

2024 Field State Championships Venues

Hockey NSW is pleased to announce the venues and dates for the 2024 Field State Championships.

Hockey NSW has completed a thorough Expression of Interest process and received a submission from a large number of interested Associations.

The dates and venues below follow on from the Field State Championship review that was undertaken in 2023. The outcome of that review is the catalyst behind the changes to the structure of the Opens and Under 18s FSC. Hockey NSW has also adjusted the age groups for the Under 14s and Under 16s for this to now be in line with Hockey Australia and the National Championships.

Furthermore, the Under 14s and Under 16s dates have been adjusted to allow athletes, coaches, and officials a more structured timeline in accordance with their respective National Championships. NSW State Team selections will be removed from the State Championships with these selections now being run through the Futures program, as indicated in the review. State Championships will now be seen as a talent identification opportunity to align with our talent pathway.

Hockey NSW is dedicated to not only providing great events for stakeholders, but as an organisation we are focussed on allocating our premier events to regions and associations that meet the Hockey NSW core event principles.

Hockey NSW core event principles

- Quality of Facilities and Community Infrastructure (ability to accommodate, feed and support the number of visitors to the town/region)
- Leverage both existing and new Council Partnerships
- Spread of events across the State
- Past event locations
- Leverage both existing and new commercial Partnerships
- Growth opportunity for the sport and hosting association

Please contact me if you have any questions regarding this announcement or the 2024 Field State Championships dates.

EVENT	2024 Date	Host	LOCATION
Overs 40s – 55s – 70s Mens Masters	5-7 April	Illawarra South Coast Hockey Association	Illawarra Hockey Centre & Croome Road
U18s Div 1	26-28 April	Moorebank Liverpool District Hockey Club	Moorebank Hockey Complex Junction Road, Liverpool
U18s Div 2 & 3	26-28 April	Metropolitan South West Hockey Association	Macarthur Regional Complex, Millwood Avenue, Narellan
Overs 45s – 60s Mens Masters	3-5 May	Moorebank Liverpool District Hockey Club	Moorebank Hockey Complex Junction Road, Liverpool
U14 Boys	10-12 May	Manning Valley Hockey	Taree Recreation Centre, Recreation Lane, Taree
U14 Girls	17-19 May	Wagga Wagga Hockey Association	Jubilee Park, Wagga Wagga



Over 34s – 50s - 65s Mens Masters	24-26 May	Newcastle Hockey	Newcastle International Hockey Centre, Turton Road, Broadmeadow
Opens Div 1	8-10 June	Central Coast Hockey	Central Coast Hockey Park
Opens Div 2 & 3	8-10 June	Newcastle Hockey (TBC)	Newcastle International Hockey Centre, Turton Road, Broadmeadow
U16 Girls	14-16 June	Bathurst Hockey	Cooke Hockey Complex Lions Club Drive, Kelso
U16 Boys	21-23 June	Grafton Hockey Association	Grafton Hockey Centre Fisher Park, Oliver Street, Grafton
Half State Women's Masters - NORTH	26 - 28 July	Far North Coast Hockey Association	Goonellabah & Ballina Hockey Complex
Half State Women's Masters - SOUTH	26 - 28 July	Moorebank Liverpool District Hockey Club	Moorebank Hockey Complex Junction Road, Liverpool

Regards,

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