



Irish Field Archery Federation - Adult (18+) New Membership Application Form

The Irish Field Archery Federation (IFAF) is affiliated to the International Field Archery Association (IFAA)



NAME				TRAINING SCHEDULE		Initials	
						Trainee	Trainer
POSTAL ADDRESS				1	Introduction - What is field archery? IFAF, IFAA, clubs, events, travel and costs explained (and the social aspect of the sport!)		
CONTACT #				2	Explain this schedule and its importance. Outline the IFAF Child Protection Policy		
EMAIL ADDRESS				3	Choice made for left or right handed shooting via eye dominance test and/or whichever is preferred by trainee.		
CLUB (if applicable)				4	SAFETY inc. don't point bow at anyone, dry fire bow, shoot at anything but a proper target. Safety procedures and signals to suit training circumstances.		
GENDER	Male	Female	NB #1: Veteran age category applies only to IFAA rounds and is optional NB #2: Adult category is 17+ but for Data Protection purposes those under 18 must fill out the 'Under 18's' application	5	Personal Equipment: Suitable clothing and footwear. Armguard. Tab/glove/finger saver. Chestguard		
AGE	Veteran 55+ yrs	Adult 17-54 yrs		6	Draw-practice on low poundage bow. No arrow. Stance and anchor practice, both eyes open.		
				7	More draw practice but with arrow (trainer loads). Med release or other. Cock fletch.		
MEDICAL CONDITION(S) - Please give details				8	Loading the bow. Shooting very short range. Aiming and adjustment method.		
				9	Brief theory on how a bow works, poundage and draw length etc.		
				10	Read safety rules Pg 3 and 4 of Handbook. Learn arrow and recurve bow components		
TRAINEE: I have undergone a training course and I have read and agree to abide by the rules and Bye-laws governing the Federation. I have a copy of the IFAF handbook				11	Equipment needed for participation in Field Archery. What, when and how to buy and in what order.		
				12	Shooting the range - the experience i.e. "Have-a-go". Short distances. Varying the stance. Making the shot. Correct methods of draw (high-draw not allowed)		
SIGN	DATE			13	Demonstrate equipment checking. Using a bow stringer		
TRAINER: This person has undergone this training course and I deem them sufficiently safe and competent in the sport of field archery				14	Shooting at longer distances. Trajectory. Other aiming methods including sights. Explain and if possible demonstrate and practice.		
SIGN	DATE			15	Briefly, the meaning of bow tune and arrow spine preferably with demo		
Put X in the box if you wish to OPT-OUT of email and/or text message notifications and reminders				16	Bow types and characteristics. Long, flat, recurve, Mongolian, compound. Use actual bows or pictures. Styles of shooting IFAF, IFAA		
FEES (ANNUAL)	Veteran/Adult: €35			17	In group of 3 or 4 supervised. Walk-up round of X targets. All aspects of the procedure (not distances!) to international standard. All shooting rules, safety rules, etiquette and scoring. Instructors see Appendix for guidance.		
1st AUGUST	Half-year Fees (join after 31st Jan) are €17 Household Membership: €70 p/a or €35 for half-year						
If joining in June or July the annual fee is payable and is valid though to the following years' renewal date of 31st July				Section 12 and 17 are preferably two sessions but may be combined			
If joining as a family separate forms must be submitted for each adult (18+) and minor (those under 18) applying for membership.				Pay your instructor or club official or send application direct to the IFAF TREASURER: ONLY CHEQUE/DRAFT ACCEPTED - Payable to I.F.A.F. C/O H. Kavanagh, 2 Mount Garrett, New Ross, Co. Wexford You will receive a membership card upon processing of your application. Keep the membership card on your person.			