

2018 Masters USAT Procedures(Qualifying in 2017)

Masters USAT will consist of:

1. The final top five ranked Masters archers, per the following class and division.
 - a. Masters (50+ combined) Male Recurve
 - b. Masters (50+ combined) Female Recurve
 - c. Masters (50+ combined) Male Compound
 - d. Masters (50+ combined) Female Compound
2. The final rankings will be released after the completion of all Masters USAT qualifying events including the U.S. National Target Championships and Masters USAT Qualifier Series Events.

The Masters USAT will be determined by Masters Ranking System placement at 3 events starting in 2017:

1. ***U.S. NATIONAL TARGET CHAMPIONSHIPS AND U.S. Open*** ***MANDATORY EVENT***
 - a. The average of the athlete's placement in the U.S. National Target Championships and U.S. Open will make the Masters USAT Ranking Points for the mandatory event.
 - b. Ties in the final Masters USAT ranking will be broken by the athlete's placement in the U.S. Open, and if still tied, the athlete's National Target Championships placement.
 - c. Non-USA Archery members will be removed after the event from the final rankings of the U.S. Open to determine final placements.
2. ***MASTERS USAT QUALIFIER SERIES EVENTS*** ***MINIMUM OF TWO EVENTS IN 2017***
 - a. For each Masters USAT Qualifier Series Event, Masters will receive Masters USAT Ranking Points for that event.
 - b. If an outdoor Masters USAT Qualifying Series Event has both a Masters Ranking Round and a Masters Elimination Round, the average of the Ranking Round and Elimination Round placement will be used for the Masters USAT Ranking Points for that event.
 - i. If an outdoor Masters USAT Qualifying Series Event does not have a Masters Elimination Round, then the final placement in the qualifying round will be used for the Masters USAT Ranking Points for that event.
 - c. An archer must compete in a minimum of 2 Masters USAT Qualifying Series Events starting in 2017 to be eligible.

The events are:

EVENT

- USAA National Indoor Championships
- TBD
- TBD

Masters USAT Ranking Points

(Final finish after all Masters age divisions are combined)
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- d. For each archer the two events with the best Masters USAT ranking points will be used for the Masters USAT Rankings.
- e. Non-USA Archery members will be removed after the event from the final rankings of the ranking round and elimination round to determine final placements in each round.

The Masters USAT Ranking points for each archer will be calculated by:

- 1. Masters USAT Ranking points = U.S. National Target Championships Average placement + Masters USAT Qualifier Series Event highest Masters USAT Ranking Points + Masters USAT Qualifier Series Event 2nd highest Masters USAT Ranking Points.

2017 Example:

Rank	Name	USAT Rankings	Outdoor Nationals			Nat'l Indoor	EVENT 1	EVENT 2
			U.S. National Target Place	U.S. Open Place	Avg Placing	Place	Average of Ranking Round and Elimination Round	Average of Ranking Round and Elimination Round
1	Archer 1	6.0	3	1	2	3	1.5	2.5
2	Archer 2	9.5	1	3	2	4	3.5	1000
3	Archer 3	11.0	5	2	3.5	2	1000	5.5

Membership and Citizenship Criteria:

- 1. Members of the NFAA may participate in USA Archery National Championships and USAT Qualifier Series Events without having to join USA Archery; however a valid USAA Membership is required at the time of the event in order to receive any Masters USAT Ranking points.
- 2. Selection to the Masters USAT is restricted to USAA members in good standing who are U.S. citizens.

2018 Barebow USAT Procedures

Athlete must be a U.S citizen and a USA Archery member in good standing in order to be ranked.

Barebow USAT will consist of:

1. The final top three ranked Barebow archers in Cadet, Junior, Senior and Masters.
2. The final rankings will be released after completion of all Barebow USAT qualifying events.

The Barebow USAT will be determined by the Ranking System placement at 3 mandatory events:

1. ***U.S. FIELD NATIONAL TARGET CHAMPIONSHIPS*** ***MANDATORY EVENT***
 - a. The athlete's placement after the two qualifying rounds will make the USAT Ranking Points for the U.S. Field National Championships.
 - b. Ties for the final USAT ranking will be broken by the athlete's placement at the U.S. Field National Championships.
2. ***U.S. NATIONAL TARGET CHAMPIONSHIPS*** ***MANDATORY EVENT***
 - a. The average of the athlete's placement in the U.S. National Target Championships and U.S. Open will make the USAT Ranking Points for the mandatory event.
3. ***U.S. NATIONAL INDOOR CHAMPIONSHIPS*** ***MANDATORY EVENT***
 - a. The athlete's final placement in the U.S. National Indoor Championships will make the USAT Ranking Points for the mandatory event.

The Barebow USAT Ranking points for each archer will be calculated by:

1. The Barebow USAT Ranking Points = (2017)U.S. Field National Championships placement + average placement of (2017) U.S. National Target Championships and U.S. Open + (2017) U.S. Indoor National Championships placement .

Rank	Name	USAT Rankings	Outdoor Nationals			U.S. Field Nationals	U.S. Indoor Nationals
			U.S. National Target Place	U.S. Open Place	Avg Placing	Average of Ranking Round and Eliminatio n Round	Final Placement
1	Archer 1	5.5	3	1	2	1.5	2
2	Archer 2	9.5	1	3	2	3.5	4
3	Archer 3	DNF	5	2	3.5	1000	3