

EVENT CUP
FINALS
SERIES

2017-18 season
Head to head athletics.

The finals will be epic!
Clubs will challenge across four event specific cups,
featuring three age categories.

One club will be awarded the cup finals champion!

Play your part during the qualifying rounds and be there

PLAY YOUR PART
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The Event Cup Finals Series incorporates 4 event specific cups across 3 age categories. 12 Cups in total.

EVENT CUP CATEGORIES

(Qualifying Days)

	JUMPS	DISTANCE	THROWS	SPRINTS
U16	+U14W +U14M +U16W +U16M			
U18	+U18W +U18M			
OPEN	+OPEN W +OPEN M			
EVENTS	Long Jump High Jump Triple Jump Pole Vault	800m 1500m 3000m Steeple 5000m Walks	Shot Put Discus Javelin Hammer	100m 200m 400m Hurdles (Short) Hurdles (Long) 60m

Events listed in bold are the selected events for Finals Day. All events will apply on qualifying days.

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Each Event Cup will have two qualifying days. One either side of the New Year, incorporated into the regular interclub meets.

QUALIFYING DAYS

2017



OCT 14

DISTANCE



OCT 28

THROWS



NOV 4

JUMPS



NOV 11

SPRINTS



NOV 18



NOV 25

2018

DISTANCE



JAN 6

SPRINTS



JAN 13

JUMPS



JAN 27

THROWS



FEB 10



FEB 17



FEB 24

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Play your part! Qualify your club for an event specific cup. ALL category events that fall on these days count for points.

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Clubs are to push participation on the Qualifying days by encouraging their athletes to help them qualify for an Event Cup Finals spot.

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From the completion of all qualifying days, the **TOP 4 POINT SCORING CLUBS** in each CUP & AGE category will qualify for the Finals Day.

QUALIFYING DAY RULES

Qualifying Day Rules:

- Athletes can only score points in their designated age group based on their Interclub Age Category and will not be permitted to run up an age. Age is as of Dec 31 2017. This is to eliminate stacking.
- All athletes who participate will gain points.
- Ages/genders compete and earn points separately and then are added together.

EXAMPLE: U16 Category

(U14 M + U14 W + U16 M + U16W)

This is different on the finals day where the ages are condensed into one. (U16M + U16W)

- All event category events that fall on a qualifying day are applicable for points. This is different for finals day where there is only selected events offered.
- An athlete does not need to participate in the Qualifying Days in order to be eligible to participate on the Finals Day. The aim on Qualifying days is to assist your club in reaching the finals.
- All other competition rules are to be followed as stated in the 2017-2018 Season Rules.
- From the completion of all qualifying days, the **TOP 4 POINT SCORING CLUBS** in each CUP & AGE category will qualify for the Finals Day.

Points breakdown:

1st : 10	
2nd : 8	
3rd : 7	
4th : 6	
5th : 5	
6th : 4	
7th : 3	
8th : 2	
9th : 1	
All others : 1	
	Less than 9 athletes e.g
	1st : 5
	2nd : 3
	3rd : 2
	4th : 1

- Points are allocated based on how many are in the event. If there are 9 or less participants, they will earn points based on the final place getter. The last placed athlete shall receive 1 point and every athlete who finishes ahead shall receive 1 more point than the placing behind them. The winner of the events shall receive an additional 1 point.
- O35/50 Athletes will earn points for Open. In events where weights or heights are different, they must enter as Open.
- In the case of a draw for the 4th place in the final, the club with the largest number of top 8 placegetters from Q1 & Q2 will be awarded the finals spot.

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During qualifying days, commentary and image/video will be focused on the event category for that day.

EXAMPLE: On Throws Qualifying Day 1, there will be on ground commentary and video highlights at the throws events.

- 7** Clubs will compete on the FINALS day within the CUPS and AGE categories they have qualified for, selecting only 2 athletes per event.

EVENT CUP FINALS

Fast paced head to head Athletics. Selected events only.



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JUMPS	DISTANCE	THROWS	SPRINT
Long Jump	800m	Shot Put	100m
High Jump	1500m	Discus	200m
Triple Jump	3000m	Javelin	400m

- 8** Clubs should treat the Finals Day much like a Grand Final by awarding their top athletes a spot in their event cup team.

- 9** On the FINALS day, age categories are condensed to ensure all events and lanes are completely filled. The categories are:

U16 U18 OPEN

EXAMPLE: (U14M + U16M + U14W + U16W)

U14M/W can be utilised as an U16. Men & Women compete separately and then points are added together. Refer to Finals Day Rules.

The club who wins **THE MOST OVERALL CUPS** across all event cups and age categories will be awarded the Event Cup Finals Champion.

FINALS DAY RULES

Finals Day Rules:

Age category is based off age as at December 31 2017

- Clubs will compete on the finals day within the cups and age categories they have qualified for, selecting only 2 athletes per event. Teams are submitted prior to finals day.

EXAMPLE: U16 Jumps Cup Team
Long Jump: 2x (U16M), 2x (U16W)
High Jump: 2x (U16M), 2x (U16W)
Triple Jump: 2x (U16M), 2x (U16W)

U14 athletes could be utilised.

- Male and Female compete and earn points separately and then are added together.
- Throwing weights will be taken from U16, U18 & Open (Men & Women).
- An athlete can only do 2 events per cup category and up to 5 events in total across the different cups.

EXAMPLE: An U16 Male athlete
Jumps Cup: Long Jump, Triple Jump
Sprints Cup: 100m, 200m
Throws Cup: Shot Put

- If a club decides to utilise a junior athlete into a higher age category, they must compete solely in that age category for the duration of the finals. Teams are submitted prior to Finals Day.

EXAMPLE:
U16 moved up into U18 category must only compete in U18 for the duration of the Finals Day.

- An athlete does not need to participate in the Qualifying Days in order to be eligible to participate on the Finals Day.
- All other competition rules are to be followed as stated in the 2017-2018 Season Rules.

Points breakdown:

1st : 9
2nd : 8
3rd : 7
4th : 6
5th : 5
6th : 4
7th : 3
8th : 2

- In the event of a draw for a particular cup, the winner will be determined by which of the drawn clubs has the higher amount of top 3 placings in that cup.
- The Club who wins the most overall cups across all event cups and age categories will be awarded the Event Cup Finals Champion.
- In the event of a draw, the winner will be determined by which of the drawn clubs has largest total of points on the Finals Day.

EVENT CUP FINALS CHAMPION



	JUMPS	DISTANCE	THROWS	SPRINTS
U16				
U18				
OPEN				

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