



# Central Secondary School Championship

Hutt Valley Fencing Club and Fencing Central invite you to attend the 2022  
Fencing Central Secondary School Championship

## Key Information

**Date:** 23 April to 25 April 2022

**Venue:** [YMCA Upper Hutt, Somme Road, Heretaunga](#)

**Entries Due:** Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> April - Late entries are at discretion of the competition organiser and are subject to a penalty fee.

**Entry Form:** [Click here to enter](#)

**Contact:** [tournaments@fencingcentral.org.nz](mailto:tournaments@fencingcentral.org.nz)

Please note that all competitors must be affiliated members of FeNZ. Go to [fencing.org.nz](http://fencing.org.nz) to affiliate with your relevant region.

## Equipment Standards

Fencing NZ Events and Tournaments are Vaccine Certificate Required events. **No Jab, No Stab.**

Double (or triple) vaccinations – evidenced by a MOH Vaccine Pass are mandatory for all eligible persons attending a Fencing NZ event or competition, unless proof of exemption from the MOH is provided in advance along with an approved negative test not older than 72h. Please contact us beforehand as unannounced exemptions will not be accepted on the day.

## Competition Fees

**One Weapon (Individual):** \$40.00

**2+ Weapons (Individual):** \$50.00

**1+ Weapons (Team Event):** \$10.00 per person

**Late entry fee:** \$20.00

Payment can be made by direct deposit to 02-0500-0025212-002. Please reference as fencer's name and "CSS22". Fees will alternatively be accepted as cash at registration on the day. Cheques will not be accepted.

## General Information

There will be a food stall at the tournament. Fencing Central is taking steps towards reducing the amount of waste produced at our tournaments. Therefore, we encourage everybody to bring their own reusable drink bottle or travel mug that can be refilled using the facilities at the venue.

## Equipment Standards

Equipment standards for this competition are pursuant to [FeNZ Minimum Equipment Requirements](#).

**Jacket:** Jacket & Plastron 1150N total

**Plastron:** Jacket & Plastron 1150N total

**Breeches:** 350N

**Masks:** 350N

**Weapons:** FIE / S2000

## Disclaimer

All information contained in this document was correct at time of publication. Competition details are subject to change at the discretion of the tournament organiser. Please visit [fencingcentral.org.nz](http://fencingcentral.org.nz) for the most up-to-date competition information.

By registering as a participant in this tournament, you are agreeing to abide by the rules of fencing as set out by the FIE, OFC, Fencing New Zealand, and any directions given by the organisers in relation to the running of the tournament. You agree that you fence at your own risk, and that should emergency medical care need be sought, that this is at your own expense in the event of sudden accident or illness.

## COVID-19 Protocols

While there is a risk of COVID-19 in the community and New Zealand is at Alert Level one or higher the following additional rules and protocols will be followed:

- Fencers, coaches, officials, and spectators who are sick or have any COVID-19 symptoms should withdraw from the competition and stay away from the venue.
- The DT has the right to refuse entry to a competitor, coach, official or spectator who is showing signs of being unwell. This will be determined by a medically trained officer who will administer a temperature check. If the result comes back over 38C+ they shall be removed from the competition.
- Fencers' equipment & whites must be clean and recently washed.
- There is to be no sharing of fencing equipment or water bottles.
- Please sign in with the government COVID Tracer App when you enter the venue.
- The change to rule t.122 will apply. Fencers will not shake hands of their opponent or the referee on the piste but will salute instead.
- There is to be no hugging or kissing at the conclusion of bouts.
- Spare weapons/ body wires need to be kept either in a piste bag or neatly at the end of the piste. They need to be removed by the fencer at the end of each bout.
- Hand sanitiser will be at each piste for use before fencers start poules & DE rounds.
- QR codes will be posted around the venue that will link fencers to the live competition results. Results will not be posted in one location within the venue, as we wish to minimise large congregation of fencers/ coaches and spectators.
- If there is an alert level change in Wellington, guidelines will be issued to all registered fencers with any updates regarding venue, spectators or any additional protocol that will be put into place.

## Competition Format and Timetable

All individual events will be a round of pools followed by direct elimination round. Team event format is subject to entry numbers, if four or less teams we will do a Pool, if more than four teams we will do a Tableau.

Weapons control (weights and gauges) will be tested on the piste.

If numbers permit separate men and women events may be held concurrently. 6+ fencers will be required to split genders for any event, any less and the event will be mixed.

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### Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> April

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Event	Registration	Start time
Individual Foil	9:00am - 9:15am	9:30am
Team Foil	Upon completion of individual event	

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### Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> April

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Event	Registration	Start time
Individual Épée	9:00am - 9:15am	9:30am
Team Épée	Upon completion of individual event	

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### Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April (ANZAC Day)

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Event	Registration	Start time
Individual Sabre	9:30am - 9:45am	10:00am
Team Sabre	Upon completion of individual event	