

**STATE & TERRITORY TEAM**

***DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC  
SELECTION CRITERIA***



**Junior (J17/15 National Track Championships)**

2023 AusCycling Junior National Track Championships

11 April – 14 April 2023 | Brisbane, Queensland

## **1. GENERAL**

- 1.1 Athletes will be required to earn State/Territory Team (STT) selection in accordance with clause 1 of the *AusCycling Selection Policy and Appeals Process for National Championships*, and this discipline specific document of the AusCycling (AC) selection criteria.
- 1.2 Objective: The State or Territory Selection Panel (Panel) for each Championship will select athletes who they consider in their absolute discretion will have the best chance of meeting one or both of the following objectives, with the Panel having absolute discretion as to the weighting given to the three objectives:
  - Athletes and/or combinations of athletes capable of achieving medal winning results at a Championships; and/or
  - Athletes considered to be capable of supporting a team performance; and/or
  - Potential to support the rider achieving results into the future
- 1.3 Performance Time Period: 1 October 2022 – State/Territory State Championships
- 1.4 Team size: There is no maximum team size however all riders must be able to start a minimum of two (2) events at the Championships. See **Appendix A** for further details on starters.
- 1.5 Eligible Riders: Must be eligible to compete as a J17 or J15, hold an AusCycling All Discipline Race Membership and meet the requirements of clause 2.1 of the *AusCycling Selection Policy and Appeals Process for AusCycling National Championships*.

## **2. SELECTION CRITERIA**

- 2.1 Consideration for selection to a Junior State and Territory Team competing at the 2023 Junior Track National Championships may be based upon achieving:
  - i) Performances in Section 3.1.i of this document, and/or in accordance with clause 2.2 of the *AusCycling Selection Policy and Appeals Process for AusCycling National Championships*, where Selectors may use absolute discretion to select athletes based on their potential to progress.
  - ii) If athletes attain times in 3.1.ii, they will be automatically eligible for consideration.
- 2.2 Where more athletes meet the criteria than there are places available, Selectors may use absolute discretion to rank athletes according to some or all the factors in clause 2.2 of the *AusCycling Selection Policy and Appeals Process for AusCycling National Championships*.

## **3. EVENTS AND PERFORMANCE STANDARDS**

- 3.1 The Selection Panel may consider the performance outcomes and standards indicated below for:

### **i. Events**

The Panel will base selection on the Rider's results/performances within the performance time period at:

- State or Territory Track Championships
- Australian Junior Track Series (AJTS)
- other Open Events

**ii. J17 and J15 Timed Events – Performance Standards (Automatic Selection) \***

J17 Men's Individual Pursuit	2.22.50
J17 Women's Individual Pursuit	2.39.00
J17 Men's 500m TT	34.75
J17 Men's Sprint	11.60
J17 Women's Sprint	12.20
J17 Women's 500m TT	37.30
J15 Men's Individual Pursuit	2.36.00
J15 Women's Individual Pursuit	2.50.00
J15 Men's 500m TT	39.00
J15 Men's Sprint	12.60
J15 Women's Sprint	13.50
J15 Women's 500m TT	40.50

Automatic Selection times must be achieved at State or Territory Championships.

\* Subject to *Australian Cycling Team Environmental Standardisation Protocol*

#### 4. ADDITIONAL STARTERS AT CHAMPIONSHIPS (TIME EVENTS)

Any rider who is selected under section 3.1.i may enter the following events as additional starters (above the minimum allocated starters for the State/Territory) in the Championships.

J17 Men's Individual Pursuit	2.29.50
J17 Women's Individual Pursuit	2.45.00
J17 Men's 500m TT	36.50
J17 Men's Sprint	11.80
J17 Women's Sprint	12.55
J17 Women's 500m TT	39.00
J15 Men's Individual Pursuit	2.44.80
J15 Women's Individual Pursuit	2.56.75
J15 Men's 500m TT	39.95
J15 Men's Sprint	13.10
J15 Women's Sprint	14.20
J15 Women's 500m TT	42.20

#### 5. STATE/TERRITORY CHAMPIONSHIP ('CHAMPIONSHIPS') PARTICIPATION

- 5.1 A pre-requisite for selection, athletes must compete in the State/Territory State Track Championships event unless granted an exemption by the State Manager. Requests must be made by emailing [events@auscycling.org.au](mailto:events@auscycling.org.au) at least five (5) days prior to the Championships.
- 5.2 Non-medical exemptions will only be considered in extraordinary circumstances. Any such exemptions will be determined by the State or Territory Manager.
- 5.3 In the case of a medical reason a medical certificate must be provided prior to the Championships. This must be sent to [events@auscycling.org.au](mailto:events@auscycling.org.au)
- 5.4 Any exemptions may require the rider to ride an event qualifying time (as determined by the selection panel) to enable selection. The scheduling of such as event is to be arranged and agreed between the rider and the Panel (notice of inability to compete must be advised to the State/Territory Manager prior to the event being conducted).

## **6. SELECTIONS FOR FINAL START LIST**

The Team Management (Team Manager and Coaches) will determine the final start list in each event at the National Championships.

## **7. RATIFICATION OF THE TEAM SELECTIONS**

The final ratification of the selections will be the responsibility of the State/Territory Manager (or delegated equivalent).

## **8. SCHEDULE FOR THE AC JUNIOR NATIONAL TRACK CHAMPIONSHIPS TEAM SELECTION**

- Monday following State/Territory Championship or March 1 – Final Selections made by AusCycling State/Territory Selection Panel for endorsement
- Wednesday following State/Territory Championships or March 1– Final team announced by AC State/Territory Office
- 5 PM (time zone of State or Territory) – closing date for appeals to be lodged against non-selection (refer to the *AusCycling Selection Policy and Appeals Process for AC National Championships*).

## APPENDIX (STARTERS PER EVENT)

Junior U17 Men	Sprint	3 laps	4 - see Chart 1 item 1
	Time Trial	500m	4 - see Chart 1 item 1
	Individual Pursuit	2000m	4 - see Chart 1 item 1
	Scratch	7.5km	6 - see Chart 1 item 3
	Points Race	12.5 km	6 - see Chart 1 item 3
	Madison	60 laps	No limit
	Keirin	6 laps	6 - see Chart 1 item 3
	Omnium		No limit
	Team Sprint	3 Laps	2 Teams - see Chart 1 item 4
Team Pursuit	3000m	1 Team - see Chart 1 item 2	
Junior U17 Women	Sprint	3 laps	4 - see Chart 1 item 1
	Time Trial	500m	4 - see Chart 1 item 1
	Individual Pursuit	2000m	4 - see Chart 1 item 1
	Scratch	7.5km	6 - see Chart 1 item 3
	Points Race	12.5 km	6 - see Chart 1 item 3
	Madison	60 laps	No limit
	Keirin	6 laps	6 - see Chart 1 item 3
	Omnium		6 - see Chart 1 item 3
	Team Sprint	3 Laps	2 Teams - see Chart 1 item 5
Team Pursuit	3000m	1 Team - see Chart 1 item 2	
Junior U15 Men	Time Trial	500m	4 - see Chart 1 item 1
	Sprint	3 laps	4 - see Chart 1 item 1
	Individual Pursuit	2000m	4 - see Chart 1 item 1
	Scratch	5km	6 - see Chart 1 item 3
	Points Race	7.5 km	6 - see Chart 1 item 3
	Keirin	6 laps	6 - see Chart 1 item 3
Junior U15 Women	Time Trial	500m	4 - see Chart 1 item 1
	Sprint	3 laps	4 - see Chart 1 item 1
	Individual Pursuit	2000m	4 - see Chart 1 item 1
	Scratch	5km	6 - see Chart 1 item 3
	Points Race	7.5 km	6 - see chart 1 item 3
	Keirin	6 laps	6 - see chart 1 item 3

### CHART 1

1	State and Territories can enter additional riders (section 4) into the Sprint, Time Trial, and Individual Pursuit if these riders have met the minimum qualification time within the twelve months prior to the start of the Championships.
2	The Junior U17 Men's or Junior U17 Women's Team Pursuit may be contested with a combination of U17 and U15 competitors over 3000m – up to 6 riders can be nominated with 4 starters in each round.
3	JM17, JM15, JW17, JW15 Scratch Race, Points Race, & Keirin States/Territories will nominate up to 6 riders to contest these races. Heats will be run if required.
4	The Junior U17 Men's Team Sprint will be 3 per team and may be contested by a combination of Junior under 17 Men and Junior under 15 Men. Max 2 teams per State.
5	The Junior U17 Women's Team Sprint will be 3 per team and may be contested by a combination of Junior under 17 Women and Junior under 15 Women. Max 2 teams per State/Territory.