

**CANTERBURY SECONDARY SCHOOLS
GYMNASTICS CHAMPIONSHIPS 2019**

GENERAL INFORMATION

DATES: Artistic, Rhythmic & Trampoline
Tuesday 18 June
Venue: Olympia Gymnastic Sports [Corner Springs Road & Corsair Drive, Wigram]

These events are qualifying events for the NZ Secondary School Gymsports championships Gymsports [all five Gymsports]; 24 – 25 August – Tri Star, Auckland.
24 August – Dio School , Epsom for Aerobics.

Students cannot enter themselves directly. All entries **MUST** go through the school via the EnterNOW online system. They will not be accepted without the Principal's signature.

ROUTINES: The local format is compatible with the routines for the NZ Championships event. Competition manuals with full details of routines, age grades, grade levels, music specifications and dress requirements are provided on the Gymnastics NZ website:

The 2019 secondary school competition requirements are now available on the Gymnastics New Zealand website. Link to:

<https://www.gymnasticsnz.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/04/2019-NZSS-General-Manual.pdf>

TROPHY: A Trophy will be awarded for the “Top School in Gymnastics”. This will be determined by participation and results in all three disciplines. Each discipline will contribute a number of points to the award equal to the number of competitors in that discipline. Half of the points awarded in each discipline will be awarded on a participation basis, and half on a performance basis within that discipline.

COMPETITIONS:

- 1 As specified in the Gymnastics NZ championships Manual.
- 2 Members of pairs and teams must come from the same school. These must be indicated on the original entry form.

TEAMS: A team = maximum of 4 girls with the best 3 scores taken as the team score.

ENTRY: This is a championship event; schools are expected to select the best athletes to compete at this event, with a limit of **5** per school per grade. The RSD office and organisers reserve the right to restrict entries after the closing date if excessive numbers are received. All communication and queries must be directed via the school's Head of Sport.

Entries will be accepted from schools which are not partner schools of the Canterbury Secondary Schools Sports Director's Office, but these teams will not be eligible to win trophies or other awards, or be recognised in the final rankings of this Canterbury Secondary Schools event. Appropriate certificates will, however, acknowledge performances of merit by such teams. Students may compete in more than one of artistic, rhythmic and trampoline disciplines.

Must be made on the official entry form and received by Friday 7 June @1.00pm. Students must be under the age of 19 years as 1 January 2019 and fulfil the eligibility criteria for

competition in secondary school sport as defined by School Sport New Zealand. The School Sport New Zealand policy on the entry of composite teams will apply.

ENTRY FEES: An entry fee of \$8.00 per competitor [for each discipline] will be charged to the school account. Once a student has entered and a withdrawal occurred there is no credit given to cover event administration costs.

ENTRY ONLINE SYSTEM:

These must be completed by the Head of Sport / Sports Co-ordinator and authorised by the school via the Enter NOW online entry system

<http://www.enternow.co.nz/enternow-app/ssc> by Friday 7 June at 1.00pm.

LATE entries will NOT be accepted nor entries from coaches, parents or students. This is a School Sport Canterbury entry policy.

Full official results will be sent to each school. Certificates will be mailed to each school following the event; these will not be available on the day.

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