

## Types of Award

### Junior Member Badges

Archery GB recognises archer's continued progress.

The joy of archery is that it is great fun and part of the fun is the personal challenge to improve on your scores, through lots of practice and good coaching. Archery GB appreciates that and rewards improvement with a variety of different awards and badges.

### Our Awards

Here is our guide to the various awards and badges you can aspire to, if you wish. So read on, see what is relevant to you and then give it a go, and start collecting those badges, as a mark of your progress in our great sport.

### Junior Rose Awards



Junior archers shooting a recurve, compound or longbow can claim a rose award when shooting at a UK Record Status York, Hereford or Bristol I-V tournament that has been given 'Rose Award' status. You will need to shoot the round relevant to your age group to claim this award.

There are different coloured badges for different scores:

Badge Colour	White	Black	Blue	Red	Gold	Purple
compound and recurve score	800	900	1000	1100	1200	1250
longbow score	225	300	375	450	525	600

### Arrow Awards



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<b>Junior Gentle men U/14</b>												
Recurve	686	788	909	1069	-	-	480	693	887	1010	-	-
Compound	911	995	1018	1192	-	-	728	908	1047	1130	-	-
<b>Junior Ladies U/14</b>												
Recurve	481	571	707	918	1118	-	283	477	695	860	1016	-
Compound	716	817	935	1087	1228	-	511	723	911	1028	1134	-
<b>BLACK AWAR D</b>												
<b>Junior Gentle men U/12</b>												
Recurve	351	419	544	781	1026	-	175	332	537	723	916	-
Compound	538	634	769	966	1150	-	335	539	754	908	1050	-
<b>Junior Ladies U/12</b>												
Recurve	305	364	480	721	984	1133	142	280	473	663	869	1063

Compound	481	571	707	918	1118	1226	283	477	695	860	1016	1152
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### Six Gold End Junior



Shoot six consecutive arrows into the gold at one end at either of the two longest distances of a FITA / Metric or Imperial round for your age group at a Registered Tournament or Club Target Day, and this badge is yours. You can claim a Six Gold End badge only once as a junior in each discipline you shoot - recurve, longbow and compound.

### Archery GB Progress Awards



The Archery GB Progress Awards are designed to provide beginners and younger archers with awards for developing their archery skills. The junior age groups are aligned with 5 educational key stages. The scheme can also be used as an adult beginner incentive.

The scheme is open to all archers and is operated by archery clubs or by schools, youth groups and similar who practice target archery. There is no requirement for the recipients to be members of Archery GB, although many will be.

There will be a Roll of Honour for those archers achieving the Gold badge, but their names must be registered with the badge scheme co-ordinator. There will also be a Trophy for the Club or School achieving the most number of badges in one year, but again the individual badges must be registered in the same way as the gold award.

### Junior Tassel Award for Clout Shooting



First introduced in 1996 within the boundaries of Northern Counties and later adopted nationally, the scheme is nationally run by the Northern Counties Archery Society, which administers the scheme and issues the awards. The score bands for awards are the same as for the senior awards. Claims can be made for a score obtained shooting the distance for your own age group or above. Once a 'higher' Tassel Award is claimed (Black, Blue, Red or Gold) a claim for the 'missing' Tassel award can only be made when you move up to the next age band.

## Handicap Improvement Medal



There is also a Handicap Improvement Medal which is awarded by a club to the club member that achieves the greatest handicap improvement over a calendar year. The award is open to all members and the medal is loaned by the club as it is property of Archery GB.

## Junior Master Bowman



The Junior Master Bowman classification is open to Junior archers in all age groups, and shooting the rounds appropriate to their age. Please see the Classification Tables in Rules of Shooting to find out which rounds you are eligible to shoot and what the qualifying scores are. You can only obtain these scores at Record Status shoots, and must make your claim on the official claim form.

In 2010 the categories were extended all encompass all juniors U12, U14, U16, U18.

## Additional awards

There are also special awards from the Home Nations such as the Thistle Awards for Scotland, the English Crosses for England, Feathers for Wales and Hand for Northern Ireland. Further information may be obtained from <http://www.scottisharchery.org.uk/> and <http://www.englisharcheryfederation.org/> <http://www.welsharcheryassociation.co.uk/> <http://www.nias.co.uk/>

## FITA AWARDS FOR JUNIORS

### FITA Beginners Awards

The FITA beginners award scheme is a great way for beginners to measure their progress as they develop. The awards measure archery scores, skill development and knowledge.

### FITA Beginners Awards: FITA Feather



Red and Gold feather awards are available, testing shooting skills across different distances and different knowledge sets. These are designed for beginners under 12 years old and some disabled new archers. It is up to your coach to decide when you are ready for this award, FITA does not require proof of age or disability.

Badge colour	Red	Gold
12 hits on a target face at the following distances	6m	8m

### FITA Beginners Awards: FITA Arrow



These are for beginners over the age of 12. Beginners will be tested on archery scores, skill development and knowledge. Different coloured awards are available depending on the distance to be shot over:

Badge colour	White	Black	Blue	Red	Gold
115 points from hits on a target face at the following distances	10m	14m	18m	22m	26m

### FITA Silver Star awards



The FITA silver star badge can only be gained at a World Record or FITA Award Status event shooting a cadet round. The FITA Silver Stars are for archers under 16 ('cadets') shooting a cadet round. Badges for recurve archers are shield shaped, while badges for compound archers are round.

Badge Colour	Star only	Black	Blue	Red	Gold	Purple
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Score from appropriate FITA round for age group	1000	1100	1200	1300	1350	1400
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### FITA Silver Target award



This award is open to compound and recurve cadet archers shooting at World Record or FITA award status events. There are six different coloured badges available depending on the score shot.

Badge Colour	White	Black	Blue	Red	Gold	Purple
FITA 60m outdoor round	500	550	600	650	675	700

### FITA Target Badges

### FITA STARS



FITA Star awards are for achievement in shooting the Ladies FITA round and Gentlemen's FITA round shot in a tournament that has World Record Status. Awards are given to anyone shooting the appropriate full FITA round for their gender. The badge is in the form of a stylised gold star, on its own for the 1000, and on a coloured background with gold coloured writing for the higher score levels. For archers shooting recurve bows the star is mounted on a shield, and for archers shooting compound it is mounted on a round badge.

Badge colour	White	Black	Blue	Red	Gold	Purple
compound score	1000	1100	1200	1300	1350	1400
recurve score	1000	1100	1200	1300	1350	1400

### FITA SILVER STARS



FITA Silver Star awards are for archers Under 17 - the Cadet Class, and archers of 50 or over - the Masters Class, shooting the appropriate Cadet or Masters round and show a silver Star and with silver coloured writing.

<b>Badge colour</b>	<b>White</b>	<b>Black</b>	<b>Blue</b>	<b>Red</b>	<b>Gold</b>	<b>Purple</b>
compound score	1000	1100	1200	1300	1350	1400
recurve score	1000	1100	1200	1300	1350	1400

### FITA TARGET AWARDS



FITA Target Awards are for achievement in shooting other FITA rounds, namely the FITA 70m round, the 50m compound round, the half-full FITA round, the FITA 900 round and the FITA Indoor 25m and 18m rounds.

<b>Round</b>	<b>White</b>	<b>Black</b>	<b>Blue</b>	<b>Red</b>	<b>Gold</b>	<b>Purple</b>
FITA 70m	500	550	600	650	675	700
Half FITA	500	550	600	650	675	700
FITA 900	750	800	830	860	875	890
25m Indoor	500	525	550	575	585	595
18m Indoor	500	525	550	575	585	595
FITA 50m Compound	500	550	600	650	675	700

### FITA SILVER TARGET AWARDS





FITA Silver Target Awards are for achievement in shooting at the Cadet and Masters FITA 60 metre round and the half-FITA round. The FITA badges are the same shape and colours as the FITA Target Awards but have silver coloured writing. Badges can be claimed for:

<b>Round</b>	<b>White</b>	<b>Black</b>	<b>Blue</b>	<b>Red</b>	<b>Gold</b>	<b>Purple</b>
FITA 60m	500	550	600	650	675	700
Half FITA (cadet/master)	500	550	600	650	675	700