

2024 Tasmanian Youth, Open and Master Lead Titles

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Event Summary

The 2024 Tasmanian Lead Titles is the event in which the Tasmanian State Champions for Lead will be decided for all Youth, Open and Master Categories. This is an event for everyone to participate in, and those new to competition are especially encouraged to have a go. The championship also helps athletes qualify for the 2024 Australian Open Lead Nationals and is also a qualifying event for youth climbers to join the Tasmanian Youth Climbing Team and go to the 2025 Australian Youth Nationals.

Dates

25th and 26th May 2024

Schedule

 [State-Title-24-Timetable.pdf](#)

Location

Rock It Hobart
54 Bathurst Street
Hobart

WAIVER: [ROCK IT CLIMBING CENTRE & ROCK IT BOULDERING \(smartwaiver.com\)](#)



Supporting partners:



1. Categories

Information is taken from the [SCA's Competition Policies](#).

There will be male and female categories in:

- **Open A** (Highest level of competition. Open to competitors born 2008 or earlier)
- **Open B** (Athletes whose highest climbing grades are below the cut-offs. Open to competitors 18 years or older)
- **Masters** (born in 1984 or earlier)
- **Junior** (Born 2005 & 2006)
- **Youth A** (Born 2007 & 2008)
- **Youth B** (Born 2009 & 2010)
- **Youth C** (Born 2011 & 2012)
- **Youth D** (Born 2013 & 2014)
- **Youth X** (Born 2015 & later)

1.1 Open A/Open B cut-offs

The following refer to your hardest climbing (ewbank) and bouldering (Vermin) grade completed by the participant in the last 12 months. Open A competitors must also be born in 2008 or earlier (Youth A or older). Youth B competitors wanting to compete in Open A must be approved by the Jury President.



	Male		Female	
	Climbing	Bouldering	Climbing	Bouldering
Open A	25+	V5+	24+	V4+
Open B	24-	V4-	23-	V3-

1.2 Interstate competitors

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

1.3 Guest Competitors

Guest competitors are either someone who lives overseas, interstate, or does not fit the requirements to compete in the Open 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 SCT & 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 admin@sportclimbingtasmania.org.au 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/Upcoming-Events>

3.2 Entry Fee

- **Early Bird:** \$50 until midnight **13th May 2024**



- **Early Bird + T-Shirt:** \$95 until midnight **13th May 2024**
- **Standard:** \$60 until midnight **20th May 2024**
- **Late:** \$70 until midnight **23rd May 2024**
- **Youth X & D:** \$40 until midnight **20th May 2024**
- **Combined entrance fee:** For Junior, Youth A or Youth B climbers also wanting to compete in Open A an **extra \$20 fee will apply**

3.3 Competition Shirt

A competition shirt can be purchased at the registration portal for \$45 until the **13th May 2024**.

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

3.4 Colour-blind

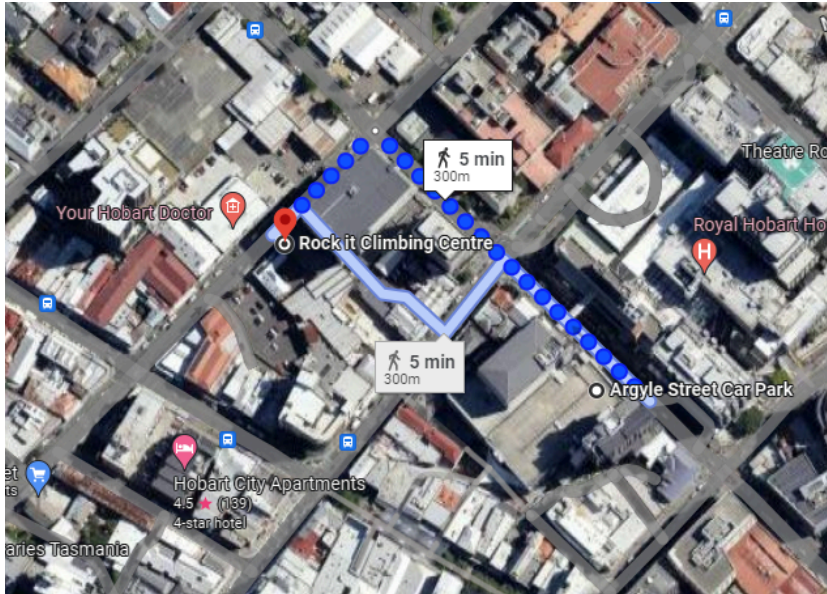
Climbers who are colour-blind need to notify during registration.

4. Catering and Parking

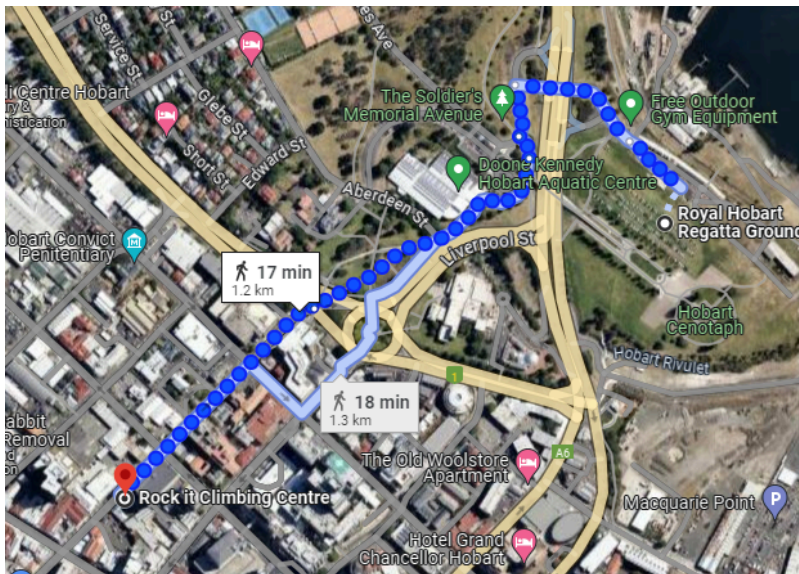
Please note that coffee, soft drinks, and alcohol will be available at the venue. There will be a fundraising cake stall at the venue with snack food available. Parking will not be available on site, public paid parking venues will be mapped out and notified for the event.



Please see below map of walking distance from Argyle Street Car Park



Please see below map of walking distance from Regatta Grounds Car Park (cheaper option)



Competition Format

The following format is only a summary of the complete set of rules. For the complete set of rules please read [SCA's Competition Policies](#).



5. Climbing Format

5.1 Format

All Categories (excluding Youth X):

2 Qualifying Rounds (Flash Format) followed by a Final (Onsight Format).

The top 8 competitors in each category following the Qualifying Rounds will progress to the final round.

Youth C and Youth D will be top-roping both their qualification and final climbs, all other categories will be lead climbing.

Youth X:

Three qualification climbs, no final, Youth X will be top-roping.

5.2 Placing

Results will be decided by the competitor's placing in the Final round for all categories except Youth X. The remainder of the field will be decided by their placing in the qualifiers. In the event of a tie, count back to heats will be conducted. If there is still a tie, the time taken for the final climb will determine the winner (following SCA guidelines). For Youth X, the competitor's placing will be determined by their placing in the qualifiers.

5.3 Climbing Procedures

For all formats, please refer to SCA's [rulebook](#).

5.6 Appeals

SCT 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 competitor's appeal is successful they will receive the **\$50** deposit back.

[Appeals Form](#)

5.7 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. [SCA Competition Rules](#)



6. Event Regulation

To compete in 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 [SCA Competition Rules](#) for the full rules of competition.

7. Event Officials

7.1 Event Organiser

Chris Wardrop

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

7.2 Jury President

Rick Perry

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

7.3 Head Judge

Philipp Simmerle

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.

7.4 Head Route Setter

Roxy Perry

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

8. Volunteers

Only SCT 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, registering, belaying 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 link

SignUP Genius: [Volunteer link here](#)

