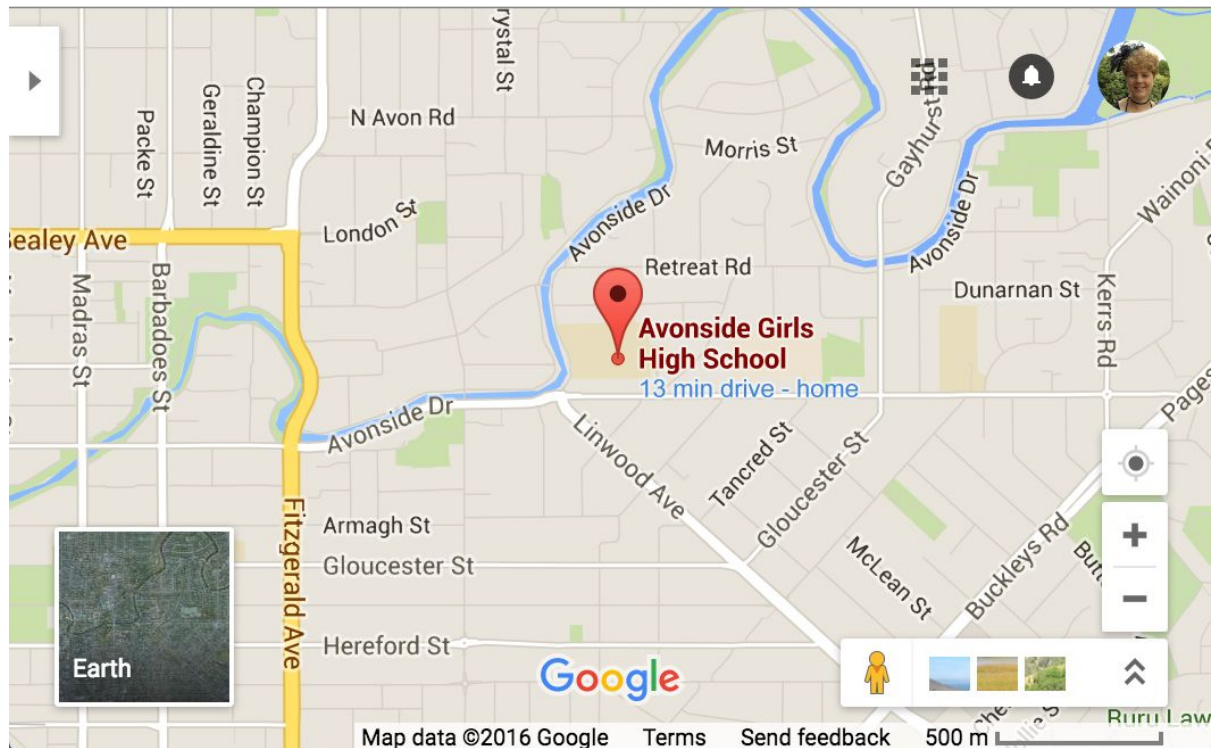


President's Cup, Veteran Epee Challenge, U23 Sabre Champs 2016

Date: Saturday 30th July, Sunday 31st July 2016

Venue: Avonside Girls High School Gymnasium, 180 Avonside Drive



The link below is to the actual map of the venue location

<https://goo.gl/maps/SG91t9cCRdR2>

Competition Format: 1 round of poules (Bouts to 5 hits) followed by direct elimination (Bouts to 15 hits).

All weapons will be fenced as separate gender with the exception of Veteran Epee and U23 Sabre. These events will be fenced mixed gender unless we have enough fencers to run separate mens and womens events ie: 6+ competitors for each gender.

Medals: Gold, Silver & 2 Bronze medals will be awarded in each event

Eligibility:

President's Cup: This is an open event and is open to all fencers who are 17 years and above. Fencers who fence in the U17(Cadet) section may fence with the approval of their coach and their region.

Veteran Epee Challenge: Open to all fencers who will be 40+ years old on 31st December 2016 ie: born in 1976 or before.

U23 Sabre: Open to all fencers who were under the age of 23 years old 1st January 2016.
ie: Born in 1993 including 1st January 1994

All fencers must be affiliated with FeNZ(Fencing New Zealand) and their region. Please see your region's website to see what you need to do to become an affiliated member.

Equipment Standards:

Clothing: Minimum of 1150N protection for Torso. This can be made up either by 350N Jacket with an 800N plastron or 800N Jacket with a 350N plastron.

350N Breeches,

350N Mask. All masks must be fitted well and in good state and elastic in good condition. Leon Paul Contour-Fit masks are acceptable with a single security fitting at the back, providing the elastic is in good condition and the mask well fitted so that it does not fall off during fencing.

Visor Masks are strictly prohibited for all 3 weapons

Foil: Lamé Bibs and FIE blades required, Bayonet and 2 pin body wires accepted.

Epee: FIE blades required, Leon Paul SR-1 blades with the V profile stamped 2013 to 2015 will not be accepted.

Sabre: FIE blades S2000 or later blades required.

Weapons Check:

Thursday Night-28 July: At the Fencing Institute. If you train on a Thursday night and you are fencing in this competition. You can get your weapons checked between 8:30pm and 9pm

Friday Night- 29 July: At the venue, Avonside Girls Gym- for Christchurch Fencer and traveling fencers who have already arrived. 6pm to 8pm

Weapons Check will be open 1 hour before each event. Priority will be given to out of town fencers at this time. Christchurch fencers please make sure you have had your weapons checked on either Thursday or Friday night.

Entry Fee: Entries close at 5pm on Wednesday 27th July 2016

Early Bird Entry Fee: You are eligible for early bird entry if you have registered and paid by internet banking/ paypal by Wednesday 13th July 2016

Presidents Cup Entry Fee is \$42 for first weapon, \$20 for each additional weapon

Veteran Epee Challenge Entry Fee is \$42

U23 Sabre Champs Entry Fee is \$42

Entry Fee after Wednesday 13th July 2016 will be:

Presidents Cup Entry Fee is \$52 for first weapon, \$30 for each additional weapon

Veteran Epee Challenge Entry Fee is \$52

U23 Sabre Champs Entry Fee is \$52

Details for Internet banking:

Account number: 03-0802-0087494-00

As a reference please put fencer's name and which competition they are fencing in ie: John Smith Presidents Cup, U23 Sabre

MidSouth would like all entry fees to be paid by internet banking or using our online payment system at time of registration.

Entry Form:

[Click Here To Enter](#)

Timetable:**Saturday 30th July**

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| 7:45am to 8:30am | Registration Men's Foil |
| 8:45am | Men's Foil Competition Commences |
| 9:45am to 10:30am | Registration Women's Epee |
| 10:45am | Women's Epee Competition Commences |
| 12:30pm to 1:15pm | Registration Sabre & Veteran Epee |
| 3pm | Sabre & Veteran Epee Competition Commences (or earlier if all competitors are available) |

Sunday 31st July

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| 7:45am to 8:30am | Registration Men's Epee |
| 8:45am | Men's Epee Competition Commences |
| 9:45am to 10:30am | Registration Women's Foil |
| 10:45am | Women's Foil Competition Commences |
| 12:30pm to 1:15pm | Registration U23 Sabre |
| 2pm | U23 Sabre Competition Commences (or when all competitors are available) |

Canteen: A canteen will be available on site for food and drink. Please note there are no cafes or take away places close to the venue.

Mobile Coffee Cart:

Paul from Coffee Vice will visit the venue for a refuel both days of the competition

Live Results: The competition will have its results available live from the venue.

Click on the link to follow the competition updates

[Live Link](#)

Accommodation: Accommodation can be sourced and booked through the link of the Veteran Commonwealth Fencing Page. By booking your accommodation via this link Fencing MidSouth will receive funding to help run commonwealth vets in November.

Booking Link Below

[Book Here](#)

The closest accommodation to the venue is in the CBD. BreakFre is a cheap and trendy option.