	Text taken from Citizens Information website: http://www.citizensinformation.ie/en/moving_country/moving_to_ireland/studying_in_ireland/third_level_education.html . It is proposed we write in the following text. “Third Level Institution” means the third-level education sector in Ireland which consists of universities, institutes of technology and colleges of education – collectively known as higher education institutions or HEIs. Third-level qualifications are levels 6-10 in the National Framework of Qualifications.

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Current Text	No current text in section 2.1.1. defining “National Framework Qualifications”
Proposed Amendment #4	Text taken from Quality and Qualifications Ireland website: http://www.qqi.ie/Articles/Pages/National-Framework-of-Qualifications-(NFQ).aspx . It is proposed we write in the following text. “National Framework of Qualifications” means the Irish framework through which all learning achievements may be measured and related to each other in a coherent way.

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Current Text	No current text in section 2.1.1. defining “Student”
Proposed Amendment #5	It is proposed we write in the following text. “Student” means a person who is registered, through form of a valid student number, and is actively studying at a Third Level Institution.

Page No:	5 and 6
Current Text	No current text in section 2.1.1. defining “Third Parties”
Proposed Amendment #6	It is proposed we write in the following text. “Third Parties” means organisations relevant to the running and management of the Association. Examples include, but not limited to, Archery Ireland, Sporting Ireland, Student Sport Ireland, Irish Sports Council, Just Sport Ireland.

Page No:	6
Current Text	Addition of Article 2.2.2.2
Proposed Amendment #7	2.2.2.2. An athlete will only be eligible for a single grace year in the Association.

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Current Text	2.3.7. Any Club whose application for affiliation to the Association is rejected shall be permitted to appeal such a decision and receive a breakdown of reasons for rejection no later than two weeks following the formal appeal.
Proposed Amendment #8	2.3.7. Any Club whose application for affiliation to the Association is rejected, due to failure to adhere to Article 2.2.6. and 2.3.6, or previous sanctions laid down by the GEC in accordance with 2.8.4.1, shall be permitted to appeal such a decision and receive a breakdown of reasons for rejection no later than two weeks following the formal appeal.

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Current Text	2.5.1.2. The GEC shall have the power to make decisions that do not conflict with the Constitution or the Rulebook
Proposed Amendment #9	2.5.1.2. The GEC shall have the power to make decisions that do not change or conflict with the Constitution or the Rulebook.

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Current Text	2.5.1.8. The GEC may appoint Members to non-Executive positions when such positions become vacant during a season.
Proposed Amendment #10	Proposal to introduce additional sentences. “An email must be sent by the GEC to all affiliated Clubs announcing the vacancy within one week. If no nominations are received by the GEC through email from affiliated clubs two weeks after the initial email, the GEC may approach, discuss and appoint Members to Non-Executive positions.”

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Current Text	2.5.2.5. In the event of the chairperson vacating their position during the season, the Vice-chairperson shall continue the duties of the chairperson until an EGM is held (at the next gathering providing it does not breach the 2 weeks’ notice an EGM needs).
Proposed Amendment #11	2.5.2.5. In the event of the chairperson vacating their position during the season, the Vice-chairperson shall continue the duties of the chairperson until an EGM is held (at the next gathering providing it does not breach the 2 weeks’ notice an EGM needs) and a new chairperson can be elected.

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Current Text	2.5.4.2. The Secretary shall keep minutes of all general Association meetings and ensure the timely distribution of said minutes to Association Clubs.
Proposed Amendment #12	2.5.4.2. The Secretary shall keep minutes of all general Association meetings and ensure the distribution of said minutes to Association Clubs <u>within two weeks.</u>

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Current Text	2.5.4.6. The Secretary shall submit to the Archery Ireland Competitions Secretary a list of Association events for display on the Archery Ireland Calendar.
Proposed Amendment #13	2.5.4.6. The Secretary shall submit to the <u>Archery Ireland Communications Secretary and Archery Ireland Webmaster</u> a list of Association events for display on the Archery Ireland Calendar.

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Current Text	2.5.4.7. The Secretary shall, in conjunction with the Records Officer, submit all relevant documents, scores, records, and other Competition data to the Archery Ireland Webmaster for display on the website.
Proposed Amendment #14	2.5.4.7. The Secretary shall, in conjunction with the Records Officer, submit all relevant documents, scores, records, and other competition data to the <u>Association Webmaster, the Archery Ireland Communications Secretary and</u> the Archery Ireland Webmaster for display on the <u>Association website and Archery Ireland</u> website.

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Current Text	Introduction of Article 2.5.4.8.
Proposed Amendment #15	<u>2.5.4.8. The Secretary shall submit to the Archery Ireland Communications Secretary and Archery Ireland Webmaster the names and committee positions taking up office, for display on the Archery Ireland website, at the beginning of each new Season.</u>

Page No:	10
Current Text	Introduction of a new Article in 2.5.5.
Proposed Amendment #16	<u>The Treasurer shall be responsible for collecting all affiliation fees as per Article 2.3.4. The Treasurer must ensure to lodge all affiliation fees to the Archery Ireland Bank account within two weeks after the deadline outlined in Article 2.3.4.</u>

Page No:	10
Current Text	Altering the Article numbers in 2.5.5.
Proposed Amendment #17	Introducing Proposed Amendment #14 as Article 2.5.5.2 and subsequently altering the current Articles 2.5.5.2 to 2.5.5.5. by one number.

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Current Text	2.5.6.2. The Records Officers shall maintain a list of all Association members who become eligible for a higher category during the season.
Proposed Amendment #18	2.5.6.2 The Records Officers shall maintain a list of all Association members <u>Personal Best Scores and all Association members</u> who become eligible for a higher category during the season.

Page No:	10
Current Text	Introduction of a new Article 2.5.6.4.
Proposed Amendment #19	<u>The Records Officer will email all colleges the competition results once all archers' categories and scores have been verified against all affiliated members details. The verified competition results will be emailed out no later than seven days after the competition is complete.</u>

Page No:	10
Current Text	Introduction of a new Article 2.5.6.5.
Proposed Amendment #20	<u>The Records Officer will keep record of all students records shot in the Association Intervarsity League and all other Association events, including but not limited to, National Student Indoor Championship, and Halloween Shoot.</u>

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Current Text	2.5.7.3. The PRO shall be responsible for the maintenance of any and all ISAA social media accounts.
Proposed Amendment #21	2.5.7.3. The PRO shall be responsible for the maintenance of <u>the Association Website</u> , and all ISAA social media accounts.

Page No:	11
Current Text	Introduction of a new Article in 2.5.9
Proposed Amendment #22	<u>In order to hold the position of APO, the member must at least hold a valid certificate of attendance in ‘Safeguarding 1 - Child Welfare and Protection - Basic Awareness Workshop’ or equivalent.</u>

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Current Text	2.5.12.3. Any candidate for election must, upon assuming office in the new Season, be a full-time student or a student on their year’s grace.
Proposed Amendment #23	Removal of word; 2.5.12.3. Any candidate for election must, upon assuming office in the new Season, be a student or a student on their year’s grace.

Page No.	12
Current Text	2.6.1.4. The quorum for an AGM shall be two thirds of the Association Clubs. No business shall be transacted at any general meeting unless a quorum is present when the meeting proceeds to business. If within half an hour from the time appointed for the meeting a quorum is not present shall stand adjourned to the same day in the next week at the same time and place or any such day in any such place and time as the AC may determine. If at such adjourned meeting a quorum as above defined in not present within fifteen (15) minutes from the time appointed for holding the meeting, the members present shall be a quorum.
Proposed Amendment #24	2.6.1.4. The quorum for an AGM shall be two thirds of the Association Clubs. No business shall be transacted at any general meeting unless a quorum is present when the meeting proceeds to business. If within half an hour from the time appointed for the meeting a quorum is not present shall stand adjourned to the same day in the next week at the same time and place or any such day in any such place and time as the <u>GEC</u> may determine. If at such adjourned meeting a quorum as above defined <u>is</u> not present within fifteen (15) minutes from the time appointed for holding the meeting, <u>no amendment or changes can be voted on or enforced with regards to the general running of the Association, the Constitution, the Rulebook or any by-laws or policies the Association has implemented.</u>

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Current Text	2.6.1.5. The Chairperson may, with the consent of any meeting at which a quorum is present, adjourn the meeting from time to time and from place to place, but no business shall be transacted at any adjourned meeting other than the business left unfinished at the meeting from which the adjournment took place. If at such adjourned meeting a quorum is not present, those members being entitled to vote and being present shall be deemed to be quorum and may conduct all business that a full quorum may have conducted.
Proposed Amendment #25	2.6.1.5. The Chairperson may, with the consent of any meeting at which a quorum is present, adjourn the meeting from time to time and from place to place, but no business shall be transacted at any adjourned meeting other than the business left unfinished at the meeting from which the adjournment took place. If at such adjourned meeting a quorum is not present, <u>no amendment or changes can be voted on or enforced with regards to the general running of the Association, the Constitution, the Rulebook or any by-laws or policies the Association has implemented.</u>

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Current Text	2.8.1.1. The GEC shall have the power to appoint a Sub-Committee made up of Association Members with one member of the GEC as Chairperson. This Sub-Committee shall be called a Disciplinary Panel.
Proposed Amendment #26	2.8.1.1. The GEC shall have the power to appoint a Sub-Committee made up of Association Members with one member of the GEC as Chairperson. <u>An Archery Ireland Executive Committee Member should also sit on said Sub-Committee, if possible.</u> This Sub-Committee shall be called a Disciplinary Panel.

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Current Text	2.8.2.1. The Chairperson of the Disciplinary Panel shall select Association Members to hear the disciplinary case. The Chairperson may select one person to serve as the Disciplinary Panel if they deem it appropriate.
Proposed Amendment #27	2.8.2.1. The Chairperson of the Disciplinary Panel shall select Association Members to hear the disciplinary case, <u>preferably all affiliated club captains. A minimum of three people may serve as the Disciplinary Panel.</u>

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Current Text	2.8.3.3. The Disciplinary Panel shall be entitled to determine any pre-hearing procedural or evidential issues or disputes. The Chairperson of a three person Disciplinary Panel may determine such issues without recourse to the other members of the Disciplinary Panel.
Proposed Amendment #28	Removal of last sentence, and therefore now reads: 2.8.3.3. <u>The Disciplinary Panel shall be entitled to determine any pre-hearing procedural or evidential issues or disputes.</u>

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Current Text	2.8.11.2. The rules of the Association regarding doping are the Irish Anti-Doping Rules as adopted by the Irish Sports Council on 02 February 2004 and which came into force on 01 June 2004 , as amended from time to time. The Irish Anti-Doping Rules are consistent with the World Anti-Doping Agency Anti-Doping Rules and those prescribed in the World Archery Rulebook Appendix 5 Rule 14.1
Proposed Amendment #29	2.8.11.2. The rules of the Association regarding doping are the Irish Anti-Doping Rules as adopted by the Irish Sports Council on 01 January 2015 , as amended from time to time. The Irish Anti-Doping Rules are consistent with the World Anti-Doping Agency Anti-Doping Rules and those prescribed in the World Archery Rulebook Book 6.

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Current Text	2.9.4.2. No part of this Constitution shall be altered, rescinded, or added to without the consent of at least two thirds of Members present and voting at a Meeting.
Proposed Amendment #30	2.9.4.2. No part of this Constitution shall be altered, rescinded, or added to without the consent of at least two thirds <u>of delegates present, duly proposed in accordance with Article 2.6.3.6.,</u> and voting at a Meeting.

Page No:	20
Current Text	Addition of section 2.9.7.
Proposed Amendment #31	<u>2.9.7. TRANSGENDER ATHLETES</u> <u>2.9.7.1. A transgender athlete has the right to affiliate with the Association with a new gender status that accords with their gender identity.</u> <u>2.9.7.2. The Association follows World Archery guidelines for the classification of transgender athletes.</u>

Rulebook Amendments

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Current Text	This edition contains all Competition Rules and Regulations approved at the Irish Student Archery Association Extraordinary General Meeting on August 12 2017. There may be additional rules and interpretations after this date including amendments to the rules which may affect this edition. Please check the ISAA website (www.student.archery.ie) for a listing of all new rules, regulations, amendments, and interpretations which may be in force. This version supersedes all previous versions.
Proposed Amendment #1	This edition contains all Competition Rules and Regulations approved at the Irish Student Archery Association Extraordinary General Meeting on August 12 2017. <u>There may be additional rules and interpretations after this date including amendments to the rules, voted in by the Association, which may affect this edition.</u> Please check the ISAA website (www.student.archery.ie) for a listing of all new rules, regulations, amendments, and interpretations which may be in force. This version supersedes all previous versions.

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Current Text	1.4.1. RBM, RBF, RIM, RIF, BBM, BBF, BAM, and BAF archers shall shoot a FITA 18 round: 60 arrows on a 40cm target face at 18m.
Proposed Amendment #2	Addition of a line: 1.4.1. RBM, RBF, RIM, RIF, BBM, BBF, BAM, and BAF archers shall shoot a FITA 18 round: 60 arrows on a 40cm target face at 18m. <u>A RIM, RIF, BAM and BAF may choose to shoot a FITA 18 round: 60 arrows on a tri-spot 40cm target face at 18m, if they so wish.</u>

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Current Text	2.1.7.1. An arrow consists of a shaft with a tip (point), nocks, fletching and, if desired, cresting. The maximum diameter of arrow shafts shall not exceed 9.3mm (arrow wraps shall not be considered as part of this limitation as long they do not extend further than 22cm toward the point of the arrow when measured from the throat -nock hole where the string sits - of the nock to the end of the wrap); the tips (points) for these arrows may have a maximum diameter of 9.4mm. All arrows of every athlete shall be marked with the athlete's name or initials on the shaft. All arrows used in any end shall be identical and shall carry the same pattern and colour(s) of fletching, nocks and cresting, if any. Tracer nocks (electrically/electronically lighted arrow nocks) are not allowed.
Proposed Amendment #3	Sentenced removed: 2.1.7.1. An arrow consists of a shaft with a tip (point), nocks, fletching and, if desired, cresting. The maximum diameter of arrow shafts shall not exceed 9.3mm (arrow wraps shall not be considered as part of this limitation as long they do not extend further than 22cm toward the point of the arrow when measured from the throat -nock hole where the string sits - of the nock to the end of the wrap); the tips (points) for these arrows may have a maximum diameter of 9.4mm. All arrows of every athlete shall be marked with the athlete's name or initials on the shaft. Tracer nocks (electrically/electronically lighted arrow nocks) are not allowed.

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Current Text	Addition of Article 2.2.1.7.
Proposed Amendment #4	<u>2.2.1.7. Whisker Biscuit arrow rests are permitted.</u>

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Current Text	Addition of Article 2.2.3.3.
Proposed Amendment #5	<u>2.2.3.3. Single-pin sights may be used. Multi-pin sights with all but one pin removed are permitted.</u>

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Current Text	2.3.7.1 A separator between the fingers to prevent pinching the arrow may be used. An anchor plate or similar device attached to the finger protection (tab) for the purpose of anchoring is permitted. The stitching shall be uniform in colour. Marks or lines shall be uniform in size, shape and colour. Additional memoranda and markings are not permitted. On the bow hand an ordinary glove, mitten or similar item may be worn but shall not be attached to the grip of the bow.
Proposed Amendment #6	Sentenced removed: 2.3.7.1. A separator between the fingers to prevent pinching the arrow may be used. An anchor plate or similar device attached to the finger protection (tab) for the purpose of anchoring is permitted. Additional memoranda and markings are not permitted. On the bow hand an ordinary glove, mitten or similar item may be worn but shall not be attached to the grip of the bow.

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Current Text	2.3.10 For athletes in all three divisions, the following equipment is not permitted: 2.3.10.1. Any electronic or electrical device that can be attached to the athlete's equipment. 2.3.10.2. Any electronic communication device, headsets or noise reduction devices in front of the waiting line.
Proposed Amendment #7	2.4. ALL THREE DIVISIONS For athletes in all three divisions, the following equipment is not permitted: 2.4.1. Any electronic or electrical device that can be attached to the athlete's equipment. 2.4.2. Any electronic communication device, headsets or noise reduction devices in front of the waiting line. Addition of Article 2.4.3. Athlete equipment in Association Events shall not include camouflage colours of any kind, as per World Archery guidelines.

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Current Text	<p>2.4. Dress Regulations</p> <p>2.4.1. All competing athletes shall wear the uniform of their Club, where possible.</p> <p>2.4.2. Guest's archers shall wear the uniform of their World Archery Member Association club.</p> <p>2.4.3. Members of the host Club shall wear their Club uniform while running the Competition.</p>
Proposed Amendment #8	<p>2.5. Dress Regulations</p> <p>2.5.1. <u>All competing athletes shall wear the uniform of their Club (i.e. jersey/shooting top) long or short sleeved (covering the front and back of the body, be fixed over each shoulder while still covering the midriff when they are at full draw).</u></p> <p>2.5.2. <u>If a competing athlete is not in position of a club uniform, they are entitled to wear 'gym sports gear'. This is preferentially a shooting top of one colour. The shooting top must have no text or images present on it, except for the branding logo. The shooting top must cover the front and back of the body, be fixed over each shoulder while still covering the midriff when they are at full draw. The shooting top should not be a jersey affiliated with another sport, such as an Irish soccer or rugby jersey.</u></p> <p>2.5.3. Guest archers shall wear the uniform of their World Archery Association club</p> <p>2.5.4. Members of the host Club shall wear their Club uniform while running the Competition.</p> <p>2.5.5. <u>All competing athletes shall wear trousers, shorts, skirts, or divided skirts. In regards to shorts, skirts, or divided skirts, they may not be shorter than the athlete's fingertips when the arms and fingers are extended at the athlete's side.</u></p> <p>2.5.6. <u>No denim or jeans or jeggings, regardless the colour, or camouflage clothes, nor any oversize or baggy type pants or shorts;</u></p> <p>2.5.7. <u>Sports shoes that are non-marking shall be worn by all athletes and officials for indoor competitions except for disabled athletes when included on their ISAA member's details form. Sports shoes may be different styles but shall cover the entire foot.</u></p>

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Current Text	3.1.4. Except for persons with disabilities, athletes shall shoot from a standing position and without support, with their body above the shooting line.
Proposed Amendment #9	3.1.4. Except for persons with disabilities, athletes shall shoot from a standing position and without support, with their body above the shooting line, as per World Archery guidelines.

Page No:	13
Current Text	3.4.1. Any athlete on the target butt shall refer any questions about the value of an arrow in the target face to a Judge before any arrows and drawn.
Proposed Amendment #10	3.4.1. Any athlete on the target butt shall refer any questions about the value of an arrow in the target face to a Judge before any arrows are drawn.

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Current Text	<p>6.2. Trophies</p> <p>6.2.1. Trophies shall be awarded across several categories to first, second, and third in the League:</p>
Proposed Amendment #11	<p>6.2. Intersivity League Awards</p> <p>6.2.1. Intersivity League Awards shall be awarded across several categories to first, second, and third in the League:</p>

Page No:	20
Current Text	6.2.1.7. A Club may qualify for any number of Team League Trophies.
Proposed Amendment #12	6.2.1.7. A Club may qualify for any number of Intersivity Team League Awards.

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Current Text	6.2.2. In the case where incorrect scores were used to calculate League results, the Committee Secretary must be informed at most four (4) weeks after the League finals in order for an amendment to be made.
Proposed Amendment #13	6.2.2. In the case where incorrect scores were used to calculate League results, the Association Records Officer and Secretary must be informed at most two (2) weeks after the League finals in order for an amendment to be made.

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Current Text	6.3.1. The performance awards shall be granted when the athlete achieves the relevant scores for the first time in an Intersarsity.
Proposed Amendment #14	6.3.1. The performance awards shall be granted when the athlete achieves the relevant scores for the first time in an Association event, including but not limited to an Intersarsity, Student Nationals, Student Open, a Halloween Competition, which is run in accordance to the Constitution and Rulebook.

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Current Text	Introduction of a new Article 6.3.1.2.
Proposed Amendment #15	6.3.1.2. "Performance awards must be granted in ascending order"

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Proposed Amendment #18	<p><u>Chapter 7</u></p> <p><u>MISCELLANEOUS</u></p> <p><u>7.1 AMENDMENTS TO THE RULEBOOK</u></p> <p><u>7.1.1 No amendment or alteration to this Rulebook shall be considered by the Association unless it shall have been proposed by either the GEC or any Club, and unless notice thereof shall, except in the case of an amendment or alteration proposed by the GEC, have been sent in writing to the Secretary at least fourteen (14) days before the Meeting at which such amendment or alteration is intended to be proposed.</u></p> <p><u>7.1.2 No part of this Rulebook shall be altered, rescinded, or added to without the consent of at least two thirds of delegates present, duly proposed in accordance with Article 2.6.3.6. of the Association Constitution, and voting at a Meeting.</u></p>