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2017 State Titles Western Australia Bouldering

July 22nd to 23rd 2017

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Competitor Handbook

This handbook is provided for the information of climbers wishing to participate in the event. The details may change.



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Thank you to our partners and sponsors for helping us put on the first official Western Australia State Titles in Bouldering sanctioned by the Sports Climbing Australia



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The Event

Introduction

The 2017 State Boulder Titles will be held at The Boulder Hub in Wangara, WA. This is the first time an SCA, in its current form, sanctioned event is held in the State of WA.

The format

Youth A,B,C,D : Boulder Jam only

Juniors : Boulder Jam only

Masters : Boulder Jam only

Open C : Boulder Jam only

Open B : Boulder Jam + World Cup Finals

Open A : Boulder Jam + World Cup Semi Finals + World Cup Finals

This event will decide the West Australian State team for bouldering and qualifies for National ranking points.

Dates

The event will be held from Saturday the 22nd of July to Sunday the 23rd of July. The Boulder Jams will be held on the Saturday and the Semi/Finals on the Sunday.

Location

The Boulder Hub

2/1 Venture Loop, Wangara, WA, 6065

(08) 6305 0955

<https://www.theboulderhub.com.au/>

Getting There

By Car: about 25 min from CBD about 45 min from the airport.

<https://goo.gl/maps/cVbFjJw9TuA2>

Food and Drink

Delicious food will be available at the event



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Time table

Saturday 22nd July	
8am – 10am	Boulder Jam for Junior and all Youth
10.30am – 12.30pm	Boulder Jam for Open C and Master
1pm – 3pm	Boulder Jam for Open B
3.30pm – 5.30pm	Boulder Jam for Open A
Sunday 23rd July	
8am – 9.30am	Open A semi final
10.30am – 11.30pm	Open B Final
1pm – 2pm	Open A Final
3pm – 4pm	SCWA AGM

Categories and participant requirements

Youth Categories

- Youth D – born 2006 or after
- Youth C – born 2004/2005
- Youth B – born 2002/2003
- Youth A – born 2000/2001
- Junior – born 1998/1999

Adult Categories

- Open C – born 2001 or before (Novice)
- Open B – born 2001 or before (Intermediate)
- Open A - born 2001 or before
- Masters – born 1977 or before

Youth A and Junior

Youth A and Junior competitors who wish to compete in Open A as well as their age category will need to register and pay for both categories.

Youth B competitors who are on the Australian team will be allowed to climb the Open A routes in the same competition format as Open A. They will not receive a score or a ranking.



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Interstate Competitors

Interstate competitors are allowed to compete but are not eligible for titles. They are eligible for ranking and prizes.

None Citizens Residing in Australia

Competitors with a WA registered address with SCA can compete and are entitled to Titles, ranking and prizes.

International Guest Competitors

International competitors are allowed to compete but are not eligible for titles. They are eligible for ranking and prizes.

Registration and Event Fee

Registration will close ONE WEEK before the event on the 16th OF JULY.

To compete in State Titles, you MUST have a valid STATE MEMBERSHIP.

To Join us here on the SCA website: <http://www.sportclimbingaustralia.org.au/join-us>

STATE MEMBERSHIP : \$16

The Bouldering event has a registration fee:

EARLY BIRD (ends 2nd July) : \$35

LATE ENTRY (ends 16th July) : \$50

Event officials

Jury President: CHRISTINA BEDARD

Head Judge: CHRISTINA BEDARD

Head Route setter: ALAN PRYCE

Event organisers: THE BOULDER HUB

Other Officials

Other officials will be selected closer to the event. However, any complaints or contests can be directed to the Head Judge and Jury President on the day. Queries regarding routes and technicalities can be directed to the head route setter. Questions regarding format, registration and any other queries can be directed to the event organisers.



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Rules

To compete in this competition the climber agrees to follow all rules and regulations outlined in this information pack and follow the rules and procedures of the hosting gym.

This competition will run in conjunction with the Sport Climbing Australia rules. Please find the full rules and regulations at the SCA website:

<http://www.sportclimbingaustralia.org.au/page-18117>

Rules for the event will be detailed in the briefing period before the commencement of each round of competition. Any questions or clarification regarding the rules must be asked during this time.

Volunteers

Only through the generous efforts of sponsors and volunteers are we able to host this event. We are always looking for volunteers to help.

Link to the volunteer form:

<https://goo.gl/forms/YAlpkFdEjn4jXVZt2>

Please fill in the form and select the times which you would like to help with. We hope to create a turnover timetable for long judging blocks. You can also volunteer for 'Other' role such as an usher or isolation marshal but we do need judges primarily. ALL judges will be required to attend an info session which will be organised prior to the competition.

We appreciate your time and effort in making this event possible! Thank you!

Judges will be required to take the following short written assessment prior to the event:

<http://www.sportclimbingaustralia.org.au/resources/Documents/SCA%20Board%20Docs/Comp%20Policies/Judging%20-%20Judge%20Assessment%20Boulder.pdf>

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