



2018 QUEENSLAND CHAPTER STATE AEROBATIC COMPETITION

1. **Venue**

The State Titles will be held at Watts Bridge Memorial Airfield Queensland Friday 27th July to Sunday 29th July 2018 inclusive.

2. **Contest Entry**

All members of the Australian Aerobatic Club and State Chapters are eligible to compete. It is a requirement that all Unlimited, Advanced and Intermediate pilots must have completed the Judges Home Study Course and be prepared to judge at the competition to be eligible to compete.

Online Contest Entry forms are available at AAC Queensland Chapter website – www.aacqld.com.au

The entry fees are as follows:

Entry	Free
Graduate	\$125.00
Sportsman	\$130.00
Intermediate	\$140.00
Advanced	\$165.00
Unlimited	\$165.00

Entries close Friday 16 July 2018

Entries received after this date will attract a late Entry Fee of \$50

The Entry and Catering Forms should be filled out [on line](#) or alternatively may be printed out and emailed to the Contest Secretary at competition@aacqld.com.au

After submitting the Entry and Catering forms please deposit the fees direct to the **AAC (Qld Chapter) Ltd Account Westpac Browns Plains BSB 034115 A/C 16-4115 before the closing date.** *Please quote your name and/or membership number.*

A copy of the Known Programmes for Entry, Graduate and Sportsman are available on the AAC Web Site www.aerobaticsaustralia.com.au. Also there are default sequences for the Unlimited, Advanced and Intermediate First Free Known Programmes (P1) and the 2018 Free Known Programme Notes.

A copy of the provisional competition program is attached.

3. **Meals**

All meals will be available at the clubhouse.

Meal Prices:

- Breakfast \$10,
- Lunch \$10 and
- Dinner \$28 (3 course meal).
- Morning and afternoon tea are included.

Please advise which meals you will require to enable catering. Meals should be ordered online via the [Catering Form](#) and paid for in advance with competition entry fees.

4. **Contest Official**

Contest Director	Steven Hudson
President AAC (Qld Chapter) Limited	Brendan Scilini M: 0418 719 396 president@aacqld.com.au
Contest Secretary	Liz Cook M: 0419 369 963 competition@aacqld.com.au

5. **Registration – Pilots**

Unlimited, Advanced and Intermediate Contestants must be registered before briefing at 08:00 on Friday 27th July 2018.
Sportsman and Graduate Contestants must be registered prior to their competition flight.

All of your required competition documents should be emailed to the Contest Secretary at competition@aacqld.com.au.

Here is a list of the documents you need to email. Please use the name format in this example.

No	Document	Name Format
1	Certificate of Registration	COR_FYI Where FYI = aircraft rego
2	Certificate of Airworthiness	COA_FYI
3	Certificate of Currency (Insurance) including \$5M Third Party cover and Competition Aerobatic endorsement	COI_FYI
4	A current Pilot's License	Pilot License first name_ surname
5	A current Medical Certificate	Medical first name, surname_ expiry date
6	A BFR or equivalent	AFR_first name, surname_expiry date

7	Log Book, Aerobatic endorsement and spin (inverted & Upright) endorsements as appropriate	Aero_first name_ surname
8	Low Level Permission appropriate to category	LL_first name_ surname_ expiry date
9	Sportsman Free Sequence.* Where FYI = Visio, PDF or SEQ	Sportsman_FYI_first name_ surname_ 2018
10	Unlimited, Advanced, Intermediate Free Known.* Where FYI = UNL, ADV, INT Where FYI2 = Visio, PDF or SEQ	FYI_Free_FYI2_first name_ surname_ 2018
11	Bank transfer of competition entry/catering/camping and hangarage payment	Comp_first name_ surnamce_ 2018

* Free and Free Known sequences that have not been signed off by a National Judge (refer AAC Regulations Clause 2.21.2) will be checked and signed off by the Contest Organisers. These sequences must be submitted with your entry form and emailed to the Contest Secretary @ competition@aacqld.com.au by COB 16 July 2018 for entering into the competition scoring system.

6. Briefing

The first competition briefing will be held at 0800 hours Friday 27 July 2018. Subsequent briefings will be held each contest day at 0745 hours. Competitors who fail to attend briefing will be disqualified. Competitors who arrive late will be penalised.

All Officials and Judges are required to attend the briefings.

Competitors wishing to practice on site prior to the first briefing on Friday 27 July 2018 must advise competition@aacqld.com.au. Practice will not be permitted until the Contest Director, Chief Judge or their Delegate, has briefed the competitor.

7. Contest Rules

The contest will be conducted according to the rules of the AAC.

CIVA Rules will govern Unlimited, Advanced and Intermediate category competition with the exception of the height limits for Intermediate. The height limits for Intermediate will be Upper Limit 3500 feet and Lower Limit 1200 feet.

8. Practice

Practice starts on Friday 27 July 2018 after the 0800 hours briefing and will end 15 minutes before End of Daylight (EOD) for Entry, Graduate and Sportsman.

Competitors will not be permitted to fly other than during the practice or competition after 0800 hours on Friday 27 July 2018.

Competitors who arrive after the Friday briefing will not be permitted to practice before being briefed by either the Contest Director or Chief Judge.

10. Fuel and Oil

Watts Bridge airfield has a fuel bowser that requires either a Visa or Mastercard to purchase fuel.

Limited oil can be purchased at the clubhouse.

11 Hangarage

Limited hangarage is available. Please advise your requirements when sending your entry form. Hangarage fees will be \$10.00 per night per aircraft and payable in advance to the AAC Queensland Chapter. Please note this is on a 'first come first served' basis.

12 Accommodation

It is each participant's responsibility to book his or her own accommodation.

Caravans and Campervans can be parked opposite the AAC Queensland Chapter Clubhouse. The camping fee with access to power is \$20 per site per night and without power \$15 per night per site. Showers are available at the clubhouse.

Accommodation can be booked at either Esk or Toogoolawah, as Watts Bridge is about half way between both (10/15-minute drive in either direction). The available accommodation options are listed in the Somerset Tourism Guide available on the [AAC Qld State Competition website](#).

DRAFT PROGRAMME

Thursday 26 July	Thursday Evening	Unlimited, Advanced & Intermediate First Free Unknown P2 will be issued to the pilots of these categories.
Friday 27 July	07:00 – Ongoing	Registrations
	08:00 – Ongoing	Briefing & Preflight Briefings
	09:00	PRACTICE
	10.00	COMPETITION
		1. Unlimited Free Known - P1
		2. Advanced Free Known - P1
		3. Intermediate Free Known -P1
		PRACTICE
	13.00	COMPETITION
		1. Unlimited First Free Unknown P2
		2. Advanced First Free Unknown P2
		3. Intermediate First Free Unknown P2
		4. Sportsman Known
	Dinner	Clubhouse
Saturday 28 July	07:45	Briefing & Preflight Briefings
	08:30	COMPETITION
		1. Unlimited Second Free Unknown P3
		2. Advanced Second Free Unknown P3
		3. Graduate Known 1
		4. Entry Known 1
		5. Intermediate Second Free Unknown P3
		6. Sportsman Known 2/Free
		7. Graduate Known 2
		8. Entry Known 2
	Dinner	Clubhouse
Sunday 29 July	07:45	Briefing
	08:30	COMPETITION
		1. Unlimited Third Free Unknown P4
		2. Advanced Third Free Unknown P4
		3. Intermediate Third Free Unknown P4
		4. Sportsman Unknown
		5. Graduate Unknown
		6. Entry Known 3
		7. The Final Freestyle Programme
	Dinner	Clubhouse