



calisthenics
ASSOCIATION OF
WESTERN AUSTRALIA (INC)

Dear Club Presidents

I hope that you are keeping well. On Tuesday, the State Government made an announcement that WA will continue under phase 4 restrictions, to be reviewed on 24th October.

The Board met for the final planning of September Competitions on Wednesday 19th August. As competitions are operating under phase 4 and we have to manage our Foyer numbers, the fundraising expression of interest previously offered to clubs will be postponed.

We will require Clubs competing in Sub Juniors 3 and 4 All Grades (5th September), Sub Juniors A (12th September) and Intermediates A Grade (13th September) to provide one volunteer each to assist with the Theatre cleaning after their session (not dressing rooms).

Please refer to the below plan as to how September Competitions will be run under Phase 4 conditions and **distribute the below to ALL COMPETING members in your club.**

Ticket Sales

The auditorium is limited to 300 people. The following limit has been placed on ticket sales per participant-

Sub Juniors 3/4/5/6	2 supporters
Sub Juniors A	2 supporters
Sub Juniors B	2 supporters
Juniors A	2 supporters
Juniors B	3 supporters
Intermediates A	3 supporters
Intermediates B	3 supporters
Seniors	2 supporters

Please refer to the website for competition dates and times. Tickets will only be available through TryBooking. There will be no door sales at Midvale. The system has been set up to limit ticket purchases to the maximum number stated above.

Once tickets go on sale, please ONLY purchase tickets for the section that the participant you are affiliated with is competing in. This will allow **ALL** participants the opportunity to have the maximum number of supporters to cheer them on!

Tickets will go on sale for the participants' supporters to purchase from no earlier than 12 noon Tuesday 25th August.

Five days before each competition, if there are seats remaining, these will be made available to the general Calisthenics Community to purchase.

Ticket prices have been amended to the following:- adults \$15.00, concession \$10, children and Cali participants \$1* (*Try booking requires a dollar value for all tickets sold).

To purchase tickets for Sub Juniors 3/4/5/6, Sub Juniors B, Sub Juniors A, Juniors A and Seniors go to the link-

<https://www.trybooking.com/BLBZY>

To purchase tickets for Juniors B, Intermediates A and Intermediates B go to the link-

<https://www.trybooking.com/BLCFY>

The ticket will state the seat number and which door to enter on the day of the competition. **Everybody attending, including infants must hold a ticket (no infants are to be on parent's laps) and sit in their allocated seats at all times.**

Arrival to Competition

No one (competitor, audience member, coach, volunteer etc) should enter the premises if they have a high temperature and/or are feeling unwell.

Competition times have been distributed. As we have to comply with the foyer number limit of 120, please observe the following:-

- Arrive no earlier than 30 minutes prior to the commencement of the Competition – both audience members and competitors.
- Before the afternoon section begins, a club representative must come in to the office to check in. Once the venue cleaning has been completed, permission to enter the venue will be given. Until then all members of your club must stay outside of the perimeter fence.
- The inside car park is not to be used for drop off and/or pick up of competitors and/or costumes.
- For each participant under the age of 18, only one supporter to escort to change rooms, then immediately vacate and go to auditorium. Alternatively, one club supporter can escort a group of club participants to their allotted change room.
- The remaining supporter/s go straight to auditorium.
- Tickets need to be shown to door personnel, who can assist with direction to seats if required. Please enter the door as stated on the ticket.

Getting Competitors Ready For Competitions

- With the exception of Narrogin, all Competitors to arrive with hair and make-up done. Narrogin will need to use their competitors' own provided make-up kits.
- Competitor's own lipstick to be used throughout the day.
- With the exception of Narrogin, all competitors to arrive dressed in their first item's costume underneath clothing. Narrogin will be able to dress in their first costume at Midvale.
- Competitors will be allowed to change into proceeding costumes throughout the day.

Dressing Room Allocation and Etiquette–

The allocation of dressing rooms has been carefully completed and released to Clubs. The training room has been required to be used as a dressing room for most of the competition days. Hand sanitiser will be provided in all dressing rooms.

- Only coaching and assisting staff STATED on the Club's Team entry form will be allowed in the dressing room/s allocated to their club.
- Wardrobe personnel will still be limited to one per team ALL DAY! Wardrobe personnel will be allowed to watch their Club items only. As seats in the auditorium will be allocated to audience, please stand under the follow spot. The allocated Wardrobe personnel will not be charged for their ticket.
- Where a Club is in multiple rooms, personnel may go between the change rooms allocated to their club.
- Competitors may go between changing rooms allocated to their Club. Change room doors will have the limit of participants allowed in each room.

- **NO unauthorised personnel are allowed in the changing rooms or corridors.**
- Dressing room decorations will not be allowed.
- NO sharing platters to be brought into the dressing rooms. Competitors are to bring their own food. Please keep food 'low maintenance' eg muesli bars vegetable sticks, cheese, crackers etc.
- Clubs to bring a large floor rug to help catch food crumbs.
- At the end of the competition each Club will be required to:-
Tie up used bin bag – put near door side
Put clean bin bag in bin
Wipe down surfaces and door knobs with disinfectant provided (including wardrobe rack).

A reminder that under our Member Protection Policy there is to be NO photographs taken in the dressing rooms (including the Training Room). All Team photos must be taken on the grass area outside the Theatre, as long as this does not hold up the program.

Team Rules for during the Competition

- As the training room is unavailable, warm ups are permitted in the Club's allocated dressing room/s.
- Coaches have been advised that there will be NO team run through. Teams caught running through will face disqualification.
- The teams allocated to multiple dressing rooms will be able to meet together as a group in the foyer for their 'prep' talk 3 items before they are on stage; if a Club's item is the first item of the day, the team will be given 10 minutes prior to the start of the competition.
- The teams will go directly from the Foyer or training room to the back stage area one item before they are on stage.
- After teams have performed, they need to go straight back to their allocated dressing room/s.
- Teams on the east corridor are to use the east toilet; teams on the west corridor are to use the west toilets; and teams in the training room are to use the foyer toilet – going out from their allocated door.

During the Competition – Auditorium and Foyer

- Each Audience member will need to stay in the seat that has been allocated to them. The auditorium dim lights will be turned on between each item to allow members who need to exit the auditorium or return to their allocated seat.
- As the foyer is limited to 120 people, we ask that the audience remain in the auditorium for as long as possible.
- There are no planned breaks and the kiosk will not be open. Patrons may bring their own food; but food must be consumed outside of the auditorium.
- The Stage Manager will announce auditorium rules, with reminders throughout the competition.
- Coaches will be able to film their own work. Coaches filming will need to stand beside the West or East door.

Presentations

Results will work differently this year due to our back stage area being limited to 75 people.

- Our 2020 State Team members will be acknowledged prior to the results being called. The State Team members participating at that competition will be presented on Stage. Club tracksuit is to be worn.
- The elected adjudicator will make remarks concerning the competition from adjudicators spot or bio box.
- The Stage Manager will announce results from the Stage Manager box.
- Coaches only will stand behind the curtain and listen to the results with all teams and remaining personnel staying in their allocated dressing rooms. The coaches will pick up crits sheets and ribbons on stage; hand their lanyards back and take the results back to their teams.

Vacating the Auditorium upon Competition Completion

After the results have been announced-

- Auxiliary family members will be asked to immediately vacate the building.
- A nominated parent/guardian per child will remain in the auditorium.
- The Stage Manager will announce two Clubs at a time for the nominated parents to collect their children and where the pick-up point will be.
- Anyone parked in Committee Park cannot leave once vacating the building has started.
- The above will be slightly modified for the Senior Competition. Details will be announced on the day.

We thank you in advance for your understanding with respect to the above extra measures that we have needed to put in place. Our main objective is to give our Cali stars the opportunity to shine on stage whilst complying with restrictions.

Once again the Board extends best wishes to all our Clubs and competitors. Bring on Cali Competitions!!!