

Guild of Mounted Archers
Ridgeline Mounted Archers
Ground Horse Archery Skills: Level 1 Test

Name: _____

PURPOSE:

To demonstrate the archer has the minimum skill, safety knowledge and sportsmanship to safely participate in mounted archery at the canter level. Arrows may be drawn from the hand or quiver unless otherwise specified.

Passing is 140 pts, or 25% total average out of all three categories.

Introduce	Entry Number	
20yd Field Hunt Speed Shooting	Maximum Points: 560	

*Dress/Equipment Code: The archer should wear close-toed shoes. Shorts, pants, hats, athletic shirts and dress shirts are accepted. Bows MUST be traditional: Compound bows, aluminum recurves are prohibited. The bow must not have an arrow shelf, sights, balancers, etc. Arrows must have target tips. Plastic veins are allowed. **Bows over 45 lbs are prohibited.***

AUTOMATIC DISQUALIFICATION: An archer can be disqualified by the Judge for any of these reasons.

Competitors can receive one warning from the Judge before disqualification.

Archer points a loaded arrow towards an instructor, competitor, themselves, an animal or spectator. Archer misfires/dry fires. Archer runs, jumps or breaks safety protocol on the range. Archer endangers the lives of others through safety negligence. Archer demonstrates poor sportsmanship.

PENALTY POINTS: The Judge may subtract points for minor infractions .

Judges can subtract points for minor safety violations such as not checking an arrow for cracks if it hits a hard surface, or not covering tips while walking, or loading the arrow in such a way that if they were mounted would hit an equine on the head or neck.

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Name:	Event/Facility:
Date:	20 Yard Shot

Round	Target 80 CM FITA	Distance 20 Yards	Arrow 1	Arrow 2	Arrow 3	Arrow 4	Arrow 5	Arrow 6	Total
Side Shot									
Back Shot									
Front Shot									

Score out of 180 total points possible	Total
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Points to be subtracted: Procedure errors and minor violations are penalized on this course. 1 pt for the first offense 2 pt for the second offense.	
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For testing purposes: Total Score $((x/180)(100))$. Scoring for this sheet - Score out of 180 total points, divide by 180, then multiply by 100 for a total percentage out of 100.	Total %
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Remarks:
Judge Signature:

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Name:	Event/Facility:
Date:	Field Hunt Course:

All shots must be taken while walking except the 35 yard shot which should be done standing. The competitor must not stop moving otherwise through the whole course. The Judge may issue a warning and subtract points. 1 point may be subtracted for the first offense, 2 for the 2nd and disqualification for the 3rd. One arrow may be fired per target. If the archer misses the first arrow they MAY NOT fire a second onto the same target.

Round	7yrd SS	10yrd SS	15yrd SS	3yrd GS	20yrd FS	35yrd	10yrd BS	7yrd OS	Total
	T 1	T2	T3	T4	T5	T6	T7	T8	
1									
2									

Points to be subtracted: Errors, minor violations and stopping (aside from the 35 yrd shot) are penalized on this course. 1 pt for the first offense 2 pt for the second offense.	
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Score out of 160 points possible.	
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For testing purposes: Total Score $((x/160)(100))$. Scoring for this sheet - Score out of 160 total points, divide by 160, then multiply by 100 for a total percentage out of 100.	
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Name:	Event/Facility
Date:	Speed Shooting

The archer will have 10 seconds to shoot as many arrows as possible into the target at 7 yards. The archer must not touch the arrows before the Judge says start. The archer must not release an arrow after the Judge says stop. Any arrows released after the Judge says stop will score 0. If an archer touches an arrow before the Judge says start they will receive a negative penalty point and have one opportunity to redo the round. If they repeat the offense they will be disqualified. Arrows will be scored on an 80 CM FITA target. The number of arrows released will be added to the total score.

Arrows	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Total
1											
2											

Points to be subtracted: Errors, minor violations and touching an arrow before the start are penalized on this course. 1 pt for the first offense 2 pt for the second offense.	
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Score out of 220 total possible points.	Total
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For testing purposes: Total Score $((x/110)(100))$. Scoring for this sheet - Score out of 110 total points, divide by 110, then multiply by 100 for a total percentage out of 100.	Total %
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To score for competition purposes add the 3 final scores in points together.
To score for testing purposes add the raw points from each event together and divide them by 560. Multiply by 100 to find the total percentage out of 100. Passing is 25%

Total Points

20 yrd

Field Hunt

Speed Shooting

Total points: _____

(_____ / 560) x 100 = Total% _____

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2023 GOMA Ground Horse Archery Skills Level I Test

Name of Competition/Facility

Date of Competition/Test

Name of Archer

Points

Percents

Name of Judge

Signature