



**2025 ABFAA State Indoor Championship
And
NFAA 2025 Southwest Sectionals**

February 18-19, 2025

4044 W Black Canyon Hwy

Phoenix, AZ 85086

Tournament is hosted by

Desert Sky Archers

Very important, read below.

Desert Sky Archers is excited about hosting this great tournament again. Archers shooting just the ABFAA State Indoor will use the tablets DSA provides to enter scores. Archers shooting just the sectionals will follow the directions supplied to you by NFAA. You will need to use your smart phone. Archers doing both will need to enter both. You must enter the scores for the ABFAA State Indoor at the end of each end. You can wait and enter your scores in your smartphones for sectionals upon completion of the tournament. Your sectional scores may not show up on line immediately as NFAA has delayed release of scores in the past.

ABFAA State Indoor only-DSA Tablets only

NFAA Sectionals only-Your personal smartphone only

ABFAA and NFAA-enter on both.

The 2025 ABFAA 5 Spot State Indoor and SW Sectionals

- 12 Ends
- 20 Yards
- 4 Minutes per end
- 5 Arrows Per End
- NFAA Blue Target Face
- [BetweenEnds.com](https://www.betweenends.com) will have live scoring

Saturday and Sunday Qualifying round

Morning Shooting

Check In	7:15 AM
Official Practice 2 Ends	8:00 AM
Scoring Begins 1st – 30 arrows after official practice	
Break Approximately 5 minutes	
Scoring 2nd – 30 arrows	

Afternoon Shooting

Check In	12:15PM
Official Practice 2 Ends	1:00 PM
Scoring Begins 1st – 30 arrows after official practice	
Break Approximately 5 minutes	
Scoring 2nd – 30 arrows	

Awards following the last end on Saturday Approximately 3:30PM but watch scoring on line to judge the awards time. Sectional awards are distributed by NFAA after all sectional venues are complete. Money Pot and Pro payouts will be done after all shooting is complete.

5 Spot Target Face

- The target face has five scoring rings
- Each scoring ring has 4, 5, X
- X is a 5 but also used for the tie breaker
- More than one arrow can be in a scoring ring

5 Ring Target

- This is a single spot target face
- Scoring rings are 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, X

Dress Code:

3.1 General.

The professional archer shall present himself in clean, neat attire, acceptable to public view.

Professional archers shall dress in a clean, professional manner. Bottoms should look fitted, clean, undamaged, and be of appropriate length. The waist of the attire must not fall below the waistline. No ripped or frayed jeans. T-shirts, swimming suits, cut-offs and obscene or vulgar slogans or pictures on clothing are prohibited.

3.2.1 Open toed shoes/flip flops/sandals are unacceptable while competing.

Dress Code Cont:

3.2.2 Dress codes are not enforced during practice.

3.2.3 Dress codes shall be enforced for all State, Sectional, and National events, and those events sanctioned by the NFAA.

3.2.4 In the event of inclement weather, over wear (rain gear, cold gear) is permissible and will not violate dress code as long as it holds within the spirit of the rule.

3.2.5 Violations to the dress code will be enforced by the Pro Executive Committee (PEC) and may result in a reprimand, probation, suspension, or as outlined in this article, Section 4. Violations can be brought to the Pro Chair or Pro Rep or a member of the PEC by the Tournament Chair or any competitor.

3.2.6 Archers removed from competition will not be eligible for refunds or entry fees in whole or part.

3.2.7 Archers removed from competition for dress code may not makeup arrows missed for score if they return to competition after meeting dress code.

3.2.8 Archers may petition the PEC for exemption only in cases of extreme hardship (i.e. lost/stolen luggage etc.). Petition must be filed not less than 6 hours prior to competition start. In these cases the decision of the PEC is final.

3.2.9 At State and Sectional and sanctioned events the dress code shall be enforced by the State Pro Rep or Sectional Pro Rep.

Shooting Rules:

1. Each end shall be 4 minutes.
2. Archers shooting first will shoot the lower target face positions.
3. An archer shooting before or after the whistle signaling a 4-minute end will lose their highest scoring arrow or arrows equaling the number of errant arrows shot.
4. If more than 5 arrows are shot during an end, only the lowest 5 arrows will be scored. A penalty of one point will be assessed for each additional arrow shot. Misses or zeros will be counted as lowest arrows.
5. If an archer shoots less than five arrows in one end, he/she may shoot the remaining arrows if the omission is discovered before the end is officially completed; otherwise they shall be scored as misses.
6. An archer who purposely disfigures a target face to improve aiming or for any other reason, may be disqualified. Arrow holes may be repaired, provided there is no delay to the round.
7. Any archer conducting himself in an unsportsmanlike manner will be IMMEDIATELY disqualified.
8. Bow speed maximum of 300 FPS with a 3% variance. Bows will be checked
9. Maximum arrow shaft diameter allowed will be 0.422 inches, with a point diameter not to exceed 0.425 inches. The shaft diameter will include any wrap placed on the arrow and will include the size of the nock and the nock insert.
10. A referee will make all decisions on scoring questionable arrows; their decisions are final.
11. All arrows must remain in the target, untouched, until scoring is completed.
12. Any archer deliberately touching any questionable arrow or any part of the target assembly (including other arrows, faces, pins, mat or stand) will result in the questionable arrow being scored in the lower scoring area.
13. Arrows must touch the line to be in the next highest scoring area.
14. Any arrow that passes beyond the shooting line a distance greater than 10 feet as measured to the closest part of the arrow, will be considered a shot arrow..
15. If an arrow is embedded in the target beyond the nock and a referee cannot determine the value of that arrow, it will be considered a pass through, and will be re-shot. NO ARROWS WILL BE PUSHED BACK.
16. Double scoring will apply. Each competitor must verify his scores and sign his own scorecard. Both scorekeeper
17. Bounce outs are reshot-archer must inform judge of bounce out at time of shot.

DSA Snack Bar

Water will be free to everyone

Pop, Candy and Chips are \$2

[Link to full NFAA Rules](#)

How do I get there?

We ask that only archers sit in the archer's seating area so they can concentrate on their tournament. Coaches may come up and discuss issues with their archer, but we ask they return to the spectator seating area.

Spectator seating will be behind the archer's seating area. Spectators must bring their own chairs. Chairs are supplied to the archers in the archers seating area. Only archers and tournament officials are allowed in the archers seating area.

Thank you's

It takes a lot of people to put on any archery tournament. DSA would like to thank the following:

Judges

- COJ/TD: Rick Bachman, Krista Colonna, Shawna Cordeiro
- DOS/Line Judges: Krista Colonna, Shawna Cordeiro, Michael McCulloch, Kristine Krebs, Nico Baker

Scoring

- Steve Yee, Marc Krebs,

Huge thank you to the following

- Elyse McCulloch, Ed Walters, Dan Baker, Melanie Bachman, Tyler Bachman, Ryan Bachman, Susan Yee

The Ben Avery entrance you need is NOT the one at the stop light. The entrance you need is the one closest to I-17. It is on the North side of the road about 1/8 mile west of I-17. There is a big sign.

From I-17, Heading west from I-17 take the first right onto the Ben Avery Shooting Facility Property and follow the road as it curves left. After the road is heading west, take the first right and another immediate right. You will see the bldg. on the right. Beige metal building.

From Lake Pleasant Parkway, Heading east form Lake Pleasant Parkway, go straight through the traffic light. You will come to the main entrance on your left. Nice brick sign. Enter. Go straight until the road itself curves left. After the road is heading west, take the first right and another immediate right. You will see the bldg. on the right. Beige metal building.

At the time of this writing, there are no major road closers scheduled but be prepared.

Links to Important Information

Liability Waiver and Release (you have already

Agreed to this.