

**POLICY NAME:** KSTP World Age Group Championships Selection

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**CONTROLLING BODY:** KSTP Management

Event	World Age Championships Competition
Performance Targets	<ul> <li>Athlete to finish in the top 8</li> <li>Athlete to aim for a podium finish</li> <li>Athlete to provide a quality performance</li> <li>Athlete to have the confidence in themselves and coach</li> </ul>
Team Expectation	<ul> <li>Athletes are to conduct themselves in the highest manner that will contribute to building a positive reputation for the sport in Australia.</li> <li>Athletes representing Australia are reminded they are building a strong foundation in Tumbling.</li> <li>Meeting with others within the Tumbling community, to promote the sport.</li> <li>Be role models for junior athletes</li> </ul>
Requirements to attend WAGC	<ul> <li>In order to be considered for selection, athletes must:</li> <li>Meet the selection process as outlined by Gymnastics Australia policy</li> <li>Provide a high level of performance in the gym</li> <li>Demonstrate they are working towards the performance target, as outlined above.</li> <li>Be achieving their individual goal for WAGC as set by the coach</li> <li>Demonstrate quality tumbling in all areas including: technique, speed, strength, power.</li> <li>Demonstrate commitment to achieving world's best DD in their individual development.</li> <li>Follow the development plan as set by the coach.</li> <li>Show evidence the personal diary provided by KSTP is being used and parents signing off. This includes diet plans and any treatments.</li> <li>Show they are emotionally ready to take on such a competition.</li> </ul>
Parent Involvement	<ul> <li>Three way communication between athlete, coach and parents is required.</li> <li>100% commitment from all parties is imperative.</li> <li>No parents will be permitted at training prior to the competition unless told otherwise.</li> </ul>
Final Allowance	<ul> <li>Athletes will be required to participate in mock competitions, this will be used to analyse the best passes and refine technique.</li> <li>During competition it is expected athletes can;</li> <li>Completes good quality passes</li> <li>Demonstrates landing at 100%</li> <li>Able to perform the passes in different circumstances ie: floor, weather etc</li> <li>Can perform a pass with record DD in preparation for what may be required in finals</li> <li>Demonstrates higher level of requirement within the gym than may be required in competition.</li> </ul>
Decision	Coach is responsible for the decision on whether an athlete can attend or not depending on the performance.