





MONTENEGRO GRAND PRIX & BALKAN ARCHERY CHAMPIONSHIPS

PRELIMINARY INVITATION LETTER





October 15-19, 2025. Herceg Novi, Montenegro







Dear Sir/Madam,

On behalf of the Organizing Committee, **I announce** to your national federation that we will organize international tournaments

Montenegro Grand Prix 2025 Balkan Archery Championships 2025

in the period from October 15 to 19, 2025 in Herceg Novi, Montenegro.

The tournaments will be organized in accordance with WA and WAE rules for Recurve, Compound and Barebow disciplines in target archery at 70/50 meters (categories: Men, Women, U21M, U21W, U18M and U18W).

Please review the preliminary invitation letter and let us know if you are interested in participating in this event. All teams that express their interest will receive an official invitation letter with supporting documentation by June 15, 2025, when preliminary registration begins.

We look forward to hosting you and your team in Herceg Novi.

Respectfully,

Dejan Stojanovic

Organizing Committee

President







TEAM REGISTRATION

You will receive an official invitation letter with an application form by June 15, 2025. Team registration will be done via the form you will receive with the invitation letter, which must be sent within the specified deadline to our address *montenegro@balkanarchery.org*.

The maximum number of competitors per team **is not limited**, nor is the number of competitors per category.

All changes in the final list that differ **by more than 4 participants** compared to the preliminary list are subject to payment of a fee to the organizer:

Penalty fees to be paid to OC	Fee amount
Late entries (after the final deadline)	€30 per entry
The preliminary application has not been submitted	€30 per entry
Differences between preliminary and final list	€30 per change

By sending an email to *montenegro@balkanarchery.org*, you can inform us of any problems with your registration, and request more detailed explanations on all issues related to this competition.

IMPORTANT DATES

Once we receive your preliminary application, we will send you a confirmation of registration, after which communication will continue through several steps, in accordance with the attached timeline:

Preliminary registration begins

End of preliminary registration

Final list of participants

Invitation letter for obtaining a Visa

The deadline for returning the full payment

June 15, 2025

August 15, 2025.

August 15, 2025.

September 15, 2025.







PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Day	Date	Activity	
Wednesday	15.oct.25.	Arrival of participants	
		Competitors registration	
		Official training	
		Equipment control	
		Team representatives meeting	
		Welcome cocktail	
Thursday	16.oct.25.	Opening ceremony	
		Qualifications rounds (unique for both tournaments)	
Friday	17.oct.25.	AM: MGP Team Eliminations	
		PM: MGP Team Finals	
		Award ceremonies for teams - MGP	
Saturday 18.oct.25.		AM: Individual eliminations (1/8, 1/4, 1/2, medal matches) - BAC	
		Award ceremonies - BAC	
		PM: Individual eliminations (1/8, 1/4) - MGP	
Sunday	19.oct.25.	Final matches (U21M, U21W, U18M, U18W) - MGP	
		Award ceremonies (U21M, U21W, U18M, U18W) - MGP	
		Final matches (M, W) - MGP	
		Award ceremonies (M, W) - MGP	
		Participant departure	

NOTE

This preliminary program is subject to adjustment, depending on the total number of registered competitors. All registered teams will be informed of any changes in due time.

All changes to the program and organization will be published on the website: <u>balkanarchery.org</u>







AWARDS

Individual medals for the first three places in all categories, on both tournaments.

Medals for the first three teams at the **Montenegro Grand Prix** tournament, in all categories **with** more than 3 teams.

The most successful national team will be awarded.

ELIMINATION ROUNDS

- a) Team eliminations will be organized only within the **Montenegro Grand Prix**, in the following categories:
 - where more than 8 teams are registered: from 1/4 (the best 8 teams after the qualifications participate in the elimination rounds),
 - where 5 to 8 teams are registered: from 1/2 (the best 4 teams after the qualifications participate in the elimination rounds).

Teams will be automatically formed after the qualification rounds from the three best placed competitors of the same category. Subsequent interventions in the list of competitors that make up the teams are not possible: if a certain national team is represented by more than 3 competitors in a certain category - no substitutions of competitors are allowed; neither is it allowed to transfer competitors from one category to another, nor is it allowed to merge competitors from different national teams into the same team.

- b) Individual eliminations in all categories at both tournaments, **without bue passes** to the next round:
 - where more than 16 competitors are registered: from 1/8 (the best 16 after the qualification rounds enter the eliminations),
 - where 9 to 16 competitors are registered: from 1/4 (the best 8 after the qualification rounds participate in the eliminations),
 - where 5 to 8 competitors are registered: from 1/2 (the best 4 after the qualification rounds participate in the eliminations).
 - for categories with fewer than 5 competitors no elimination matches will be held, the order from qualification rounds will be final.
- c) Individual results from the qualification rounds will be ranked for both tournaments only for competitors from Balkan countries, so that they can qualify for the elimination matches on both tournaments. Competitors from other countries can qualify for the elimination matches only for the Montenegro Grand Prix tournament.







REGISTRATION FEE

Competitors: €50 per participant

Officials: €25 per person

By paying the registration fee, national teams from the Balkans ensure the participation and ranking of their competitors in **both** tournaments.

INVITATION LETTER, FOR THE PURPOSE OF OBTAINING A VISA

All participants of the competition who require an entry visa to Montenegro will have to fill out a form requesting support for obtaining a visa no later than August 15, 2025, which is the responsibility of the applicant. It is also necessary to submit all requested information, copies of valid passports and documentation within the given deadlines. All documents and personal data submitted will be stored exclusively by the organizer and will not be shared with third parties.

Please note that the Organizing Committee may send an invitation letter only for the period in which the competition is held.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Water

Water is provided at the LOC for all competition participants, free of charge.

Media registration

Media representatives can apply for accreditation via email at secretary@balkanarchery.org

Weather in Herceg Novi during October

Average Max. Temp. 22.5°C / Average Min. Temp. 13.4°C Sunny hours, an average of 6.2 hours per day Precipitation, average 6.4 mm per day / Rainy days in October, average: 10

Dress code

WA & WAE dress regulations do apply.

Opening ceremony and welcome cocktail

Opening ceremony – a short ceremony at the beginning of the qualifications Welcome cocktail – October 15 at 7 p.m







ACCOMMODATION, FOOD AND TRANSPORT

Accommodation for competition participants will be offered in the following hotels:

Hotel	Accommodation with breakfast and dinner	Expected price* daily, per person
Hotel "Novi" (3*)	In a twin room	55 €
Hotel "Talia" (3-stars room)	In a twin room	60€
Hotel "Talia" (4-stars room)	In a twin room	65 €
Hotel "Palmon Bay" (4*)	In a twin room	75 €

^{*} The exact prices for accommodation and meals will be announced in the official invitation. The price of accommodation in a single room is 50% higher than the price for accommodation in twin room.

Teams can also arrange their own accommodation, meals and local transportation, without additional costs or restrictions from the competition organizers.

The catering service (lunch delivery) will be organized every day at the FOP. Those interested can register and pay the day before.

Transportation to/from the airport (price per person, one way):

Aeroport	One passenger	Two or more passengers
Podgorica	90 €	50 €
Tivat	50 €	30 €

CANCELLATION AND CHANGES

- Any cancellation or change of registration must be sent to the e-mail address montenegro@balkanarchery.org
- Cancellations received by August 15, 2025 are guaranteed a full refund of the previously paid deposit. Cancellations made by September 15, 2025 are subject to a 50% refund, while any funds paid after that date are non-refundable.
- Refunds are made after the event ends, within 30 days.
- Name changes for competitors (within the same category) and officials will be accepted no later than 7 days before the start of the event without additional fees.
- If there are any last minute changes, please inform the Organizing Committee.







PAYMENT TERMS

Teams that do not pay the full amount due before the start of the competition cannot participate in the tournaments. The payment invoice will be sent to the email address you provide in your application. All payments should be made in EUR, exclusively by bank transfer. Bank fees for the transfer of the payment are the responsibility of the sender. Credit cards and checks will not accepted.

Payment information:

Field 56: Intermediary bank Swift address RZBAATWW

Name: RAIFFEISEN ZENTRALBANK OESTERREICH AG VIENNA

Field 57: Account with Institution Party Identifier: 000-55.062.301

Swift address **CKBCMEPG**

Name: MONTENEGRO COMMERCIAL BANKA AD PODGORICA

Field 59: Beneficiary Customer IBAN ME25510000000012530112

Name SPORTS ARCHERY CLUB "SAVINA"

Address Herceg Novi, Brace Grakalica 41

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71A: Details of charges OUR

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We look forward to welcoming you in Herceg Novi!