Selection Criteria for CADETS World Championships (CWC)

Sarejevo, 6 - 9 August 2015

1. INTRODUCTION

1.1. Selection of players to represent Australia at the 2015 Cadet World Championships (CWC) will be made according to the criteria outlined in this document.

1.2. The selection criteria for this Championship is underpinned by the following principle:

- Australia will select Athletes with proven 2015 performances.

2. IJF ALLOCATIONS

2.1. Weight Divisions will be as per the IJF categories

Male	Under 50kg	Female	Under 40kg
	Under 55kg		Under 44kg
	Under 60kg		Under 55kg
	Under 66kg		Under 52kg
	Under 73kg		Under 57kg
	Under 81kg		Under 63kg
	Under 90kg		Under 70kg
	Over 90kg		Over 70kg

2.2. The IJF allows each country a maximum quota of 10 male and 10 female Athletes, with a maximum of two (2) Athletes per weight category.

3. ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

3.1. For an Athlete to be eligible for selection consideration they must have;

- Australian Citizenship and valid Australian Passport,
- financial membership & be in good standing with the Judo Federation of Australia,
- signed the JFA Team Member Agreement
- valid IJF ID Card and,
- proven 2015 performances in the same weight category.

4. SELECTION PROCEDURE

4.1. All recommended Athletes must meet the eligibility requirements stated above.

4.2. The Cadet National Ranking List (CNRL) will be the primary decision tool for the selection of Athletes.

4.3. National points accumulation for the CNRL will cease immediately after the Nationals, 8 June 2015 for the purposes of Cadet World Championships selections. (Please note: For this selection the Cadet National Ranking List will not include points for 2015 OJU, please refer to OJU Criteria for Cadets which stated OJU would not be part of the Cadet Worlds team selection.)

4.4. Athletes meeting eligibility requirements that are ranked 1st on points in each weight category will be selected.

4.5. For the additional 2 quotas positions; Athletes who meet the eligibility requirements and are ranked 2nd in each weight category will be ranked in order of total national points from the highest to the lowest. The top 2 Athletes from this list will be selected for the extra two (2) quota places.

4.6. The same list will be used to list reserves if needed. Reserves will only be listed where Athletes meet eligibility requirements.

4.7. If Athletes are tied on points, then who ever placed higher at the Cadet Nationals will be selected first.

4.8. Recommendations for Athlete selections will be made to the NCC on the 9 June 2015.

4.9. The NCC will make decisions relating to any unforeseen circumstances relating to selections.

5. PREPARATION REQUIREMENTS

5.1. Selections are made approximately 6 weeks prior to the World Championships.

5.2. We recognize that our Cadet Athletes are at different development levels, with several Athletes being part of the NTID/Junior program.

5.3. Selected Athletes will be required to participate in the following preparation event:

- 1 – 15 July - AIS Camp (exact duration to be confirmed)

5.4. Any Athlete who has overseas training and competition plans during these events, is able to seek exemption upon confirmation of their overseas plans. Confirmation of overseas plans must be provided to NCC at least 14 days prior to the above event.

5.5. Any injured Athlete will need to seek exemption based on the requirements outlined in INJURY/ILLNESS OF TEAM MEMBER's section of this document.

6. FUNDING

6.1. Selected Athletes will be funded to attend the AIS Training Camp in July.

6.2. An additional fixed figure of $1000 will be allocated to each selected Cadet Athlete who attends the Cadet World Championships.

7. INJURY/ILLNESS OF TEAM MEMBER

7.1. Athletes are required to report all performance limiting injuries, illnesses, conditions or medical operations that occur prior to or after their selection. Reporting includes medical evidence relating to the assessment, treatment and rehabilitation plan.

7.2. An injured Athlete that is unable to undergo full training, including regular Randori during the 2 weeks period prior to departure, may be withdrawn from the team as determined by the NCC.

8. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

8.1. The National Selection Committee will assume all NCC duties and responsibilities once it is officially active.

8.2. Appeals relating to Athlete Selections will follow the in procedure outlined in Clause 1.10 of the National Points and Selection Policy version 2013, or any superseding document.

8.3. Any incidences which breach the Team Agreement or Code of Conduct involving selected Athletes will be investigated and where relevant, penalties may be applied which could include the return of funded monies.

9. KEY DATES

Dates	Activity
8 June	National Points Table closed
9 -12 June	NCC approve selections
12 June	Communication to Athletes and Coaches by email
19 June	Closing date for Athlete Acceptance
1 -15 July	AIS Camp – exact duration tbc (Cadet Team Requirement)*
6 -9 August	Cadet World Championships (10-12 days anticipated trip duration)

* EOI for AIS Camp attendance will be processed pre Nationals so Athletes assuming CWC Selection will need to makes sure they apply to attend.