

# Around the World

## The Italian Field Championships 20th/21st September

The annual Italian Field Championships were organised by the Gallarate archery club, Compagnia Arcieri Monica. Their choice of location, which may be unique for a major tournament, was the longest motocross track in Italy covering an area of 260,000 square metres about 50 kilometres from Milan.

As a site for World Championship races, the track provided perfect facilities in the way of parking, restaurants, bars etc. and the requirements that motocross has with regard to terrain made it an ideal setting for field archery.

A total of 81 archers took part, and in winning the men's freestyle division, Sante Spigarelli beat his great rival, and seven times champion Giancarlo Ferrari, for the first time, Claudio Privileggi was third beating several internationals in the process. In the barebow division the eventual winner was four-time champion Mario Deola.

There were no upsets in the ladies event with Silvana Vella winning the freestyle and Adriana Stoppa the barebow division.

Some good performances in the junior events from Ilario Di Buo, Lucio Jannelli and Enrico Gotelli (aged 13) promise well for the future.

The FITARCO and FITA President Francesco Gnechi - Ruscone presented medals to the winners, and so ended the first ever 'cross-archery' championship.

### Barebow

#### Ladies

1. A. Stoppa	709
2. D. Piras	522
3. E. Labanti	509

#### Men

1. M. Deola	849
2. M. Oneto	829
3. B. Filippi	826

#### Junior Boys

1. L. Jannelli	608
2. E. Gotelli	583
3. S. Fava	526

### Freestyle

#### Ladies

1. S. Vella	855
2. M. Natucci	813
3. P. Trezzini	796

#### Men

1. S. Spigarelli	956
2. G. Ferrari	952
3. C. Privileggi	924

#### Junior Boys

1. I. Di Buo	889
2. A. Parenti	829
3. T. D'alessio	797



Enrico Gotelli (2nd Junior Barebow)



FITARCO vice president Enrico Ranucchi



Waiting on the embankment



Silvana Vella (ladies F/S champion)