



BID DOCUMENT



EBHC 2012 - ITALY

*Bid to host the
IFAA European Bowhunter Championship 2012*

*From 23 June 2012
to 30 June 2012*

SUMMARY OF APPLICANT AND PROPOSAL

Credentials:

The Italian Field Archery Federation (Federazione Italiana Arcieri tiro di Campagna), also known as FIARC

History:

Fiarc is a federation of over 250 clubs and approximately 7,000 archers. Every year it awards the contract to a club, which stage the Italian Bowhunting Championships, an event attended by an average of more than 500 archers with a trend, over the past three years, to have more than 600 athletes. Fiarc started hosting European events in Bormio in 1989, and since then has organized five other EBHC (1995 in Asiago, 1997 in Terminillo, 1998 in Scarlino, 2003 in Castione della Presolana and 2005 in Bagno di Romagna), including the WBHC 2003 in Castione della Presolana. All these events have set a record for participation.

Pledge:

The commitment to host the EBHC 2012 was presented to the 12th European Delegates Meeting back in 2009 in Bordeaux, and unanimously accepted (except for 1 abstain). The Fiarc Board has, therefore, decided to use the same clubs in charge of the WBHC 2003 (04LAKE Archers of the Lake Club and 04YOTE Coyote Pack Archers Club) to stage the European Bowhunter Championship 2012 in Castione della Presolana.

Status:

FIARC is a national no profitable organization with a partially tax exemption. In 2010 it started the procedures to gain membership to the Italian Olympic Committee (CONI), as a sport federation. FIARC has a 2.6 million Euros third part liability insurance and a 80,000 Euros insurance against personal injuries. In 2012 we will sign a specific extension of the policy to cover, under the Italian Civil Law, all the claims against IFAA.

Bid Deposit Fee:

The IFAA bid deposit fee will be paid to IFAA on 5th March 2011

Proposed dates:

23 June 2012 to 30 June 2012

Venue:

Castione della Presolana, Bergamo, Italy

Proposed Logo



EVENTS AREA



HOW TO REACH THE EBHC 2012 AT THE PRESOLANA

By Car

It is very easy to reach Castione. If you drive you should take the A4 motorway (Milan-Venice) and exit for Bergamo or Brescia Ovest. Following the signs for Val Seriana and Passo della Presolana after about 40 minutes you arrive in Castione della Presolana

By Train

If you come by train you should stop at Bergamo train station and then take a bus to Castione della Presolana. There are several daily runs.

By Plane

If you come by plane you should land at Bergamo's Airport (Orio al Serio). International flights land in Milan (either Linate or Malpensa Airport). Then, you can rent a car or use a taxi (expensive, though!!!) to reach Castione.



SPECIFICATIONS

Date

From 23 June 2012 to 30 June 2012

The proposed date falls at the beginning of summer and school holidays. That offers a great advantage because the venue is available to students and their parents, with the opportunity to try and practice the 3D archery in the same venue of the EBHC 2012.

Venue -*Castione della Presolana*-

Located about 1000 meters above sea level, nestled between forests of fir, beech and pine trees, Castione is in a beautiful location at the foot of the Presolana Massif (m. 2521), known since the beginning of the twentieth century for the good climate and the beautiful natural landscape. "Orobie's Pearl" and Queen of local tourism, Castione has its origins in prehistoric times, when it was inhabited by ancient peoples who lived by hunting and herding

Discovered in the early '30s by the intellectual elite of Milan and Bergamo, it later became, during the '60s, the gem of the summer and winter sports resorts, one of the most important in Lombardia. Castione della Presolana has preserved the rural charm with the advantage of modern innovations, just what it takes to satisfy the needs of the most demanding guests.

The nearby of Castione is full with comfortable hotels of all categories, apartments to rent for holiday,s and restaurants inns, qualified shops, libraries, cinemas, camping and sports facilities.

Ranges

There will be up to 5-6 Ranges for juniors, adults and veterans. It will be set up a special range only for cubs.

The competition area is located in the hills around the little village of Donico, just outside Castione della Presolana.

The landscape includes up and down prairies, mountain's slopes and side woods. The ranges will be suitable for virtually all archers, have easy access and are all within walking distance.

The practice range will be supplied with targets and butts placed at the usual distances: from 20 to 60 yards.

Catering facilities

Located at the marquee in Donico, logistics center of the event.

Emergency & First aid

Doctor office located in Donico with the doctor on the fields.

Hospitals

Ospedale civile S. Biagio di <i>Clusone</i>	0346 29211
Ospedali Riuniti di <i>Bergamo</i>	035 269111
Ospedale Pesenti Fenaroli di <i>Alzano Lombardo</i>	035 3064111
Ospedale SS. Capitanio e Gerosa di <i>Lovere</i>	035 3067111

PROGRAM

Saturday 23 June	16.00 - 18.00	Registration and Bow Control
	16.00 - 18.00	Training Area Open
Sunday 24 June	10.00 - 13.00	Registration and Bow Control
	15.00 - 18.00	Registration and Bow Control
	10.00 - 18.00	Training Area Open
	15.00 - 22.00	EBHC 2012 Marquee open
Monday 25 June	09.00 - 14.00	Registration and Bow Control
	09.00 - 14.00	Training Area Open
	16.00	Delegations Parade
	09.00 - 22.00	Opening Ceremony EBHC 2012 Marquee open
Tuesday 26 June	7.00 - 8.30	Training Area Open
	8.30	Briefing
	9.30	Competition
	17.00 - 22.00	EBHC 2012 Marquee open
	20.00 - 22.00	Evening entertainment
Wednesday 27 June	7.00 - 8.30	Training Area Open
	8.30	Briefing
	9.30	Competition
	17.00 - 22.00	EBHC 2012 Marquee open
	20.00 - 22.00	Evening entertainment
Thursday 28 June	7.00 - 8.30	Training Area Open
	8.30	Briefing
	9.30	Competition
	17.00 - 22.00	EBHC 2012 Marquee open
	20.00 - 22.00	Evening entertainment
Friday 29 June	7.00 - 8.30	Training Area Open
	8.30	Briefing
	9.30	Competition
	17.00 - 22.00	EBHC 2012 Marquee open
	20.00 - 22.00	Evening entertainment
Saturday 30 June	7.00 - 8.30	Training Area Open
	8.30	Briefing
	9.30	Competition
	17.00 - 22.00	Banquet
	20.00 - 22.00	Awards and Closing Ceremony



Registration and Starter Fee:

Date of registration	Adult/Veteran/Junior Class	Cub Class
01.05.2011 – 01.03.2012	€ 150,00	€ 70,00
01.03.2012 – 30.04.2012	€ 175,00	€ 80,00

At registration and box control, all the participants will receive a package containing the official EBHC2012 T-shirt and cap, several discounts for the use of Castione's sport facilities and other gadgets.

Cancellation policy:

Notification before 28.02.2012 - 90% of received payment

Notification between 01.03.2012-30.04.2012 - 50% of received payment

Notification after 30.04.2012 – no refund

Registrations will be accepted only via the EBHC website at www.fiarc.it/EBHC2012

Till 15.04.2012 each European member of the I.F.A.A. has the right to register at least 10 archers. This right will provide the presence at the EBHC 2012 of archers from all over Europe.

No late registration will be possible after 30.04.2012

Payment details

Account name: FIARC – FEDERAZIONE ITALIANA ARCIERI TIRO DI CAMPAGNA

Bank: Banca Popolare Commercio & Industria

BIC: POCIITM1

IBAN: IT 04 | 05048 01657 0000 0000 0573

SWIFT: BLOPIT22

Payments must include all bank charges.

Event Administration Centre

The administration committee, consisting of FIARC officials and clubs members, will manage the administration centre, which will be set up in the Hotel des Alpes' premises.

In front of the hotel, a large pavillion will be the reference for the activities surrounding the EBHC 2012, from the morning briefing to the evening entertainment, and it will host the Opening and Closing Ceremonies.

HOW TO REACH THE EBHC 2012 AT THE PRESOLANA

Altitude

Castione is nearly 1,000 meters above sea level. Presolana, the mountain which gave the name to the entire area, reach a maximum altitude of 2,521 meters above sea level.

Climate

The climate of Castione della Presolana is not very different from the rest of northern Italy, generally humid continental or temperate. During winter months it the weather tends to be cold and snowy, but in summertime high temperatures are common.

Time Zone CET (Central European Time)

Time is adjusted seasonally from march to october into the daylight saving CEST (Central European Summer Time), which includes a +1 hour offset.

General information

Lombardy is the richest region in Italy, and the standard of living equivalent to that of the most important countries in the EU. The economy of Castione is based on winter tourism, so in summer you can find a cheaper standard of living.

Language:

Italy's official language is Italian, but numerous dialects are spokens all over the country English is widely spoken in the tourist facilities.

Health

Italy has a high level public health care system (the world 3rd best healthcare performance). Since 2005 smoking in public places (bars, restaurants, night clubs, etc.) has been restricted. The smoking ban is strictly observed.

Visa

European travellers don't need any visa. Schengen Agreement is applied, so many of the EU citizens have no border control.

Tourism and entertainment:

Parco sospeso - Gromo	www.parcosospeso.it
Adventureland - Borno	www.adventureland-borno.eu
Aquaplanet - Darfo Boario Terme	www.aquaplanetdarfo.it
Terme di Boario - Darfo Boario Terme	www.termediboario.it
Archeopark - Darfo Boario Terme	www.archeopark.net
Minitalia Leolandia - Capriate S. G.	www.minitalia.com
Parco Faunistico Le Cornelle "ZOO" - Valbrembo	www.lecornelle.it
Gardaland - Castelnuovo del Garda	www.gardaland.it

You can also find plenty of entertainment in Presolana (sports center "tennis, football, basketball, volleyball, and more..." - riding - climbing - cinema - observatory - excursions ...)

Turism information:

Ufficio Turismo www.presolana.it - tel. +39 0346 60039