



DRESDEN
25
WORLD TRANSPLANT GAMES
GERMANY

Welcome

Introductions

- Marg Hill - Team Manager
- Julie Scudds - Assistant Team Manager
- Jo O'Farrell
- Julie Edwards
- Emmy O'Neill

Registration

- Payment must be made by **31st May 2025**.
- No changes can be made after **1st June 2025** (including sports)
- Golf Update
- Reminder that Simple Breakfast is now included in the full packages at the Games Hub.
- Accommodation Category 4 for the Australian Team.
- Public Transport is included as part of lite and full registration.
- ETIAS Electronic Visa Waiver –Please note currently this process has been delayed until 2026.

Sports

- Please note the only sports counted as team events on top of your FIVE nominated events are the following
- Volleyball, Football, Basketball, Ten Pin Baker Team and relays.
- Doubles/Pairs events if you require partner and do not have anyone, please email team.manager@transplant.org.au and Marg will endeavour to find a partner.

Accommodation

- Extra nights will be invoiced once hotels have been allocated.
- Shared accommodation if you require to share and do not have anyone, please email team.manager@transplant.org.au and Marg will endeavour to find a partner.
- Reminder the Dresden LOC allocates accommodation options for member countries once registration has closed.

Registration – Insurance

- Travel insurance is compulsory for all games registrants.
- There are various options for Australian Travel Insurance Companies – please make sure repatriation and competitive sports is included in your travel insurance policy.
- Travel Health and Repatriation Insurance (Provided by Germany) is an option for registrants at 3.92 EUROS pp/pd within all Schengen Countries, however this does not include coverage of flights.
- **It is your responsibility to ensure you have adequate cover.**

Uniforms

There are TWO sets of uniforms available for the Dresden Games:

1. Parade Uniforms (compulsory)

This is mandatory if you wish to march in the opening ceremony

2. Sports Uniforms (optional)

You may wear whatever you like to be comfortable in, however its always great to get the Aussie cheers wearing green and gold!

All uniforms will be available for purchase within the next week.

Online stores for ALL uniform orders will close on 01 JUNE 2025 without exception

Links to the relevant online stores will be posted on transplant.org.au/world-australian-team

Uniforms

Parade Uniform

- Bottle Green Blazer with pocket logo**Transplant Australia Online Shop*
- Sports Polo**Sports Magic online Shop – see next page*
- Bone Chino/moleskin pants/shorts/skirt
- Akubra Style hat
- Shoes– brown boots or your trainers (preferably white)

If you already have a blazer from previous world games, you will only need to purchase a new POCKET with logo to replace the existing pocket (Regulation requires this – we can not use previous pocket logos). If purchasing a new blazer, you can try on for size at any LOWES store Australia wide.

The Blazers can be purchased through the Transplant Australia Online Shop as follows:

- Blazer \$185.00 (plus \$15 postage)
- Blazer Pocket \$30 (plus \$10 postage)

All other items in parade uniform to be purchased independently - See FAQ on our Team page for more information.



Uniforms

Sports Uniforms

All competition uniforms (except cycling/triathlon & swimming) can be purchased through our team online store at Sports Magic. Final costs will be available soon.

Tops & Tees



This Polo is also the PARADE UNIFORM TOP – Mandatory
*Can be worn for all sports

Short Sleeved Tee
*Can be worn for all sports

Unisex racer back singlet
for athletics

Women's crop for
athletics

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Bottoms

Bottoms options for Men & unisex



Athletics shorts are also to be used as football shorts. PLEASE NOTE THAT WE SUPPLY TEAM SHIRTS FOR THESE TWO SPORTS ONLY

Bottoms options for women



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Miscellaneous

Retro Track Pants
(SMTP - no lining)



Casual Jacket \$95
(SMJK#4 - Thin F.)



CAP B
LL-8001 - BTLE/GLD



Gear Bag \$55
(AP - N4001 - btl/gld)



LS Tee
(SMLS)



LS Polo
(SMPLS)



Uniforms

Cycling Uniforms

Again, these are optional, however they look pretty good!

- You can wear the jersey with bib shorts pictured (these are same as the TA bibs offered recently)
- You can wear the jersey with your own black cycling bibs/shorts you prefer.
- There will also be a long-sleeved version available.

These will be available on the Pedal Mafia online store.

Cost: Jersey \$109

Bib \$179



Uniforms

Triathlon Uniforms

- Triathlon kit with updated logos is available (right) Bottom has been updated to green colour.
- If you have the Triathlon kit from Perth 2023, you are welcome to wear it instead.
- If you would prefer to wear a two-piece kit, you can wear the cycling jersey (from previous page) with your own black triathlon shorts if you wish – The cycling jersey is very similar weight and style to existing triathlon tops and works fine in races.

These will be available on the Pedal Mafia online store.
Cost: \$229.00



Uniforms

Swimming Uniforms

We are in the midst of finalising our design with Budgie Smuggler for swimming uniforms however can confirm that the options are:

Women – Thin Strap Racer \$100.00

Men – Budgie Smuggler \$60.00

*Design will be the same as all other uniforms in previous slides (not as pictured)

They will be available for purchase on Budgie Smuggler Online Team store



Uniforms

2023 Uniforms

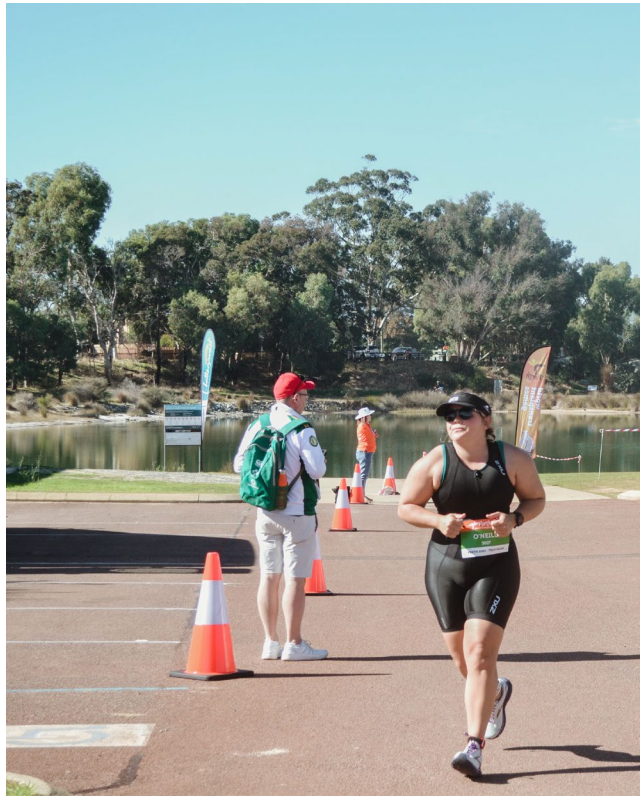
If you have already got uniforms from the 2023 World Transplant Games in Perth, you can choose to wear that instead of purchasing new items.

Please note:

- **Parade Uniform – Must be blazer, Sports Polo & Bone bottoms -Tracksuits (old or new) NOT to be worn at Opening Ceremony.**
- Black bottoms can be worn with any other uniform item, with the exception of basketball and football teams, who must wear green uniform bottoms with provided jerseys
- **Juniors ONLY can wear 2023 team tracksuit instead of parade uniform at opening ceremony. We have stock available to purchase for juniors who don't have one (or have grown)**
- 2023 Team Tracksuits (optional) will be available for purchase on the Transplant Australia Online Shop
- Green & Gold Bucket hats (limited stock) will be available to purchase on the Transplant Australia Online Shop

World Transplant Games – Perth 2023

Emmy O’Neill – First World Transplant Games Experience



Media – be the inspiration!

Inspire more Australians to register as an organ and tissue donor and share that decision with their family.

Join our Athlete Media Program – share your story with Transplant Australia, and we will promote your story to local and national media. We'll support you every step of the way.

If you receive media enquiries, please get in touch so we can support you and provide approved DonateLife messaging.

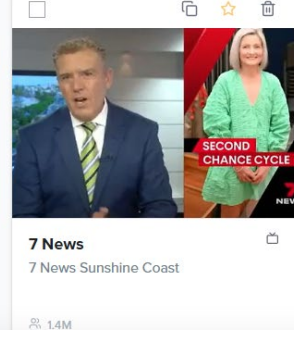
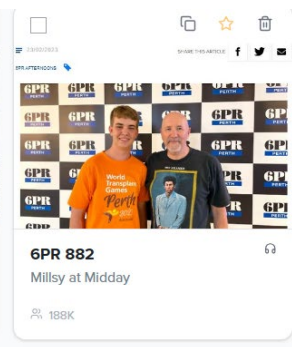
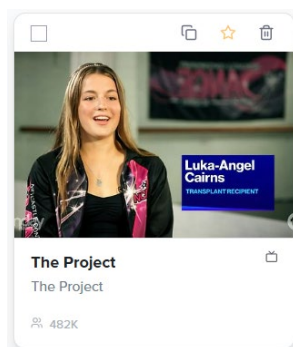
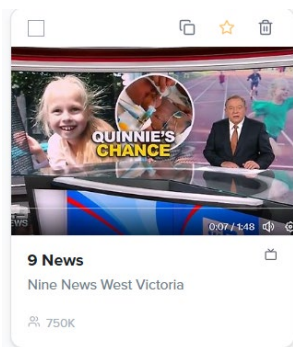
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Perth 2023 Australia World Transplant Games

DOING IT FOR OUR DONORS! These Aussie sport stars will be going for gold at the World Transplant Games this week

BOWLING OVER
Heather told us she might not appear to be your average bowler – she's 79 years old, a grandmother of six and a transplant recipient. In fact, she was one of the first people in Australia to ever receive a kidney transplant in 1978. She's also a fierce swimmer and triathlete.
The former hospital admin officer from Carlingbah, NSW, will be competing in the singles, doubles and team events for Australia's unique bowling squad at the World Transplant Games.
It's the 17th time she's represented her country at the annual competition, which gives amateur athletes a chance to live out their sporting ambitions after receiving an organ donation.
"When you've had a transplant, you want to be able to show people what you can do and to not give up," Heather tells. "I love bowling – I would never not do it!"
Before her organ transplant, Heather became chronically lethargic as a result of kidney dysfunction due to toxicosis. "I had to go on dialysis for seven years," she says. "A transplant was the only way I could get my life back."
"I said, 'I can't do any sport,' and he said, 'Well, just pick one and practice!'" Heather laughs. "So I picked swimming and it turns out I'm a good swimmer – I didn't know I could do that!"
Since then, Heather has represented Australia in every World Games series, competing in athletics, bowling, swimming and swimming, winning a staggering 10 medals in total.
"The only thing I'm bad at is all the other sports, I always remember my donor family who gave me a second chance at life," she says.
Unable to swim now, due to a heart problem, Heather says she's keen to see her bowling shoes at this year's event, and she's been training hard in preparation.
"This time for sure, Heather says she'll be back at the bowling alley after the Games wrap up next week.
"I will do it as long as I live. I'm 79 and still going strong!"

RACING TO VICTORY
Isabelle Rhydy always dreamed of being able to run. Born with polycystic ovary syndrome – a condition that affects the lungs, ovaries and the ability of the heart to function – Isabelle was frustrated after spending her childhood sitting on the sidelines, unable to walk more than a few metres.
She never could have imagined she'd be training for Australia at the Games in her home town of Perth this week. It's the perfect chance to show her peers how far she's come after receiving life-saving surgery in 2020.
"I've got a lot more muscle and I can do things without getting exhausted or pulled out," she smiles.
Parents Tracy and Simon say they'd love to thank the donor family for their gift. "To be able to write to them and say, 'We're about to compete because of you. Your heart is about to run in a 100-metre sprint' – it's beautiful," says Tracey.
"If Isabelle doesn't bring home a medal, it doesn't matter. She's proved herself to everyone – she's worthy of a gold medal just for being able to stand there."
Heather and Isabelle will compete in the Games this week. Follow their progress at facebook.com/transplantaustralia



Social Media – be the inspiration!

Many reasons to share your journey on social media – Making memories. Inspiring organ and tissue donation awareness. Motivating your teammates. Supporting your fundraising. Giving hope to others on the transplant journey.

Tag Transplant Australia and World Transplant Games in your training and preparation.

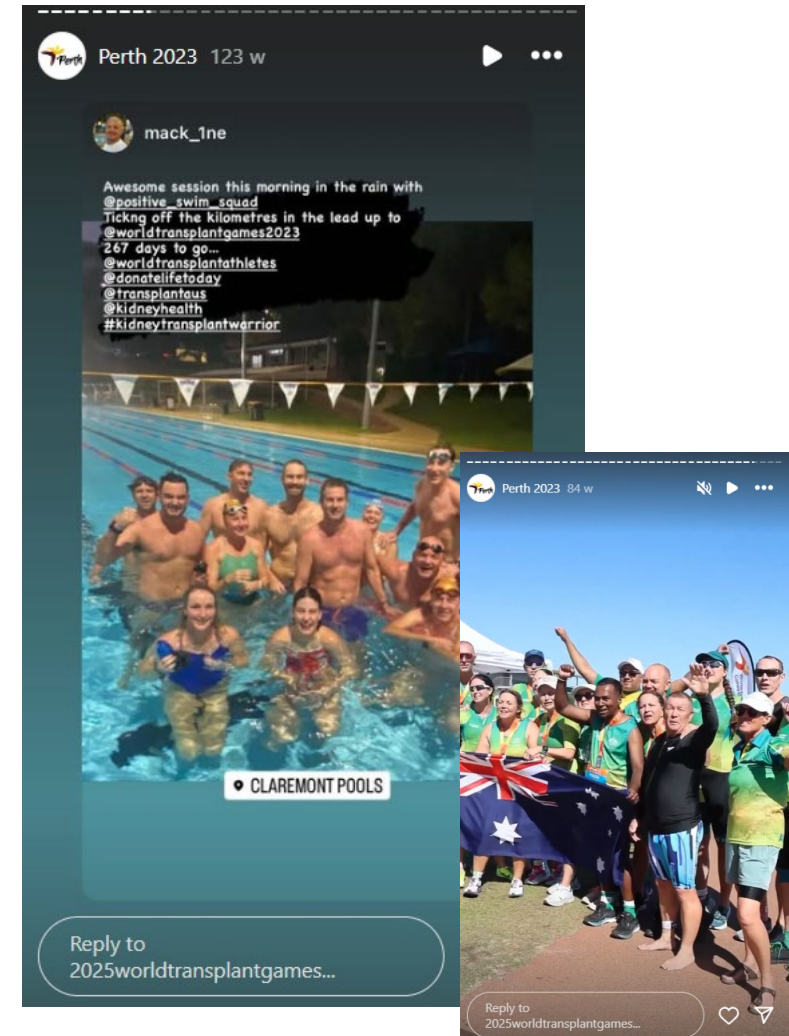
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Social Media Volunteer Wanted! If you love taking photos/video and creating social media content, help Transplant Australia cover the action and excitement of Team Australia on the ground in Dresden.

Enquiries: media@transplant.org.au



Australian Team - Fundraising

- Transplant Australia Fundraising Guidelines
- Submit Fundraising Application
- Online Fundraising through Raisely
Link: <https://world-transplant-games-australia.raiselysite.com/>
- Fundraising enquiries to: Julie.Edwards@transplant.org.au
Transplant Australia website - Team Australia page:
<https://transplant.org.au/world-australian-team/>

Australian Team Requirements

- Current membership (including state participation fee of \$60/two yearly) of Transplant Australia – <https://transplant.org.au/members/>
- Athlete and Supporter Agreement



Getting around Dresden



If you would like to know more about getting around Dresden, and the location of all the sights and sporting venues, the Dresden App from Dresden Tourism is very good

This App includes all the public transport links and live wait times, so will be invaluable during games week.

Its very easy to use, and is free to download.

To Download, go to :

<https://www.dresden.de/en/tourism/information/dresden-app.php>

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Visit Games Website – <https://wtg2025.com>

Visit Team Australia website – <https://transplant.org.au/world-australian-team/>