



Circular TRA TC 02-2019

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To: SAGF Board & TTC Members
Trampoline HP Coaches
Trampoline Judges
All Provinces, Districts, Clubs & Members

RE: 2019 TRA & TUM ZONE FESTIVAL EVENTS

Dear Regional & Provincial Chairpersons and Secretaries.

**** IMPORTANT TO NOTE****

In future mini trampoline gymnasts who wish to be considered for region 5 selection will need to have participated in their zone festival & attend trials (if applicable) in order to be eligible for selection.

Please be reminded that the trampoline & tumbling North and South Zone festival events are deemed to be national events and therefore all entry fees for this event **MUST** be paid into the SAGF trampoline account. This competition must ideally be held by the end of the 2nd term, so possibly the last week in June however; this is dependent on what is suitable for our discipline and the hosts.

We are excited to announce that trampoline and double mini level 3 will be added to the event.

General Zone Information.

1. Trampoline and tumbling will only host Zone festival events in the North and South, as has always been the case. As the participation numbers grow, the number of zones required will be revisited. The hosting of this event should be, if possible, alternated between all districts and/or provinces that make up the Zone.
2. Ordering of medals, certificates and participation tog bags to be arranged by the host.
3. Within three (3) weeks a final income statement must be submitted to Judy and me together with all relevant supporting documents.
4. Returning of unused medals, tog bags and certificates is the responsibility of the host province.

Zone Level & Age Group.

Zone festival events are only for level 1,2 & 3 gymnasts of all ages. The Zone festival is an interprovincial competition and is the last competition for gymnasts of this level.

Zone Festival Dress Code.

The gymnasts dress is at the discretion of their district and/or province – As this is an inter-provincial competition districts or provinces may award half or junior colours, at their discretion. Host region/district officials will be expected to be dressed appropriately in their federation

uniform, event or sponsor attire, as may be the case

Judges are asked to be dressed as closely as possible to the requirements of the code.

Coaches are required to be in sportswear as per normal competition regulations and may be required to wear the uniform of their district/region/province as per their appointment

Zone Entries

Hosts must ensure that the event is setup on the SAGF registration website. All entries MUST be submitted online and must be accompanied by the fees payable on or before the closing date – this is critical to the smooth running of our events and to give the hosts ample time to circulate the final program and grouping lists.

Revised Zone Qualification Scores

The minimum execution score at district and/or provincials for qualification to the event is shown in the top section of the table. The TC has revised the qualifying marks and medal ranking points for 2019 – these are as shown on the table below.

Description	Mini Trampoline	Table Top
Level 1 Qualification Score	16.00 Total For 4 Routines	14.00 Total for 2 Routines Marked out of 5, (E + E + D x 2)
Level 2 Qualification Score	17.00 Total For 4 Routines	27.00 Total for 2 Routines Marked out of 7
Level 3 Qualification Score	18.00 Total For 4 Routines	27.00 Total for 2 Routines Mark out of 7
Level 1 Gold Award	19.70 or More Total For 4 Routines	22.90 or More Total for 2 Routines
Level 1 Silver Award	18.00 to 19.60 Total For 4 Routines	22.00 to 22.80 Total for 2 Routines
Level 1 Bronze Award	17.99 or Less Total For 4 Routines	21.90 or Less Total for 2 Routines
Level 2 Gold Award	20.40 or More Total For 4 Routines	33.40 or More Total for 2 Routines
Level 2 Silver Award	18.00 to 20.39 Total For 4 Routines	30.20 to 33.30 Total for 2 Routines
Level 2 Bronze Award	17.99 or Less Total For 4 Routines	30.10 or Less Total for 2 Routines
Level 3 Gold Award	22.00 or More Total For 4 Routines	33.40 or More Total for 2 Routines
Level 3 Silver Award	21.20 to 21.90 Total For 4 Routines	30.20 to 33.30 Total for 2 Routines
Level 3 Bronze Award	21.10 or Less Total For 4 Routines	30.10 or Less Total for 2 Routines

Description	Double Mini Trampoline	Trampoline
Level 3 Qualification Score	100.00 Total For 4 Routines	27.00 Total for 2 Routines Marked out of 7, (E + E + D x 2)
Level 3 Gold Award	107.00 or More Total For 4 Routines	33.40 or More Total for 2 Routines
Level 3 Silver Award	101.01 to 106.90 Total For 4 Routines	30.20 to 33.30 Total for 2 Routines
Level 3 Bronze Award	101.00 or Less Total For 4 Routines	30.10 or Less Total for 2 Routines

TUMBLING

Description	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Qualification Score	47	47	46
Gold Medal	52 or More	52 or More	50 or More
Silver Medal	49-51	49-51	48-49
Bronze Medal	48 or Less	48 or Less	47 or Less

Coaches may NOT query any E Score and may only query the D Score as per the judge's code.

Awards

Every participating gymnast will receive the following

1. Medal in accordance with score achieved (Gold, Silver or Bronze)
2. Certificate of participation
3. Sling bag as a memento of the event indicating the level participated in.

Entry Fees

Trampoline	1 st Event	Category A	R360.00	Category C	R150.00
Trampoline	2 nd Event	Category A	R100.00	Category C	R 50.00
Tumbling		Category A	R360.00	Category C	R150.00

Judges

The host district is tasked with supplying 8 judges for each discipline for the duration of the event

Visiting districts are to supply 4 judges per discipline for the duration of the event

Judges honoraria will be at the rate set out by the PM and it is the responsibility of the host district /province to pay this as the judges "work" for the entire event

Judges will be given teas and meals during the competition period – transport, accommodation and meals outside of the competition period are the responsibility of the district /province that appointed the judge

Judges must be qualified to judge the levels of the competition – Head Judges will be approved by the discipline PM from the "pool" – it is expected that the host will appoint their most highly qualified judges to act in this capacity failing which the PM will appoint this person

Coaches

2 coaches per district/province per level are allowed on the floor.

The coaches honoraria is the responsibility of the district/province that appoints them as they work only for that group of gymnasts (the rate/amount is entirely at the discretion of the district/province)

Coaches will be provided with coffee and tea and a snack during the course of the competition – this will not be in the form of a sit down meal or in conjunction with the judges - the organizes may choose to hand out

"snack packs" or vouchers to the tuck shop as their local conditions may dictate. It is expected that the coaches' district/province will provide for their travel, meals and accommodation if required.

Scoring

Host Districts/Provinces are expected to utilize a suitable scoring program. Trampoline has the jump program available, which can be purchased for a nominal fee.

Budget

A draft budget is enclosed for each host to adapt to their own particular situation – can these please be completed ASAP and returned to the program manager for approval – these events will become one of the major income generators for the disciplines however the hosts and their suppliers also need to be adequately compensated – we trust that as much work/supply will be done in house (at reasonable cost) so that the gymnastics fraternity can benefit out of these events

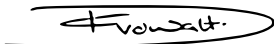
Results

Official results for both trampoline and tumbling should be forwarded to me within one week of the event.

Districts who would like the opportunity to host these events in the future should please email me, so that we can create a schedule of hosts going forward for the next 4 years.

In closing we must all realize that these are "**our**" events and it is a team effort to make this the best possible experience for all the participating gymnasts. It is also a source of income that we rely on to subsidise the international participation of our high level gymnasts – those districts and/or provinces, who do not support this event, will in the future not be given priority for funding of their high level gymnasts - This is only fair to those who do support the federation and their events.

Kind Regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read "Cheryl van der Walt", is enclosed within a hand-drawn oval.

Cheryl van der Walt
(TRA Chairperson)