



**TUMBLING DOMESTIC COMPETITION STRUCTURE**

**TUMBLING**

**FIG PERFORMANCE**

**2018**

**British**  
**Gymnastics**  
More than a sport

## NATIONAL TRAMPOLINE TECHNICAL COMMITTEE

### Notice of main changes to the National Competition Structure 2018

All gymnasts entering the NDP or FIG Pathway should refer to the membership section on the BG website for level of membership required (gymnast/gymnast membership/ BG NDP structure)

### National Squad, National Talent Development Squad and Aspiring Talent Squad coaches:

Glen Wharton, Rob Small, Jenny Dawes, Paddy Lavelle, Zoe Styles, Kath Small, Chris Porter

*FIG rules will be used at the British Championships with the exception of the 'zero' final. This will not apply at these Championships and there will be no zero final, all scores will be accumulative and will include the GB bonus for 9-10 age groups.*

Further details on ALL changes can be found in the Competition Handbook and the Domestic Competition Structure Appendix for each discipline.

## TUM FIG REQUIREMENTS

As per FIG CoP 2017-2020, and using the British Bonus System for 9-10; there may be minor amendments to the routines year on year following the World Championships / WAGC events.

### British Championships

Two direct entry FIG British qualifying events (Spring Event Series)

There are new minimum difficulty standards which gymnasts must meet in order to be eligible to enter the Spring Series and therefore the FIG competition pathway. The scores are based on the combined difficulty of the two runs and use the new FIG skill values from the new 2017-2020 Code of Points. See table below:

Age Group	2017-2020 Combined Difficulty	
9-10	2.7	GB whip bonus + 0.7 / whip
11-12	3.5	No GB bonus
13-14	5.3	No GB bonus
15-16	6.4	No GB bonus
17-21	6.4	No GB bonus
Senior	6.6	No GB bonus

Clubs with gymnasts who are not in either the National, National Talent Development or Aspiring Talent squads will need to make arrangements to have their gymnasts verified by one of the official coaches before their entry can be accepted for the Spring Series. A list of these coaches can be found at the beginning of this document.

Top 16 gymnasts per age group / gender progress to the British Championships dependent on attaining the minimum qualifying score at the qualifying events.

Minimum qualifying score per age group / gender set by the Technical Committee and based on the cumulative score from the two qualifying runs.

Gymnasts may attend one or both Spring Event Series event to obtain the best counting score.

*A nominated panel (Member of NTTC, Chair of Panel & 1 x appropriately qualified coach), reserves the right, but not the responsibility, to end a performance (during training, warm-up or competition) that is deemed to be unsafe at any time*

There is automatic entry to the British Championships for any gymnast who represented Great Britain in the World Championships or World Age Group Games 2017 or the European Championships (Senior & Junior) 2018, however unless agreed otherwise by the Performance Team, gymnasts should have competed in at least one of the Spring Event Series events. Any such automatic entry is in addition to the top 16 qualifiers.

**British Championships** – FIG rules will apply at the British Championships with the exception of a zero final. All results (ranking) will be based on a cumulative total 3 or 4 run score

FIG Elite Age Group (WAGC) Requirement			
Age Groups 9-10 Years 11-12 Years 13-14 Years 15-16 Years 17-21 Years	Run 1	Run 2	Run 3
	A pass of 8 skills	A pass of 8 skills	A pass of 8 skills
	FIG Repeat Rule applies – no repeated somis within the pass unless from a different entry skill except for RO, Flicks & Whips	FIG Repeat Rule applies – no repeated somis within this pass or between pass 1 & pass 2 unless from a different entry skill except for RO, Flicks & Whips	FIG Repeat Rule applies – no repeated somis within the pass unless from a different entry skill except for RO, Flicks & Whips
	Must end with a somi	Must end with a somi	Must end with a somi
		Can be same as Run 1 or Run 2 or completely different	

<b>Please note:</b>	Spring Event Series qualifying ranking based on combined score for Run 1 & Run 2 from one event
	At British Championships top 8 gymnasts ranked on combined scores for Run 1 & Run 2 qualify through to Final (Run 3)

Minimum Elite WAG Qualifying Score	Female	Male
9-10 Years	50.80	50.80
11-12 Years	51.60	51.60
13-14 Years	53.60	53.60
15-16 Years	54.50	54.50
17-21 Years	54.60	56.20

GB Bonus Skill Tariff	Skill	GB Difficulty
9-10 Years	Whips	0.7
	Barani	1.2
	Whip 360	1.4
	Double Tuck	2.8
	Double Pike	3.0
	Full In Tuck	3.2

**\*Qualification scores will be confirmed after World Championships/World Age Group Competition 2017**

<b>The following difficulty limits for an individual element apply at all age group events</b>			
9-10 & 11-12 years: <b>2.7</b>	13-14 years: <b>3.5</b>	15-16 years: <b>4.3</b>	17-21 years: <b>4.3</b>
<b>For 9-10 &amp; 11-12 years, triple somersaults are prohibited. For all age groups, quadruple somersaults are prohibited. Any abuse of this rule will result in disqualification</b>			

Senior				
Age Groups Senior	Run 1	Run 2	Run 3	Run 4
	FIG Straight pass	FIG twisting pass	Voluntary pass of 8 skills	Voluntary pass of 8 skills
	FIG Repeat Rule applies – no repeated somis within the pass unless from a different entry skill except for RO, Flicks & Whips	FIG Repeat Rule applies – no repeated somis within this pass or between Run 1 & Run 2 unless from a different entry skill except for RO, Flicks & Whips	FIG Repeat Rule applies – no repeated somis within the pass unless from a different entry skill except for RO, Flicks & Whips	FIG Repeat Rule applies – no repeated somis within this pass or between Run 3 & Run 4 unless from a different entry skill except for RO, Flicks & Whips
Must end with a somi	Must end with a twisting somi	Must end with a somi	Must end with a somi	

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Minimum Elite Qualifying Score	Female	Male
Senior	55.20	57.00