

Waukegan Bowmen Archery League Classifications

TRADITIONAL HUNTER (TH)

A recurve or long bow with no sighting device. Only a piece of leather or similar material 1/8 inch thick or less shall be allowed on the arrow shelf. There will be no markings on the bow or on the bowstring that could be construed as sighting marks. Must be shot with glove, finger tab or bare fingers. No stabilizers or counter balances shall be allowed. While shooting the archer shall touch the arrow with the index finger against the nock, and using a single anchor point. The arrow shall be of the same material and in uniform length and weight, with a screw in style or glued on points.

COMPOUND UNAIDED (CU)

A compound bow with no sighting device. A rest and plunger are all that may reside within the sight window. There will be no markings on the bow or bowstring that could be construed as sighting marks. Must be shot with a glove, finger tab or bare fingers.

BOWHUNTER FINGERS (BF)

A compound, recurve, or longbow with or without sights, may be shot with finger tab, glove or bare fingers. If a sight is used it will have no more than four (4) fixed or crosshair style pins. Circle pins allowed if all circles are the same size. Only one (1) single stabilizer being less than twelve (12) inches in length from the nearest point of attachment is allowed. A maximum of eighty (80) pounds of peak weight is allowed.

BOWHUNTER RELEASE (BR)

A compound bow, recurve or long bow with or without a sight. If a sight is used, no more than four (4) fixed or crosshair style pins and must be shot with some type of release aid. Cross hair style pins are allowable as fixed pin sights. Circle style pins are allowable (if circles are of one size). Sights that utilize any lens, with or without magnification, are not allowed. Only one (1) single stabilizer being less than twelve (12) inches in length from the nearest point of attachment is allowed. A maximum of eighty (80) pounds of peak weight is allowed.

BOWHUNTER OPEN (BO)

A compound bow, recurve or long bow with a moveable sight, scope or laser sight. Any type of release aid, glove, finger tab or bare fingers may be used. Only one (1) single stabilizer being less than twelve (12) inches in length from the nearest point of attachment is allowed. A maximum of eighty (80) pounds of peak weight is allowed.

UNLIMITED (UN)

A compound bow, recurve or long bow with a moveable sight that utilizes any lens, with or without magnification. Stabilizers are longer than twelve (12) inches. Any type of release aid, glove, finger tab or bare fingers may be used.

Note: Corrective lenses are authorized for peep sights in all classifications with the exception of Traditional Hunter (TH) and Compound Unaided (CU).