

# **Work Plan**

Trampoline & Tumbling
Inter-Regional Challenge Cup Final
Utilita Arena, Birmingham  $5^{th} - 7^{th} \text{ July 2024}$ 

Version 1.0



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### **Venue Information**

#### **Directions**

Utilita Arena Birmingham King Edwards Road, Birmingham, B1 2AA.

### **Birmingham Clean Air Zone**

Please be aware that Birmingham's Clean Air Zone is in operation and covers an area of Birmingham City Centre which includes Utilita Arena Birmingham. Drivers entering Birmingham's Clear Air Zone in a vehicle that does not meet its emission standards, will be required to pay the daily fee, unless a valid exemption is in place. To find out if you need to pay for your vehicle or pay the daily charge, please see website below:



Drive in a clean air zone - GOV.UK (www.gov.uk)

### **Car Parking**

Pay and display car parking is available at the venue:

General Parking for the event – either North or South Car Parks – <a href="https://www.arenabham.co.uk/your-visit/parking/">https://www.arenabham.co.uk/your-visit/parking/</a>
Team managers and/or coaches should arrange a suitable meeting point with gymnasts and parent/guardians prior to arrival at the venue to ensure all minors are always appropriately supervised. The meeting point should be external to the venue as the entrance for spectators may differ from the entrance for gymnasts and coaches and to avoid congregating within the venue.

#### **Entrances**

### **Gymnasts & Coaches**

Gymnasts and coaches are required to use the designated Gymnast and Coaches Entrance, signposted at the venue as Entrance E.

### Judges / Officials / Team Manager & Chaperones

Judges, officials, Team Manger & Chaperones are required to use the designated entrance, signposted at the venue as Entrance C

### Spectator Entrance

Spectators are required to use the designated Spectator Entrance, signposted at the venue as Entrance F.

A diagram of the three entrances can be found in **Appendix 1**.

### Regional Desks

Each region will be allocated a desk located in the foyer area of the gymnasts and coaches' entrance (Entrance E). This desk will be manned by the Team Manager who will register gymnasts upon arrival. Coaches are required to report to the British Gymnastics Accreditation Desk, also located in the foyer area to the right of the regional desks, to register.

### Warm-Up Hall

Gymnasts must not use the equipment in the Warm-Up Hall without a qualified coach present and must respect their schedule time as per the timetable.

It is requested that when gymnasts and coaches are not competing that they make use of the designated gymnasts and coaches seating (see below) to watch the competition, to prevent the Warm-Up Hall from becoming too congested.

### **Gymnast and Coaches Seating**

Accredited gymnasts and coaches who wish to watch the competition may sit in the allocated delegation seating (Blocks 2 & 11). Please respect this request and do not sit in any other area during the competition.

If a gymnast/coach wishes to spectate on the day they are not competing, they will be required to report to the Accreditation Desk, to collect a spectator ticket.



### **Health & Safety**

#### **Security Provision**

Security checks will be completed by venue security staff upon arrival for spectators & participants. This will include bag searches.

Please see policy below from the venue:

'Please note our bag policy for competitors is as standard – we will search and tag them on entry. For public our policy is A4 size bags only, above this we will not allow entry. No cool bags/ boxes are allowed. All will walk through a security arch upon entrance'.

Please be aware the venue does not allow 'Chilly style' metal water bottles, glass on site for athletes or public and these will be confiscated on entry. Canned drinks will be authorised, the tabs will be pulled upon entry.

Large bags brought on-site must be stored in the allocated room labelled 'luggage room' located by the allocated changing rooms. There will be a sign on the door.

We ask that all attendees follow the venue guidance.

### **Emergency procedures**

There are no planned rehearsal or practice alarms scheduled during the event. In the event of an alarm sounding evacuation procedures must take place as per the details below.

The emergency muster point is: Service Yard at the back of warm up hall.

All event attendees should follow the directions of the venue staff and/or Event Manager to make their way calmly to the nearest emergency exit. Upon arrival at the muster point, a roll call will be completed by the following individual.

Event Officials: Event Manager and/or Event Coordinator

Judges: Judge Coordinator

Volunteers: Volunteer Manager or the designated Volunteer Team Leader

<u>Gymnasts & Coaches:</u> The Team Manager/Lead Coach is responsible for ensuring the safe exit and, upon arrival at the muster point, completion of a roll call for all gymnasts and coaches in their team/club.

Spectators & members of the public should follow the venue staff's direction and make their way calmly to the nearest exists.

In the event of missing persons, a venue fire marshal must be notified. Do not, in any circumstances, return to the building.

### **Medical Provision**

A medical team will be available in the designated medical area within the venue. Treatment will be accessible by all accredited gymnasts who sustain an injury at the event. The medical team are not available to treat pre-existing or chronic injuries.

A Paramedic team will be on site at the venue should it be necessary for treatment at hospital.

Any injury occurring during the official training or competition must be reported to the medical team to ensure a record can be kept of treatment given and by whom.

The decision of the British Gymnastics appointed medical officer as to the gymnast's health, medical status, and their ability to compete at the event is absolute and final.

### **Welfare Officer**

British Gymnastics are striving to create a gymnast centred sporting environment and as such hold the welfare and safety of the participants as a paramount consideration.

An experienced welfare officer will be attending this event to continue to promote a safe and friendly environment for all our participants.

A confidential meeting room will be available if a more private environment is required.



### **Tickets**

#### **Ticket Allocations**

Gymnasts are eligible to collect a spectator ticket for competitions they are not competing in upon submission of their accreditation wristband. Gymnasts who withdraw from the competition are eligible to collect a spectator ticket to spectate at the event. All spectating gymnasts, competing or withdrawn, will not have access to the Field of Play or Warm Up areas.

Coaches will also be provided with an event ticket through their accreditation.

If a gymnast/coach wishes to spectate on the day they are not competing, they will be required to report to the Accreditation Desk, to collect a spectator ticket.

#### **Ticket Purchase**

Tickets will be available to purchase from the Utilita Arena Website: https://www.utilitaarenabham.co.uk/whats-on/

Tickets will be available to be purchased at the Box Office throughout the event and online at the following ticket prices: The box Office will be located next to Entrance E and will be open each day.

Please note: Service charges and fees may apply.

Ticket Type	Price
Adult Day	£17.50
Concession* Day	£14

<sup>\*</sup>U16s and Over 65

### **Hotel and Transport Arrangements**

Please note only event officials are provided with accommodation and transport; all of which will be informed accordingly. All gymnasts and coaches are responsible for arranging their own accommodation and transport.

### **Accreditation**

#### **British Gymnastics Accreditation Desk**

The British Gymnastics Accreditation Desk will be located in the foyer area of the gymnasts and coaches' entrance (Entrance E), to the right of the regional desks. Please note, no changes to categories will be accepted after Midday on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July. Only withdrawals will be accepted after this time.

This desk will be used for the following:

- Coach's registration and accreditation
- For each regional Team Chaperone to inform British Gymnastics of gymnasti's registrations and withdrawals by flight
- To hand in each region's orientation training sheet confirming who is in attendance
- Submission of tariff sheets
- Any queries regarding the event

There will be Regional Desks where gymnasts will be registered and accredited at this point by their Team Manager. The Team Chaperone will then lead them through the warm-up hall as and when required.

Please note, to avoid congestion at registration all flight 1 only gymnasts for Saturday morning and Sunday morning will be able to collect their accreditations at orientation training the night before competition.

Event Officials and Volunteers should collect their accreditation from Entrance C and make their way to their designated workspace.

Judges should collect their accreditation from Entrance C and make their way to their designated workspace.

All changes to the nominated coaches submitted on the online entry can only be requested by the Regional Organiser to Grace. Suffell – <a href="mailto:grace.suffell@british-gymnastics.org">grace.suffell@british-gymnastics.org</a> no later than Friday 27th June and have a valid British Gymnastics membership, DBS and Safeguarding certificate along with the required coaching qualification for their gymnasts' routines. Any coach not submitted prior to the deadline date will not be accredited to coach at the event. Should there be a necessity for membership renewal prior to the event, please ensure this is addressed in good time to ensure your membership has been updated. It is advised that membership fees are paid by BACS or credit/debit card to ensure payment is received in time for the competition.



Accreditation must be worn by all club members at all times as it identifies where access is permitted at the venue.

Accreditation is non-transferable. Anyone found offering their accreditation to another person in order that they may gain access to access-controlled areas will have their accreditation withdrawn and they will take no further part in any activity in the event.

### **Babies and Young Children**

In the interests of safety, for the smooth running and professional presentation of the Event, babies and young children are not permitted to enter the warmup hall or field of play, even if they are being supervised by an adult.

### **Technical Information**

### **Team Manager Meeting**

There will be a meeting at 1.30pm on Friday 5th July for Team Managers to attend before podium training begins. This will be hosted at **Entrance E**. Please Access the building via **Entrance C**.

### **Orientation Training**

Orientation training will take place on Friday evening for gymnasts competing on Saturday, and Saturday evening for those competing on Sunday. Gymnasts and coaches should report to the regional desks at the gymnasts and coaches' entrance on arrival to be signed in. Spectators are required to use the designated spectator entrance (Entrance F).

Training is scheduled by region, please see timetable attached as a separate document.

It is the responsibility of the Team Manager to register gymnasts for orientation training, and the Team Chaperone to notify the Accreditation Desk of any gymnasts who are not on site for health and safety reasons. Coaches should report to the Accreditation Desk to sign in for orientation training.

It is advised that the Team Manager contacts the individual clubs within your region prior to the event to enquire as to whether they are attending training. A hard copy of these lists will be available at the event.

### **Judges Meeting**

The judges meeting for Trampoline, Tumbling & DMT judges will take place on the following date and time:

Saturday 6th July: 08:15 (TRA, TUM & DMT) Quartz Room
Sunday 7th July: 08:15 (TRA, TUM & DMT) Quartz Room

#### **Apparatus Specification**

The apparatus will be provided by Gymaid. The Tumble Track will be provided by Gymnova. All apparatus including the matting is to FIG specifications. There will not be a podium at this event.

Chalk bowls will not be provided. If required, gymnasts should bring their own personal chalk. Chalk should not be shared.

### **Gymnast Withdrawals & Non-Participation Fee**

Should a gymnast be withdrawn, for whatever reason, the club or coach must inform the Competition Organiser and Events Team via email up to the close of registration for the relevant session. Withdrawals will only be accepted by email.

Failure to inform the Events Team and Competition Organiser as laid out above and, in the Competition Handbook will result in a non-participation fee being charged. Full details can be found the Trampoline, Tumbling & DMT Competition Handbook 2024.

£25 – Individual £50 – Team

### Registration

Gymnasts are required to register with their Team Manager at their Regional Desk located in the foyer area of the Gymnast and Coaches Entrance. Gymnasts' accreditation will also be handed out at this point. The Team Chaperone will then inform the British Gymnastics Accreditation Desk of all registrations and withdrawals and bring the gymnasts into the Warm-Up Hall at the correct time per timetable.

NB: Please note registration time is as per the schedule prior to each flight.

Coaches will be required to report to the British Gymnastics Accreditation Desk, also located in the foyer area of the gymnasts and coaches' entrance to register and collect accreditation. Please note that all coaches must collect their own accreditation.



#### **Tariff Sheet Submission**

It is the coach's responsibility to ensure that the Competition cards are completed correctly and submitted at registration

### **Trampoline and DMT**

- A trampoline competition card template is available from the downloads section on the British Gymnastics website.
- Competition cards must be submitted to the Registration Desk on arrival at the competition and prior to the start of warm up.
- Competition cards should be completed in FIG notation only.
- Where a level of competition has required elements, these should be marked with asterisks prior to the card being submitted. Likewise, all elements that require a difficulty mark should be identified before the card can be accepted.
- Competition cards will be required at all British Gymnastics national events.
- All cards must be signed by the appropriately qualified Supervising Coach in order to be valid.
- Competitors may not compete without a valid competition card. Competition cards are required for all gymnasts in disability groups.

### **Tumbling**

- Tumbling Competition cards are required at all British Gymnastics national events. For the Inter-Regional Challenge Cup Final, competition cards will be required for Level 4 only.
- Competition cards must be submitted at Registration Desk on arrival at the competition and prior to the start of warm up.
- Competition cards should be completed in FIG notation only.
- Competitors may not compete without a valid competition card.
- All cards must be signed by the appropriately qualified Supervising Coach in order to be valid.
- Competition cards are required for all gymnasts in disability groups.

### **Anti-doping**

 $At \ national \ events \ testing \ is \ undertaken \ by \ UK \ Anti-Doping \ (UKAD) \ in \ coordination \ with \ British \ Gymnastics.$ 

Gymnasts can be selected randomly or targeted whilst competing in the UK or internationally. If selected, a gymnast will be required to provide a urine sample of at least 90ml. On occasions UKAD may use blood samples in which case qualified testing personnel will conduct this procedure.

Gymnasts are advised to take an 'advocate' with them into the testing station. This could be a member of their medical team, a coach, or a parent. Gymnasts are required to declare all medications taken within the preceding 7 days.

Parents, coaches, and gymnasts are encouraged to regularly check any medication throughout the year via Globaldro - <a href="www.globaldro.com">www.globaldro.com</a> -. Gymnasts can search particular brands of medications or for specific ingredients.

Gymnasts, coaches, and support personnel can also check the status of medications by using either the Drug Enquiry Line on +44 (0) 800 528 0004 or by emailing <a href="mailto:information@ukad.org.uk">information@ukad.org.uk</a>

For further information on British Gymnastics Anti-Doping Policy, please find the full policy in **Appendix 2** or visit <a href="https://www.british-gymnastics.org/articles/safe-sport/anti-doping">https://www.british-gymnastics.org/articles/safe-sport/anti-doping</a>



### **Competition Details**

### **Judges & Officials**

Alex Shaw Amanda Hovell Andrew Aistrup Andrew Ringsell Andrew Jones Andi Revell **Anthony Ottley** Biz Scales Caroline Howard-Jones Charlotte Reeks Chris Todd Clive Morgan Emma Collier Emma Gerrett Euan McIntosh Gemma Evans Joanna Leigh Jo Parkinson-Hill Jodie Ramsden

June Short Karen Glover Kieran Grundy Kirsty Way Laura Caswell Lauren Binks Lindsay McFadzean Lynzi Mullen Lisa Staniforth Lucy Sharpe Lynda Tee Margaret Phillipson Mari Holliday Marie Baker Mark Baker Mark Pennell Martin Barnett Matthew Caine Mehdi Alizadeh Mike Gevaux

Mike Holliday Mike Phillipson Nerys Williams Nicholas Flynn Nicki McRae Noah Gill Olly Monro Pamela Webster Peter Heames Phoebe Brailsford Sabrina Jones Sade Ottley Sarah Chick Steve Sampson Tegan Perkins Tom Clennett Yasmin Stammers Zach Hughes-Burton Zoe Perkins

#### Coaches

Joshua Watters

Please note for the Inter Regional Challenge Cup Final competition, the following coach accreditations (per region) will apply:

TRA 8 coaches (4 FOP & 4 Warm-Up Hall)

TUM 8 coaches (4 FOP & 4 Warm-Up Hall)

DMT 6 Coaches (3 FOP & 3 Warm-Up Hall)

Please note that once all coach accreditation wrist bands have been distributed, it is the regions responsibility to ensure coaches are swapping accreditation wrist bands where needed for coaching requirements.

### **Timetable**

For the purpose of maintaining the smooth and timely running of the event, or where the safety, security and good performance of the gymnasts is a concern, the Trampoline, Tumbling & DMT Gymnastics Technical Committee reserve the right to alter the competition schedule, the grouping of gymnasts and/or running order of performances as may be deemed necessary by the Organiser or authorised officials.

The competition timetable for each day is attached as a separate document.

### **Orientation Training Timetable**

The Orientation Training Schedule is attached as a separate document.

### **Start List**

The start list for each day is attached as a separate document.

NB: As per previous events the competition will, where possible, run up to 60 minutes ahead of schedule, therefore please ensure your gymnasts are on-site should this occur.



### **Rules and Regulations**

#### **Volunteers**

The Trampoline, Tumbling & DMT TC will act to protect any volunteers working on their behalf. All British Gymnastics Competitions operate a zero-tolerance approach to foul language or any abusive and aggressive behaviour. Anyone found to be breaking these rules will be asked to leave the competition arena and, if necessary, the Arena. Please help ensure the competition arena is a friendly atmosphere.

### **Inclusion and Accessibility**

British Gymnastics strive to ensure our events are inclusive to all. Should you or any of your club members have any specific additional needs that may require our consideration prior to your attendance at the event please do not hesitate to contact the Events Team on <a href="events@british-gymnastics.org">events@british-gymnastics.org</a> Please provide us with as much detail as necessary to ensure we can facilitate appropriate action so all have a positive experience.

### **Competition Attire**

Please refer to the British Gymnastics Trampoline, Tumbling & DMT Competition Handbook 2024.

### **Inquiries**

Please refer to the British Gymnastics Trampoline, Tumbling & DMT Competition Handbook 2024. An inquiry form can be found in **Appendix 3** in this Work Plan.

### **Tie Breaks**

Please refer to the British Gymnastics Trampoline, Tumbling & DMT Competition Handbook 2024.

#### **Scoring and Results**

Scoring and results are provided by Scorebase.

Live scores from the event can be viewed via the Scorebase website: http://scorebase.co.uk/

PDF results can be found during and after the event by searching for the event using 'Find an Event or Result' on the **British Gymnastics** website.

For further information of the transition from BG Score to Scorebase, please see Appendix 5.

### **Presentation Ceremonies and Awards**

All placed gymnasts must be present in the competition venue for the presentation ceremony at the end of the competition.

All gymnasts and coaches participating in the presentation ceremonies must march on in their competition attire or Regional tracksuit/t shirts and tracksuit bottoms/leggings.

Individual Gold, Silver and Bronze medals will be awarded in each competition within each age group and for each gender.

A trophy will be awarded to the winning region within each discipline in the team competition.

### **Media Information**

### **Media Attendance**

Representatives of the media will not be present at this event.

### **Official Photographer**

Blueski Photography are British Gymnastics' event photography partner at this event. Photographs will be available to view and purchase online following the event. QR Codes will be available to scan at the event to access the photos from the competition.

### **British Gymnastics Photography Regulations**

Photography and filming at this event are permitted in line with the British Gymnastics Photography Policy. Personal photography may only take place if utilising personal equipment in public areas of the venue only.

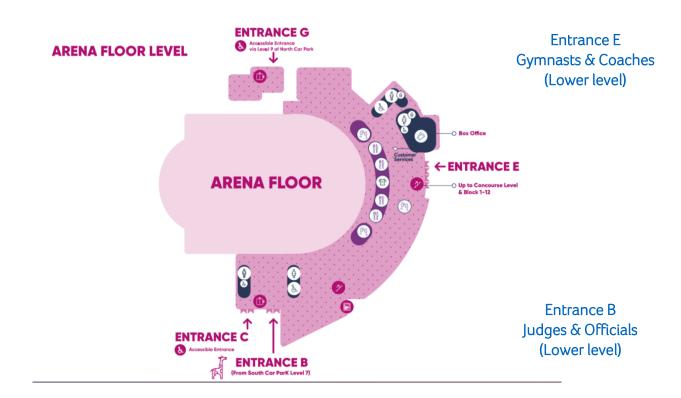
The use of flash photography is prohibited and must not be used at any time while gymnasts are warming up or competing/performing.

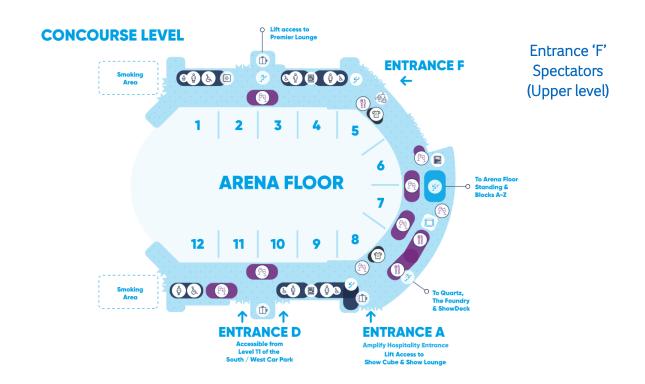
For further information on British Gymnastics Photography Policy please see Appendix 4 visit british-gymnastics.org/governance



### **Appendices**

**Appendix 1**Gymnasts, Coaches, Officials & Judges Entrances







# Appendix 2 Drug Free Sport: Anti-Doping

The principle of fair play is a cornerstone of sport. British Gymnastics actively supports the anti-doping testing process.

The testing programme affects any elite gymnast performing at a national standard. All British Gymnastics organised events are notified to UK Anti-Doping (UKAD). Testing may take place at competitions, ('in competition') or 'out of competition' at National Squads, at home or in clubs.

If selected, a gymnast will be required to provide a urine sample and occasionally, a blood sample. Gymnasts under 16 years can be tested. Gymnasts competing in disciplines with an Age Group Competition may be tested within any of the age group categories. Consent is linked to all gymnasts with a FIG Licence, or parental consent established at the point of testing.

Gymnasts are advised to take an 'advocate' with them into the testing station. This could be a member of their medical team, a coach or a parent.

In all cases, gymnasts must declare all medications taken within the preceding 7 days. For a gymnast taking any medication, it is vital that these are checked on a regular basis and, if tested, declared. If you are competing nationally, it is advisable that you check before every event. This can be done via the Globaldro website (<a href="www.globaldro.com">www.globaldro.com</a>), the Drug Enquiry Line (+44 (0) 800 528 0004) or by emailing <a href="mailto:information@ukad.org.uk">information@ukad.org.uk</a>

If you compete internationally, ensure you do not use alternative medications from abroad as their ingredients can differ to the UK version.

Any gymnast tested will need to know the name of the medication, the dosage and frequency, as well as state the condition it relates to. If a gymnast is currently on any medication(s) which require a Therapeutic Use Exemption (TUE) certificate, it is vital that British Gymnastics is aware of this, and to ensure TUE certification is available at the testing.

#### Supplements:

Diet, lifestyle and training should all be optimised before considering supplementation. Coaches and gymnasts should assess the need and consult with an accredited sports nutritionist, or a doctor experienced in Sport and Exercise Medicine before using supplements. Supplements can become contaminated with banned substances during their production, which could lead to a positive finding. Under the principle of 'strict liability', it is the gymnast who is held accountable if a prohibited substance is found in a sample provided, whether intentional or unintentional.

Informed Sport is an official website that provides some information on supplements that have been batch tested: <a href="http://www.informed-sport">http://www.informed-sport</a> sport.com/about-informed-sport

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### Appendix 3

### Judging Inquiry Proforma



### **Trampoline - INQUIRY FORM**

Gymnast Name			
Gymnast Club			
Group and Level			
Name of coach making appeal		BG Nu	umber
Discipline (please tick)	TRA 🗌	TUM 🗌	DMT 🗌
Conditions of Inquiry A coach may only inquire about the	D score (and ToF, Machine HD or N	Machine Synchro for TRA)	
A coach should register a verbal int publication.	ention to inquire by approaching th	ne CJP and/or Superior Jury within 2	2 minutes of the relevant score's
Thereafter, official NTTC inquiry for Forms can be obtained from the CJF The supervising coach for the club/	P, Panel Manager or Superior Jury.		
First inquiry: Second inquiry: Third and subsequent inquiries:	£25 £50 £75		
The placement of an inquiry form b cash at the event but added to the l			eld. This fee will not be collected in
To decide an inquiry, the Superior Juconsidered. In the cases of uncerta			photographic evidence can be
Nature of Inquiry (please tick)			
Difficulty Score	Time of Flight Score (TRA)	Machine HD Score (TRA)	Machine Synchro Score (TRA)
Please provide detail for your inqu	iry		
Coach Signature (agreement to th	e above conditions of inquiry)		
Outcome (to be completed by Sup	perior lury)		
Upheld		Not Upheld	
- op.ioid			

Signature

Superior Jury Name

Original Score



### **Appendix 4**

### British Gymnastics Photography Regulations

### Notice of filming and photography

British Gymnastics may be taking photographs and filming for the purpose of promotion and education. Footage and images may appear on our website, social media channels, publications such as our newsletters, magazine, membership packs, marketing and education materials. Footage and images may also be circulated to media organisations for publication and broadcast, provided to our sponsors and suppliers to promote their association with British Gymnastics, and provided to our delivery and event partners for promotional purposes. A list of partners can be found at <a href="https://www.british-gymnastics.org/partners">www.british-gymnastics.org/partners</a>.

Media and selected publishers may also be present to capture their own photography and footage for the purpose of sports journalism and programmes, this may also include broadcast on television or online.

Selected commercial photo providers are accredited at British Gymnastics events to take photographs of those performing or competing as a service to spectators wishing to buy images. Official photo providers can be found at <a href="https://www.british-gymnastics.org/partners">www.british-gymnastics.org/partners</a>.

We respect your right to object, if you have any concerns, please contact the accreditation/event desk and speak to a member of the British Gymnastics Events Team, official technical staff or email data.protection@british-gymnastics.org

### Photography at events

Photography and filming at this event are permitted in line with the British Gymnastics Photography Policy. Personal photography may only take place if utilising personal equipment in public areas of the venue only.

Photographic or video equipment which is generally recognised as professional equipment or intended for commercial use, including but not limited to high performance DSLR or mirrorless cameras, telephoto or zoom lenses or users with multiple lenses are not considered appropriate to be used with the exception of accredited media photographers.

The use of flash photography is prohibited and must not be used at any time while gymnasts are warming up or competing/performing.

Photography or filming must not be used in a way that is inappropriate given the age of the participant, the context the image was taken in or in a way which could cause damage or distress to any individual or in any way that could bring the sport into disrepute.

If you have any concerns about images being taken, by any person, please speak to a member of the Events Team or the/an Event Welfare Officer.

Further guidance and the full British Gymnastics Photography Policy can be found online at <a href="mailto:british-gymnastics.org/governance">british-gymnastics.org/governance</a>



### **Appendix 5**

## **Event Scoring Update**

July 2023

### TRAMPOLINE, TUMBLING & DMT

As many of the community will be aware, the scoring of British Gymnastics national events has historically been supported by the BG Score system. This system provides judge score input functionality, online results (including via the BG Score app), video replay, and many other features. While the Events team at BG has developed this to an advanced state over the years with several popular features, certain technological limitations mean it cannot currently perform all of the functions required for Trampoline, Tumbling and DMT events today, including median deduction entry and automatic generation of the various round start lists required under the current FIG Code of Points. In addition, due to key staff turnover, the ongoing technical support required to develop and operate the system has become more difficult to access.

In response to these challenges, over the last year BG Events has trialled the SCOREBASE system to provide an interface between median execution deduction entry and the BG Score system. This system has been designed and developed by two members of the TRA/TUM/DMT community, Andrew Aistrup and Nick Ledwold.

Following further feedback from the community as to the suitability of BG Score for these disciplines, and positive experiences with the SCOREBASE system in 2022 and 2023, it has been decided that BG national events will transition to SCOREBASE to provide a full scoring solution for TRA/TUM/DMT. This system is intended to duplicate the many popular features of BG Score, but with upgraded functionality, such as 4k video playback, high framerate ToF backup, touch screen judge input, and deduction-by-deduction online results.

While we hope the transition to SCOREBASE will be a smooth one, as the system is new and everyone will be getting used to operating it, we would be grateful for the community's patience during the rollout. We will, of course, welcome any feedback, and endeavour to work with SCOREBASE to optimise the system going forwards.

**BG** Events Team