



# San Diego Cup Posting Guide

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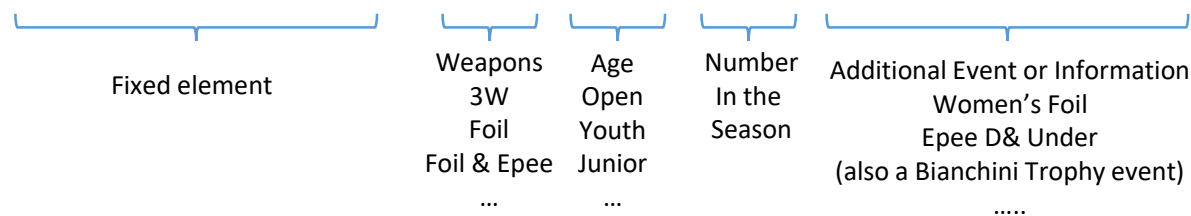
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# Naming Convention

- Mandatory Name structure

- San Diego Cup – 3W Open #1 & Women’s Foil



- Open examples

- San Diego Cup - 3W Open #1
    - San Diego Cup - 3W Open #2 & Women’s Foil

- Satellite examples

- San Diego Cup - Foil& Epee Youth #3
    - San Diego Cup – Sabre Youth #2 (also a Bianchini Trophy event)

- RYCs and RJCCs have a higher hierarchy and SD Cup should be mentioned in the More Info Page but not in the Name of the Event

# Event Set-up

- Age restrictions should be enforced in askfred
  - We apply USA Fencing Rules ( see next page for 2016-2017 season)
- Opens are Mixed events but point system is set up by gender
- Satellite are posted by Gender but can be fenced Mixed if less than 5 fencers registered
  - **Important:** if you switch from Gender specific to Mixed event at close of registration, the final event has to be recorded as Mixed in askfred to allow proper split of the points by Gender
- For Qualifiers we need to enforce restriction to only allow SD Division fencer to participate



## 2016-2017 Age/Classification Eligibility



### For 2016-2017 Local/National Tournaments & Junior Olympic Fencing Championships (Excluding July Challenge, USA Fencing National Championships & Nationals qualifying tournament through Regions and Divisions)

CATEGORY	DIVISION I	DIVISION 1A	DIVISION II	DIVISION III	SENIOR (OPEN) See 2.11.2	WHEELCHAIR	SENIOR TEAM	VETERAN (40 & Older) / VETERAN TEAM	VETERAN 40-49	VETERAN 50-59	VETERAN 60-69	VETERAN 70 & Older	JUNIOR JR TEAM	CADET CDT TEAM	CADET	YOUTH 14	YOUTH 14 TEAM	YOUTH 12	YOUTH 10
CODE	DV1	DV1 1A	DV2	DV3	SR Open	CHR	STM	VET/VTM	V40	V50	V60	V70	JR/JTM	CDT/CTM	CDT	Y14	14 TEAM	Y12	Y10
BIRTH YEARS	Born 2003 or earlier	Born 2003 or earlier	Born 2003 or earlier	Born 2003 or earlier	Born 2003 or earlier	Born 2003 or earlier	Born 2003 or earlier	Born 1977 or earlier	1968-1977	1958-1967	1948-1957	Born 1947 or earlier	1997-2003	2000-2003	2000-2003	2002-2005	2002-2005	2004-2007	2006-2009
CLASS	A, B, OR C	N/A	C, D, E OR U	D, E OR U	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

### July Challenge, USA Fencing National Championships & Associated REGIONAL & DIVISION Qualifying Competitions ONLY

CATEGORY	DIVISION I	DIVISION 1A	DIVISION II	DIVISION III	WHEELCHAIR	VETERAN 40-49	VETERAN 50-59	VETERAN 60-69	VETERAN 70 & Older
CODE	DV1	D1A	DV2	DV3	CHR	V40	V50	V60	V70
BIRTH YEARS	Born 2003 or earlier	Born 2003 or earlier	Born 2003 or earlier	Born 2003 or earlier	Born 2003 or earlier	1968-1977	1958-1967	1948-1957	Born 1947 or earlier
CLASS	A, B, OR C	N/A	C, D, E OR U	D, E OR U	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

CATEGORY	JUNIOR	CADET	YOUTH 14	YOUTH 12	YOUTH 10	SENIOR TEAM
CODE	JR	CDT	Y14	Y12	Y10	STM
BIRTH YEARS	1998-2004	2001-2004	2002-2005	2004-2007	2006-2009	Born 2004 or earlier
CLASS	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

#### EXCEPTION TO AGE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA (All other qualification criteria remains):

- Youth 12 – A fencer born after 2007 can fence in Y12 IF the fencer is on the National Youth 10 Point Standings at the time of the entry deadline for that tournament.
- Youth 14 – A fencer born after 2005 can fence in Y14 IF the fencer is on the National Youth 12 Point Standings at the time of the entry deadline for that tournament.
- Cadet (through JO's) – A fencer born after 2003 can fence in Cadet local and regional competitions, NAC Cadet tournaments and Junior Olympic Cadet Fencing Championship and qualifying tournaments IF the fencer is on the National Youth 14 Point Standings at the time of the entry deadline for that tournament.
- Junior (through JO's) – A fencer born after 2003 can fence in Junior local and regional competitions, NAC Junior and Junior Olympic Fencing Championships and qualifying tournaments IF the fencer is on the National Cadet Point Standings at the time of the entry deadline for that tournament.
- Cadet (After JO's) – A fencer born after 2004 can fence in Cadet competition for the 2017 July Challenge IF the fencer is on the National Youth 14 Point Standings at the time of the entry deadline for that tournament.
- Junior (After JO's) – A fencer born after 2004 can fence in Junior competition for the 2017 July Challenge IF the fencer is on the National Cadet Point Standings at the time of the entry deadline for that tournament.
- RJCCs held between JOs regular entry fee deadline and the Junior Olympic Championship will allow fencers that meet either the Junior Olympic birth year criteria or the July Challenge birth year criteria. Those who meet only the Junior Olympic birth year criteria may only earn new classifications, but will not receive regional points.
- Division I – For national (e.g., NAC) competitions, those born after 2003 must be on the National Junior Point Standings; for the 2017 July Challenge for Division I, those born after 2004 must be on the National Junior Point Standings.
- Division IA, II, III – For all local, regional (including ROC) and national (e.g., NAC) competitions, those born after 2003 must be on the National Junior Point Standings; for the 2017 National Championships and qualifying competitions for Division IA, II, III; those born after 2004 must be on the National Junior Point Standings.
- A fencer who is on the National Junior Rolling Point Standings (NRPS) and is younger than 13 may compete in Senior (Open) competition

# Mandatory content for “More information Page”



Events Scheduled:  
Senior Women's Foil (example)  
Senior Mixed Epee (example)  
Senior Mixed Foil (example)  
Senior Mixed Sabre (example)

Preregistration opens on 08/14/2016.  
Preregistration closes on 02/20/2017.

Tournament Format:  
Standard - Single round of pools, 100% promotion to single Direct elimination table.

There will be medals for the top three finishing fencers in each event.

Equipment Check:  
Mask and glove checks will be done at the armory table. Gloves with holes, rips, tape or loose seams will not be approved.

Volunteers:  
Please help us run the events even smoother by volunteering. Fencers and supporters alike will benefit from learning the process from start to finish. This knowledge will assuredly give you a competitive edge.

Officials:  
If you'd like to be an official referee, time keeper or floor judge for an event, please contact us as well.

Fencers:  
Please bring proof of current USFA membership or register on-site. Entry fee is \$20 if pre-registered or \$25 for walk-in. Mask checks are mandatory. Current USFA rules will be applied.  
<http://www.usfencing.org/page/show/695205-manuals>

Foreign Fencers with a current Fencing License from their National Federation or with an FIE License will be allowed to fence, but are not covered by USA Fencing Insurance and fence at their own risk. It is recommended that you do get an USA Fencing competitive license to be fully covered, but also to record your results and rating  
<https://www.railstation.org/usfencing/MembershipRegistration.aspx>

Tiradores de otros países pueden participar si muestran su licencia Nacional o con una licencia FIE. Pero no están cubiertos por el seguro de la Federación de los Estados Unidos y participarán bajo su propio riesgo. Por esa razón, es muy recomendable que obtengan una Licencia Competitiva de EE.UU. Para que estén cubiertos en caso de accidente y al mismo tiempo les permite registrar sus resultados y conseguir un “rating”. <https://www.railstation.org/usfencing/MembershipRegistration.aspx>

# Sanctioning

- San Diego Division will only sanction the following events
  - San Diego Cup Opens
  - San Diego Cup Satellite Events
  - Qualifiers for National Championships
  - Any other event run by the Division
  - Special Interest events run by the clubs
    - Women only events
    - Veteran events
    - Wheelchair events
- Minimum requirements
  - 1 rated referee
  - Mask and Glove control with event specific marks
  - Underarm control on the strip
  - All officials and volunteers in Background Check and Safe Sport lists
  - In accordance with the latest USA Fencing Rule book

# Results Posting

- Results need to be posted in askfred within 12 hours following the event
- Sanctioning paperwork needs to be sent to SD Division Secretary within 12 hours following the event
  - Results with Excel form from Fencing Time
    - Secretary will check for Classification Changes that need to be reported to the National Office and generate an official form to be sent in 48 hours from the moment the complete paperwork has been received
  - Event Officials Form
- Additional information and actual forms can be found at <http://www.usfencing.org/reporting>