

2025 Australian Gymnastics Championships

Event Information Bulletin May 2025



WELCOME

Welcome to the third bulletin for the 2025 Australian Gymnastics Championships.

The purpose of this document is to provide up to date event information to all participants across Australia.

All bulletins will be published on the Australian Gymnastics Championships website and in the STA AGC Communication channel on Teams. Please continue to check the website regularly for the most up to date information.

Should you have any questions regarding the event, please do not hesitate to contact us and we will do all that we can to assist.

Phone: 03 8698 9700 Email: events@gymnastics.org.au Website: http://ausgymnasticschamps.com.au/

The team at Gymnastics Australia are committed to providing you with a high-quality event that will be a memorable and worthwhile part of your gymnastics journey.



ENTRY FEES

The entry fee per athlete, per Gymsport for participation at the event is \$285, inc GST.

The above includes the following for all athletes;

- Participation in the event
- Spectator access to all competition sessions
- Access to official event training
- Participation Certificate

Additional & Late Fees

- Late Entry Fee: \$400 plus the total entry fee per athlete entered into the event after the definitive entry cut-off date
- Late / Additional Official Entry Fee: \$200. This applies to all team officials who are submitted into the event after the definitive entry cut-off date
- Late music or music changes after the due date: \$60 per piece of music

CLOSING DATES

Provisional Entries: Wednesday 7 May 2025, 3:00pm AEST

Definitive Entries: Tuesday 3 June 2025, 3:00pm AEST

Music Submission: Friday 6 June 2025, 3:00pm AEST

DEFINITIVE ENTRIES

Definitive entries are now open and will close on Tuesday, 3rd June. This year, all definitive entries must be submitted via the official entry form which has been shared via email.

Following the close of definitive entries all participating states / territories will receive an invoice for payment.

COMPETITION SCHEDULE

A draft detailed schedule for each Gymsport is now available on the event website.

Following the close of definitive entries, Gymnastics Australia will publish the final competition schedule for each GymSport which will include session times. These schedules will also include details of additional activities happening off the Field of Play, such as the opening ceremony, awards functions, and community meetings.

MUSIC SUBMISSION

Music submission for the 2025 Australian Gymnastics Championships will be via a Dropbox. All States / Territories will be emailed a direct link in the coming weeks.

Naming conventions must be as per the guidelines attached.

Music submission is due by the 6th June 2025.

GYMSPORT AWARD FUNCTIONS

Get ready, gymnastics community! For the very first time, Gymnastics Australia is rolling out the red carpet to honour the incredible achievements of our gymnastics stars!

The 2025 Gymsport Awards Function is a brand-new celebration of excellence, shining a spotlight on the athletes, coaches, and clubs who soared to new heights across Australia and the world in 2024.

Function details are as follows;

Men's & Women's Artistic

Date: Sunday 6 July, 2025 Time: 2:00pm - 4:00pm Location: Currumbin Room, Gold Coast Sports & Leisure Centre Dress: Smart Casual Event Details: This will be a stand up cocktail style function with canapes and drinks available.

Rhythmic, Trampoline, Aerobics & Acrobatics

Date: Tuesday 15 July, 2025 Time: 9:30am - 11:30am Location: Currumbin Room, Gold Coast Sports & Leisure Centre Dress: Smart Casual Event Details: This will be a stand up breakfast buffet style function.

Award winners will receive a formal invitation shortly, including complimentary tickets. Tickets for the wider gymnastics community will also be available soon – don't miss your chance to be part of this historic moment!

Let's come together to celebrate our champions, connect with the community, and make memories that will inspire the next generation.

ATHLETE WITHDRAWALS

Should an athlete need to be withdrawn from the competition, please complete the form below as soon as possible so all necessary adjustments can be made.

<u>Click here to access the form</u>

Refund applications must be submitted by each State/Territory Association and will be processed in line with the Event Refund Policy. Refunds will be paid directly to the relevant STA, and the refund form will be provided to all STAs following the conclusion of the event. To be eligible for a refund, a valid medical certificate must be submitted. In accordance with the policy, the refundable amount will be the entry fee minus a 20% administration fee.

TRAINING HALL

Training hall schedules for each Gymsport are currently being developed and will be distributed to the STA's in the coming weeks.

PODIUM TRAINING

Men's Artistic Gymnastics

Wednesday 2 July

Senior International Open training 8:00am - 10:00am

Level 10 Open 10:00am - 12:00pm

Level 9 Under 12:00pm - 2:30pm

Senior International Structured training 4:00pm - 6:30pm

Please note that the above times are inclusive of general warm up.

Women's Artistic Gymnastics

Wednesday 2 July Senior International Open training 8:00am - 10:00am

Future & *Developing International* 12:00pm - 3:00pm

Senior International Structured training 4:00pm - 6:30pm

Please note that the above times are inclusive of general warm up.

PODIUM TRAINING

Rhythmic Gymnastics

Friday 11 July Junior & Senior International IND Junior & Senior International GRP

Session allocations and times will be advised following the close of definitive entries in early June however the first group will start from approximately 7:30am.

Trampoline Gymnastics

Friday 11 July International Divisions

QLD: 8:00am - 10:30am ACT & TAS: 10:30am - 12:30pm NSW: 12:30pm - 3:00pm NZL & SA: 3:00pm - 5:00pm VIC & WA: 5:00pm - 7:00pm

Training times are draft and will be confirmed after definitive entries.

Acrobatic Gymnastics

Friday 11 July From 2:30pm Junior 12-18 Junior 13-19 Senior International

Groups and times will be advised following the close of definitive entries in early June.

PODIUM TRAINING

Aerobic Gymnastics

Tuesday 15 July From 7:30am International Divisions*

*Please note that only AeroDance Teams who are using AGC as a selection event will be included in podium training.

Podium training times for all Gymsports will be confirmed once final entries have been received.

Please ensure that all athletes are in state team attire when attending their relevant podium training session.

OPENING CEREMONY

The official opening ceremony will be held on Thursday 3 July at approximately 4:30pm.

All participating states, will be required to nominate a flag bearer by no later than Friday 27 June via the link below;

https://form.jotform.com/241263233784052

ATHLETE T-SHIRT & LEOTARD

We're excited to announce that the official 2025 Australian Gymnastics Championships Athlete T-Shirt and exclusive Sylvia P leotard are now available for pre-order only!

Important Details:

- Pre-order only, no on-site sales!
- Collection: At the event only
- Orders close: Wednesday, 11 June 2025

Additional information, including how to order can be found HERE





MEETINGS

Orientation Meeting

The orientation meeting for all Gymsports will be held virtually via Teams prior to the event.

All Heads of Delegation, Team Managers & Head Coaches should attend the meeting.

Date: Tuesday 24 June Time: 3:00pm EST

To register for the meeting, please use the link below by the 20th June; <u>https://form.jotform.com/251187181366864</u>

A link will be sent out to eligible participants prior to the meeting.

Judges Meetings

In 2025, it is compulsory for all judges attending AGC to attend the scheduled judges' meetings.

Judges that do not attend the meetings will not be included in the final judges' panels for the event.

Please ensure this is communicated to your judges so travel details can be booked accordingly.

Details around judges meeting are currently being finalised and will be communicated shortly.

MEETINGS

Rhythmic Gymnastics

AGC Judges Task

This will be accessed through GOL- Artistry and Execution example routines. This task needs to be completed prior to 4 July and will be discussed on the 6th July

AGC Judges Meeting

Date: Sunday 6th July Time: TBC, morning Location: Online, a link will be emailed to participants Review of AGC Judges Task and any other discussions, questions or observations

Judges Draw and Oath

Date: Saturday 12th July **Time:** TBC, prior to the first competition session **Location:** Currumbin Meeting Room

International Judge Experience & ALP Clarifications

Date: Sunday 13th July Time: TBC, morning Location: Currumbin Meeting Room

Women's Artistic Gymnastics

International Levels Briefing

Date: Wednesday 2 July Time: TBC Location: Currumbin Meeting Room

National Levels Briefing

Date: Friday 4 July Time: TBC, morning Location: Currumbin Meeting Room

PHOTO CONSENT

Gymnastics Australia has reviewed and refined the photo consent form for the 2025 Australian Gymnastics Championships. If the below form could please be passed along to all state team athletes that would be great.

https://form.jotform.com/240308582125855

Gymnastics Australia will continue to work on supporting our official event photographer, WinkiPop Media, in identifying individuals who have not provided their consent to have their photograph taken, and will communicate this with you and relevant members in due course.

If you have any questions about utilizing or distributing the form, please do not hesitate to contact Gymnastics Australia Safer Sport at <u>safersport@gymnastics.org.au</u>

TEAM SHEETS

Team sheets for MAG and WAG will be due on **Monday 23th June** at 4:00pm. Links to the online forms can be found below;

MAG: Click <u>HERE</u>

WAG: Click <u>HERE</u>

TEAM APP

We will once again be using TeamApp for all event time communication. It is important that all team members join the 2025 event team to ensure they receive the most up to date information during event time.

To get the full features of this app please go to the App Store or Google Play and download Stack Team App onto your mobile device, then follow these simple steps:

- 1. Sign-up to Stack Team App. You'll be sent an e-mail to activate your account.
- 2. Log-in and search for 2025 AGC Event Updates, then request to become a member.

There is no payment required to access the app. Please ensure that your team members stay vigilant and do not provide any payment details at any point.

Please note: All access groups have been cleared since the 2024 event so all members will need to request access again in 2025

EMERGENCY MEDICAL EDUCATION SESSION

In 2025, GA will once again be hosting an Emergency Medical Education Session specific to gymnastics. The session will take place on Thursday 10th July and will run from approximately 9am - 4pm.

The day will be designed specifically for healthcare practitioners, targeting the physiotherapists and other healthcare practitioners supporting the state and territory teams at the event. The GA event doctors will also be in attendance.

Additional details around the guest presenter will be shared in the coming weeks.

There is no cost associated with attending this session however we ask that only those medical personal accredited for the 2025 event attend.

SAFER SPORT COURSE REQUIREMENTS

As in previous years Gymnastics Australia requires members of our community to complete the following educational requirements relevant to their role ahead of the start of the competition.

Gymnastics Australia will communicate with both officials and athletes directly, once definitive entries have been received. The communications pieces have been attached for your reference, however, should you wish to communicate ahead of State team selection.

	GA You've Got This		SIA 2025 Update	SIA Coaches Course	Conflict of Interest Form	SIA Medical Practitioners Course
Head of Delegation	Yes	Yes	Yes			
Team Manager	Yes	Yes	Yes			
Coach	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes		
Judge	Yes	Yes	Yes		Yes	
Physiotherapists / Sports Trainers	Yes	Yes	Yes			
Medical	Yes	Yes	Yes			Yes
Volunteers / TRP Spotters						
Event Management/ GA Staff	Yes	Yes	Yes			
Junior & Senior International Athletes		Yes	Yes			

Gymnastics Australia requires officials to provide evidence of the following items prior to collecting their accreditation;

- A valid Working With Children Check (or equivalent)
- Photo ID

This year, Gymnastics Australia will verify the relevant education course competition prior to officials' arrival at the event, to ensure a smooth process for all at the accreditation center. Officials need to have their SIA and GA certificates easily accessible if required.