



2023 Club Championships – CLOUT

ALL MEMBERS INVITED

Welcome to the 4th annual Club Championships – Clout Event! All MGAC members are encouraged to participate, regardless of age or ability. Please find the entry details and fees below.

Sunday 28th May – Clout Championship
@ Rutherford College, Kotuku Street, Te Atatu Peninsula

Entry Fee is \$10 per person

Payable to MGAC at 02-0110-0091898-00.

Use your name & "MGAC Clout" in the reference.

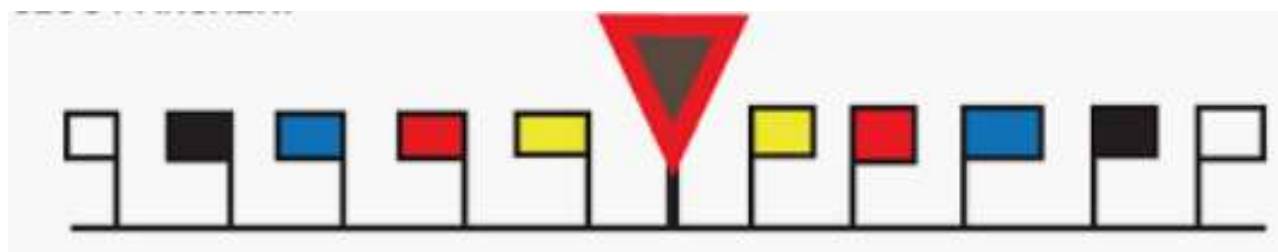
**Rounds to be shot: Practice Clout followed by Clout Champs
starting at 10:00am**

Expected Finish: 4:00PM

Entry Form - <https://forms.gle/JWxjBZWanSwihytW7>

Please ensure you bring snacks/food/drinks for the day.

Please email clubcaptain@mgac.org.nz if you have any questions.



Introduction:

The Clout Round is a long-distance shoot at a target laid flat on the ground.

The central flag called the clout is mounted on a short flagpole, with smaller flags on either side marking out each scoring ring. The target is 15m in diameter with 5 scoring rings (zones) 9, 7, 5, 3 & 1.

Archers shoot 6 arrow ends, with 6 ends of scoring or a maximum of 324 points.

Clout Notes!

- **Arrive early to help set up and learn tips from the pros!**
- If you are not sure about your distance, please ask! This can also be confirmed on the day of the event
- Look online for tips and tricks on making your lollypops, sight pins and come prepared (Bunnings/Mitre 10 sells foam tape, which works well with a bobby pin as your sight pin)
- Bring a layer as the open field can be cold and bring a pair of Binoculars.

Aiming:

*Archers aim up into the air and since their standard sight has no fixed reference (usually aiming at some clouds!) archers use a ground marker (lollypop) and a pin sight. The pin is stuck on with foam tape near the bottom of their riser and is used to aim with at the lollypop. **(Your normal sight must be removed)***

Arrow grouping is adjusted by moving the lollypop:

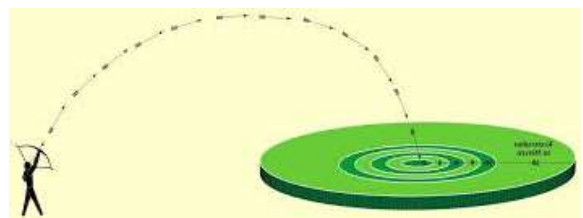
- away from archer (if shooting short)

- closer to archer (if shooting long)

- left (if shooting left) & right (if shooting right)

Note: *your ground site, or lollypop, cannot be larger than 75mm in diameter and no more than 150mm above ground. (A pencil with a round 75mm cardboard cut out works really well)*

Schedule of Day	
Range Set Up	8:30am
Registration & Bow Set up from	9:30am
Welcome & Briefing	10:00am
Practice Clout Starts (approx.)	10:30am
Practice Clout Finish (approx.)	1:00pm
Clout Champs Start (approx.)	1:30pm
Finish and Pack down (approx.)	4:00pm



Clout Divisions & Distances:

Distance	Bow Type	Age Divisions
185m	Compound	Masters 65+, Masters 50+, Open, and U21 Men
165m	Recurve	Masters 65+, Masters 50+, Open, and U21 Men
	Compound	Masters 65+, Masters 50+, Open, and U21 Women U18 Men
145m	Recurve	Masters 65+, Masters 50+, Open, and U21 Women U18 Men and Women
	Compound	U18 Women U16 & Development Men and Women
	Longbow	Masters 65+, Masters 50+, Open, and U21 Men
	Barebow	Masters 65+, Masters 50+, Open, and U21 Men
120m	Recurve	U16 & Development Men and Women
	Compound	
	Longbow	Masters 65+, Masters 50+, Open, and U21 Women U18 Men and Women
	Barebow	Masters 65+, Masters 50+, Open, and U21 Women U18 Men and Women
80m	Recurve	U14, U11 & Novice Men and Women
	Compound	U14, U11 & Novice Men and Women
	Longbow	U16, U14, U11, Development & Novice Men and Women
	Barebow	U16, U14, U11, Development & Novice Men and Women