

2022 Pinnacle Sports Queensland Youth Boulder Titles

Event Summary

The 2022 Pinnacle Sports Youth Boulder Titles is the event in which the Queensland State Champions for Bouldering will be decided for all Youth Categories. The championship also helps athletes qualify for the 2022 Australian Youth Boulder Nationals.

Dates and Times

27th and 28th of August 2022

Location

Core Climbing 122 Eastlake Street Carrara, Qld 4211 Phone: (07) 5530 2323

https://www.coreclimbing.com.au team@coreclimbing.com.au







Schedule

Subject to change but updates are live.

Refresh your browser for updates.

Day One, Saturday 27th August 2022

Times	Events
8:00 am	Registration opens (Youth D)
8:30 am - 10:00 am	Youth D BoulderJam
10:30 am	Youth D Podiums and Presentations
9:00 am	Registration opens (Youth C)
10:00 am - 11:30 am	Youth C BoulderJam
12:00 pm	Youth C Podiums and Presentations
11.30 am	Registration opens (Youth B)
12:00 pm - 2:00 pm	Youth B BoulderJam
2:15 pm	Youth B Isolation Opens
2:45 pm	Youth B Isolation Closes
4:00 pm	Youth B Final Commences
5:30 pm	Youth B Podiums and Presentations

Day Two, Sunday 28th August 2022

Times	Events
8:00 am	Registration opens (Youth A)
8:30 am - 10:30 am	Youth A BoulderJam
10:00 am	Registration Opens (Juniors)
10:30 am - 12:30 pm	Junior BoulderJam
12:45 pm	Isolation and Warm Up Area Open (Youth A/Junior)
2:00 pm	Isolation Closes (Youth A and Junior)
2:15 pm	Youth A Final Commences
4:00 pm	Junior Final Commences
5:30 pm	Youth A/Junior Podiums and Presentations

1. Categories

Information is taken from the SCA's Competition Policies.

There will be male and female categories in:

- **Junior** (born 2004/2005)
- Youth A (born 2006/2007)
- Youth B (born 2008/2009)
- Youth C (born 2010/2011)
- Youth D (born 2012 2015)

1.1 Interstate competitors

Interstate competitors are allowed to compete and are eligible for ranking points and potential prizes. Interstate competitors are not eligible for the Titles status.

1.2 Guest Competitors

Guest competitors are either someone who lives overseas, interstate, or does not fit the requirements to compete in the Male or Female categories, as defined by SCA. An overseas guest competitor is defined as someone who is not living in Australia. Guest competitors are allowed to compete and are eligible for potential prizes however, will not be entitled to Titles, Ranking points, and Medals.

2. Photography

By registering for this competition, the climber authorizes SCQ & SCA to use images/photographs/movies that may be taken at the event. To revoke authorization of the use of personal photographs taken from the event, the climber must submit in writing to info@sportclimbingqueensland.com no later than one week prior to the first event day.

3. Registrations

All competitors must be a current member of Sport Climbing Australia. Athletes can join as members *via* the event registration form. Memberships are yearly and are valid from the date of purchase. Memberships are \$30.

Join at the SCA website: https://www.sportclimbingaustralia.org.au/join-us

3.1 Pre-register

It is a requirement to pre-register for the competition on the Sport Climbing Australia website. You can register at https://www.sportclimbingaustralia.org.au/event-4716467

3.2 Entry Fee

• Early Bird: \$60 until midnight 10th August 2022

• Early Bird + T-Shirt: \$105 until midnight 10th August 2022

• Standard: \$70 until midnight 24th August 2022

• Late Rego Fee: \$90 after midnight 24th August 2022

3.3 Competition Shirt

A competition shirt can be purchased at the registration portal for \$45 until the 10th August 2022.

Shirts are produced to order and it is very unlikely that excess shirts will be available on event day.

3.4 Colour-blind

Climbers who are colour-blind need to notify the event team during registration.

Competition Format

The following format is only a summary of the complete set of rules. For the complete set of rules please read <u>SCA's Competition Policies</u>.

4. Climbing Format

4.1 Format

All climbers will compete in a BoulderJam format. The top 6 competitors in Youth B, Youth A and Junior will then go on to compete in a 5-on-5-off Final.

4.2 Placing

Competitors in Youth D and Youth C will be ranked according to their position in the BoulderJam round. Competitors in Youth B, Youth A and Junior will be ranked according to their position in the Final Round.

4.3 Climbing attempts

For all formats, the following applies.

- An attempt has begun when every part of the competitor's body has left the ground.
- An attempt on a route shall be considered successful if:
 - The boulder has been climbed in accordance with the rules
 - An attempt shall be considered successful when the judge of the station determines that the competitor has held and controlled the finishing hold of the boulder with two hands.
 - o The allowed time has not been exceeded.
- An attempt on a route shall be considered unsuccessful if:
 - The competitor falls
 - Does does not start on the indicated start holds
 - Exceeds the the relevant time limit
 - Returns to the ground with any part of their body after starting their attempt

 Uses any part of the wall, holds, or features that are deemed out of bounds of not allowed

4.4 (Qualifications – BoulderJam with Final)

- Climbers receive 2 hours to complete 5 specific problems, marked with tops and zones. Scoring and ranking is made as per section 6.10 in the official rule booklet.
- A competitor may continue an attempt after the end of the fixed climbing period if the attempt started before the end of the fixed climbing period.
 Scoring and ranking will be in accordance with article 6.10.
- Competitors will hand their scorecard to the boulder judge. This will be placed at the back of the queue. Competitors will then wait for their signal before attempting the boulder.

4.5 Finals Procedure (5 on 5 off)

- The top 6 climbers from the qualifier round will compete in an on-sight final.
- During the final competitors must remain within a designated Isolation zone
 until it is their turn to climb. Unauthorized personnel are not permitted to enter
 the Isolation Zone.
- There will be no observation period for this round.
- Climbers have five (5) minutes per boulder to attempt.
- Climbers are escorted by an official to the Competition area. Whilst in the Competition area, competitors are not permitted to seek any information from persons outside the Competition Area other than the Head Judge or Judge.

4.6 Appeals

As of the 13th April 2016, SCQ has introduced a **\$50** appeal. It will cost competitors a **\$50** deposit to make a claim either after their qualifying round or their final round. If the competitors appeal is successful they will receive the **\$50** deposit back.

Appeals Form

4.7 Rules

Rules for the event will be detailed in the briefing period before the commencement of each climbing round. Any questions or clarification regarding the rules must be asked during this time. <u>SCA Competition Rules</u>

5. Event Regulation

To compete in this State Titles, 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 runs in conjunction with Sport Climbing Australia rules. Visit <u>SCA</u> <u>Competition Rules</u> for the full rules of competition.

6. Event Officials

6.1 Event Organiser

Sport Climbing Queensland

Questions regarding formatting, registration and any other queries can be directed to the event organizer. Please contact info@sportclimbingqueensland.com.

6.2 Jury President

TBA

Any questions regarding route setting and technicalities can be directed to the Jury President.

6.3 Head Judge

Susan Botting

Any complaints or contests can be directed to the Head Judge on the day of the event. Appeals will be dealt with in accordance with Sport Climbing Australia Rules.

6.5 Head Route Setter

Mitch Keft/Alistair Earley

All Sport Climbing Queensland State Titles events are set by a team of experienced and accredited routesetters.

Volunteers

Only SCQ designated volunteers will judge at the event.

- Such events are only made possible through the generous efforts of sponsors and volunteers. We are always looking for volunteers to help with judging, BBQing, registering, and isolation officials.
- Competitors are allowed to volunteer.
- All volunteers are required to undergo training prior to the event and are briefed on their role. Food and drinks are provided during the competition.
- If you would like to volunteer, you can register upon registration or through the following ways:

Email: volunteer@sportclimbingqueensland.com

Website: https://www.sportclimbingqueensland.com/volunteer-applications/