## MEMORANDUM



**DATE:** July 5, 2019 **TO:** RG Coaches and Clubs

**STATUS:** High **FROM:** Alesha Berry (RG Technical Committee Competitions Advisor) **NOTE:** 

**RE:** 2019 NZ Nationals Selection

As you are aware, a maximum of 20 athletes will be accepted for each level. In the event that more than 20 athletes qualify in any level, athletes will be ranked and the top 20 athletes will be invited to enter the competition. The ranking will be made using the following criteria:

Averaging the highest total scores achieved from three qualifying competitions. If an athlete competes in four qualifying competitions, the lowest scoring competition would not be used to calculate their average score. If an athlete competes in three qualifying competitions or less, all scores will be used.

In Levels 5, 6 and 7 and Stage 3 there are more than 20 gymnasts registered and competing at sanctioned events. The above selection process will therefore be necessary for these levels.

As the final sanctioned competition of the year (Xtreme International) is being held over the weekend of 10<sup>th</sup>/11<sup>th</sup> August, and entries for Nationals are due on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup>, it will be necessary for us to calculate the top 20 in each Level very quickly. It is therefore important that we know which gymnasts wish to be considered for selection so that if someone in the top 20 is not making herself available, another gymnast can be selected. To this end, can every club please email to me <u>aleshakateberry@gmail.com</u>, by **no later than Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July**, a list of all their gymnasts in Levels 5 to 7 and Stage 3 advising whether or not that gymnast wishes to be considered for selection. Please also include your club name as well as a contact name and email address for your club. On Monday 12<sup>th</sup> August I will email all contacts with a list of the gymnasts in Levels 5 to 7 and Stage 3 who have been selected. I will endeavor to get this information to you as early in the day as possible.

I appreciate your assistance with this matter.

Regards,

Alesha Berry Competitions Advisor - RG TC





