



YOUTH OLYMPIC GAMES

AUSTRALIAN REPRESENTATIVES AND RECORDS

Australia made its debut in the Australian Youth Olympic Festival (AYOF) in 2013 and the Youth Olympic Games in 2014 following golf's inclusion in the Olympics from 2016.

The AYOF was a multi-sport festival aimed to provide future Olympic athletes with an environment reminiscent of an Olympic Games and promote the Olympic ideals of friendship, solidarity and fair play.

The AYOF originally complemented the International Olympic Committee's (IOC) Youth Olympic Games (YOG) and was played on six occasions in 2001, 2003, 2005, 2007, 2009 and 2013, however moving forward it is likely that only the YOG will be held.

The Youth Olympic Games are an elite sporting event for young people from all over the world played every two years. An event distinct from other youth sports events, as they also integrate a unique Culture and Education Programme (CEP), based around five main themes: Olympism, Social Responsibility, Skills Development, Expression and Well-being and Healthy Lifestyles.

The sports programme is based on that of the Olympic Games, with 28 sports featured on the summer programme and seven on the winter programme. In addition, the programme also includes exciting new disciplines and formats, such as 3-on-3 basketball, ice hockey skills challenge and mixed gender and mixed National Olympic Committee (NOC) events.

Away from the field of play and through a variety of fun and interactive activities, workshops and team-building exercises, the CEP gives the participating athletes the opportunity to learn about the Olympic values, explore other cultures and develop the skills to become true ambassadors of their sport.

YOUTH OLYMPIC GAMES (YOG)

Individual Girls

Year	Golf	Silver	Bronze	Aus. Reps	Venue
2018	Grace Kim (AUS) 211 (+1)	Alessia Nobilio (ITA) 214 (+4)	Emma Spitz (AUT) 214 (+4)	Grace Kim – 1st 211 (+1)	Hurlingham Club, Buenos Aires, Argentina
2014	So-Young Lee (KOR) 202 (-14)	Ssu-Chia Cheng (TPE) 205 (-11)	Supamas Sangchan (THA) 209 (-7)	Lizzy Elmassian – 22 nd 232 (+16)	Zhongshan International GC China

Individual Boys

Year	Golf	Silver	Bronze	Aus. Reps	Venue
2018	Karl Vilips (AUS) 206 (-4)	Akshay Bhatia (USA) 208 (-2)	Jerry Ji (SPA) 211 (+1)	Karl Vilips – 1st 206 (-4)	Hurlingham Club, Buenos Aires, Argentina
2014	Renato Paratore (ITA) 205 (-11)	Marcus Kinhult (SWE) 207 (-9)	Danthai Boonma (THA) 210 (-10)	Brett Coletta – 6 th 212 (-4)	Zhongshan International GC China

Mixed Team

Year	Golf	Silver	Bronze	Australian results	Venue
2018	Thailand 268 (-12)	United States 269 (-11)	Argentina 273 (-7)	Australia 284 (+4) -Grace Kim -Karl Vilips	Hurlingham Club, Buenos Aires, Argentina
2014	Sweden (272) P'off -Marcus Kinhult -Linenea Strom	South Korea (272) -So Young Lee -Eun-ho Youm	Italy (274) -Renato Paratore -Virginia Elena Carta	Australia (282) -Lizzy Elmassian -Brett Coletta	Zhongshan International GC China

AUSTRALIAN YOUTH OLYMPIC FESTIVAL (AYOF)

Girls

Year	Winner	Score	Runner Up & Score	Venue
2013	Georgia Hall – GBR	282	Celina Yuan – AUS (284)	Twin Creek GCC Australia

Boys

Year	Winner	Score	Runner Up & Score	Venue
2013	Kevin Yuan - AUS	270	Ashton Turner – GBR (273)	Twin Creek GCC Australia

Teams

Year	Winner	Score	Runner Up & Score	Australian Teams/Results	Venue
2013	Great Britain Georgia Hall Chloe Williams Bradley Neil Ewan Scott	1125	Australia (Green) (1137) Bianca Ling Celina Yuan Brett Coletta Keving Yuan	Australia (Green) – Silver (1137) Bianca Ling Celina Yuan Brett Coletta Kevin Yuan Australia (Gold) – 6th (1197) Kate Law Amy Walsh Frazer Droop David Micheluzzi	Twin Creek GCC Australia