



Policy Name:	Smoke Free Policy
Responsibility	Archery Australia Inc Board
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Archery Australia Inc recognises that passive smoking including electronic cigarettes are hazardous to health and non-smoking participant's and visitors have the right to be protected from exposure to tobacco smoke.

Archery Australia also recognises both community expectations and legal requirements regarding smoke free environments.

Archery Australia also recognises and will enforce World Archery Non Smoking Policy at all tournaments and events.

Accordingly, Archery Australia encourages all RGBs and Clubs to adopt this policy or develop their own policy and to enforce the policy at all activities, tournaments, events, functions and meetings.

This policy will apply to all Members, Registered Affiliates, Coaches, Officials, Employees, Volunteers participants, visitors and members of the general public.

All venues in particular indoor venues, food preparation and dining areas must be smoke free although designated outdoor smoking areas may be identified.

The selling of cigarettes, electronic cigarettes or smoking related products (including vending machines) is not recommended. No group within Archery Australia will undertake any sponsorship related to smoking or smoking products.

Non Compliance:

Archery Australia, RGBs and Clubs should develop a "Smoke Free" policies and ensure these policies are enforced at all times which should include penalties for non-compliance.

Policy Promotion:

Archery Australia, RGBs and Clubs should develop a "Smoke Free" promotional policy, which could include:

- Signage displayed at venue/s
- Publication of "Smoke Free" policy in newsletters, notice boards, website and general printed information.
- Provide a copy of "Smoke Free" policy along with other policies and general information to all new members.
- At events and tournaments make public announcements of the "Smoke Free" policy and indicate the designed outdoor smoking area.

Archery Australia recognises the importance of educating everyone, particularly youth participants, of the importance and benefits of a "Smoke Free" environment and encourages RGBs and Clubs to take an active role in the process.

Archery Australia encourages RGBs and Clubs to become part of the Australian Drug Foundation's Good Sports Program www.goodsports.com.au