

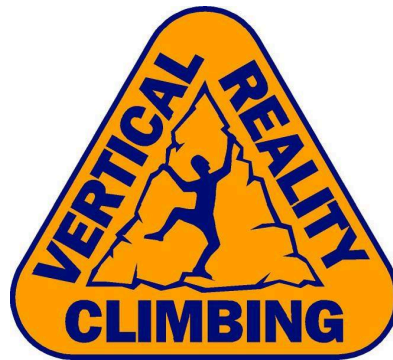
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## 2017 SA BOULDER TITLES

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### COMPETITOR HANDBOOK

*This handbook is provided for the information for climbers wishing to participate in the event. The details may change.*

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# THE EVENT

## Introduction

The Wall Toys 2017 SA Boulder Titles is the South Australian qualifying event for the 2017 Australian Open Boulder Championships. The event also allows competitors to acquire National Boulder Ranking points.

## Dates

The event is to be held on Saturday the 26<sup>th</sup> of August, 2017

## Venue

Vertical Reality Climbing  
12/560 North East Road, Holden Hill, SA, 5088  
(08) 8266 4090  
[www.verticalrealityclimbing.com](http://www.verticalrealityclimbing.com)

## Getting There

By car: about 20 minutes from the CBD and 30 minutes from the airport  
By public transport: please contact Vertical Reality Climbing for details  
<https://goo.gl/maps/eNEnH5FTp4N2>

## Food and Drink

Sport Climbing South Australia will be running a stall with delicious food at the event.

## Volunteers

Only through the generous efforts of sponsors and volunteers are we able to host this event. We are primarily seeking volunteers to judge at the event. If you are able to assist with judging please fill in the below form and select the times you would like to help.

Link to the volunteer form: <https://goo.gl/forms/QUhKzXhgmh7VoptO2>

All judges will be required to attend a judges briefing on the evening before the event. For further information on judging please visit the below document.

<https://sportclimbingaustralia.org.au/Resources/Documents/SCA Board Docs/Comp Policies/Judging - Judge.pdf>

## Media

By registering for this competition, the climber authorises Vertical Reality Climbing, SCSA & SCA to the use of images/photographs/movies that may be taken at the event. To revoke authorisation of the use of personal photographs taken from the event, the climber must submit in writing to [pat@verticalrealityclimbing.com](mailto:pat@verticalrealityclimbing.com), no later than the 23<sup>rd</sup> of August 2017.

# REGISTRATION & REQUIREMENTS

## Registration

All competitors must be current SA STATE members or NATIONAL members of SCA

\$35 - Early Bird Fee	(register before 4pm Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup> August)
\$40 - Regular Fee	(register before 4pm Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> August)
\$45 - Late Fee	(register after 4pm Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup> August)

Register online at: <https://sportclimbingaustralia.org.au/event-2530892>

## Waiver

All first time climbers at Vertical Reality Climbing will need to complete a waiver at:  
<http://www.verticalrealityclimbing.com/pages/policies-waiver.php>

## Competitor Categories

- Open A Born 2001 or before (Advanced)
- Open B Born 2001 or before (Intermediate)
- Masters Born 1977 or before
- Junior Born 1998/1999
- Youth A Born 2000/2001
- Youth B Born 2002/2003
- Youth C Born 2004/2005
- Youth D Born 2006 and after

Youth A and Junior competitors who wish to compete in Open A as well as their age category will need to register and pay for both categories. Youth B competitors who are on the Australian team will be allowed to participate in the Open A category but are not eligible for Titles or ranking.

## Interstate Competitors

Interstate competitors are allowed to compete but are not eligible for Titles. They are eligible for ranking and prizes.

## Non Citizens Residing in Australia

Competitors with a SA registered address with SCA can compete and are entitled to Titles, ranking and prizes.

## International Guest Competitors

International competitors are allowed to compete but are not eligible for Titles. They are eligible for ranking and prizes.

# COMPETITION FORMAT AND RULES

## Event Officials

Jury President – Pat Heppner  
Head Judge – Jason Gatehouse  
Head Route Setter – Brett Mulder  
SCA Delegate – Ingemar Johnson

## Rules

To compete in this competition the climber agrees to follow all rules and regulations outlined in this information pack and follow the rules and procedures of the hosting gym.

Please find the full competition rules and regulations on the SCA website:

[https://sportclimbingaustralia.org.au/resources/Documents/SCA%20Board%20Docs/Comp%20Policies/General%20-%20Competition%20Rules%20Boulder%20\(multiple%20formats\)%20-%202017.pdf](https://sportclimbingaustralia.org.au/resources/Documents/SCA%20Board%20Docs/Comp%20Policies/General%20-%20Competition%20Rules%20Boulder%20(multiple%20formats)%20-%202017.pdf)

Rules for the event will be detailed in the briefing period before the commencement of each round of competition. Any questions or clarification regarding the rules must be asked during this time.

## Format

### **Youth C, Youth D, Open B & Masters – Pumpfest**

These categories will compete in a 'pumpfest', where climbers will receive 2 hours to complete as many problems as they wish. The competitors highest scoring 8 problems will determine their score and ranking.

### **Youth A, Youth B & Juniors - Boulderjam**

These categories will compete in a 'boulderjam', where climbers will receive 2 hours to complete 7 specific problems, marked with tops and bonuses. The competitors with the most number of tops (and bonuses) in the least number of attempts are ranked higher. There will be no finals event for these categories.

### **Open A – Boulderjam Qualifier then 5on/5off Final**

These categories will have a qualifier round and then a final round. The qualifier will be in a 'boulderjam' format where climbers will receive 2 hours to complete 5 specific problems, marked with tops and bonuses. The final event will be in 5on/5off format on 4 problems (top 6 of each category).

## TIMETABLE

Please note that the timetable may be subject to change on the day, so please listen to all announcements and officials.

### Youth A, B, C, D & Juniors

Time	
8:00 – 8:45	Registration
8:45 – 9:00	Athlete Briefing
9:00 – 11:00	Boulderjam & Pumpfest
12:00	Presentations

### Open B & Masters

Time	
10:00 – 10:45	Registration
10:45 – 11:00	Athlete Briefing
11:00 – 13:00	Pumpfest
14:00	Presentations

### Open A

Time	
12:15 – 13:00	Registration
13:00 – 13:15	Athlete Briefing
13:15 – 15:15	Boulderjam Qualifier
15:30	Results (10 minute appeal)
15:45	Isolation Opens
16:00	Isolation Closes
16:30	Finals Observation
16:40	5on/5off Finals
18:00	Presentations