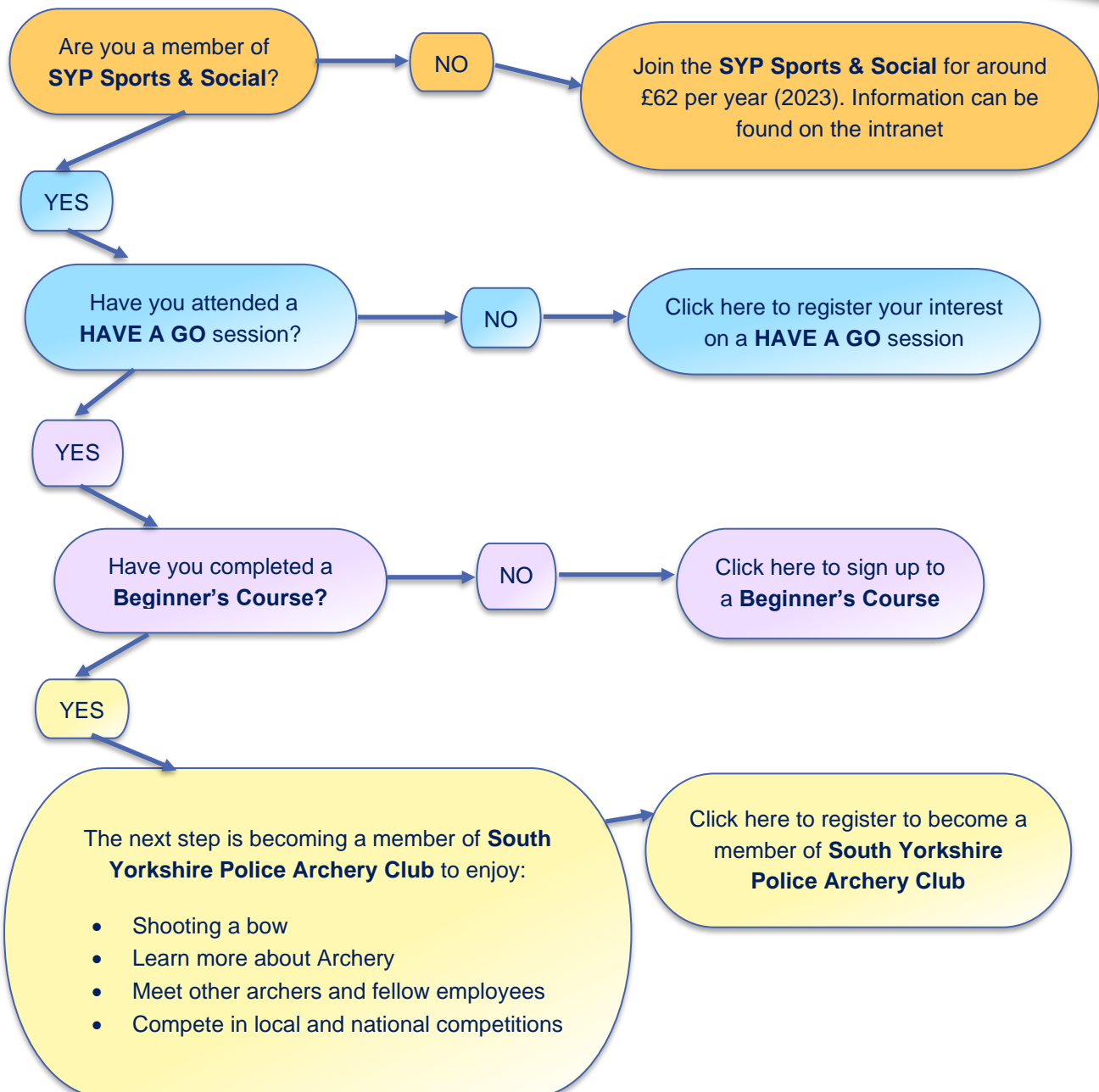


# How to get involved?



## Have a go session:

FREE to SYP Sports & Social members and spouse/children.

A 2 hour session. No experience required. All equipment will be provided for the use of the 2 hours. Run by an Archery GB licensed coach. You will be insured under Archery GB for the length of the session. PLEASE NOTE: We do not currently have the equipment for junior/children archers due to being a very newly registered club. We hope to obtain junior equipment soon and will notify when juniors can take part. (Please get in touch with your child's draw length and we can let you know if they can attend a session.)

## Beginner's course:

FREE to SYP Sports & Social members and spouse/children. If you enjoyed the have a go session and want to learn the basics of Archery, then this is the next step. No experience required although we would prefer you to have taken part in a have a go session if able. This is an intensive one day course that normally runs 08:00-17:00 to fit in with people who work shifts. Various days available throughout the year. No equipment needed as all will be provided for you to use throughout the beginner's course. At the end of this course, you will be able to safely shoot independent and will be able to become a member of SYP Archery Club if you wish to do so. See membership details below. PLEASE NOTE: We do not currently have the equipment for junior/children archers due to being a very newly registered club. We hope to obtain junior equipment soon and will notify when juniors can take part.

## Membership:

Membership is open to all SYP Sports & Social members and their spouse/dependent children. Please sort SYP S&S membership out before getting involved with SYP Archery Club. Information is on the intranet.

To become a member of SYP Archery Club, you will need to complete a beginner's course. There is no need for your own equipment but please be aware we have very limited amount of equipment, and it is first come first serve on the day of shooting. You may also need to share depending on numbers of people.

Membership will allow you to participate in official competitions. There are even novice competitions for anyone that fancies a go and has just started. (There are other costs involved and differ to each type of competition.)

Shooting will take place at Niagara Centre, Sheffield Thursdays to Sundays. We haven't set specific times to begin with as this will be guided by members and work around shift patterns. This also allows for some impromptu meetings too and will be arranged via a WhatsApp group.

## Fees:

Archery GB (paid to SYP Archery Club who pays and registers on your behalf)

	New Member	Renew Member
General	£50	£47
Under 25	£16	£12
Disabled	£16	£12

Yorkshire Archery Association and Northern Counties Archery Society (paid to SYP Archery Club who pays and registers on your behalf)

	Over 18	Under 18 or Disability
YAA	£4	40p
NCAS	£2	20p

**Total £56 for adult first year and £53 per year after that. Fees due before October 1<sup>st</sup>. If join later in year fees can be worked out on a pro rata basis.**

Members will pay the fees to SYP Archery Club who will then pay the relevant associations on the members behalf. SYP Archery club currently does not make any money from members and is funded completely by SYP Sports & Social and exists due to volunteers. Fees are non-refundable even if you leave before the end of the Archery year. If a member chooses to move clubs this can be transferred.

The ArcheryGB fees are on a pro rata basis so if joining in July for example the fees would be £15+£6=£21 and this would be you paid up until the end of September.

## Can't get to Sheffield?

There are options to be registered with South Yorkshire Police Archery Club but then if you struggle to get to Sheffield you can shoot at your local Archery club. Extra fees will apply and differ to each club. As an example, Barnsley YMCA Archery Club have "green fees" at £5 per session or £50 for the year to shoot as much as you want at their venue but you would represent/be officially registered to SYP Archery Club. Each club will have their own rules, prices, venues and times to shoot. Your local club may also have indoor venues which Niagara Centre does not currently have. All clubs generally charge green fees on top of your Archery GB and associations fees but as a member of SYP Sports & Social currently SYP Archery club has no green fees which enables members to have that flexibility of shooting locally but also representing SYP Archery Club.

## Committee Members:

We currently have 3 committee members:

- Chairperson – Philip MACKAY
- Secretary – Amy LAW – [Amy.Law@southyorkshire.police.uk](mailto:Amy.Law@southyorkshire.police.uk) 07517762760
- Treasurer – Rachel GRANGE

