

BOXING AUSTRALIA 2011 NATIONAL PROGRAMS SELECTION GUIDELINES

The purpose of this document is to set out guidelines for the BAI Program Selection Committee, BAI High Performance Staff and CoE Coaches when selecting athletes for 2011 Boxing Australia High Performance programs, 2011 Boxing Australia International and National Competition Tours (**not National Teams**) and 2011 Boxing Australia International, National and State camps.

1. NATIONAL PROGRAMS

Boxing Australia's 'National Programs' are in reference to the following and are not National Teams:

- Boxing Australia 'Academy'
- Boxing Australia State 'Centre of Excellence (CoE)'
- Boxing Australia 'Futures'
- Boxing Australia 'GirlPower'
- Boxing Australia 'Road to Rio'

Athlete selection for the above programs will be made off the following guidelines.

1.1 Boxing Australia Academy

- The boxer must have competed at the 2011 Australian Championships at Men's/Women's Elite division or challenged a winner from the 2011 Australian Championships pursuant to the right granted any boxer competing in World Series Boxing
- The boxer must have won at the 2011 Australian Championships or a permitted challenge bout in a 2012 Official Olympic weight category
- The boxer must be a potential athlete for London 2012
- The boxer must be able to training in Canberra from 20 June to 1 September and October 1 to 20 November (dates subject to confirmation)
- Selection will be at the discretion of the "National Program's Selection Committee"

1.2 Boxing Australia State 'Centre of Excellence (CoE)'

- The boxer must have competed at the 2011 Australian Championships or challenged a winner from the 2011 Australian Championships pursuant to the right granted any boxer competing in World Series Boxing or competed at their relevant State/Territory Affiliate Members Selection Trial at Men's/Women's Elite or Men's/Women's Youth division
- The boxer must be a potential athlete for London 2012
- Selection will be at the discretion of the "National Program's Selection Committee"

1.3 Boxing Australia 'Futures'

- The boxer must have competed at the 2011 Australian Championships at Men's Youth or Junior division
- Selection will be made upon the athlete's long-term development potential and not the current strongest athlete.
- Selection will be at the discretion of the "National Program's Selection Committee"

1.4 Boxing Australia 'GirlPower'

- The squad will be comprised of:

- Boxers that competed at the 2011 Australian Championships in the Women's Youth or Junior division
- Novices boxers from within the sport, or a talent transfer from other combat sports (must not have had an amateur boxing history)
- Selection will be at the discretion of the "National Program's Selection Committee"

1.5 Boxing Australia 'Road to Rio'

- The boxers will be comprised of:
 - Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander and Heavyweight
 - The boxer must have competed at the 2011 Australian Championships or the relevant State/Territory Affiliate Members Selection Trial
 - Selection will be at the discretion of the "National Program's Selection Committee"

2. INTERNATIONAL & NATIONAL COMPETITION TOURS

2.1 European Tour (Chemistry Cup, Grand Prix Usti&GeeBee Tournament)

2.1.1 Men's Selection

- Five (5) winners from the 2011 Australian Championships will be offered selection for the 2011 European Tour from the 14th March to 12th April
- Selection will be based upon the weight divisions that can be catered for at these tournaments (60kg, 64kg, 69kg, 81kg & 91+kg)
- If an athlete cannot commit, then a replacement athlete will be selected from either the CoE, the silver medallist from the 2011 Australian Championships or the winner of that weight category from the Youth division at the 2011 Australian Championships.
- Selection will be at the discretion of the "National Program's Selection Committee"
- These are indicative dates that could change

2.1.2 Women's Selection

- Three (3) winners from the 51kg, 60kg and 75kg weight categories at the 2011 Australian Championships will be selected for the European Tour.
- Boxers' won't be competing at all three events.
- If an athlete cannot commit, then a replacement athlete will be selected from among other boxers at the 2011 Australian Championships

2.2 Cuba Tour (Cordova Cardin Tournament & Robert Salado Cup)

- Five (5) winners from the 2011 Australian Championships will be offered selection for the 2011 Cuba Tour from 1st May to 14th June.
- Selection will be based upon the following weight divisions(49kg, 52kg, 56kg, 75kg & 91kg)
- If an athlete cannot commit, a replacement athlete will be selected from either the National Team in another weight category, CoE, the silver medallist from the 2011 Australian Championships or the winner of that weight category from the Youth division at the 2011 Australian Championships
- Selection will be at the discretion of the "National Program's Selection Committee"
- These are indicative dates that could change

2.3 London Test Event

- Five (5) Male athletes will compete at the London Test event in November 2011

- Selection for this event will be from the male athletes within the BAI Academy
- If Academy can't cater for all spots, the selectors will use their discretion to select athletes from the CoE program.
- Selection will be at the discretion of the "National Program's Selection Committee"
- This is subject to change upon additional information provided from AIBA and the Test Event organisers in regards to weight categories.

2.4 Potential Oceania Tournament

- A tournament will be identified within Oceania.
- Athletes with the CoE program, GirlPower, Futures and Road to Rio are eligible.
- Selection for this tournament will be based on weight divisions and experience.
- Selection will be at the discretion of the "National Program's Selection Committee"

2.5 Other

- Other tournaments identified by BAI High Performance program will choose athletes based upon the "National Program's Selection Committee" discretion

3. **INTERNATIONAL, NATIONAL & STATE CAMPS**

3.1 International Camps

- No international camps are forecast for 2011. The European Tour and Cuban Tour will have periods of general training in-lead up and throughout those events.
- Selection for any international camps identified throughout the year by the BAI High Performance program will be up to the "National Programs Selection Committees" discretion

3.2 National Camps

3.2.1 National Team Preparation Camps

3.2.1.1 Men's Elite Team

- Elite Men's Team will be having a preparation camp in Kabarovsk, Russia from 22nd August to 14th September
- Other camps throughout the year may be held at the Academy in Canberra at the Head Coache's discretion
- These are indicative dates that could change

3.2.1.2 Men's Commonwealth Youth Team

- Men's Commonwealth Youth Team will be having a preparation camp at a location to be confirmed

3.2.1.3 Men's World Junior Team

- Men's World Junior Team will be having a preparation camp in Brisbane on dates to be confirmed

3.2.2 National Program Camps (Pre-Elite)

- Athletes selected in the GirlPower, Road to Rio and Futures will be invited to a National Camp at the Academy in Canberra

3.3 State Camps

3.3.1 National Technical Days

- 2011 Academy and CoE Scholarships are required to attend their state National Technical Days.
- Additional athletes from other BAI programs (GirlPower, Futures, Road to Rio) or Teams (Youth or Juniors) may be additional top-up athletes.
- State CoE Coaches may select athletes from outside the BAI High Performance program to provide additional partners.

3.3.2 Pre-Elite Camps

- Each state/territory through the CoE will conduct numerous camps throughout the year.
- The camps are to target Junior/Youth & Novice Females, Heavyweight & Indigenous and Male Junior & Youth
- Athletes selected in the BAI Futures, BAI GirlPower and BAI Road to Rio are required to attend these state camps
- State CoE Coaches may select athletes from outside the BAI High Performance program to provide additional partners.

4. **2011 PROGRAM SELECTION COMMITTEE**

4.1 The Program Selection Committee will be reviewed by the BAI Board each year

4.2 The 2011 BAI Program Selection Committee has the following membership:

- Bodo Andreass - BAI Head Coach/National Technical Director
- Don Abnett - BAI National Coach
- Phil Goodes - BAI National Team Selector
- Ron Pengelly - BAI National Team Selector
- Jim Ferguson (Chair, Non-voting)

5. **SELECTION**

5.1 Timeline

- All National program selections will be complete by COB Friday 11th March 2011
- The European Tour Team will be selected by noon Monday 7th March 2011
- These are indicative dates and times that could change
- Other Teams will be selected as appropriate.

5.2 Athlete notice

- Athletes will be notified of their selection through their state affiliate member
- Once an athlete has been notified of their selection and sign an agreement any communication regarding the program will be direct from BAI to the athlete.

6. **BOARD APPROVAL**

- All National Programs & Team Selections need to be approved and endorsed by the board.

KEY DATES - INTERNATIONAL & NATIONAL COMPETITIONS & CAMPS

| DATE | PROGRAM | TYPE | DESCRIPTION | LOCATION |
|----------------------|--|---------------|--|----------------------|
| 3 March to 6 March | BAI Operations | National | Australian Championships | Melbourne |
| 6 March | National Programs, National Teams and European & Cuba Tour Selection | | | |
| 14 March to 20 March | Academy &CoE | International | CHEMISTRY CUP Competition and General Training for 1 Week | Halle, Germany |
| 21 March to 6 April | Academy &CoE | International | GRAND PRIX USTI Competition and General Training for 2 Weeks | Usti, Czech Republic |
| 7 April to 14 April | Academy &CoE | International | GEEBEE TOURNAMENT Competition and General Training for 1 week | Helsinki, Finland |
| ?? | National Team | National | WOMEN'S JUNIOR PREP CAMP | Canberra? |
| 21 April to 1 May | National Team | International | WOMEN'S YOUTH/JUNIOR WORLDS Competition for 10 days | Antalya, Turkey |
| 1 May to 30 May | Academy &CoE | International | CUBA TRAINING General Training for 4 weeks | Havana, Cuba |
| 1 June to 8 June | Academy &CoE | International | GIRALDO CORDOVA CARDIN Competition and General Training for 1 week | Havana, Cuba |
| 9 June to 13 June | Academy & COE | International | ROBERTO BALADO IN MEMORIAM Competition and General Training for 1 week | Havana, Cuba |
| 13 June to 18 June | National Team | National | MALE JUNIORS PREP CAMP Preparation Camp for athletes going | Brisbane |

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| | | | to World Juniors | |
| 20 July to 31 July | National Team | International | MALE JUNIOR WORLDS Competition for 10 days | Astana, Kazakhstan |
| 22 August to 14 Sept | National Team | International | PREPARATION CAMP General Training for 3 weeks | Kabarovsk, Russia |
| 7 Sept to 13 Sept | National Team | International | COMMONWEALTH YOUTH GAMES Competition for 1 week | Isle of Man |
| 16 Sept to 1 October | National Team | International | ELITE WORLD CHAMPIONSHIPS Competition for 2 weeks | Baku, Azerbaijan |
| 11 Nov to 14 Nov | Pre-Elite Programs | National | NATIONAL CAMP National Camp for Road to Rio & GirlPower | Canberra |
| 23 Nov to 27 Nov | Academy | International | OLYMPIC TEST EVENT Competition | London, England |
| 2 Dec to 11 Dec | As Selected | International | PRESIDENTS CUP Competition for 1 week. Oceania Team | TBC |
| TBC | Pre-Elite Programs (Selected) | International | OCEANIA TOUR | TBC |

KEY DATES - NATIONAL TECHNICAL DAYS

| DATE | PROGRAM | TYPE | DESCRIPTION | LOCATION |
|-------------|---------|----------|---|----------------------------------|
| 9 April | CoE | National | NATIONAL TECHNICAL DAY General Training & Comp/Task orientated sparring. | CoE Athlete's home city |
| 14 May | CoE | National | NATIONAL TECHNICAL DAY General Training & Comp/Task orientated sparring. | Darwin & CoE Athlete's home city |
| 2 July | CoE | National | NATIONAL TECHNICAL DAY General Training & Comp/Task orientated sparring. | CoE Athlete's home city |
| 13 August | CoE | National | NATIONAL TECHNICAL DAY General Training & Comp/Task orientated sparring. | CoE Athlete's home city |
| 10 Sept | CoE | National | NATIONAL TECHNICAL DAY General Training & Comp/Task orientated sparring. | CoE Athlete's home city |
| 12 November | CoE | National | NATIONAL TECHNICAL DAY General Training & Comp/Task orientated sparring. | CoE Athlete's home city |

KEY DATES - STATE CAMPS

| DATE | PROGRAM | STATE | DESCRIPTION | LOCATION |
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Camp Structure & Dates are to be confirmed.