

Selection Process

The selection process **will be open for all SwissArchery athletes in category Under21 and Under18**. Athletes that are **not part of the national cadre must officially announce their participation** in the selection process **in advance** to sportkommission@swissarchery.org. Any score shot before the announcement will be **invalid** and therefore, **will not count within the ranking**.

- **European Youth Championships – LILLESALL GBR (15-20.08.2022)**

To elect the SwissArchery National Team for the European Youth Championships, SwissArchery will list the athletes' scores within a ranking. The ranking will be calculated by the **average of the 3 highest WA720 score** during the athletes' season 2022, shot in official WA tournaments, or internal qualification events*. The selection process will start from **February the 1st**. Previous results will not be calculated in the process.

At the end of the selection period, **the two 2 highest ranked athletes of each category that will pass the minima at least once, will have the right to participate**. The selection commission has the right to nominate athletes to complete the teams, if the levels are reasonable. Nominations can differ from the ranking. The selection has to be approved by the Central Committee.

***Internal competitions:**

No internal selections are planned at the moment. SwissArchery keeps the right to plan some in case of restrictions in the calendar.

The minima for WA720 round are:

Division	M	W
Recurve Under 21	630	610
Recurve Under 18	635	615
Compound Under 21	680	660
Compound Under 18	670	650

All the Athletes will have the possibility to improve their ranking by taking part in any official WA720 tournament and internal competition.

To validate the result of any competition, except for the internal ones, all the archers need to send a picture of the scores, signed by a judge and a picture of the official ranking to sportkommission@swissarchery.org within three (3) days after the event.

PAY ATTENTION

The European Championships, Swiss Archery **will contribute to the costs as follows:**

- **Passing the minima once, the athlete will have 50% reduction on the costs of the entire events.**
- **Passing the minima twice the entire cost will be covered by Swiss Archery.**

The ranking will be updated constantly with, the result provided by the athletes, and the internal competitions. The updated version of the ranking will be used to define the team.

For the final selection to the European Championships, the Sports Commission will also take the following criteria into account:

- Participation in the qualification tournaments held by Swiss Archery
- Participation in the training camps organized by Swiss Archery
- Dedication and commitment shown by the athlete and respect for the rules of Swiss Archery

Selection Period Deadlines and Competition Dates

Competition:	Selection Deadline:	Date of Competition:
European Youth Championships	Sunday 10 July 2022	15-20.08.2022

All this selection process will run under Swiss Archery Safety Rules regarding Covid-19 that can change at any moment. We will try to apply fully and follow them. Also, international events may be subject to cancellations or restrictions out of our control.