

Archery Guidelines and COVID 19

1. Small Group of Unrelated Shooters

- a. A small group of shooters for the purpose of these guidelines is defined as a group where there is enough equipment for all of the shooters to have their own set of equipment
- b. Every girl or shooter gets fitted for a bow at the beginning of the program and is issued a set of arrows, a hip quiver, and an arm guard that correspond with the bow they are using. They will use the set of equipment they are given for the entirety of the program
 - i. All bows will be marked with a distinguishable sticker, small mark of paint, or other unique marker to ensure that Girls or shooters are not mixing up the equipment that is assigned to them. Note: mark the bow after assigning to the shooter, and match to her color-coded arrows. This will insure the proper type of bow (left/right-handed, and size) for each shooter.
 - ii. Hip quivers, arrows, and an arm guards will be divided into sets that correspond with each other. They will be marked with some sort of unique marker to ensure that they are not switched throughout the program. These sets are given to shooters at the beginning of the program and will be used by the same shooter for the entirety of the program.
- c. Prior to shooting, each shooter shall wash or sanitize their hands (depending upon available facilities).
- d. Shooting lines will be small and allow for social distancing. Only every other target should be utilized. Or, if the range is large enough to space targets where shooters can stand at least six feet apart, skipping targets is not necessary.
- e. Shooters will retrieve their own arrows when directed to do so by the instructor. Targets will be sanitized in between groups.
- f. Masks are to be worn at all times when not on the line but can be removed while actively shooting.
- g. Instructors may choose to either give commands using an electronic whistle or verbal commands but will not utilize a standard whistle to give shooting commands.
- h. Instructors are to wear masks at all times and must maintain proper social distancing unless there is an instance where the safety of the shooters or instructors requires direct instruction.
- i. All shooters and instructors must watch the intro to archery video that will be provided to them when receiving confirmation of their use of camp.
- j. All equipment, including but not limited to bow strings, risers, arrows, quivers, arm guards, and targets will be sanitized by instructors at the end of the program. Instructors are to wear gloves while sanitizing equipment.

2. Family units shooting

- a. A family unit for the purpose of these guidelines is defined as a group of members who reside in the same household
- b. Families will be issued a set of equipment (bow(s), arrows, arm guards at the beginning of the program
- c. Each family at the range at a time will be assigned a target lane and will share that target as a family unit
- d. Masks are to be worn at all times when not on the line but may be removed while actively shooting.
- e. Instructors may choose to either give commands using an electronic whistle or verbal commands but will not utilize a standard whistle to give shooting commands.
- f. Instructors are to wear masks at all times and must maintain proper social distancing unless there is an instance where the safety of the shooters or instructors requires direct instruction.
- g. All shooters and instructors must watch the intro to archery video that will be provided to them when receiving confirmation of their use of camp.
- h. All equipment, including but not limited to bow strings, risers, arrows, quivers, arm guards, and targets will be sanitized by instructors at the end of the program. Instructors are to wear gloves while sanitizing equipment.

3. Large Group of unrelated shooters

- a. A large group of shooters for the purpose of these guidelines is defined as a group where there is not enough equipment for every shooter to have their own set of equipment
- b. Shooting lines will be small and only one person will shoot at a target at a time
- c. All equipment will be sanitized in between each line, this includes but is not limited to arrows, bows, strings, arm guards
- d. Instructors should limit equipment sharing as much as possible
- e. Masks are to be worn at all times when not on the line but may be removed while actively shooting.
- f. Instructors may choose to either give commands using an electronic whistle or verbal commands but will not utilize a standard whistle to give shooting commands.
- g. Instructors are to wear masks at all times and must maintain proper social distancing unless there is an instance where the safety of the shooters or instructors requires direct instruction.
- h. All shooters and instructors must watch the intro to archery video that will be provided to them when receiving confirmation of their use of camp.
- i. All equipment, including but not limited to bow strings, risers, arrows, quivers, arm guards, and targets will be sanitized by instructors at the end of the program. Instructors are to wear gloves while sanitizing equipment.