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0007. Australian Clout Round

A discussion paper for Archery Australia.

Objectives

- The primary objective of the proposed change is to get more archers shooting clout.
- To give clout a similar scoring system to some of the other games we play.

Overview

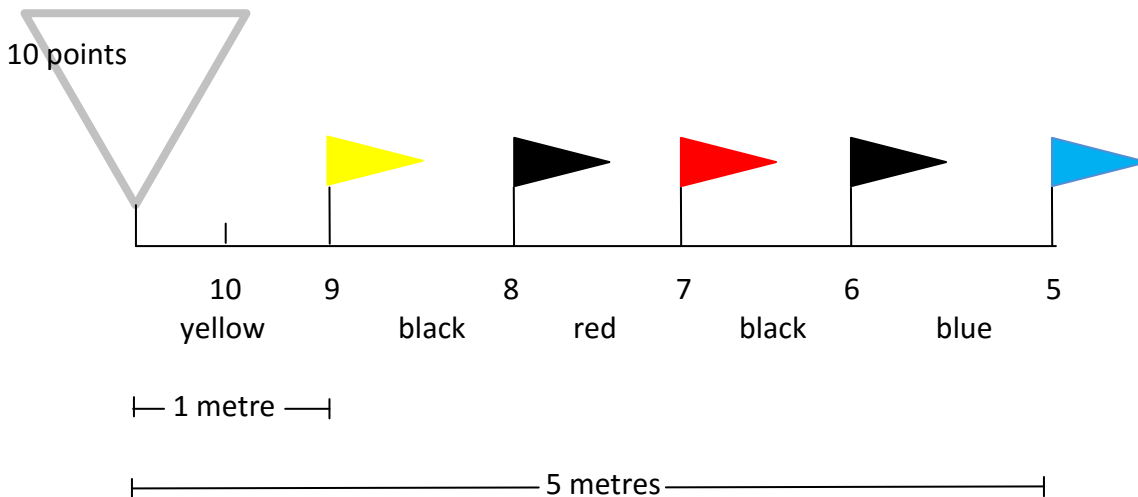
It is proposed to change the size of the clout scoring area to a standard metric size.

It is proposed to change the scoring to be a combination of the existing World Archery 5 ring clout and the current Australian 10 ring clout. The proposed scoring zones are 6 ring, as per the current World Archery FITA Field rules, but in line with discussion paper 0003 Australian Field Round scoring system.

It is proposed to change the number of scoring ends to 5. This shall produce a maximum score of 300 points.

It is proposed to change the colour of the flags as per the proposed Australian Field Round face.

It is proposed to change the scoring values to suit the 6 ring scoring. 10 and 9 for the gold, 8 for the black, 7 for the red, 6 for the black and 5 for the blue.



Perceived Benefits

- A more marketable total of 300 points.
- A shorter single and double round. A 60 arrow double round should take 90 minutes less to shoot than the current 72 arrow round by having less ends and faster scoring.
- Requires 7 people to score the clout as opposed to the current 11 people.
- Easier to calculate a series of ratings and handicaps.

Distances

The following are the suggested distances by category.

Clout	Barebow Compound	Compound	Barebow Recurve	Recurve	Longbow
Female					
Under 12	100m	100m	100m	100m	100m
Under 15	125m	125m	100m	125m	100m
Under 18	150m	150m	125m	150m	125m
Under 21	150m	175m	125m	150m	125m
Open	150m	175m	125m	150m	125m
Master	150m	175m	125m	150m	125m
Veteran	150m	150m	125m	150m	125m
Male					
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Master	150m	175m	150m	175m	150m
Veteran	150m	150m	125m	150m	125m

Clout	Total Arrows	Number of Arrows at each Distance (Metres)							Possible Score
		175	150	125	100	75	50	25	
Australian Clout	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	30	300

For your consideration.

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~ The primary focus of all obstacles is to induce labour so progression can be born~ "Lil' C"