



Privacy Notice

What this privacy notices covers

The Grand Western Archery Society (hereafter denoted by the initials G.W.A.S.) is committed to protecting your personal information. In this notice, references to 'we' or 'us' means G.W.A.S.. This notice explains how we collect and use your personal information (that is personal information from archers affiliated to G.W.A.S. and any other archers shooting in the region).

Who we are

G.W.A.S. is the regional governing body for archery in the west of England.

G.W.A.S. is responsible for all levels of archery within the region from elite to beginner level.

G.W.A.S. comprises the counties of Cornwall, Devon, Dorset, Gloucestershire, Somerset and Wiltshire.

G.W.A.S.'s management is vested in the G.W.A.S. Council.

G.W.A.S. operates the website www.gwas.org.uk (the "website").

G.W.A.S.'s Data Officer is Mr. T. Jackson, please email: communications@gwas.org.uk

Information we gather

G.W.A.S. gathers certain information about affiliated and visiting archers. Information about you may also used by our affiliated entities, namely local archery clubs and county associations and societies.

We collect information in the following ways:

Information you give us

When you become a member of G.W.A.S. you will give us information. You may also give us information when using our website or the Archery GB membership system. Information may include your name, date of birth, postal address, email address, phone number, financial and credit card information, a personal description, disability, ethnicity, your archery qualifications, award history or CRB / DBS / PVG checks that have been undertaken and a photograph.

Information we get from your use of our website and services

Each time you visit our website, we may automatically collect certain information. This information includes technical information, such as Internet Protocol (IP) addresses used to connect your computer to the internet; your login information used to access the website; browser type and version; browser plug-in types and versions; operating system and platform; information relating to what pages you have viewed on our website.

When you enter competitions the following information may be collected and shared with tournament organisers, scoring systems and published in tournament results: Archery GB membership number; First name; Surname; Gender; Bow style; Date of birth; Age category; Email address; Postal address; Phone number; Club (including Archery GB reference number); County; Region; Round shot; whether or not you are physically impaired and information on any physical impairment.



In accordance with our competition entry documentation, photographs and videos may be taken at events, and these images may be used on our website, social media platforms and promotional and or internal documents.

Third-party information about you

We work closely with third-parties (including, for example, Archery GB, Clubs, County Associations and Societies affiliated to G.W.A.S.) and may receive information about you from them.

How we may use your information

We rely on the legitimate interest basis to use your personal information in some circumstances. For example, when you apply to become a member of G.W.A.S., we have a legitimate organisational interest to use your information to respond to you and give you the benefits of being a member.

We will:

1. Ensure we know how you prefer to be contacted.
2. Keep a record of your relationship with us.

We will use the information we get from your use of our website and services to:

1. administer our website and for internal operations, including troubleshooting, data analysis, testing, research, statistical and survey purposes;
2. improve our website to ensure that content is presented in the most effective manner for you and for your computer;
3. allow you to participate in interactive features of our service, when you choose to do so;
4. allow us to keep our website safe and secure;
5. facilitate any other reasonable purposes of G.W.A.S., acting always in accordance with data protection law (as amended from time to time).

We will use the information you give us to:

1. perform services you have requested (such as providing you with membership benefits or providing you with information you have asked for);
2. administer the sport of Archery, for instance by organising tournaments;
3. provide you with information about other goods and services that we offer;
4. notify you about changes to our services, including, but not limited to, any changes to the member benefits;
5. ensure that content from our website is presented in the most effective manner for you and for your computer; and
6. facilitate any other reasonable purposes of G.W.A.S., acting always in accordance with data protection law (as amended from time to time).

Marketing

We will not use your information for marketing anything other than the activities of G.W.A.S., our affiliated counties and affiliated clubs. For example: Regional tournaments; County Championships; open tournaments staged by clubs.

Information Sharing and Disclosure

We may share your information with the following selected third parties:



1. Affiliated bodies such as Clubs and County Societies and Associations in order that they may communicate with you regarding archery events only or to allow the associate bodies to manage the running of the sport of archery in their areas.

We may disclose your personal information to third parties:

1. if we are under a duty to disclose or share your personal data in order to comply with any legal obligation (for example to government bodies and law enforcement agencies), or in order to enforce or apply other agreements; or
2. to protect the rights, property, or safety of G.W.A.S., our members, or others. This includes exchanging information with companies and organisations for the purposes of fraud protection and credit risk reduction.

We require these third parties to comply strictly with our instructions and data protection laws and we will make sure that appropriate controls are in place

Users under 18

If you are under 18, please ensure that you have consent from a parent or guardian before giving us your personal information

Keeping your records

We keep records only for as long as required to operate the service in accordance with legal requirements and tax and accounting rules.

We may retain non-identifiable data for statistical purposes for longer than 5 years.

We will keep certain personal information of members for longer in order to confirm your identity and when you were a member of G.W.A.S..

Where we may store your information

The data which we collect from you will be transferred to, and stored electronically by, G.W.A.S.'s Honorary Secretary and in online systems.

By submitting your personal data, you agree to this transfer, storing or processing.

G.W.A.S. will take all steps reasonably necessary to ensure that your data is treated securely and in accordance with this Privacy Notice.

Where we have given you (or where you have chosen) a password which enables you to access certain parts of our site, you are responsible for keeping this password confidential. We ask you not to share a password with anyone.

Your rights

You have the right to:

1. Have any inaccuracies in your data corrected. If you would like to update the details we hold about you other than online, please contact our Data Protection Officer via telephone, email or by letter.
2. Request that we delete your personal data.
3. Object to profiling. Profiling is any automated processing of personal data to evaluate any feature of your behaviour preference or location, including online tracking and behavioural advertising.



4. Request that we do not process your personal data for marketing purposes.
5. You have a right to request a copy of the personal information we hold about you. We require you to prove your identity with two pieces of approved identification. Please address requests to the Data Protection Officer and we will respond within one month of receipt of your written request and confirmed ID. Please provide as much information as possible about the nature of your contact with us to help us locate your records. This request is free of charge unless the request is manifestly unfounded or excessive.

Changes to this notice and the way we treat personal information

We may update the terms of this privacy notice at any time, so please do check it from time to time.

We will notify you about significant changes in the way we treat personal information by sending a notice to the primary email address you have provided to us or by placing a prominent notice on our website. By continuing to use our website you will be deemed to have accepted such changes.

Enquires and Complaints

The Data Protection Officer is the first point of contact regarding any enquires arising from this Privacy Notice. Where possible, please raise all enquires in writing.

If you are unhappy with our work or something that we have done or failed to do, please inform us in writing. G.W.A.S. will acknowledge receipt of all complaints and will endeavour to investigate the complaint within 15 working days.

All complaints should be sent to:

The Honorary Secretary, Grand Western Archery Society, Firbank, Water Street, Mere, Wiltshire BA12 6DY

You may also complain directly to the Information Commissioner's Office if you are concerned with how we are handling your personal information using their online form which can be found here:

<https://ico.org.uk/concerns/handling>

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We may change this Privacy Notice from time to time. If we make any significant changes in the way we treat your personal information we will contact you directly.

This Privacy Notice was last updated 17 APRIL 2018.