



2019-2020 TACT Point Score Policy

(as at 09/09/2019)

Important:

Competitors will only receive points at a race if they are financial members of Triathlon ACT on the DAY of the race (prior to the first race commencing).

If an athlete races outside of their own age group (e.g. in an “open” category), they will not accrue points towards their individual age group Point Score, however they will be able to accrue points towards the overall Triathlete of the Year Point Score.

Competitors starting in a wrong wave will not accrue points towards any Point Score.

Table 1 – Points by place:

Please note when calculating the Point Score, ineligible athletes will be excluded. Triathlon ACT members will be allocated a points function of their place once non-TACT members are excluded. i.e. If an ineligible athlete finishes in the top 10 places in any selection event the points allocated to that finishing position will “roll down” to the next eligible athlete.

Place	Points by Place *
1 st	10
2 nd	9
3 rd	8
4 th	7
5 th	6
6 th	5
7 th	4
8 th	3
9 th	2
10 th	1

Table 2 – Recognised age groups:

Male		Female	
U14 (12-13)	45-49	U14 (12-13)	45-49
U16 (14-15)	50-54	U16 (14-15)	50-54
U20 (16-19)	55-59	U20 (16-19)	55-59
20-24	60-64	20-24	60-64
25-29	65-69	25-29	65-69
30-34	70-74	30-34	70-74
35-39	75-79	35-39	75-79
40-44	80+	40-44	80+

The age is based on the competitor’s age as of Dec 31 2019.

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ACT Triathlete of the Year (overall category)

Points will be awarded as per Table 1 (page 1) and only allocated to Triathlon ACT members.

The placing relates to the individuals place in the overall race, regardless of age group. There will be a top 10 list for male and female categories.

Points will be awarded to the overall top 10 Triathlon ACT member competitors, male & female, regardless of starting wave.

Points can be accumulated at the following races (please note that races may be subject to changes):

Events	Date	Details
Sri Chinmoy Off-Road Duathlon (Long)	04/08/2019	Link
ACT Duathlon Championships (Sprint)	14/09/2019	Link
Jackie Fairweather Memorial Triathlon (Sprint DRAFT-LEGAL)	30/11/2019	Link
Capital Trilogy Triathlon (Enduro)	18-19/01/2020	Link
ACT Aquathlon Series (Long) – Race #1, Race #2, Race #3	Various (2020)	Link
Proximity Canberra Triathlon Festival (Standard)	15/02/2020	Link

The best 4 out of 6 races will count towards the final Point Score (Aquathlon series counts as one race). The individual with the most points at the end of the season will be the award winner. In the instance where one or more individuals have the same number of points, the winner will be determined by a count back (see page 6).

Please note that members competing in the Open (Elite/Under 23), Junior or Youth categories at the Capital Trilogy Triathlon will **NOT** be eligible for ACT Triathlete of the Year points as you will be racing different races to the age group athletes.

Awards given:

Male	Female
Overall Male Triathlete of the Year	Overall Female Triathlete of the Year

Age Group Triathlete of the Year

Points will be awarded as per Table 1 (page 1) for age groups 20-24 and above.

The placing relates to an individual's place in her/his age group. There will be a top 10 list for male and female categories in each age group– divided into the Triathlon Australia approved age groups (see Table 2 – page 1).

Points can be accumulated at the following races (please note that races may be subject to changes):

Events	Date	Details
Sri Chinmoy Off-Road Duathlon (Long)	04/08/2019	Link
ACT Duathlon Championships (Sprint)	14/09/2019	Link
Jackie Fairweather Memorial Triathlon (Sprint DRAFT-LEGAL)	30/11/2019	Link
Capital Trilogy Triathlon (Enduro)	18-19/01/2020	Link
ACT Aquathlon Series (Long) – Race #1, Race #2, Race #3	Various (2020)	Link
Proximity Canberra Triathlon Festival (Standard)	15/02/2020	Link

The best 4 out of 6 races will count towards the final Point Score (Aquathlon series counts as one race). The individual with the most points at the end of the season will be the award winner. In the instance where one or more individuals have the same number of points, the winner will be determined by a count back (see page 6).

Placing in the nominated novice series events will **NOT** accrue points for age group triathlete of the year awards.

Awards given:

Male		Female	
1 st 20-24	1 st 55-59	1 st 20-24	1 st 55-59
1 st 25-29	1 st 60-64	1 st 25-29	1 st 60-64
1 st 30-34	1 st 65-69	1 st 30-34	1 st 65-69
1 st 35-39	1 st 70-74	1 st 35-39	1 st 70-74
1 st 40-44	1 st 75-79	1 st 40-44	1 st 75-79
1 st 45-49	1 st 80+	1 st 45-49	1 st 80+
1 st 50-54		1 st 50-54	

Junior Point Score Awards

Due to regulations imposed on Juniors as to the distances they are able to race, points for the Age Group Triathlete of the year Point Score will only include specific races. Points will be awarded as per Table 1 (page 1).

Points can be accumulated at the following races (please note that races may be subject to changes):

Junior 12-13 **Best 4 out of 5 results from the following races - all Supersprint/Short distances:**

ACT Duathlon Championships (SuperSprint)
Jackie Fairweather Memorial Triathlon (Supersprint)
Capital Trilogy Triathlon (Supersprint)
ACT Aquathlon Series (Short)
Proximity Canberra Triathlon Festival (Supersprint)

Junior 14-15 **Best 4 out of 5 results from the following races:**

ACT Duathlon Championships (Supersprint)
Jackie Fairweather Memorial Triathlon (Supersprint)
Capital Trilogy Triathlon (Supersprint)
ACT Aquathlon Series (Short)
Proximity Canberra Triathlon Festival (Supersprint)

Junior 16-19 **Best 4 out of 5 results from the following races:**

Junior Short ACT Duathlon Championships (Supersprint)
Jackie Fairweather Memorial Triathlon (Supersprint)
Capital Trilogy Triathlon (Supersprint)
ACT Aquathlon Series (Short)
Proximity Canberra Triathlon Festival (Supersprint)

Junior 16-19 **Best 4 out of 5 results from the following races:**

Junior Long ACT Duathlon Championships (Sprint)
Jackie Fairweather Memorial Triathlon (Draft-Legal Sprint)
Capital Trilogy Triathlon (Enduro)
ACT Aquathlon Series (Long)
Proximity Canberra Triathlon Festival (Sprint)

The best 4 scores will count towards the final Point Score (Aqua series counts as one race). The individual with the most points at the end of the season will be the award winner. In the instance where one or more individuals have the same number of points, the winner will be determined by a count back (see page 6).

Placing in other course options of races will **NOT** accrue points for age group triathlete of the year awards.

Please note that members competing in the Junior or Youth categories at the Capital Trilogy Triathlon will not be eligible for ACT Junior Point Score points as you will be racing different races to the Junior category races noted above. Hence why the best 4 score count toward the final Point Score.

Juniors in any age groups are able to score points towards the open Triathlete of the year in any long race they are able to enter and complete.

The individual with the most points at the end of the season will be the award winner. In the instance where one or more individuals have the same number of points, the winner will be determined by a count back (see page 6).

Awards given:

Male	Female
1 st 12-13	1 st 12-13
1 st 14-15	1 st 14-15
1 st 16-19 (short)	1 st 16-19 (short)
1 st 16-19 (long)	1 st 16-19 (long)

Novice Point Score Awards

To accumulate points towards the Novice Point Score award, the participant must be part of a recognised novice program run by a club affiliated with Triathlon ACT. Points will be awarded as per Table 1 (page 1) for age groups 16-19 (Novice) and above.

The placing relates to an individual's place in her/his age group. There will be a top 10 list for male and female categories in each age group– divided into the Triathlon Australia approved age groups (see Table 2 – page 1).

Points can be accumulated at the following races (please note that races may be subject to changes):

Events	Date	Details
Jackie Fairweather Memorial Triathlon (Supersprint)	30/11/2019	Link
Capital Trilogy Triathlon (Supersprint)	18/01/2020	Link
ACT Aquathlon Series (Short) – Aqua Champs, Race #2, Race #3	Various (2020)	Link
Proximity Canberra Triathlon Festival (Supersprint)	15/02/2020	Link

The best 4 scores will count towards the final Point Score (Aqua series counts as one race). The individual with the most points at the end of the season will be the award winner. In the instance where one or more individuals have the same number of points, the winner will be determined by a count back (see page 6).

Point Score

If a Novice chooses to race in the longer races, they will accumulate points for the “Triathlete of the Year” and “Age-Group Triathlete of the Year” awards. However, they will **NOT** accumulate points towards the novice Point Score.

Awards given:

The top male and female novice overall as well as age group winners accumulating the most points will receive an award.

Male		Female	
Overall Novice Male Triathlete of the Year	1 st 50-54	Overall Novice Female Triathlete of the Year	1 st 50-54
1 st 20-24	1 st 55-59	1 st 20-24	1 st 55-59
1 st 25-29	1 st 60-64	1 st 25-29	1 st 60-64
1 st 30-34	1 st 65-69	1 st 30-34	1 st 65-69
1 st 35-39	1 st 70-74	1 st 35-39	1 st 70-74
1 st 40-44	1 st 75-79	1 st 40-44	1 st 75-79
1 st 45-49	1 st 80+	1 st 45-49	1 st 80+

Count Back Policy

Age Group Triathlete of the Year

When two or more competitors are tied at the end of the Point Score series, the winner will be determined using the following policy and in order:

- The competitor with the most number of wins (i.e. Point Scores of 10) in all races where points can be scored. If still tied,
- The competitor with the most number of second places (i.e. Point Scores of 9) in all races where points can be scored. If still tied,
- The competitor with the most number of third places (i.e. Point Scores of 8) in all races where points can be scored. If still tied,
- The competitor with the most number of head to head victories (in all races where points can be scored). If still tied,
- The competitor who finished ahead at the Proximity Canberra Triathlon Festival event. If still tied,
- The competitor who finished ahead at the Jackie Fairweather Memorial Triathlon (where applicable). If still tied,
- The competitor who finished ahead at the Capital Trilogy Triathlon (where applicable). If still tied,
- Both competitors will be declared joint winners.

Novice Point Score Award / Junior Awards

- The Competitor with the most number of wins (i.e. Point Scores of 10). If still tied,
- The competitor with the most number of second places (i.e. Point Scores of 9). If still tied,
- The competitor with the most number of third places (i.e. Point Scores of 8). If still tied,
- The competitor with the most number of head to head victories. If still tied,
- The competitor who finished ahead at Proximity Canberra Triathlon Festival event (where applicable). If still tied,
- The competitor who finished ahead at the Jackie Fairweather Memorial Triathlon (where applicable). If still tied,
- The competitor who finished ahead at the Capital Trilogy Triathlon (Novice Only, where applicable). If still tied,
- Both competitors will be declared joint winners.

Appendix

Summary of awards given:

Male		Female	
ACT Triathlete of the Year (open category)			
Overall Male Triathlete of the Year		Overall Female Triathlete of the Year	
Age Group Triathlete of the Year			
1 st 20-24	1 st 55-59	1 st 20-24	1 st 55-59
1 st 25-29	1 st 60-64	1 st 25-29	1 st 60-64
1 st 30-34	1 st 65-69	1 st 30-34	1 st 65-69
1 st 35-39	1 st 70-74	1 st 35-39	1 st 70-74
1 st 40-44	1 st 75-79	1 st 40-44	1 st 75-79
1 st 45-49	1 st 80+	1 st 45-49	1 st 80+
1 st 50-54		1 st 50-54	
Junior Point Score Awards			
1 st 12-13		1 st 12-13	
1 st 14-15		1 st 14-15	
1 st 16-19 (Short)		1 st 16-19 (Short)	
1 st 16-19 (Long)		1 st 16-19 (Long)	
Novice Point Score Awards			
Overall Novice Male Triathlete of the Year		Overall Novice Female Triathlete of the Year	
1 st 20-24	1 st 55-59	1 st 20-24	1 st 55-59
1 st 25-29	1 st 60-64	1 st 25-29	1 st 60-64
1 st 30-34	1 st 65-69	1 st 30-34	1 st 65-69
1 st 35-39	1 st 70-74	1 st 35-39	1 st 70-74
1 st 40-44	1 st 75-79	1 st 40-44	1 st 75-79
1 st 45-49	1 st 80+	1 st 45-49	1 st 80+
1 st 50-54		1 st 50-54	