

2017 Australian Open Regulations	
Location	Melbourne - AUSTRALIA
Dates of Competition	Friday 17 th March - Saturday 18 th March – Sunday 19 th March, 2017
Competition Venue	Eleiko Weightlifting Stadium Linda Crescent, Hawthorn, Melbourne
Entry Fee	\$100 Note: No refunds will be given once the entry has been processed
Qualification	Athletes must have registered the minimum qualification standard detailed in Table 1 in any AWF sanctioned event during the period 2 June, 2016 – 5 February, 2017. The minimum standard for male athletes is AWF B.II Grade and for female athletes C.I Grade.
Preliminary Entry	Entries will open on the 12th of December. Preliminary entry must be completed electronically together with payment of the \$100 entry fee via website link www.awf.com.au/registration/ no later than Monday 6th February, 2017.
Awards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • T-Shirt • Medals – Top 3 per category off totals only • Prize money for Top 3 Sinclair ranked male and female athletes
Verification of Final Entries	Eleiko Weightlifting Stadium – 1700hrs, Thursday 16 th March, 2016
Categories	Men 56k,62k,69k,77k,85k,94k,105k, +105k Women 48k,53k,58k, 63k,69k,75k,90k, +90k
Final Entry	Once qualified athletes may choose to go up or down a weight category at the final verification of entries.
Athlete Identification	Athletes must produce Passport/Driving Licence or other photo ID at the weigh-in. Failure to produce photo ID will result in the athlete not being able to contest the event.
Individual Placing	Individual Placing will be calculated off Totals only. Any athlete not registering a result in the Snatch will be allowed to participate in the Clean & Jerk section of the competition but will not be eligible for medals or prizes.
Doping Control	Doping Control will be conducted by ASADA.
Equipment	Eleiko barbells and weights
Accommodation	<p>Quest Hawthorn – 616 Glenferrie Rd, Hawthorn – Tel: 03 8803 7700</p> <p>Glenferrie Hotel – 324 Burwood Rd, Hawthorn – Tel: 03 9818 6530</p> <p>Hawthorn Gardens Service Apartments– 750 Toorak Rd, Hawthorn East – Tel: 03 9822 7699</p> <p>Pathfinder Motel – Cnr Burke Rd & Cotham Rds, Kew – Tel: 03 9816 1600</p>
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Table 1

Qualification Standards

Female: C.I Grade
 Male: B.II Grade

F48k	F53k	F58k	F63k	F69k	F75k	F90k	F+90k
101	110	118	124	133	138	145	151
M56k	M62k	M69k	M77k	M85k	M94k	M105k	M+105k
163	177	194	204	215	222	227	254

