



INVITATION PACKAGE



CARIBBEAN DEVELOPMENTAL CHAMPIONSHIPS 2026



Guyana | South America
Guyana National Stadium,
Providence, East Bank Demerara.
22 – 26 October 2026



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Welcome Message by Chair of the Local Organizing Committee

Dear Athletes, Coaches, Team Officials and Esteemed Guests,



On behalf of Archery Guyana Inc., it is with great pride and enthusiasm that we extend a warm invitation to the Eight edition of the Caribbean Developmental Championships 2026, to be hosted in the Co-operative Republic of Guyana.

Guyana is honoured to welcome the archery family of the Americas to our shores — a nation where Caribbean warmth meets South American grandeur. As the only English-speaking country on the continent, Guyana offers a unique cultural experience enriched by Indigenous heritage, African and Indian traditions, and a deep connection to nature.

We look forward to witnessing exceptional performances, meaningful cultural exchange, and lasting friendships forged through sport.

Warm regards,

Vidushi Persaud-McKinnon
Chair, Local Organising Committee
Archery Guyana Inc.



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Objectives and Significance

Objectives

- To Foster Unity Among Archers of the Americas
- To Showcase Excellence in Archery Development
- To Encourage Fair Play and Integrity
- To Promote Guyana as a Sport and Eco-Tourism Destination

Significance

- Advances Guyana's profile within World Archery Americas
- Stimulates economic activity via sport tourism
- Encourages community engagement, regional pride and unity amongst nations of the Americas
- Strengthens developmental pathways for Caribbean archers, officials and support personnel



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Historical Background of the Championships

The **Caribbean Developmental Championships (CDC)** was conceptualized by World Archery Americas to provide meaningful international exposure for developing archers within the region.

2017 – Puerto Rico

2018 & 2019 – Dominican Republic

2020–2021 – Hiatus (COVID-19)

2022 – Dominican Republic

2023 – Trinidad & Tobago (Tobago)

2024 – Jamaica

2025 – Trinidad & Tobago (Macoya)

2026 – Guyana



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Local Organizing Committee

Chairperson: Vidushi Persaud-McKinnon

Technical Delegate: Phil Graves

Junior Technical Delegate: Ryan McKinnon

Results Manager: Andres Gomez Londono

Results/IT: Saeed Karim

Media and Communications Co-Ordinator: Nicholas Hing

Meals Co-Ordinator: Halim Khan

Sustainability and Water Co-Ordinator: Anita Lall & Colin Higgins, Guyana Beverages Inc.

Head of Physiotherapy Team: Vanessa Wickham

Judges of the Championships

Chairman of Judges: Sergio Font (CUB)

Deputy Chairman: Sabrina Ramlakhan (TTO)

Director of Shooting: Bryan Ramlakhan (TTO)

Randall Jones (CAN)

Winnette Lawrence (IVB)

Patricia Goodard (TTO)

Eric Davis (USA)

Yara Gonzalez (MEX)

Alternates:

Sarah Ramcharitar (TTO)

Mohamed Khan (GUY)



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Important Dates

Deadline for Preliminary Registration submission.	July 22, 2026
Deadline for Final Registration submission and competition registration payments.	October 1, 2026
Deadline for Hotel bookings and 75% downpayments.	July 22, 2026
Deadline for Flight Details and transport bookings and all final payments.	October 7, 2026
Deadline for Special Dietary / Other requests.	October 7, 2026
Tournament	October 22-26, 2026



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Electronic Forms

Preliminary Registrations (Shortlisting) must be submitted using the following link:

[CDC Preliminary Registration Form](#)

Direct registration for clubs will be facilitated using the online platform. All required data fields MUST reflect official legal names and information. No abbreviations or acronyms. World Archery Americas Member Associations will be informed of registrations made by clubs from their countries and will be asked to confirm approval of these registrations within the following seven (7) days after they are notified.

Care should be taken not to duplicate Athletes and or Officials during this process.

Archery Guyana Inc., will use email addresses to verify all data that is received as the official method of communication.

Competition Registrations:

[Caribbean Developmental Championships Registration Form](#)

Archery Guyana Inc., will use email addresses to verify all data that is received as the official method of communication.

Travel / Flight Information:

[Travel Itinerary Form](#)

Changes post submission can be made via WhatsApp / Telephone. Confirmation will be done via email communication.

Accommodation:

[Accommodation Form](#)

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Preliminary Event Schedule

Date	Activity
Thursday, October 22, 2026	Official Practice, Equipment Inspection & Team Managers' Meeting
Friday, October 23, 2026	Qualification Rounds (72 Arrows – All Categories)
Saturday, October 24, 2026	Individual Eliminations & Team Eliminations
Sunday, October 25, 2026	Individual Eliminations & Mixed Team Eliminations
Monday, October 26, 2026	Tour / Departures

**Please note that this is a preliminary schedule and once registration is completed a detailed breakdown of each day will be made available.



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Preliminary & Final Registrations

All entries, accommodations reservation, transport needs, flight arrival/departure information are to be completed using the registration links provided within this invitation. Registrations will be managed through these electronic forms for both championships by Archery Guyana.

Contact archeryguyana@gmail.com with any questions regarding technical problems or any questions regarding the events kindly insert CDC 2026 in the subject.

Preliminary Registration Forms:

[CDC Preliminary Registration Form](#)

Registration Fees

The following fee will be applicable to both the CDC 2026 and the Caribbean Championship 2026.

- Athlete - \$125 USD
- Official - \$100 USD

Transportation

- Cost per Person: \$100 USD
 - Airport transfers on Arrival & Departure Days
 - Daily transport to and from the Competition Venue and the Official Hotel.



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Venue Details

Venue – Guyana National Stadium Providence.



This famous world class stadium in the village of Providence, situated on the East Bank of the Demerara River, about 9km from Guyana's Capital City Georgetown. The Providence Cricket Stadium was built in 2006 and is home to the Amazon Warriors Cricket Team our elite National T20 Cricket team. The location regularly hosts international and regional cricket matches, many of which spills over its seating capacity of 15,000 persons along with other events throughout the calendar year.

Archery Guyana is proud to again share the turf of the Providence Stadium with our athletes, and we are thrilled to bring you our friends from World Archery Americas along on this historic journey as we host this multinational archery championships on Guyanese soil.

Weather in October 2026 is expected to be dry with average temperatures ranging from 24 to 32 degrees Celsius, high humidity ranges 70% to 90%. Being located decimal degrees: 6.76° N, - 58.18° W means we will be just north of the equator, prepare for extended hours of UV exposure once the weather is sunny.

Proximity to Official Hotel. Situated about 5 minutes' walk from the Providence Stadium is our official competition hotel the Ramada Georgetown Princess Hotel. This hotel is neighboured to the South East by one of Guyana's largest malls the Amazonia Mall. Amazonia Mall houses a state-of-the-art theater at its facilities, several popular global fast-food chains and eateries, local restaurants, supermarket, electronic stores, health care services, gym, laundromat, insurance, fashion, salon and stationery supplies services.



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CDC 2026: Competition Information

CDC 2026 competition classes: *

1. Beginners
2. Developmental

*NOTE WELL - There will be no Amateur Class for CDC 2026.

Archers who are prepared to compete in the World Archery long distances (70, 50 meters) can compete in the Caribbean Championships which will be run concurrently.

CDC 2026 competition categories:

1. U11 special category.
2. U15
3. U18
4. U21
5. Adult (not limited by age).

Gender Categories:

1. Male
2. Female

Bow Types:

1. Recurve
2. Compound
3. Barebow

Competition distances and target faces will depend on the archer's age, bow type and class. Please refer to the CDC Rules published by World Archery Americas.

Registration Link: [Caribbean Developmental Championships Registration Form](#)

For information and guidance email archeryguyana@gmail.com include within subject CDC 2026.



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Competition Format

The following competition format will be used for the Caribbean Developmental Championship in Guyana 2026. Only Official Judges shall have conduct of the archery events, its field of play and venue, in keeping with current World Archery rules.

Equipment Rules: Chapter 9, Book 3 of the World Archery Rule Books applies.

Qualification Round: 72 arrows divided into 12 ends of 6 arrows each with a break after 6 ends. 4 minutes per end.

Elimination Round:

1. Recurve – Set system (The first archer to 6 points wins the match play). Archers will have 2 mins to shoot 3 arrows per set.
2. Compound – Cumulative Score System. (Archers will shoot 5 ends of 3 arrows each, the archer with the higher score wins the match). 2 minutes per end.
3. Barebow - Set system (The first archer to 6 points wins the match play). Archers will have 2 mins to shoot 3 arrows per set.

Team Round CDC2026:

A Mixed Team Round will be shot by all categories. The Mixed Team will be comprised of a male and a female in the same age category and bow type. They may come from different countries.

Two - Person Team Round (Doubles) will be shot by all categories. Two Males or Two Females in the same age category and bow type. They may come from different countries.

Please note that the selection of archers for multi-nation teams will be based on the final registration. Late registration will not be allowed. Information on the multi-nation team roster will be announced by the Technical Delegate at the Team Managers' meeting.



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Accommodation

Official Hotel of the Championships - Princess Ramada International Hotel.

Located 10 minutes walking time from the competition field of play.

- Single Room Price per Night USD (\$180 +14% VAT) / Total US\$206 per night.

One bed with single occupant.

- Double Room Price per Night USD (\$210 + 14% VAT) / Total US\$240 per night.

Additional Persons can be accommodated in the Double Room for room sharing. Cost per person USD (\$30 + 14% VAT) / US\$34.20 per night.

Note the Double Rooms shared will have two separate beds.

Note all bookings of the official hotel and payments will be done through Archery Guyana Inc.

Meals

- Breakfast: Included for Guests staying at the official hotel.
- Lunch: Provided for all registered people at the competition venue (no additional cost).
Drinking water will be available at the competition venue (no additional cost).

Dinner: Not included. Special arrangements can be made at an additional cost daily.

Note there is a mall with a small food court that is situated 5 mins walk from the hotel, along with multiple street food options outside of the hotel compound.

Bookings for Hotel

Accommodation must be registered for by each person using the following online form:

[Accommodation Form](#)



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Images of the Hotel



Essential Travel Information

International Airports

1. Cheddi Jagan International Airport (CJIA) (Timehri). Approx' 25km (40mins) from Hotel.
2. Eugene Correia International Airport (Ogle). Approx' 15km (20mins) from Hotel.

Official Currency: Guyana Dollar (GYD) Exchange approximately* US\$1.00 = GY\$225.00

Electricity: 110–120V, 60Hz, Type A & B plugs

Climate: Tropical; average temperature 24–32°C in October.

Language: English

Every person entering and leaving Guyana for this Championship must be registered using the following form at this online link:

[Travel Itinerary Form](#)



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Medical and Emergency Services

Public medical facilities will be on standby. Emergency Contact numbers 911 / 913 / 914

Emergency medical personnel will be on site at the competition venue.

Ambulance services will be on standby.

Bus shuttle to and from the hotel will be available throughout the competition.

Physiotherapy station on site at competition venue.

Welfare Officer will be available upon request.

Participants are expected to obtain valid medical travel insurance coverage. This is to ensure that medical expenses, if any, are covered.

Security at the competition venue will be provided by the Guyana Police Force.

Disaster Risk Management will be done by the Civil Defense Commission.



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Guyana's Culture, Attractions and Experiences



Mashramani Celebrations 2026

Cuisine: Pepperpot, Cook-up Rice, Egg-Ball, Metemgee, Roti & Curry, Fresh Fish.



Pepperpot



Cook-up Rice



Roti & Chicken Curry

Attractions: Kaieteur Falls, Iwokrama Rainforest, Rupununi Savannas, Demerara River



Kaieteur Falls



Bharrat Jagdeo Demerara River Bridge



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Archery Guyana and Other Contact Details

Contact Details:

Archery Guyana Inc.

Address: 217 South Street, Lacytown, Georgetown, Guyana.

Email: archeryguyana@gmail.com

Telephone: 592 702-1877

WhatsApp: +592 702-1877

Bank Details:

Payments should be made by international bank transfer in US Dollars using the following banking details;

Bank Name:	Bank of New York - Mellon 1 Wall Street New York, NY 10286 USA
Swift:	IRVTUS3N
ABA #	021000018
Credit Account:	8900676868
In Name of:	Demerara Bank Limited 230 Camp Street Georgetown Guyana
Swift Code:	DMBKGYGT
For Further Credit to Account:	4021853
In Name of:	Archery Guyana Inc. 217 South Street, Lacytown, Georgetown, Guyana.

NOTE: ALL PAYMENTS MUST BE MADE IN US DOLLARS.

All bank receiving charges are to be paid by the participants. Include additional \$25 USD per transfer to complete processing.

Credit & Debit Cards will not be accepted.