

**2015 South Island Championships  
2015 NZU23 Epee Championships  
2015 Veteran Epee Challenge**

**Christchurch, 29-30 August 2015**

A warm welcome is waiting for fencers and their supporters.

**Venue:** The Fencing Institute, Jack Hinton Dr, Addington

**Map:**

<https://www.google.co.nz/maps/place/91+Jack+Hinton+Dr,+Addington,+Christchurch+8024/@-43.54462,172.6054194,16z/data=!4m2!3m1!1s0x6d318a7d7f48c719:0x5ce7c47d17c90faa>

**Format:** 1 Round of pools followed by Direct Elimination.

**Eligibility:** **South Island Champs:** Open

**Veteran Epee Challenge :** Fencers 40 years or over on 1 January 2015

**NZU23 Epee Champs :** Fencers under 23 years of age on 1 January 2015.

Fencers must be affiliated as competitive fencers to Fencing New Zealand and their region at the time of entry. An affiliation check will be done for all entries on Thursday 20 August.

**Weapons Check: At The Venue (For Equipment Standards, please see below)**

1. For Christchurch Fencers and travelling fencers who have arrived - Weapons Check will be Friday 28 August, 6pm to 8pm
2. Weapons Check will open 1 hour before each event for those travelling from out of town.

**Entry fee:** \$40 1st weapon per Event, \$20 each additional weapon per Event

**Entry Form:** <http://goo.gl/forms/rm3Va1S4vc>

**Timetable:**

**Times subject to change depending on entries.**

**Saturday 29 August**

8.30am Men's Foil registration closes  
9.00am Men's Foil starts  
10.30am Women's Foil registration closes  
11.30am Women's Foil starts  
2pm U23 Epee & Veterans Epee registration closes  
2pm approx Men's Foil Final  
2.30pm approx Women's Foil final  
3pm Women's & Men's Veterans Epee starts (or earlier if all competitors available)  
3.30pm NZU23 Women's & Men's Epee starts (or earlier if all competitors available)  
6pm approx Finish

**Sunday 30 August**

**Times subject to change depending on entries**

8.30am Men's Epee registration closes  
9.00am Men's Epee starts  
10.30am Women's Epee registration closes  
11.30am Women's Epee starts  
2pm approx Epee Finals  
2pm Men's & Women's Sabre registration closes  
3pm Men's Sabre starts (or earlier if all competitors available)  
3pm Women's Sabre starts (or earlier if all competitors available)  
4.30 approx Sabre finals  
5.00pm approx Finish

**Accommodation:** If you would like some ideas of where to stay please contact organisers.  
leasaogilvie@gmail.com or 027-478 3456

## **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.

**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 required. Visor Masks will not be accepted. The upgraded 800N FIE Sabre gloves are not currently required in FeNZ competitions. FeNZ will advise next week if there is any change to this standard.

## **Canteen:**

Food and drinks will be available at the venue.

Good news for coffee lovers and people with cold hands: A Mobile Coffee Car will be at the venue each day at 10.30am. Pre-orders paid by cash will be taken at registration or you can line up and pay by eftpos direct from the car when it opens.

## **Results:**

Live results will be available from the Fencing Mid South web site:

<http://www.fencingmidsouth.org.nz/Results/SouthIslandChamps2015/index.htm>