Rules

- Competitors will be divided into Women’s Beginner, Intermediate, and Advanced, and Men’s Beginner, Intermediate, and Advanced.
- Climbers will try to climb as many routes as possible in the allotted time.
- The competition routes will not be announced until the day of the competition.
- The division of these routes into categories (Beginner, Intermediate, and Advanced) will not be announced until the end of the climbing portion of the competition.
- Climbers will be placed in divisions based on their two hardest climbs. Of these, only one can be above the division they are placed in. For instance, if a climber’s two hardest climbs are both advanced, they are placed in advanced. If only one of the two hardest climbs is advanced, they will be placed in the intermediate division.
- Climbers will be scored based on their completed climbs in their category, plus their one climb in the higher division (if applicable).
- If a climber weights the rope during the climb, they will be lowered and will need to restart the route.
- After 4 falls, another competitor will be allowed to climb if they are waiting for a belay.
- A climb with no falls will be awarded 2 bonus points.
- 6 staff will be available to belay, with 2 giving preference to beginner climbers, 2 giving preference to intermediate, and 2 giving preference to advanced.
- In order to avoid route confusion, advanced climbers will have 10-15 minutes at the beginning of the competition to be lowered on routes to find/feel the route holds.