



ACT Fencing Association Inc.

2026 Age Group & Novice State Championships

***Under 20, Under 17, Under 15 and Under 13
and Novice Fencing medals will be awarded***

Tuggeranong Archery Centre

19 to 20 September 2026

All Fencers must be a member of their state association.

Age Group Competitors must have Competition-level membership.

Novice Competitors only require club-level membership.

Early Bird (up to 9/9/2026) - \$15* per weapon

Normal (10/9/2026 to 17/9/2026) – \$20* per weapon

Late Entry (17/9/2026) - \$30* per weapon (*plus online fees)

Registrations: Via the JustFence system - [Login - JustGo](#) (QR code)

**If you have any problems finding the venue,
please call Cath Syme 0408 837 398 on the day for assistance**

Schedule of events

Saturday 19 September	Registration Closes
Age Group Foil	9:00 am
Age Group Sabre	11:00 am
Novice Foil	12.15 am
Novice Sabre	2:00 pm
Age Group Team Foil	start after Age Group Foil final
Novice Team Foil	start after Novice Foil final
Age Group Team Sabre	start after Age Group Sabre final
Novice Team Sabre	start after Novice Sabre final

Sunday 20 September	Registration Closes
Age Group Epee	9.00 am
Novice Epee	11:15 am
Age Group Team Epee	To start after Age Group Epee final
Novice Team Epee	To start after Novice Epee final

Fencing will commence as soon as possible after Registration Closes.

Events will be mixed if there are less than 4 fencers for a Gender.

For ACT fencers please see the Rankings policy on the website.

Dress requirements:

Under plastrons will be required for ALL events

For Age Group events:

Full Breeches, long socks, and Fencing Jacket Required (Min. 350N)

Masks to be min 350N. **Conductive Bib is required for Foil.**

For Novice events:

Tracksuit or breeches with long socks are acceptable. (no shorts).

To register please go to: (Scan the QR Code)

<https://justfence.justgo.com/Workbench/i/r/EventsAndBookings/browse/>



Information Sheet for the ACTFA 2026 Age Group & Novice State Championships

Competitions

Entry to the ACTFA Age Group events provides you access to up to 2 age groups per weapon.

- For Fencers who are under 13 as of the 1st Jan 2026, will be eligible for the Under13 and Under15 Events only.
- For fencers who are under 15 as of the 1st Jan 2026, (excluding those from the point above), will be eligible for the Under 15, and under 17 events.
- For fencers who are under 17 as of the 1st Jan 2026, (excluding those from the points above), will be eligible for the Under 17, and under 20 events.
- For fencers who are under 20 as of the 1st Jan 2026, (excluding those from the points above), will be eligible for the under 20 event.

The format of the events will be two rounds of pool with no Direct Eliminations based on the number of entries and the ages of the fencers. Mixed age groups and mixed gender events may be possible.

ACTFA Team Events

Teams are created based on the fencers in the individual events only.

A minimum of 2 teams of 3 fencers each will be created based on fencers in the relevant individual event, from those who wish to participate.

A maximum of 4 teams of 4 fencers will be created based on fencers in the relevant individual event from those who wish to participate.

Teams will be created by the DT after confirmation at the venue during the individual event of who wishes to participate in the event. All fencers who enter an individual event can take part in the team event.

The teams are seeded based on the results of the fencers in the individual event who wish to participate. The teams will be as follows:

- Team 1, fencers ranked 1,8, 9, 16
- Team 2, fencers ranked 2,7,10,15
- Team 3, fencers ranked 3,6,11,14
- Team 4, fencers ranked 4,5,12,13

Team format will be pool unique.

For Epee/Foil events, the bouts will be for 3 points or 2 minutes, matches to 27 points.

For Sabre the bouts may be for 5 points 3 minutes, matches to 45 points.

The final format of the Team event will be determined by the DT in consultation with the ACTFA Supervisor.