



BMX Australia Officiating

Welcome!

To the BMXA World of Officiating

Who can Officiate at the Club?

Any interested person can become a BMXA Official. You must hold a BMXA Volunteer Official, Club or Open membership and have completed the Level 1 Official's On-line Quiz.

You will need to be familiar with the BMXA Officials Manual.

[Click here](#) to become a BMXA member

[Click here](#) to download the BMXA Officials Manual

[Click here](#) to download the BMXA Rule Book

What age can you start officiating?

You must be 16 years of age to start officiating.

Do I need a Working with Check Clearance (WWCC)?

All BMXA Officials are required to hold a WWCC issued by their State or Territory. If you are in WA and have a child involved in BMX, you will be required to sign a Statutory Declaration each year. If you have not sent your WWCC screening to BMXA, you will not be accredited as an Official. If your WWCC expires, you will become an invalid official and not be covered by BMXA insurance to officiate.

What happens when you have completed the Level 1 Quiz?

You will receive an email from BMXA advising if you have passed (or failed) the Quiz. If you have passed the Quiz and are a member of BMXA and provided your WWCC to BMXA, you will be accredited as a Level 1 Official and appear on the valid list of Officials in your State on the BMXA website. A new membership card will be sent to you.

Do I need to renew my BMXA membership every year?

YES!

You must renew your BMXA Volunteer Official, Club or Open membership every year. If you are not a current BMXA member you will not be covered by BMXA insurance to officiate at your Club or other BMXA events and not appear on the list of valid Officials in your state or territory on the BMXA website.

What do I need to wear?

BMXA officials are expected at all times to present in a clean, tidy and professional manner. If you have a BMXA Officials uniform wear it. You must wear closed-in shoes. You should switch your mobile phone off or turn it to silent while you are officiating.

Remember to be sun safe, wear a hat and sunscreen and keep hydrated.

Where do I go to Officiate?

Check with your Club Registrar or Volunteer Coordinator as to where you need to go to put your name down to volunteer to officiate and where to go to collect what you need for the Event you are officiating at.

Is there on-going training and development?

At some Clubs, you may be mentored by a Level 2 or ENC/Level 3 Official when you first start out. If you wish to take your Officiating development further, there are Courses held every year to become a Level 2 Official (held by State and Territory organisations) and to then further develop as a BMXA Elite National Commissaire.

BMXA greatly appreciates the work of its Volunteer Officials and if you have taken the first step and become a Level 1 Official, welcome to the **#BMXA Family!**

Don't be afraid to ask questions, if unsure ASK.