

30th ANNUAL EDITION



USA Track & Field Junior National Championships

Multi-Events Competition
June 18-20 University of California at Berkeley

Running and Field
June 21-22 Stanford University

Selection Meet for the World Junior Championships
July 16-22- Kingston, Jamaica

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JAMAICA...

where the World's best athletes will come together for five days of intense competition to earn the crown of the number one country in track & field.

- ★ Have you ever wondered how your fellow athletes made USA teams and got to go all over the world competing and representing their country and themselves with expenses paid?
- ★ Have you wondered where athletes got all the cool USA team gear such as team uniforms, warmups, bags, hats, t-shirts and other items?
- ★ Have you wondered how athletes are named All-Americans and receive T-Shirts and certificates?

The door to a world of opportunities is available to those who compete at the

USA TRACK & FIELD JUNIOR NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

The USA Track & Field Junior National Championships provides you with a level of competition and experience that will prove invaluable in developing your career now and for the future. The chance to compete with the best in the United States. If you have made the qualifying standard, you are among the best, this a milestone not to be missed. It is a level of competition that is experienced only a Junior Nationals- where the best 14-19 years olds come together to compete without the boundaries of high school, club or college competitions.

The WORLDS...

The USA wants to redeem themselves and re-capture the IAAF World Junior team title they lost in 2000 in Santiago, Chile in October. The 2002 World Junior Championships will be held in July. This will be "prime-time" for the USA. The competition will be fierce, but the reward will be great. The top two finishers who have met the qualifying standards will have the chance to represent the USA.

Of the Olympic Medalist in:

1996- Atlanta Olympic Games-55% had attended Juniors
2000-Sydney Olympic Games- 75% had attended Juniors

Come and take the Challenge!
Come to compete!

USA Track & Field JUNIOR NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

University of California-Berkeley (Multi-Events) June 18-20, 2002

Stanford University, Palo Alto, CA. June 21-22, 2002

QUALIFYING STANDARDS

MEN					
EVENT	FAT/Hand	EVENT	FAT/Hand	EVENT	Metric/English
100	10.64/10.4	3200m	9:16.00/9:16	High Jump	2.09/6-10.25
200	21.54/21.3	2 mile	9:19.20/9:19.2	Pole Vault	4.88/16.0
220y	21.64/21.4	5000 m	15:10.00/15:10.0	Long Jump	7.30/23-11.50
400 m	47.84/47.7	3 mile	14:25.00/14:25.0	Triple Jump	14.68/48-02
440y	48.14/47.9	10,000m	32:45.00/32:45.0	Shot (12lb.)	17.37/57-0
800m	1:53.14/1:53.0	110mH (39")	14.24/14.0	Shot (6kg)	16.71/54-10
880y	1:5 3.24/1:53.1	110mH (42")	14.64/14.4	Shot (16lb)	16.00/52-6
1500m	3:58.14/3:58.0	300mH (30")	37.00/36.8	Discus (HS)	54.86/180-0
1600m	4:15.14/4:15.0	300mH (36")	37.50/37.3	Discus (1.75kg)	51.50/168-11
1 mile	4:17.14/4:17.0	400mH (30")	53.60/53.5	Discus (2kg.)	48.26/158-4
2000m SC	6:26.60/6:26.6	400mH (36")	53.84/53.7	Hammer(12 lb.)	51.82/170-0
3000m SC	9:39.60/9:39.6	3k Walk	15:00.00/15:00.0	Hammer (6kg)	48.48/159-1
3000m	8:40.00/8:40.0	5k Walk	25:30.00/25:30	Hammer (16 lb.)	46.00/150-11
Decathlon	5950(Int'l)/6050 (HS)	10k Walk	55:15.00/55:15.0	Javelin (NEW)	57.00/187-0
				Javelin (OLD)	61.00/200-1
WOMEN					
100m	12.04/11.8	3000m	10:25.14/10:25.0	High Jump	1.73/5-8
200m	24.64/24.4	3200	11:05.14/11:05.0	Pole Vault	3.66/12-0
220y	24.84/24.6	2 mile	11:10.14/11:10.0	Long Jump	5.80/19-0.5
400m	56.14/56.0	5000m	17.55.14/17.55:0	Triple Jump	11.80/38-8.75
440y	56.44/56.3	10,000m(#9)	39:00.14/39:00.0	Shot (4kg.)	13.41/44-0
800m	2:14.14/2:14.0	100mH (30")	14.14/13.9	Discus	44.00/144-4
880y	2:16.14/2:16.0	100mH (33")	14.44/14.2	Hammer	46.00/150-11
1500m	4:44.14/4:44.0	300mH (30")	44.14/44.0	Javelin	40.00/131-03
1600m	5:02.94/5:02.8	400mH (30")	63.14/63.0	Heptathlon(#8)	4200 (FAT)*
1 mile	5:04.14/5:04.0	3k Walk	16:00.14/16:00.0		
2k SC(#9)	7:30.00/7:30.0	5k Walk	28:30.14/28:30.0		
3k SC(#9)	11:40.14/11:40.00	10k Walk	59:45.00		

Qualifying Guidelines:

1. All qualifying marks for running events must be made on a standard indoor or outdoor track.
2. Qualifying marks must be made in 1) USATF or IAAF sanctioned meets, 2) collegiate meets, or 3) high school meets, except dual and triangular meets.
3. Junior Qualifying standards must be attained on or after Friday, May 4, 2001 through Sunday, June 16, 2002. Qualifying marks from indoor competitions must be attained on or after December 1, 2001.
4. A three percent (3%) altitude adjustment on the standard, is permitted on track events of 1500 and longer, contested at a facility 4000 feet or more, above sea level.
5. A manual time may not be used for qualifying if a fully automatic time exists for the race. A manual time may not supersede a fully automatic qualifying time for an event.
6. Times submitted in hundredths of a second must be fully automatic times.
7. 1500 meter, 1600 meter, one mile, 3000 meter, 3200 meter, two mile and 3 mile qualifying times also qualify for the 5000 meters and 10,000 meters both for men and women and the 3000 meter steeplechase for men and women.
8. The Heptathlon marks must be achieved in a legitimate heptathlon. No projected scores or pentathlon marks will be accepted.
9. The Women's Steeplechase is not an international event at this time, thus athletes are not eligible for the team uniform. The 10,000m is not an international event and will not be ran.

USA Track & Field, 1 RCA Dome, Suite 140, Indianapolis, IN 46225 317.261.0500 www.usatf.org

ENTRY INFORMATION

Entering the meet is a **two part** process...

Step 1: Complete the enclosed entry blank and return with the required documents and fees by June 11th, to avoid late fees or entry charges.

Step 2: On June 17th or 18th, you must call or appear in person to declare (Indianapolis) and secure your entry into the meet.

STEP 1: ENTERING THE MEET

All entries and fees should be mailed to: USA Junior National Championships
USA Track & Field
1 RCA Dome, Suite 140
Indianapolis, IN 46225

Additional entry forms are available on-line at www.usatf.org or by calling USA Track & Field at 317.261.0500. Photocopies are acceptable. Received entries will be posted on www.usatf.org

Entry Fee: The entry fee is \$10.00 per individual event and \$10.00 for the Heptathlon/Decathlon (Multi-Events). Please send checks (personal, certified or cashier's) or money orders payable to: USA Track & Field. **DO NOT SEND CASH.**

Required Documents:

Birth Certificate: All entries must be accompanied by a copy of a legal document (birth certificate or passport) in order to verify date of birth and citizenship (see eligibility section). If you have a valid passport at time of entry, please use a copy of your passport as verification of citizenship and birth date. These documents will not be returned.

Proof of performance: A proof of performance is necessary to show that you have met the qualifying standards. This may either be a copy of the official meet results or a newspaper report with the times or distances of the competition in which you have met the standards.

Deadline: Entries must be received by Tuesday, June 11, 2002 at 5:00pm EST . Athletes should enter even if they have not yet met the qualifying standard; however, athletes will not be permitted to compete unless they have met the standard by June 16th. We recommend that entries mailed after June 1st be sent by overnight delivery to ensure that we receive your entry before the deadline.

Entries received **after June 11th** will require a **LATE FEE of \$25 per event, plus the event entry fee.** Late entries will not be accepted after **NOON on June 20th.**

Personal checks will not be accepted for late entries or fees.

POTENTIAL WORLD TEAM MEMBERS: You **MUST** have a current passport (more than 3 months remaining on the expiration date) in order to be eligible for travel to the World Junior Championships. The team will be leaving on July 10th. You will have less than 2 business days to acquire a passport, before tickets are booked. There are new passport rules dealing with minor children, which makes processing more difficult. For more information- go to the following website- <http://travel.state.gov>., or your local post office.

Eligibility:

- 1) Must be at least 14 years of age on the day of competition and not older than 19 years of age. You may not turn 20 anytime during 2002. Your birth date must be 1983 or later.
- 2) All athletes must have a valid 2002 USATF membership. You may obtain membership on-line for \$20 at www.usatf.org (a membership number will be provided - instantly). Please do this ahead of time to save long lines at Packet Pickup.
- 3) To be eligible to compete, athletes must be US citizens.

If you have any questions about eligibility, please contact the USATF National Headquarters at 317.261.0500.

STEP 2: Confirming your entry by declaring

Declarations: All entries for the running and field events (Palo Alto portion) must be confirmed and performances updated between 10am and 8pm EDST on Monday, June 17th and Tuesday, June 18th. Declarations may only be made by phone. We will need to speak to the person declaring to confirm all information, take updated performances and provide additional information regarding the meet, if necessary. Collect calls will not be accepted.

For those entered in the **Decathlon or Heptathlon ONLY**, you will be provide instructions for Declarations, upon receipt of entry. Additional Multi-Event information will be available online at www.usatf.org

The Late Declaration Fee is \$25 and is nonrefundable. Athletes whose entries are not declared during the Declaration process, complete with proof of performance and age (birth certificate or passport) will be rejected and not allowed to compete. Petitions for a late declaration or forgetting to declare must be submitted in writing to the chair of men's and women's track and field or their designee at the meet site not later than Noon (EST) on Thursday, June 20th. A decision on this petition will be made by 3pm on June 20th.

THE PHONE NUMBER FOR DECLARATIONS ONLY: 317.360.0006

Honest Effort: The Honest Effort rule (USATF Rule 77) will be enforced. "Any athlete declared to compete must honestly participate in each round (trial, heat or final, etc.) or each track event for which the athlete is declared or the athlete will be barred from further competition in that meet. This rule shall not apply to events in which only a final is held, but an athlete may be barred from such an event if previously he or she has not honestly participated in a track event within the purview of this rule."

Packet Pickup: Packet pickup for the running and field events (Palo Alto) will take place at the Cobb Track from Noon to 7pm on Thursday, June 20th. Packets will be available for pickup on Friday, June 21 from 8am to 2pm and Saturday, June 22 from 8am- 2:00pm. Arrangements for pickup after these hours can be arranged during Declaration.

Multi-event packet information will be available on-line at www.usatf.org

2002 Schedule of Events - Junior Nationals- Palo Alto, CA

**The Junior Decathlon and Heptathlon will be held on June 18-19th
on the campus of the University of California at Berkeley.**

June 21

Field Events

8:00	W	Hammer	Trials/Final
9:15	M	Javelin	Trials/Final
11:00	W	High Jump	Trials/Final
11:00	M	Hammer(6k)	Trials/Final
11:15	W	Long Jump	Trials/Final
11:30	M	Pole Vault	Trials/Final
11:45	M	Long Jump	Trials/Final
Noon	W	*Discus	Trials/Final

Running Events

8:00	W	10 k Racewalk	Final
9:15	M	10 k Racewalk	Final
10:30	W	200	Trials
10:50	M	200	Trials
11:15	W	1500	Trials
11:30	M	1500	Trials
11:45	W	400	Trials
Noon	M	400	Trials
12:20	W	100 Hurdles	Trials
12:40	M	110 Hurdles	Trials
1:00	W	800	Trials
1:15	M	800	Trials
1:30	W	200	Final
1:40	M	200	Final
1:55	M	400 Hurdles	Trials
2:05	W	400 Hurdles	Trials
9:40pm	M	10,000	Final
10:19pm	W	5,000	Final

June 22

Field Events

8:15	W	*Javelin	Trials/Final
10:00	W	Shot	Trials/Final
11:00	M	High Jump	Trials/Final
11:15	W	Triple Jump	Trials/Final
11:30	W	Pole Vault	Trials/Final
11:30	M	Shot Put (6k)	Trials/Final
11:45	M	Triple Jump	Trials/Final
11:30	M	*Discus(1.75k)	Trials/Final

Running Events

11:00	W	3k Steeplechase	Final
11:15	M	3k Steeplechase	Final
11:35	W	100	Trials
11:55	M	100	Trials
12:20	W	400	Final
12:30	M	400	Final
12:40	W	100 Hurdles	Final
12:50	M	110 Hurdles	Final
1:00	W	800	Final
1:10	M	800	Final
1:20	M	400 Hurdles	Final
1:30	W	400 Hurdles	Final
5:12	W	100	Final
5:28	M	100	Final
5:43	W	1500	Final
5:52	M	1500	Final
8:31pm	M	5,000	Final
8:50pm	W	3,000	Final

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Senior Field events begin at 2:00 with Men's Hammer.

Senior Field events begin at 3:45 with Men's Javelin.

Senior Running events begin at 4:30 with Women's 400 Hurdles.

Senior Running events begin with Women's 20k Racewalk at 8:00am and the afternoon session at 4:15 with the Women's 400 Hurdles.

The schedule is tentative and is subject to time changes and additional rounds.

SPECIAL NOTE: Those athletes who have the potential to be selected for a relay team, please book your flight out after 3:00pm on Sunday, June 23rd. We will have a meeting with both men and women relay team members on Sunday morning.

DRUG TESTING

Athletes who participate in this competition may be subject to formal drug testing in accordance with USA Track & Field rules and IAAF rules and in accordance with USOC, USADA or IAAF procedures. Athletes found, after a disciplinary hearing to be positive for prohibited substances, as defined by the IOC and IAAF, or who refuse to be tested, will be disqualified from this event and may lose eligibility for future competitions. Any prize money payable to an athlete who has tested positive shall be withheld until the final disposition of all disciplinary proceedings.

BEWARE: Some prescriptions, over-the-counter medications, and nutritional supplements may contain prohibited substances. Information regarding drugs and drug testing may be obtained by calling the USADA Reference Line at 800.233.0393.

*— Please consider the time necessary for providing a sample and processing paperwork —
following the final of your event when making travel arrangements.*

TRACK INFORMATION

FACILITY-Cobb Track and Angell Field is a 9 lane track with 48 inch lanes. It has an inside water jump for the steeplechase. The surface is a Martin 1000. The facility has been the site of the U.S. Open for the past two years.

ADMISSION FEE- Tickets can be purchased by calling 1-800-Stanford after April 9th. USATF members are eligible for a 10% discount if they provide their membership number with the order. For ticket pricing, visit our web site at www.ustfjrnationals.org. Cobb Track & Angell Field has limited seating. Buy your tickets early. This event is expected to be a sell out. Tickets may not be available on the day of the event. Athlete's credential will admit Juniors athletes only into the Outdoor Championships.

ATHLETE SUPPORT CREDENTIAL- Each athlete will be able to purchase a maximum of one (1) Jr. Athlete Support Credential for \$15. This credential will provide restricted access to the warmup facility on Friday, June 21, and Saturday, June 22, from 8:00am to 2:30pm only. This credential will not provide access to the warmup facility during the schedule for the USA Outdoor Track & Field Championships. The Jr. Athlete Support credential will provide access to limited areas inside the competition venue on Friday, June 21 and Saturday, June 22, during the schedule for both the USATF Junior National Championships and the USA Outdoor Track & Field Championships. The Athlete Support credential is not valid for any areas on Sunday, June 23.

IMPLEMENT WEIGH-IN- Implement Weigh-In will take place at the track during the following times: Thursday-2pm -5pm; Friday- 7am-Noon; Saturday-8am-Noon. Please be advised that only the international implements will be thrown. In the men's competition, this is a 2002 IAAF rule change and the weights of the implements are: 6kg Shot, 6kg Hammer and the 1.75 Discus.

VAULTING POLE STORAGE- Pole Vault storage will be available at the track during limited times. Specific information will be provided at Declarations.

PRACTICE TIMES- Cobb Track & Angell Field will be available for practice on Thursday, June 20 from 10am -2pm only, after which only the warmup facility will be available. Athletes will not be permitted to throw any implements at either the competition track or the warmup facility.

AWARDS: A goldtone medal, emblematic of the Junior National Championships will be awarded

ATHLETES CHECKLIST FOR ENTRY

- Fill out the Entry Form
- Send a copy of birth certificate or passport
- Proof of performance for entry mark
- Purchase USA Track & Field Membership Card at www.usatf.org
- Signed copy of Drug Testing Notice by athlete and parent (if under 18)
- Made housing reservation
- Called to declare entry on June 17th or 18th

TRAVEL INFORMATION

San Francisco Airport and San Jose Airports service Palo Alto, California. A shuttle service will only be run from the San Francisco Airport to the Hotel Sofitel on Thursday, June 20th between 11:00am and 8pm. After hour shuttle arrangements can be made when you call to make your reservations with Hotel Sofitel. This shuttle will run every half-hour.

Shuttle times from the Hotel Sofitel to the Stanford track are available on-line at:
www.ustfjrnationals.org

HOUSING INFORMATION

The Meet Headquarters for the USATF Junior National Championships is the Hotel Sofitel. It is located at 223 Twin Dolphin Dr., Redwood, CA 94065. The reservation number is 650.598.900. When making reservations, the group code is USA Track & Field Junior Nationals. The rate is \$89/night, which includes breakfast.

Hotel information can also be located on-line at: www.ustfjrnationals.org

DIRECTIONS TO COBB TRACK & ANGELL FIELD:

From Highway 101:

1. Exit on Embarcadero Road West and follow the signs to Stanford.
2. Cross El Camino Real (the street name will change to Galvez Street).
3. Turn left onto Nelson Road.
4. Follow the signs to the parking lots for the track & field meet.

From Highway 280:

1. Exit on Alpine Road and follow the signs to Stanford.
2. Turn right onto Junipero-Serra.
3. Turn left onto Campus Drive West.
4. Turn left onto Galvez Street.
5. Turn right onto Nelso Road and follow the signs to the parking lots.

A map of the Stanford University campus can be found at: <http://www.stanford.edu/home/visitors/campus-map.html>

to the winner of each event with a silvertone medal awarded to second place and a bronzetone medal to third, fourth, fifth and sixth place. The top eight finishers will receive an All-American shirt at the awards ceremony.

WORLD JUNIOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

Kingston, Jamaica July 16-21, 2002

Qualifying Standards

Men	Event	Women
10.74/10.5	100 m	11.84/11.6
21.54/21.3	200 m	24.44/24.2
48.00/47.9	400 m	54.64/54.5
1:50.0	800 m	2:07.00
3:48.0	1500 m	4:24.0
-----	3000 m	9:30.0
14:15.00	5000 m	16:30 (or 9:30.0 at 3000m or 36:00 at 10,000m)
30:30	10,000 m	-----
14.64/14.4	110m H	-----
-----	100m H	14.14/13.9
52.94/52.8	400m H	60.04/59.9
9:10.0	3000m SC	-----
44:15	10k Walk	51:00
2.14/7-0.25	High Jump	1.82/5-11.50
5.10/16-8.75	Pole Vault	3.85/12-7.50
7.50/24-7.25	Long Jump	6.15/20-2
15.50/50-10.25	Triple Jump	12.90/42-4
17.90/58-8.75 (6k)* or 16.30/53-5.75 (7.26k)	Shot	14.50/47-7
55.00/180-5 (1.750k)* or 50.50/165-8 (2k)	Discus	48.00/157-6
67.50/221-5 (6k)* or 60.00/196-10 (7.26k)	Hammer	55.00/180-5
66.00/216-6	Javelin	49.50/162-5
7050 (new implements) or 6875	Decathlon	-----
-----	Heptathlon	5275

1. All performances must be achieved during the period January 1, 2001 to July 2, 2002.
2. All performances must be achieved during an official competition organised in conformity with IAAF rules.
3. All performances must be achieved during competitions organised or sanctioned by the IAAF, its Area Associations and its National Member Federations. Thus, results achieved at school competitions must be certified by the National Federation of the country in which the competition was organised.
4. Performances achieved in mixed events (between male and female participants), held completely in the stadium, will not be accepted.
5. Wind assisted performances (over 2m/sec) will not be accepted.
6. Indoor performances WILL be accepted.

***NOTE:** The male junior athletes will now be throwing the 1.75kg discus (instead of 2kg or collegiate weight), the 6kg shot (instead of 7.26kg or collegiate weight) and the 6kg hammer (instead of 7.26kg or collegiate weight). Accordingly, it was also decided to change the qualification standard for the Decathlon.

World Junior Championships
Kingston, Jamaica 2002 TIME SCHEDULE

Tuesday, July 16th

8:30	M Hammer	Q a
9:05	W Pole Vault	Q a-b
9:10	M 100m	Dec-1
9:30	M Shot Put	Q a-b
9:40	M 100m	1st R
9:50	M Long Jump	Dec-2
10:35	W 100m	1st R
11:00	M Hammer	Q b
16:00	W Javelin	Q a
16:05	W 400m	1st R
16:10	M Shot Put	Dec-3
16:35	M 400m	1st R
17:10	W 100m	2nd R
17:20	W Javelin	Q b
17:35	M 100m	2nd R
17:40	M High Jump	Dec-4
17:50	M Shot Put	FINAL
18:00	W 400m H	1st R
18:25	M 400m H	1st R
18:50	W 3000m	FINAL
19:00	W Triple Jump	Q a-b
19:10	W 800m	1st R
19:30	M 800m	1st R
19:50	M 5000	FINAL
20:25	M 400m	Dec-5

Friday, July 19th

8:30	M Triple Jump	Q a-b
9:10	M Pole Vault	Q a-b
9:30	W 100mH	Hp1
9:45	W Shot Put	Q a-b
9:50	W Hammer	Q a
10:00	W 200	SF
10:15	W High Jump	Hp2
10:15	M 200m	SF
10:35	W 100mH	1st R
11:10	W Hammer	Q b
11:15	M 110 H	1st R
17:00	M Javelin	Q a
18:05	W 1500	1st R
18:10	W High Jump	Q a-b
18:20	M Javelin	Q b
18:25	M 1500m	1st R
18:30	W Long Jump	FINAL
18:40	W Shot Put	Hp3
18:50	W 800m	FINAL
19:05	M 800m	FINAL
19:20	W 200m	FINAL
19:35	M 200m	FINAL
19:40	W Discus	FINAL
19:50	W 400 H	FINAL
20:05	M 400 H	FINAL
20:20	W 200m	Hp3

Wednesday, July 17th

8:30	M Long Jump	Q a-b
9:00	M 110H	Dc-6
9:45	M Discus	Dc-7
10:00	W 100m	SF
10:20	M 100m	SF
11:00	M Discus Throw	Q a
11:30	M Pole Vault	Dc-8
12:20	M Discus	Q b
17:20	M Hammer	FINAL
18:00	M High Jump	Q a-b
18:15	W 400m	SF
18:30	W Triple Jump	FINAL
18:30	M 400m	SF
18:50	W 800m	SF
19:00	M Javelin	Dc-9
19:05	M 800m	SF
19:20	W 100m	FINAL
19:35	M 100m	FINAL
19:50	M 10k RW	FINAL
20:30	W Javelin	FINAL
20:50	M 1500m	Dc-10
21:05	M 400m H	SF
21:20	W 400m H	SF

Saturday, July 20th

16:30	W Long Jump	Hp5
17:10	W Hammer	FINAL
17:45	W High Jump	FINAL
18:00	W 4 x 100	SF
18:20	M 4 x 100	SF
18:40	M 3000 SC	FINAL
18:45	W Javelin	Hp6
18:55	M Triple Jump	FINAL
19:00	M 10,000	FINAL
19:15	W Shot Put	FINAL
19:50	W 100mH	SF
20:15	M 110m H	SF
20:30	W 800m	Hp-7
20:50	W 4 x 400	SF
21:10	M 4 x 400	SF

Thursday, July 18th

9:00	W Long Jump	Q a-b
10:20	W Discus	Q a
11:50	W Discus	Q b
18:00	W Pole Vault	FINAL
18:10	M High Jump	FINAL
18:20	W 200m	1st R
18:50	M 200m	1st R
19:10	M Discus	FINAL
19:15	M Long Jump	FINAL
19:40	W 10k RW	FINAL
20:40	W 400m	FINAL
20:55	M 400m	FINAL
21:10	M 3k SC	1st R

Sunday, July 21st

18:00	M Pole Vault	FINAL
18:10	W 100mH	FINAL
18:25	M 110mH	FINAL
18:45	W 1500	FINAL
19:00	M Javelin	FINAL
19:05	M 1500	FINAL
19:25	W 4 x 100	FINAL
19:45	M 4 x 100	FINAL
20:05	W 5000	FINAL
20:40	W 4 x 400	FINAL
21:00	M 4 x 400	FINAL

World Junior Championships

The Junior National Championships will be used to select the USA National team for the World Junior Championships in Kingston, Jamaica- July 16-21st. USA Track & Field has tentatively planned a pre-meet for the Junior team to occur from July 10 to July 13 in Nassau, Bahama. Any athlete who is selected to the team must be able to make this time commitment. *The selection of teams will be at the sole discretion of USA Track & Field and its committee.*

Selection Procedure

The two highest placing finishers in each final at the 2002 Junior National Championships are eligible for selection by the coaching staff and USATF to represent the USA. Those athletes must meet the following criteria:

1. Meet the World Junior Championships qualifying standard for their event (located in this entry booklet).
2. Be eligible to represent the USA in international competition based on the 2002 Bylaws and Competition Rules of USATF and the IAAF.
3. Have a valid and current passport. You MUST have a current passport (more than 3 months remaining on the expiration date) in order to be eligible for travel with to the World Junior Championships. The team will be leaving on July 10th. You will have less than TWO business days to acquire a passport, before tickets are booked. There are new passport rules dealing with minor children, which makes processing more difficult. For more information- go to the following website- <http://travel.state.gov>. or your local post office.

USA Track & Field will provide to each athlete competing in the above competitions their airfare, housing and meals. Each athlete will also receive a complete package of USA National Teams uniform gear (valued at \$1,000). This year's gear is based on the 2000 Olympic Team uniform.

SPECIAL NOTE: Those athletes who have the potential to be selected for a relay team, please book your flight out after 3:00pm on Sunday, June 23rd. We will have a meeting with both men and women relay team members on Sunday morning.



JUNIOR NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Multi-Events - June 18-19-

University of California- Berkeley

Running/Field - June 21-22-

Stanford University

REGISTRATION FORM

(Please type or print all information)

OFFICE USE ONLY	
DECLARED _____	
_____	USATF Membership
_____	Proof of Performance
_____	Signatures
_____	Birth Cert. or Passport
_____	Entry Fee paid
_____	LATE ENTRY \$ REQUIRED

Name _____ Birthdate _____
Last Name First Name Initial

Home Address _____ Sex: Male or Female

City _____ State _____ Zip _____ Ht. _____ Wt. _____

Day Phone (_____) _____ Evening Phone (_____) _____

Email _____ Coach's Name _____

Coach's Work # (_____) _____ Coach's Home # (_____) _____

2002 USATF No. _____ Club/School _____

Events Entering

Event	Qualifying Mark				Qualifying Meet Information		
	Mark	FAT or HT	Implement Weight	Hurdle Height	Name of Meet	Site	Date

Events entered @ \$10.00/event \$ _____ Mail to: USA Jr. National Track & Field Championships

1 RCA Dome, Suite 140
Indianapolis, IN. 46225

Make checks payable to: USA Track & Field

I voluntarily agree to participate in the 2002 Jr. National Championships and knowingly assume any and all risk of loss, damage to my person or property, property loss, injury (including death), both foreseen and unforeseen, of my attendance at and participation in the Jr. Nationals, from any cause whatsoever, including the fault or negligence of Releasees (as defined below). I understand that drug testing will be conducted at the Championships, pursuant to USATF, IAAF and USADA rules and protocols, and agree to submit to such testing, if selected. I, for myself, my heirs, personal representatives and assigns do hereby release, waive, discharge and covenant not to sue USA Track & Field, Inc., Associations, Sponsors, Event Directors and the owner of the facility at which the Jr. Nationals are held (collectively "Releasees") from all liability, loss, claims, demands, possible causes of action, court costs, settlement costs and fees, attorneys fees and any other expenses arising from any claim or lawsuit that may arise from any loss, damage or injury (including death) to me or my property resulting from or arising in connection with, or related to, my attendance at or participation in the Championships. I further grant USATF, its successors, assigns and licensees, etc. the right to use my name, likeness, voice, biographical and other information, in any format whatsoever, including but not limited to print, television or Internet broadcast, in connection with the advertising, promotion or distribution of USATF. In the event that I am injured during the competition, I hereby consent to the provision of necessary and appropriate medical treatment."

Athlete's Signature _____ Date _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

IMPORTANT DRUG TESTING INFORMATION on the other side----- SIGNATURES REQUIRED

WARNING: TO ALL ATHLETES!!!

Drug Testing is NOT just about Anabolic Steroids!

Some common nutritional supplements and over-the-counter Cold and Allergy medicines contain prohibited stimulants like ephedrine, pseudoephedrine, phenylpropanolamine and other related substances. If you are taking a training **SUPPLEMENT** or **COLD** or **ALLERGY** medicine or **RITALIN** or similar substance, it may contain a banned substance.

If a prohibited substance is found in your urine, you may **TEST POSITIVE** and be disqualified from the competition and lose your spot on the USA National team and face a drug hearing.

Prescribed medications may contain prohibited substances. A doctor's prescription **does not** allow you to take a prohibited substance or medication.

Asthma inhalers may contain restricted substances. A medical notification form must be on file with the US Anti-Doping Agency prior to competition if you are using an inhaler. (Filling out the medical notification form for a prohibited substance may NOT allow you to use it during competition, it depends on the substance).

Some common examples of prohibited substances are:

✍ Chlor-Trimeton Decongestant

✍ Tavist-D

✍ Seldane-D

✍ Dimetapp

✍ Sudafed

✍ Benadryl Decongestant

There are many more just like these!!!!

✓ Check it OUT, before you use!

Before using any over-the-counter, medicines, nutritional supplements, inhalers or prescription drugs call the US Anti-Doping Agency Drug Reference Hotline

CALL 1.800.233.0393

I have read the above and understand that some common nutritional supplements, over-the-counter cold and allergy medicines and prescribed medications may contain prohibited substances by the IAAF and USADA. I further understand that I should contact the US Anti-Doping Agency Drug Reference Hotline at 1.800.233.0393 or their website before taking any of the above prior to my competing at the USA Track & Field Junior National Championships.

Name (Please print) _____ Date _____

Athlete Signature _____

Coach or Parent Signature _____ Date _____

USA TRACK & FIELD PROGRAMS

Junior Elite Camps

The Men's and Women's Camps will be held at the USOC ARCO Olympic Training Center in San Diego, CA. Dates and standards for the Junior Elite Camps will be posted on the USA Track & Field Website (www.usatf.org) as soon as they are available.

Junior Olympics Track & Field

This is the largest of our National Championships; over 6,000 athletes will compete for national titles. Junior Olympics in track and field is a progressive meet format. Athletes advance from the preliminary meet to Association Championships to the Regional Championships to the National Championships. The age requirement ranges from those aged ten (10) and under to those who are still eighteen (18) through the final day of the National Junior Olympics Track & Field Championships. **The 2002 Championships will be conducted July 23-28 in Omaha, Nebraska.**

National Youth Athletics

This is an age group National track and field meet. The age requirement is the same as the Junior Olympics. There are performance guidelines for athletes, which are available on the website. **The 2002 meet will be held July 3-7 in Tropical Park (Miami), FL.**

Junior Olympics Cross-Country

Junior Olympics Cross-Country has the same qualifying procedures as the Junior Olympic track and field series. Qualifying follows the progressive meet format. **The 2002 Championships will be held in Carrollton, Georgia on December 14, 2002.**

Winter Nationals

The Winter Nationals in Cross-Country serves as a selection meet for the World CC Championships. The meet does have a Junior component for both Men and Women with the women racing 6k and the men racing 8k. The age for this competition is 14-19. An athlete cannot turn 20 during the year of the competition. This typically takes place in February. For more information, check the website in December.

Coaches Education

USA Track & Field offers a wide variety of Coaching Education schools. A list of current school is available on our website at www.usatf.org. On the left hand side, you will see a listing of programs, click on Coaches and you will find a section for Coaches Education.

For more information about our Junior, Youth or Coaches Education programs, please contact your local USATF Association or:

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