



World Crossbow Shooting Association Incorporated

ABN 84 410 749 82

3 January 2015

MEDIA RELEASE

WCSA establishes Coaching Committee

The World Crossbow Shooting Association is pleased to announce the establishment of a Coaching Committee. The main purpose of this new committee is to collect disparate coaching material from around the world and present it in a standardised form, from beginner's to advanced level.

The WCSA is recruiting new countries, many of which have little or no experience with crossbow shooting. Many of these new federations do not have a background in archery or rifle shooting either. This represents a considerable challenge.

There is very little published material relating to target crossbow shooting and that material which does exist is often jealously guarded at national level. Much of the available literature is not in English.

Veteran Australian arbalist Deborah Upright of Adelaide has been appointed as the Chair of the Coaching Committee. Deborah comes originally from an archery background and is an experienced archery coach.

The other members of the committee are WCSA President John Bingham (GBR), Miguel Duarte (POR), WCSA Technical Officer Mark Goodyer (AUS), veteran arbalist Stuart Atkins (AUS) and Alexandre Teixeira from the new Brazilian Crossbow Federation.

Enquiries to WCSA Secretary General John Clark

e-mail: secretarygeneral@worldcrossbow.com

ENDS