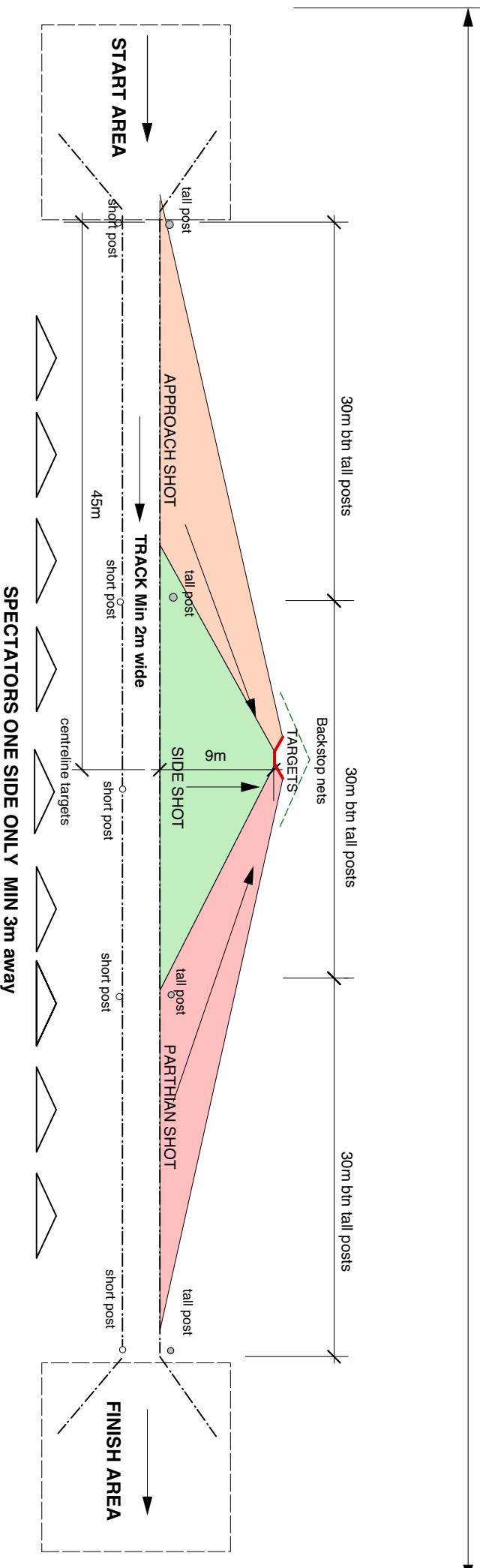


OVERSHOOT AREA: NO PUBLIC ACCESS THIS SIDE OF TRACK



**SPTA HORSEARCHERY TRACK LAYOUT PLAN
BASED ON TRACK & COMPETITION LAYOUT DEVISED BY KASSAI LAJOS**

SPECTATORS ONE SIDE ONLY MIN 3m away

- Tall posts indicate limits of shot. Short posts track/centreline marker
- Track tape/edging

SHOOTING RULES (based on Kassai's competition)

1. 16 seconds is allowed for each run: exceeding this discounts the run. A point is added for each second below 16 seconds
2. The archer must score with at least one arrow for time points to be added
3. Arrows must be shot within the allotted zones. Any arrow hitting a target when shot from outside the zone will be discounted.
4. A competition consists of 3 sets of 3 runs
5. 2 warm-up runs are allowed prior to the first set of 3 runs

EQUIPMENT (SPTA events)

No compounds, no all-fibreglass bows.
No sights, stabilisers or arrow rests allowed on bows.
Wooden or bamboo arrows only, with natural feather fletchings.
Two three or four fletch allowed. Plastic nocks allowed.

ADDITIONAL NOTES ON TRACK SETUP

OVERSHOOTS: the approach & parthian shots need to be covered, and this is best done by angling a 12 x 24ft backstop net as indicated (check that backstop guyropes do not cross target area.) Arrows will still go over the top, so additional nets are recommended, or a clear areabank to help find arrows.

POSTS: tall posts ideally should be padded or soft foam to avoid shattering/rebounding arrows

It is recommended that each rider has an assistant on the ground who will check track is clear, pick up dropped arrows etc.



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