

The city's best young archers show what they've got at the youth indoor competition, writes **Kevin Kung**

All eyes on the prize

Archers from the Fanling Lutheran Secondary School Archery Club performed with flying colours on Sunday, winning three titles at the Hong Kong Youth Indoor Archery Open Competition.

In the morning session at the Luen Wo Hui Sports Centre, Fanling's reigning inter-school champion, Mo

Ka-lok, breezed through to win the under-20 men's recurve bow event.

Ka Lok's teammates Chung Kong-yan and Keeva Chiu Tsz-kwan won the under-20 women's compound and recurve bow events respectively.

Charlie Tsui Chung-yan from Diocesan Girls' School Archery Club won the under-16 girls recurve bow event while her younger sister,



CHARLIE TSUI CHUNG-YAN, 15, FROM DIOCESAN GIRLS' SCHOOL, WINS THE GIRLS' RECURVE EVENT.



A PARTICIPANT TAKES AIM AT THE HONG KONG YOUTH INDOOR ARCHERY OPEN COMPETITION AT THE LUEN WO HUI SPORTS CENTRE. **PHOTOS: NORA TAM**

Tiffany Tsui Chung-laam from Police Archery Club, won the under-12's.

It was not plain sailing for Charlie, though. She had to make a comeback in the second session after finishing with a seven-point deficit in the first. She eventually won the champion's trophy with 488 points.

"It was my first time participating in this tournament. I was having some problems with my posture at the beginning. After taking my coach's advice, I made some adjustments and was able to perform better," Charlie said.

Ten-year-old Tiffany, who overcame older rivals to claim her title, wants to be as successful in the sport as Charlie.

"My sister is an outstanding

[Charlie Tsui] had to make a comeback in the second session after finishing with a seven-point deficit in the first

junior archer and I hope I can be successful in the sport like her," Tiffany said.

Competition was fierce in the Grade B women's and men's compound bow events.

The top two archers in each event were tied and the winners had to be decided by the number of bull's-eyes.

Despite a sore shoulder, Anthony Yeung Tsun-ling was more accurate and edged into first place.

"My right shoulder injury was very painful but I didn't give up. My determination paid off," Yeung said.

"I broke my own record for Hong Kong indoor individual compound (under-16). I also had sweet revenge over my opponent who beat me in the BOC Festival of Sport's Archery Competition last month."

Grade B women's compound champion Tsui Ngai-tung said she was really nervous when she saw the score. "I didn't know what would happen in the end. But I was so happy when the announcement was made."

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