COMPETITOR & SPECTATOR INFORMATION PACK 2025

EVENT: FISAF Australia Super Series – Newcastle **DATE:** Saturday 2nd & Sunday 3rd August 2025

HOST VENUE: NEX – Newcastle Exhibition & Convention Centre

ADDRESS: 309 King St, Newcastle West NSW 2302

GETTING THERE: Simply copy and paste the below link to your internet browser for directions on

getting to the venue. https://maps.app.goo.gl/9kPhdBAXXz6KhVtcA

PARKING

Bull Street underground carpark - This is located underneath our Wests City Club entrance is via Bull Street. Flat fee of \$6.00 per hour

PARKING NOTES

- Lost ticket fee \$48. Ticket machine will issue the lost ticket
- · All cash payments are to be made at the machine in the Club foyer
- Credit card payments can be made at the exit gates
- Monday to Saturday rates apply
- SUNDAYS from 9am to 6pm FREE car parking

SPECTATOR TICKETS

Spectator tickets for this event will be sold online only, via Ticketebo.com.au

Ticket sales will remain open online throughout the event and can be purchased at any time until sold out.

Important Notes:

- There is no allocated seating at this venue, all seating is general admission first in first served basis
- Children 3 years & under of age may attend with a ticketed adult, however they must not take up a physical seat
- Entered participants (coaches, athletes & judges) do not need to purchase a spectator ticket
 - Entered participants are welcome to attend all sessions, free of charge, given that their 'Participant' wristband is
 intact. Event wristbands must remain attached at all times whilst attending the event.
- Tickets will be available online from Friday 25th July @ 9 AM
- Tickets sales will remain online throughout the event unless sold out!
- Tickets can be purchased in the following ways:
 - PER DAY EVENT PASS
 - These allow for access for 1 day only –Saturday OR Sunday
 - FULL EVENT PASS (Includes Saturday & Sunday ALL SESSIONS):
 - IMPORTANT: Full event pass wristbands MUST remain attached at all times whilst attending the event
 - Normal wristbands rules & guidelines apply regarding wristbands which are removed & or tampered with see below for details
 - If you do not wish to keep your wristband on overnight, you should instead purchase 1-day event passes.

SATURDAY OR SUNDAY 1-DAY PASS		FULL EVENT PASS (Saturday & Sunday)	
Adults	\$15.00	Adults	\$25.00
Seniors/Students	\$12.00	Seniors/Students	\$20.00
Children (4 – 12 Yrs.)	\$10.00	Children (4 – 12 Yrs.)	\$15.00
3 Years & Under	FREE	3 Years & Under	FREE



To purchase your tickets, go to: https://www.ticketebo.com.au/fisaf-2025-nswfcc

Wristband Collection & Event Entry:

- Please print your receipt and ticket information or have it ready to go on your phone to bring with you on the day
- On arrival, please queue at the 'TICKET/WRISTBAND COLLECTION' desk, in front of the entrance doors and have the above items ready
- The QR Code on your ticket/s will be scanned by a venue staff member, after which you will be given your applicable event pass wristband (depending on your purchase)
 - You will be able to collect the wrist band/s under your booking for that particular day only
 - It is essential that everyone puts their wristbands on before entering the stadium. There will be ushers at the door checking these
 - o Wristbands MUST always remain attached
 - Wristbands are non-transferable
 - Any wristband that is removed or tampered with will immediately become void, and a new pass will need to be purchased
 - Staff have the right to refuse entry to any spectator whose wristband has been tampered with
 - Full Event Passes: If you do not wish to keep your wristband on overnight you should instead purchase 1-day event passes.
- If you have purchased multiple 1-day event passes, you will need to queue, have your ticket information scanned (QR CODE) and receive your new 1-day event pass wristband, each day
- Spectators will **not** be able to sign in and collect day pass wristbands for multiple days at a time.



EVENT TIMES

SATURDAY 2 ND AUGUST 2025				
Athlete/Coach Arrival & Registration (Registration will remain open all day)	9:30 AM			
Spectator Arrival & Doors Open	9:30 AM			
Approx. Event Times	10:00 AM – 9:30 PM			
Session 1 (Approx. 10:00 AM – 12:50 PM)	School Stream: Primary School Elementary Stream: All Mini Individuals National Stream: All Mini Individuals & Fitness Teams Presentations to follow			
Session 2 (Approx. 1:20 PM – 4:30 PM)	School Stream: Primary School Elementary Stream: All Cadet Individuals National Stream: All Cadet Individuals & Fitness Teams Presentations to follow			
Session 3 (Approx. 5:00 PM – 9:30 PM)	Elementary Stream: All Junior, Youth & Adult Individuals National Stream: All Junior, Youth & Adult Individuals & Fitness Teams International Stream: All Junior, Youth & Adult Individuals & Fitness Teams Presentations to follow			
SUNDAY 3 RD AUGUST 2025				
Athlete/Coach Arrival & Registration (Registration will remain open all day)	7:15 AM			
Spectator Arrival & Doors Open	7:30 AM			
Approx. Event Times	8:00 AM – 1:00 PM			
Session 4 (Approx. 8:00 AM – 1:00 PM)	Elementary Stream: All age categories Pairs & Teams National Stream: All age categories Pairs & Teams International Stream: All age categories Pairs & Teams Presentations to follow			

PROGRAMS

FISAF Australia Staff will do their best to keep the event running to schedule but due to unforeseen circumstances events often can run ahead or behind schedule. Event programs will be available to view & download online; they will also be printed & posted on walls around the venue.

To download a copy of the Event Program, go to: https://fisafaustralia.com.au/events/spectator-information/

Note: Make sure you refresh the web page **prior** to clicking on any linked documents to ensure your device is loading the most recent program.

FOOD/BEVERAGES

There is a kiosk onsite selling a variety of hot & cold drinks, as well as small food items.

There are bins located in the foyer and inside the stadium, please ensure **ALL** rubbish is disposed on departure.

PHOTO/VIDEO POLICY

We ask that due to legal reasons, all videos & photos are taken from the designated video/photo area inside the venue. If you are not recording any videos or taking any photos, we ask that you return to your seats. There will be signage at the venue especially designed for athletes, coaches and parents to take photographs/videos.

We kindly ask that coaches, athletes & parents are **ONLY** videoing/photographing your own CLUB/SCHOOL athletes (unless permitted by other clubs).

ATHLETE REGISTRATION / WARM UP AREAS

COACH ARRIVAL

- It is highly suggested that Coaches arrive 10 mins prior to the allocated registration time
- We recommend that coaching staff wait in a visible area, yet, away from the main building
- Coaches are to collect and group **all** their athletes outside the venue. Once all your students have arrived, coaches can lead the group through the foyer, to the Athlete Registration Desk
- Please <u>do not</u> loiter in the foyer.

ATHLETE ARRIVAL

- Athletes to arrive at the designated arrival time arriving earlier is **NOT** permitted
- Athletes can approach the registration desk individually to receive their wristbands

BACKSTAGE/WARM UP AREAS

- Backstage areas are to be used by participants ONLY (Judges, Coaches, Athletes & FISAF Staff)
- The backstage areas are <u>NOT</u> to be used for the following:
 - o Make up & hair It is recommended that all athletes arrive with their hair and makeup done

PRESENTATIONS & MARSHALLING

For this event, athletes <u>will not</u> be marshalling on stage for presentations. Athletes are to sit on the side of the stage/court area with their Club/School ready for presentations. Each competition section will be read out by the judges. This award presentation may differ from previous events, instructions on how this will run will be emailed to coaches directly, prior to the event.

If changes to the presentation process are required on the day, coaches will be notified prior. If you have any questions regarding this process during the event, please speak with event staff.

Please Note: Presentations may take up to 30-45 minutes, following the judge review.

EXITING THE VENUE

- IMPORTANT! As there are very quick transitions between presentations and session start times, we ask that ALL photos & discussions following presentations are had outside of the venue & not on the stage/court area. We kindly ask that all clubs/schools, athletes & parents, move away from the stage/court area swiftly so the FISAF team can prepare for the next session
- Ultimately, we will leave it up to each club/school to decide on the best method for meeting your parents at the conclusion of presentations
- Please ensure you communicate your exit plan and pick up procedures with your school/club parents, prior to the day, and again when they drop their child at the registration time.

ATHLETE BELONGINGS

It is highly recommended that athletes do not bring anything unnecessary or anything of value to the event. Should your athletes have belongings with them at the event (small bags, water bottles, jumpers etc.), we suggest each club/school is to bring a large tub/bin, clearly labelled, that athletes can place their belongings in as they head backstage.

Should you have any further questions, feel free to contact us otherwise we look forward to seeing you there!



