



**56. ŠALAMUNOV MEMORIAL 2025
YOUTH & CHILDREN CATEGORIES
Maribor, Slovenia, June 4th – 8th, 2025**

***ADDITIONAL DIRECTIVES FOR YOUTH AND CHILDREN AGE
GROUP***

WAG:

- ❖ **Youth**: 11, 12 and 13 years old (born in 2012 - 2014),
- ❖ **Children**: 10 years old and younger (born in 2015 or after).

MAG:

- ❖ **Youth***: 13 - 15 years old and younger (born in 2010 - 2012),
- ❖ **Children**: 12 years old and younger (born in 2013 or after).

**Boys born in 2010 can choose to compete in youth age group or in junior category.*



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WAG Competition rules for Youth and Children age group

Youth

- ✓ **Vault:** FIG rules for Juniors,

- ✓ **Uneven Bars:**
 - FIG rules for Juniors;
 - DV: Dismount + 6 most difficult elements;
 - Deductions for short exercises:
 - 6 - 7 elements – no deduction
 - 5 elements - 3.00 P.
 - 3 - 4 elements - 6.00 P.
 - 1 - 2 elements - 8.00.
 - no elements – 10.00 P.

- ✓ **Balance Beam and Floor Exercise**
 - Deductions for short exercises (same as FIG for Juniors):
 - 6 or more elements – no deductions
 - 5 elements – 4.00 P.
 - 3 - 4 elements – 6.00 P.
 - 1 - 2 elements – 8.00 P.
 - no elements – 10.00 P.

- ✓ **All apparatuses:**
 - Additional soft mat (10 cm) is allowed on all apparatuses.

Children

- ✓ **Vault:**
 - D and E score: FIG;
 - Height of apparatus: 115 - 125 cm;
 - 2 spring boards are allowed.

- ✓ **Uneven Bars:**
 - DV: Dismount + 5 most difficult elements;
 - CR, CV and E score: FIG;



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- Deductions for short exercises:
 - 5 - 6 elements – no deduction
 - 4 elements - 3.00 P.
 - 3 elements - 6.00 P.
 - 1 - 2 elements - 8.00 P.
 - no elements – 10.00 P.
 - Additional elements will be credited as A-elements:
 - ❖ cast squat-on, (tucked or picked) with jump on HB,
 - ❖ $\frac{3}{4}$ giant on HB;
 - No deduction for 1 intermediate swing, performed as preparation for DMT
 - Additional mat under uneven bars is allowed for dismount (20 cm height).
- ✓ **Balance Beam:**
- DV: Dismount + 7 most difficult elements (min 3 acro + 3 dance + 1 optional);
 - CR: FIG; DV: FIG; E score: FIG;
 - Additional elements will be credited as A-elements:
 - ❖ roll fwd, stopping on the back,
 - ❖ roll bwd, grasp underneath the beam with the hands,
 - ❖ turn on one leg 180°;
 - Additional mats under beam are allowed (20 cm height).
 - Additional mat for dismount is allowed (20 cm height).
- ✓ **Floor Exercise:**
- DV: Dismount + 7 most difficult elements (min 3 acro + 3 dance + 1 optional);
 - CR, DV and E score: FIG;
 - Additional elements will be credited as A-elements:
 - ❖ roll bwd to handstand;
 - Simple somersault also counts as acro line and can full-fill CR.
- ✓ **Balance Beam and Floor Exercise:**
- Deductions for short exercises (same as FIG for Juniors):
 - 6 or more elements – no deductions
 - 5 elements – 4.00 P.
 - 3 - 4 elements – 6.00 P.
 - 1 - 2 elements – 8.00 P.
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- ✓ **All apparatuses:**
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MAG Competition rules for Youth and Children age group:

Youth

- ✓ FIG rules for Juniors
- ✓ **Vault** – Height of apparatus: 125 – 135 cm
- ✓ *Additional soft mat (10 cm) is allowed on all apparatuses.*

Children

- ✓ FIG rules for Juniors
- ✓ Element not included in FIG COP - 0,1 (counts into number of elements, can not fulfill requirement for element group)
- ✓ **Start value for short exercises:**
 - 5 elements – 10.00
 - 4 elements – 8.00
 - 3 elements – 6.00
 - 1-2 elements – 4.00
- ✓ **Dismounts:**
 - A = 0.30
 - B or more = 0.50
- ✓ **Vault** – Height of apparatus: 115 – 135 cm, 2 springboards are allowed
- ✓ **Pommel horse** – spring board or mat is allowed for mount
- ✓ **Half swing is allowed**
- ✓ *Additional soft mat (10 cm) is allowed on all apparatuses.*

Other information are published in Directives for competition.