USA Archery
Junior Olympic Archery Development Award
Nomination Form

Criteria:

This **lifetime achievement award** is presented to an individual who has shown continuous support of the Junior Olympic Archery Development (JOAD) program throughout the years. This individual has gone above and beyond in their involvement and service to the sport of archery and has made a significant impact on their local or surrounding communities. Nominees should demonstrate a lifelong contribution to the Junior Olympic Archery Development program. The deserving nominee has not only contributed to the betterment of an existing JOAD program, but has aided in the creation of new JOAD programs and the overall growth of the sport of archery.

Background:

Established in 1985, the USA Archery Junior Olympic Archery Development Award is designed to recognize those individuals who have been instrumental in the promotion of the JOAD program.

George Helwig was the inaugural recipient of this lifetime honor. Mr. Helwig founded the Junior Olympic Archery Development Program for youth archers in 1960 and later participated in three Olympic Games. He was a coach at the 1972 Olympic Games in Munich and the 1976 Olympic Games in Montreal, and he was a top official in the 1984 Olympic Games in Los Angeles. Mr. Helwig was active in World Archery (formerly FITA) for 31 years, and was awarded numerous medals, honors and awards, including the National Archery Association's (now USA Archery's) medal of honor.

Nomination Process:
If you know someone who is deserving of this **lifetime achievement** award, please complete this nomination form and send to USA Archery at: clubs@usarchery.org by June 15, 2023. Clubs should coordinate with members to ensure only one application per nominee is submitted to USA Archery. The USA Archery staff and JOAD Advisory Council will review all nominations and if a winner is selected, USA Archery will make the announcement at the 2023 JOAD Target Nationals event.

Nominee Information:

Name:

City/State/Zip:

Address:

Phone:

Email:

USA Archery Club Affiliation:

Please provide a narrative of the nominee's lifetime contributions to the Junior Olympic Archery Development program and why they are deserving of this award. Summary of qualifications should fit within this field.

Please return completed nomination form to clubs@usarchery.org by June 15th .