

SAGF



South African Gymnastics Federation
Technical Committee
TRAMPOLINE



Circular TRA TC 27-2018

8 September 2018

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

RE: TRAMPOLINE 2018 GYM GAMES INVITATION

Dear All,

On behalf of the TTC and the SAGF we take pleasure in inviting you to the 2018 annual Gym Games – where our top gymnasts will compete on Tuesday 2nd October 2018. To see spectacular routines and fierce competition be sure to come and support your personal favorite as they compete for the title of “National Champion”.

Please note the following details regarding the organisation of this event:

Competition Venue:

Fredrika Sports Stadium,
Fredrika Street Cnr 10th Avenue,
Gezina, Pretoria

Please find a detailed map and directions in the attachments.

COMPETITION ENTRY FEE:

Entry Fees: A - Category: First event R400
 C - Category: First event: R200

Entry Fee Zone 6 Trial: A - Category: R250
 C - Category: R125

The online Gym Games competition entry system will be active from Friday, September 07 until Friday, September 14. (Competitors, coaches and judges MUST be submitted online during this period)

Important Note: Your Province will inform you of any official's levies, which will be an additional cost to the entry fees listed above.

Entries for Region 5 Competition November 2-6, 2018, South Africa. Trial Entries due by 14th September 2017. For your convenience rules and regulations, have already been distributed.

TRA Technical Committee: Chairperson: Cheryl van der Walt, Technical Tum: Michelle Haasbroek, Development Tum: Lebo Ramokopelwa,

TRA Sub Committee: Technical Tra: Tiaan van der Walt & Development Tra - Lee Budler

Chairperson: Cheryl van der Walt ☎ Cell: 0825663181 ✉ Email: cherylv@netactive.co.za

Provinces must pay in the entry fees - no entry fees to be paid in by competitors, or clubs. Entry fees to be paid into the SAGF bank account (as per online generated invoice, please use the banking reference number given) Copy of proof of payment must be submitted to both: Cheryl van der Walt cherylv@netactive.co.za & SAGF, Mandy mandy@sagf.co.za

KINDLY NOTE THAT TUMBLING IS NOT A 2ND DISCIPLINE OF TRAMPOLINE – THEREFORE THE FIRST EVENT AMOUNT IS PAYABLE FOR BOTH TRAMPOLINE & TUMBLING IN CASES WHERE A GYMNAST PARTICIPATES IN BOTH

Failure to do so will result in disqualification of the gymnast.

Judge and Coaches:

- All judges and coaches must be submitted online
- Judging requirement per province are as follows:
Gauteng 4, Western Cape 4, Eastern Cape 4, Limpopo 1, Free State 1, North West 1, Mpumalanga 1, North Cape 1
- Coaches and judges must be dressed according to the SAGF Trampoline Judges Code – or they will be asked to leave the competition floor area.
- Judges must be available from the start and until end of each day. R5500 penalty for each missing judge, this will enable us to pay the costs for proxy judges. Please submit names of judges for each day to Helen (helen@trampolinesport.co.za) by 14th September.
- Provinces to email lunch orders for coaches by 14th September to Cheryl if required.

JUDGES LIST			
Judges Name and Surname	Province	Qualification	Dates Available

COACH LUNCH ORDER					
Coaches Name, Surname and Province	R60 – Tuck Shop Lunch Order Date: Tue 02 Oct	R60 – Tuck Shop Lunch Order Date: Wed 03 Oct	R60 – Tuck Shop Lunch Order Date: Thu 04 Oct	R60 – Tuck Shop Lunch Order Date: Fri 05 Oct	Fee paid (SAGF Account)

Hall Set Up:

No gymnasts / parents / officials will be permitted into the hall before the official warm up time on Monday 01 October 2018. A detailed competition program will be sent out after the closing date once all the entries have been received and confirmed. Please refer to the attachment for the Provisional Program.

Grouping Area:

All gymnasts will be required to report to the Grouping Desk upon entering the grouping area.

Please note NO parents are permitted in the warm up area.

Technical Assembly:

The TRA Technical Assembly will be held on Wednesday 03 October 2018 in the Meeting Room at

Fredrika Sports Stadium, Fredrika & 10th Street, Gezina. The time will be confirmed once the final program has been circulated.

Meals:

Lunches

Lunches will be provided for **JUDGES ONLY**. Coaches will need to arrange their own meals for the duration of the competition. There will be a tuckshop where food and refreshments can be purchased.

Officials:

Only those coaches that have been selected to officially represent their Province will be accredited and allowed on the competition floor. Only level 2 accredited coaches are eligible to be accredited for your Province.

High performance and Voluntary Coaches:

If there are any personal coaches who wish to be added to the Accreditation list, please Email Cheryl van der Walt at cherylv@netactive.co.za by Monday 17th September 2018. Accreditations can be picked up from each Provincial 'post box' and must be worn for the duration of the competition.

Attire:

Coaches are required to wear their Provincial Clothing for the duration of the event

- Judges must wear black or navy pants or skirt, a white blouse and a black or navy jacket
- Gymnasts must wear their Provincial leotard and Tracksuit. Long hair must be tied back and no jewelry may be worn.
- Podium - For prize-giving gymnasts must only wear their leotards please

Competitors:

MUST report for grouping 15 minutes prior to warm-up time - Please be at competition venue 45 MINUTES before scheduled warm-up time (except for first 2 events of the day) - if there are withdrawals the programs might run earlier.

Results:

- Each Province will also receive a copy of the results in their post box immediately after the prize giving.
- We will do our best to get the results posted on the SAGF website within 24 hours of the competition ending.

Judges Rules:

- Judges are to report to the competition venue at least 30 minutes prior to the start of the competition unless otherwise stated for a judges meeting.
- Late judges will be replaced.
- Cell phones are not allowed at the Judges table. Please turn them off for the duration of the competition!
- Judges are expected to show their scores in a timeous manner without discussion with other judges. If the scores are not in range, a small discussion may take place initiated by the Head Judge
- Please ensure that every province provides the correct number of judges.
- Judges are expected to be available for the duration of Gym Games unless specific arrangements have been made with the National Judges Coordinator, Helen van der Walt helen@trampolinesport.co.za by no later than **Monday 17th September 2018**.

Coaches Rules:

- Coaches are also expected to behave in a professional manner at all times
- Official provincial Coaches are to please be reminded that they are there to take care of and assist ALL gymnasts from their Province!
- Coaches are asked to please assist with the organisation of the gymnasts so as to ensure the smooth running of the event.
- . No queries will be entertained

Appeals:

A coach or competitor can only file an appeal. Spectators are not allowed to participate in the appeal process. A difficulty inquiry can be made at the judge's table using the appropriate form.

The written appeal, with the appropriate appeal fee of R500.00 must be submitted to the Head Judge prior to the start of the next round. "Next round" refers to the actual competition, not the warm-up of the next flight. In the case of an appeal concerning the final pass, the appeal must be submitted immediately after the end of the round. In no case, will an appeal be accepted after the medals have been awarded. Appeals concerning the execution scores can only be made with respect to numerical error. The Jury of Appeal prior to the start of the next round must deal with appeals, and its decision must be announced immediately.

Judges Guide:

Gymnastics is a judgmental sport. As a result, the rules for officiating must be transparent, fair and must maintain sport justice for all gymnasts. Judges officiating at competition have to:

- Maintain integrity of all decisions showing no preference or bias
- Possess competence to apply the Code of Points and other rules of the FIG
- Demonstrate moral and ethical behavior
- Show respect to others by being punctual and respecting all rules
- Respect the judges' oath and the FIG Code of Ethics.

Competition Cards:

Please note that ALL competition cards (boys blue and girls pink) MUST be handed in on Monday afternoon 16h00 at the coaches & team managers meeting which **will be held at Matsport Centre, Edwards Road, Eldoraigne.** Please put every competition day's cards together, separate from the cards for the other days clearly mark which day's cards it is. Boys and girls for each day also separately, boys cards together, girls cards together. No competitor will be allowed to compete if the competition card is missing.

Certificates:

All certificates will be placed in the provincial postbox. The spelling of names will be copied exactly from the entry forms received by the Province from the SAGF online registration website, so clubs are encouraged to rectify mistakes online as and there will be no reprinting of certificates during Gym Games.

Spectator Entry Fees & Refreshments / Stalls

An entry fee will be charged at the entrance to the venue.

Adults R20

Children R10

Pensioners R10

There will be a tuck shop on site at the venue.

For comfort purposes, spectators should bring a cushion to sit on.

Medical:

There will be medics on site.

Accommodation:

Everyone must arrange his or her own accommodation.

Travel safe, we look forward to seeing you all soon!

Regards,



Cheryl van der Walt
PM Manager