



Climbing Comp Info pack

This competition is a fun social competition to get in some good climbs in while bringing everyone together in a fun competitive setting. Everyone is welcome and encouraged to join whether you have been climbing since the stone ages or just starting to find your feet in climbing, we are all here for a fun challenge.

Qualifiers:

Qualifier week begins Monday 10th 9am and ends on Sunday 16th 6pm.

The Qualifiers for the competition will be held over 1 week which climbers will be able to come in as many times as they want over the week to achieve their best **6 climbs**.

Climbers will be able to use scorecards provided by the gym and will be kept by our staff once finished the climbing session. This can be then used again for following sessions during the qualifier week.

Finals:

The top eight climbers for each category will be invited to participate in the finals, if they aren't able, then ninth place, tenth etc. to make up eight competitors for each division.

Youth will have their finals from 5pm on Friday 21st.

Open Top Rope will be from 6:30pm on Friday 21st.

Open Lead will be from 8pm on Friday 21st.

Categories:

Climbers can choose which category they would like to compete in within our guide just below:

Youth: 5-11 years

Open Top Rope: Any grade (Only top rope climbs)

Open Lead: Any grade (Only lead climbs)

If climbers are unsure which category they should pick, feel free to ask any of our staff for help.

Registration and entry fee:

Registrations are made either:

Online: <https://www.edgerockclimbing.com.au/competitions.html>

In the gym: talk to staff and make sure they register you in the comp

You may only enter in one division so choose wisely!

If Edge staff identify that you are ineligible for the division you have selected, you will be removed and repositioned into the more suitable division.

Fees:

Entry only Youth \$5 – includes entry to the competition (does not include entry to the gym)

Entry only Opens \$20 – includes entry to the competition (does not include entry to the gym)

Entry AND Week Membership \$50 – includes entry to the competition AND entry to the gym for the full week (you can climb as much as you want, either part of the competition or not).

Scoring:

All scoring will be done with a printed scoresheet (staff will keep it at the gym)

You can add as many climbs as you have done even if it is more than 6, our staff will calculate the top 6 for you, you just need to write your climbs down.

Note: Please check that you have circled the correct division on the scoresheet and write your name.

There will be extra points given for flash attempts. To be able to claim a flash attempt, you must complete the climb from the bottom of the climb to the top hold without falling off or resting on the rope on your first attempt since the start of comp week.

The score is the grade of the climb times 10
(e.g. rope 1, red, no flash point, grade 18 = 180 points)
(e.g. rope 1, red, flash point, grade 18 = 181 points)

To complete a climb, you must begin at the start of the climb (wherever you can reach from the ground) and get all the way to the final hold, holding it with both hands for at least 3 seconds to show you have control, without falling or sitting/resting on the rope.

If you try a climb and fall off you cannot continue the climb and count that towards your top 6, you can either continue projecting the climb or come down and try the climb again after (projects do not count towards your score).

If you achieve a climb not on the first attempt, but any attempt afterwards without falling, that is considered a 'redpoint' and does not include the added flash point.

No extra points will be given for onsights.

It is an honesty policy. Please be honest with yourself about completing climbs and flash attempts. Cheating will be evident in the finals climbs if you do not complete the climbs you write down.

Prizes:

Prizes will be given to podium finishes for each division, after the finals.

If the climber is not present to receive their prize, they will be able to pick it up from the front counter at their earliest convenience.

Contact Details:

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