

2024/2025 TRIATHLON WA

INTERCLUB SERIES POLICY

JUNE 2024



Champion Club

The Champion Club trophy is awarded annually to the club whose current financial members accumulate the most points across the Triathlon WA State Series (Triathlete of the Year standings). This includes both the Age Group (Senior) Series and the Junior Series.

Members who belong to two or more clubs can only accrue points for their primary club.

Point Allocation:

Points are weighted on a per-member basis based on the club's member numbers. A club's membership number is calculated as the number of members who will be aged 12 years or older on 31 December 2024 (Age calculation date as per AusTriathlon rules), as at COB 5 December 2024 (Thursday before first State Series race).

$$A \times (B \div C) = D$$

- A. A club's total points accrued by their members across the Senior and Junior State Series (male and female)
- B. The total number of the club's members who participated in the State Series
- C. The total number of the club's members (using the as at date rules above)
- D. Final point score

The club with the highest final point score (D) will be the winner.

Prize:

The winning club will be awarded \$250 prize money, or equivalent voucher provided by Triathlon WA.

Interclub Series Awards

About the Interclub Series

The TWA Interclub Competition is divided into three regions across WA: North, South, and Regional. Clubs will accumulate points based on their membership numbers through their members' participation and performance at events listed on the Interclub Series Calendar. Club membership numbers will remain consistent throughout the season, based on the numbers recorded the day before the first interclub event.

These events will include metro and regional races strategically chosen for their location and popularity among our membership.

Clubs affiliated with Triathlon WA will accumulate participation and performance points, which will be tallied at the conclusion of each race, with the online leaderboard updated accordingly.

Clubs in WA will compete for the title of “Conference Club Champion” within their respective regions.

Eligibility:

To be eligible to accrue Interclub Series points, athletes must:

- Hold a current 2024/25 Triathlon Western Australia Membership of either Standard or Premium status
- Membership must be current prior to race start.

NOTE: Basic and Social members and other one day licence holders are not eligible for any Interclub Series points.

Points Allocation:

A club’s membership number is calculated as the number of members who will be aged 12 years or older on 31 December 2024 (Age calculation date as per AusTriathlon rules), as at COB 5 December 2024 (Thursday before first Interclub race). Points are allocated for participation and performance in the primary distance of each event.

Participation Points:

- 0 - 9% of club members race and finish = 0 participation points
- 10% - 14% of club members race and finish = 3 participation points
- 15% - 19% of club members race and finish = 6 participation points
- 20% or more of club members race and finish = 9 participation points

If the percentage of a club’s membership is not a whole number, the required participant amount is rounded to the nearest whole number

e.g. 10% of 86-member club = 8.6 members – therefore the club requires 9 club members to race and finish for 3 points. To qualify for 6 points this club would need to have 13 club members race and finish. To qualify for 9 points, they would need to have 17 club members race and finish.

To ensure fairness, smaller clubs with less than 20 members will be measured for participation points as if they were a club of 20 members.

Performance points:

1 st Place*	2 nd Place*	3 rd Place*
2.5 Performance Points	2 Performance Points	1.5 Performance Points

*Points will be allocated to the top 3 male and females from each age group division and open category where this applies.

Double Up:

The Triathlon WA State Interclub Championships and the Busselton Festival of Triathlon will be the Double Up events where the total points allocated to clubs will be doubled for these

races only. For example, if the club has 10% club members race and finish, they will receive 6 points for the club. The double points are applied to both Performance and Participation points.

Max Out:

Clubs can earn a maximum of 25 points at each event excluding Double Up events where a club can earn a maximum of 50 points.

Prizes:

At the conclusion of the series, the Conference Champions (the club with the highest point score from each conference) will each be awarded \$250 in prize money, or an equivalent voucher provided by Triathlon WA.

The Overall Champion Club will be determined by the club with the most points overall from the series and will also be awarded \$250 in prize money, or an equivalent voucher provided by Triathlon WA.

Ties and Tiebreaking:

A Max Out ensures clubs can earn a maximum of 25 points at each event excluding the State Interclub Champs. This means that a club can accumulate over 25 points at an event but will not be awarded more than 25 at any one event. However, if there is a tie between clubs on the ladder at the end of the year (same points), points accumulated during a Max Out will be included to separate the clubs.

If clubs are still tied after the inclusion of points on countback that include those accumulated during a Max Out round, the club with the most Participation Points accumulated throughout the season will be the winner.

If Participation Points are also equal between the two tied clubs, a draw will be the conclusion and incentives split accordingly.

Interclub Series Events:

For season 2024/25 as below.

Event Name	Date	Location	Double Up
City of Joondalup Coastal Quest	08/12/2024	Whitford Nodes (NOR)	No
Giant Mandurah State Interclubs	12/01/2025	Mandurah (SOR)	Yes
LGM Bunbury Classic Triathlon	16/02/2025	Bunbury (REG)	No
Coogee Beach Triathlon	30/03/2025	Coogee (SOR)	No
City of Joondalup Mullaloo Triathlon	06/04/2025	Mullaloo (NOR)	No
Busselton Festival of Triathlon	03/05/25 – 04/05/25	Busselton (REG)	Yes

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