

2024 UniSport Canberra, ACT – Div 1 & 2

UniSport Australia Nationals

UniSport Nationals provide an opportunity for students from 43 member universities from across Australia to compete head-to-head in a number of national standard sporting competitions. Nationals are comprised of our flagship event, [UniSport Nationals](#), and a number of standalone [national championships](#) throughout the year. The winners from each sport in UniSport Nationals will be combined with the winners of the various Nationals Championships throughout the year to name one university the Overall Nationals Champions.

Registration

Key Dates

Team Nominations

Each team sport will have a minimum number of required students for a team to be eligible. If we do not meet the minimum required number of students fill out the registration process below before the key dates, we will be withdrawing those teams from the competition.

- **Team Nominations Open** – 1st March
- **Team Nominations Close** – 31st May
- **Team withdrawal without penalty** – 26th July

Individual / Team Registrations

It is the student's responsibility to register themselves in their chosen sport for this event online through the Unisport Australia website. Please be aware of the following key dates:

- **Standard Registrations Close** – Wednesday 31st July 1st June
- **Late Registrations Close** – Saturday 31st August

Registration Process

To register for Unisport Nationals in your chose sport you will need to follow these steps:

Step 1 – Read through the Attached “2024 Unisport Nationals Info”

Step 2 – Sign the attached “2024 Participation Agreement”

Step 3 – Personal Information form: <https://form.jotform.com/221800769201853>

Step 4 – Once the minimum number of students required for each sport (As per the [Unisport Australia Sport Guidelines](#)) complete the first 3 steps you will then receive the code to register through the [Unisport Australia website](#).

Please do not book your flights or ground transport until you have received confirmation from FUSF Staff or Sport Team Manager that your team has been finalised as you run the risk of losing your booking fees if this team is then withdrawn due to lack of numbers. FUSF will not be responsible for any individual's financial loss due to a team withdrawal.

Please complete the steps above by no later than Friday 26th July 2024 to secure your spot. Please double check that all information is correct before completing the form.



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Expectations

Please respect the event and behave in a manner similar to if you were competing at a national level in your chosen sport. You are expected to prioritise sport and do the right things to give yourself the best opportunity to perform well. As such the consumption of alcohol is to be limited and attending events or venues late at night won't be tolerated. Your participation in this event is to be taken seriously and we remind you that you will be there representing Flinders University. Please ensure you are aware of these expectations before completing your event registration. There will be no hesitation in suspending students or sending them home if they do not cooperate in line with university policies. We want to take students away who are there for the right reasons and who are ultimately striving to succeed.

Accreditation

All competitors will receive accreditation, please ensure that this is taken to each check in each day at your event venue along with student ID (valid with current semester sticker). You will not be able to compete without your accreditation. In the case that the accreditation is lost, a fee will occur for a replacement through UniSport Australia. This year's registration requires all students to submit a photo, which will be printed on their accreditation. We expect maturity when attaching your photo and that the guidelines provided are followed. Any photos deemed inappropriate by UniSport Australia will incur a \$50 fine, but more seriously Flinders University will withdraw you from participating at the event, no exceptions.

Eligibility

To be eligible to compete at Nationals, all participants must be currently enrolled students in 2024. Prior to the event your eligibility will be checked with the Flinders student services team. Please note, it's the student's responsibility to ensure they are eligible for the event, no refunds will be given to those found ineligible after completing the registration. If unsure, please contact cameron.taeuber@flinders.edu.au or read through [UniSport Australia Eligibility Policy](#).

Team Meeting

Prior to this event FUSF will host have a short (Compulsory) team meeting which will be an opportunity to meet other team members and for us to answer any questions you may have. Team polo, uniforms and other information will also be distributed at the meeting. Date / Time / Location is to be confirmed.

University Team Captains

As in past years we will appoint a male and female University Team Captain to represent the team at the event. These positions will require an application from individuals, which will then be assessed and selected by the management team. For more information read through the [position description](#) and to apply please email. cameron.taeuber@flinders.edu.au.



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Sports Team Managers

We will also appoint a small number of Sport Team Manager (STM). This person is responsible for the organisation of their team and will provide vital communication between staff and students. For more information please read through the [position description](#) and to apply please email cameron.taeuber@flinders.edu.au.

Benefits include:

- Financial Support
- FUSF Silver Rejuvenate Gym membership valid until 8th September (\$375 Value)

Accommodation

This year's team accommodation will be at the [Adina Kingston Apartments](#) located in Kingston. Accommodation check-in for athletes will be strictly 1 day prior to the start of their event. For sports that begin their competition on the Saturday your check in will be the Friday 6th September and For sports that start their competition on the Monday your accommodation check in will be Sunday 8th September. We have booked 12 x 2 Bedroom Apartments with each room having 2 x Single beds. The apartments will have full access to full kitchen, 1 x bathroom, laundry facilities, TV, Air conditioning, WIFI, and Indoor & Outdoor pool, Spa / Jacuzzi. Please ensure that a walk through the room takes place initially and note any damage or anything that needs to be seen by hotel staff, prior to you staying in the room. Check in is available from 3:00pm and check out is from 11:00am.

Transport

It is the student's responsibility to organise their own transport to and from the playing venues during the week, options include: Public Transport, Uber, Taxi service, Car / Minibus Hire. If you do decide to hire a car, we strongly recommend paying for full insurance with no excess. In the event of any accident or damage it will save you a great deal. Please allow for sufficient travel time for arrival to events and to avoid late check in, you can familiarise yourself with your locations and the venue using the Nationals Competition Map (Coming Soon).

Flights

All students must be in Canberra, ACT by Sunday the 8th of September 2024 (Monday – Friday competitions). Teams that Compete on the Saturday and or Sunday will be required to arrive by Friday 6th September 2024. You will need to notify Flinders University Sport & Fitness of your flight number once you have booked your flights, please email cameron.taeuber@flinders.edu.au your flight number. Please do not book your flights until you team has been finalised and confirmed by either FUSF staff or your Sport Team Manager.

Team App

All students are required to have [Team App](#) installed on their phone for the event. This will be the primary source of communication between staff, team managers and students. You will receive an email request; from there you will have access. All queries regarding the app can be forward to cameron.taeuber@flinders.edu.au . This is a professional social platform, please be respectful of what is posted to the forums.



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Social Media

When posting to social media forums, please refer to the [Flinders University Social Media Guidelines](#). It is important that we can support UniSport Australia to and only refer to the event as the 2024 Unisport Nationals.

Fixtures

Fixtures for the event are distributed closer to the event commencing, these are created by UniSport Australia. You will be notified as soon as Flinders University Sport & Fitness are to receive this information. Please refer to the current 2024 Unisport Nationals Schedule (Coming Soon) as a guideline for the week. Please note, this is subject to change and can be found on the UniSport Australia website.

Uniforms

All team members will receive a FUSF team polo which you are expected to wear during the week travelling to and from playing venues. You will also receive a playing uniform which will be borrowed must be returned at the end of the trip once you have returned to Adelaide to which you will then be reimbursed your \$50 uniform bond paid for as part of your travel package. When wearing these items of clothing, you are representing Flinders University. Please be respectful of the University and Flinders University Sport & Fitness logo. You are required to keep and present these clothing items neat and clean. Sizing can be requested in the Participation agreement/registration form.

Communication

Your team manager is your first point of contact for any issues or questions that you may have. Cameron (FUSF Staff) will be available at all times for operational, administration, personal and any serious matters. Any damage or incidents are to be notified as soon as possible to eliminate further upsets. The earlier a situation is resolved, the better the outcome for all whom are involved.

Please be respectful of staff and all other residents in the Adina Kingston apartments and all UniSport Australia staff/ volunteers at your playing Venues. Your team captain/manager are there to help and support you through this time. Please show respect for their role, as we would not be able to do it without them!

Opening Ceremonies

Sport specific opening ceremonies will take place on the first day of competition. Each ceremony will start no earlier than one and a half hours before the first game of the competition. All teams are expected to attend. Timings of the ceremonies will be updated on the sports website and released the week before competition.

Team outing

FUSF will host either a breakfast, lunch, or dinner and all Flinders students are invited to attend. This will be paid by Flinders University Sport & Fitness. As the full schedule is still to be released, the date, time and location is yet to be confirmed.

Costs

Student Travel Package #1 - \$520 (Required for Competition Lengths 3+ Days) – Paid at FUSF

- 5 x Nights' Accommodation (Arrive Sunday 8th – Depart Friday 13th September)
- FUSF Team Dinner
- Travel Polo
- Drink Bottle
- \$50 Refundable Playing Uniform Bond
- Bronze FUSF Gym membership valid until 8th September (\$166 Value)

Student Travel Package #2 - \$170 (Required for Competition lengths of 1 or 2 days) – Paid at FUSF

- 2 x Nights' Accommodation (Arrive Friday 6th – Depart Sunday 8th September)
- Travel Polo
- Drink Bottle
- Bronze FUSF Gym membership valid until 8th September (\$166 Value)

UniSport Australia Competition Registration Fees – Paid Online

Standard Registrations close Wednesday 31st July

Non-Playing Member (\$20)

Standard Player Registration – Competition Length 3+ Days (\$225)

Standard Player Registration – Competition Length 2 Days (\$185)

Standard Player Registration – Competition Length 1 Day (\$160)

Late Registrations close Saturday 31st August

Non-Playing Member (\$20)

Late Player Registration – Competition Length 3+ Days (\$275)

Late Player Registration – Competition Length 2 Days (\$235)

Late Player Registration – Competition Length 1 Day (\$210)

At Participants Own Cost

- Flights
- Ground Transport
- Food & Drink