

North Carolina AAU Gymnastics

State Qualifier Requirements for Event Host

- **Title of your meet**
 - should be unique to your theme or club name with the added verbiage of “AAU Qualifier” (I.e. “Stick-It AAU Qualifier”, “Candy Land AAU Qualifier”) NOT the number of the qualifier (I.e. not “2nd AAU Qualifier”).
- **Athlete Fees**
 - Qualifier (In-House) \$75 Max per athlete / \$40 Max per team
 - Qualifier (Outside Facility) \$90 Max per athlete/ \$40 Max per team
 - State Meet - \$100 Max per athlete / \$50 Max per team
- **Spectator Fees**
 - IN-HOUSE: Adults = \$10 Max door fee, Children (ages 3 & under) = FREE
 - OUTSIDE FACILITY: Adults = \$15 Max door fee, Children (ages 3 & under) = FREE
- **AAU Event license** (insurance)
 - Event directors must apply for & pay for the event license by September 1 for the full length of competition and listed as a “preliminary”
- **Awards**
 - Must be custom Mylar insert medals that include the AAU Shield (request high def logo if needed) from the preferred vendor of the host choice that also include the name of the event.
 - Team awards should be approved by the District Chair.
 - Additional awards optional (I.e. “Stick It” award, “Beam Queen”, etc)
- **Judges**
 - 2 judge panels are required (apprentice judges may be added as the 3rd judge and will be arranged & paid for by Team NC AAU)
 - Single hotel rooms must be offered to judges (entry fees have been increased to absorb this cost)
 - Judges request fees (\$3/judge) are paid for by Team NC AAU
 - Your meet will be listed on the NC-NAWGJ website but it is the responsibility of the meet host to update the information to reflect the accuracy of your event details.
- **Registration**
 - Registrations are required to be collected through Meetmaker
 - Meetmaker listing fee is paid for by Team NC AAU

- Registration deadline should be 30+ days from the starting date of your event
- Qualifiers are required to host a minimum of 400 athletes on Saturday/Sunday only. As a courtesy to the other event directors of qualifiers hosted the weekend before, after, or during your event to redirect clubs to the additional qualifiers before allowing them into your competition after you have exceeded 400 athletes.
- ONLY scores achieved prior to your registration deadline are considered for awards ability divisions.
- Qualifiers are under the Team NC AAU umbrella and receive a discounted processing fee of 2.5%
- Meetmaker processing fees are paid for by the registering clubs
- Meet director is responsible for updating bank information to receive entry fee deposits
- **Levels Offered**
 - Copper, bronze, silver, gold, platinum, diamond, sapphire, levels 6-10 (female & coed)
 - Boys 4x4
 - Adults (female & coed)
- **Athlete gift**
 - is required and is subject to the discretion of the meet director. Approximate expense is \$2-\$4/ea.
- **Meet director fee**
 - \$2.50/per gymnast is due within 48 hours of the conclusion of competition & Fees are paid for through Meetmaker.
 - Meet directors not using ScoreKing must submit full results file to Julie King within 48 hours: Carolinakingssoftware@gmail.com
- **Marketing & advertising**
 - Host creates flyers to be emailed to clubs through NC AAU & published on social media platforms. (Email distribution lists are not provided per the AAU code.)