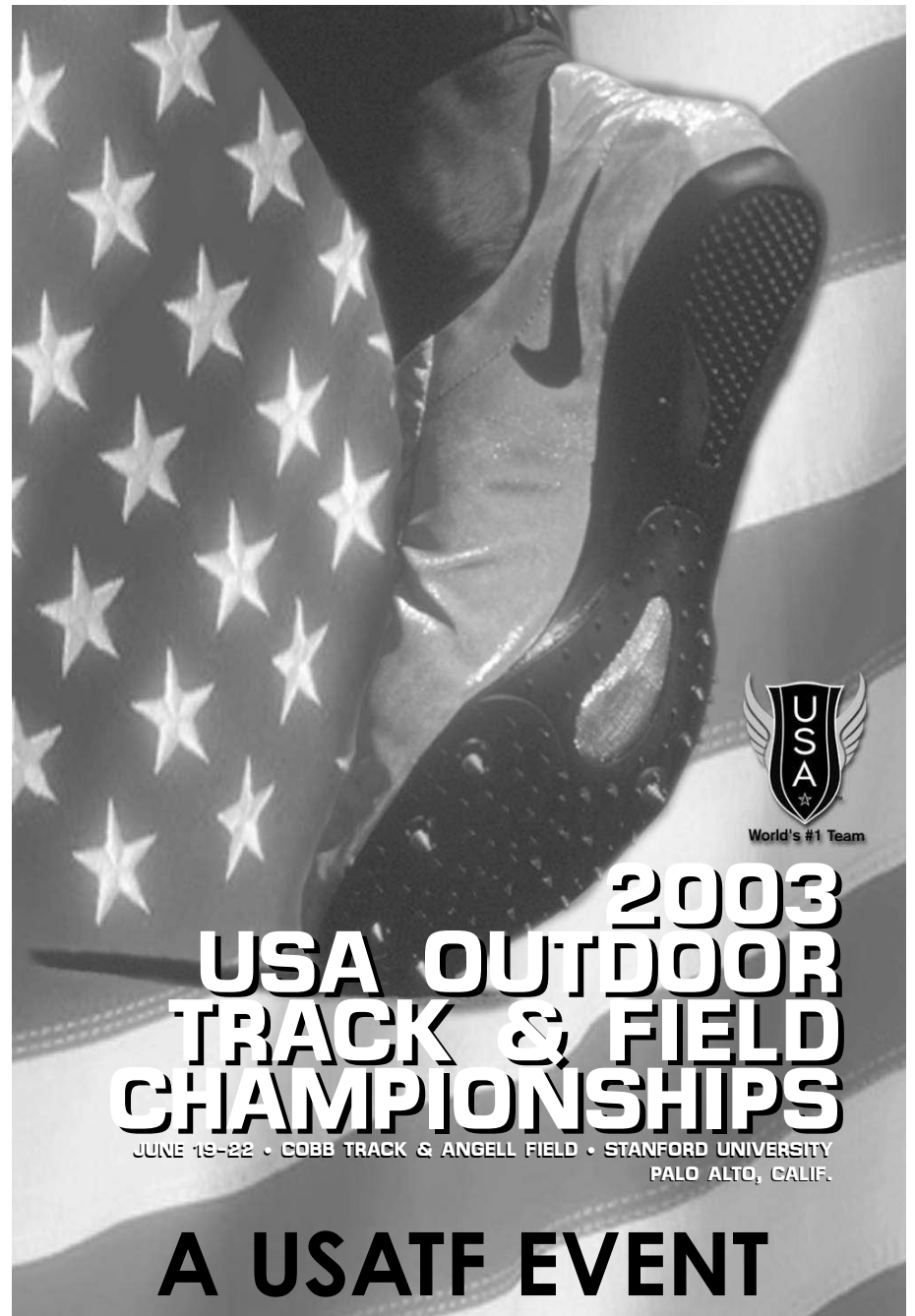


ENTRY INFORMATION



World's #1 Team

2003 USA OUTDOOR TRACK & FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS

JUNE 19-22 • COBB TRACK & ANGELL FIELD • STANFORD UNIVERSITY
PALO ALTO, CALIF.

A USATF EVENT

QUICK FACTS

Competition Dates: June 19 - 22, 2003

Site: Cobb Track & Angell Field, Stanford University, Palo Alto, CA

Qualifying Period: July 5, 2002 - June 15, 2003

On or after November 30, 2002 for indoor competitions

Entry Process Begins: April 7, 2003 **on-line preferred**

Entry Deadline: June 8, 2003, 5:00 p.m. ET

Late Entries Accepted Until: June 16, 2003, 7:00 p.m. ET

Status of Entries Web Page: Updates hourly

Declarations Begin: Sunday, June 15, 2003, 3:00 p.m. ET **on-line preferred**

Declarations Close: Tuesday, June 17, 2003, 2:59 p.m. ET

Status of Declarations Web Page: Updates hourly

Petition for Late Declarations Accepted: Wednesday, June 18, 2003, 12:00 noon - 2:59 p.m. ET

Athlete Hotel: Hyatt Rickey's 650-352-1234 Reference USA Track & Field
USATF Discounted Rate: \$99 (plus tax) single/double
\$125 (plus tax) triple/quad

Reservation Deadline: June 10, 2003, 5:00 p.m. PT

Prize Money: 1st Place \$4,000 2nd Place \$3,000 3rd Place \$2,000
4th Place \$1,000 5th Place \$500

Prize money will not be distributed until a Direct Payment License (DPL) form is on file with USATF and all drug testing results have become final

Tickets: Stanford Ticket Office - 800-782-6367

For ticket information and seating charts visit www.usatf.org or www.ustfnationals.org

WHAT'S MY USATF PASSWORD AND WHERE DO I FIND IT?

If you joined by paper application, it's:

- in the confirmation e-mail you received after registration (if you provided your e-mail address)
- on the membership card mailer (the backing your card was attached to when you received it in the mail)

If you joined online, it's also:

- on the confirmation web page displayed after registration
- the password you chose during the registration process

If you cannot remember your password, you can retrieve it by:

- visiting www.usatf.org/members-only and clicking on "Don't know your password?"
- calling USATF Member Services at 317-261-0478 x345

The following Championship Events for men and women will be contested at the 2003 USA Outdoor Track & Field Championships:

100m	High Jump
200m	Pole Vault
400m	Long Jump
800m	Triple Jump
1500m	Shot Put
5000m	Discus Throw
10,000m	Hammer Throw
20km Race Walk	Javelin Throw
110m Hurdles (M)	3000m Steeplechase
100m Hurdles (W)	Decathlon (M)
400m Hurdles	Heptathlon (W)

FACILITY SPECIFICATIONS FOR COBB TRACK & ANGELL FIELD

Track	9 lanes on both the oval and straightaway Lanes are 48 inches wide Inside water jump for the steeplechase
Long/Triple Jump (W)	173ft/150ft synthetic surface runway
Long/Triple Jump (M)	205ft/172ft synthetic surface runway
Pole Vault	150ft synthetic surface runway
High Jump	Synthetic surface
Javelin	120ft synthetic surface runway
Shot Put	Contested on Chandler Infield (impact area is crushed brick dust)
Discus	Contested on Chandler Infield
Hammer	Contested at Hammer Field adjacent to track (impact area is crushed brick dust)

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2003 USA Outdoor Track & Field Championships
Order of Events & Time Schedule
Tentative - Subject to Change

Thursday, June 19, 2003

12:25 pm	Hep 100m Hurdles	women	heptathlon
1:15 pm	Hep High Jump	women	heptathlon
3:00 pm	Hep Shot Put	women	heptathlon
3:10 pm	Discus Throw	women	final
4:50 pm	Hep 200m	women	heptathlon
5:15 pm	400m Hurdles	women	1st round
5:30 pm	Hammer Throw	women	final
5:35 pm	100m	men	1st round
5:55 pm	100m	women	1st round
6:15 pm	800m	men	1st round
6:35 pm	800m	women	1st round
6:40 pm	Discus Throw	men	final
6:55 pm	400m	men	1st round
7:15 pm	400m	women	1st round
7:35 pm	1500m	women	semi
7:50 pm	3000m Steeplechase	women	semi
8:20 pm	3000m Steeplechase	men	semi
8:50 pm	10,000m	men	final
9:25 pm	10,000m	women	final

Friday, June 20, 2003

8:00 am	20km Race Walk	men	final
3:40 pm	Hep Long Jump	women	heptathlon
4:55 pm	Hep Javelin Throw	women	heptathlon
5:00 pm	400m Hurdles	women	semi
5:20 pm	400m Hurdles	men	1st round
5:25 pm	High Jump	men	final
5:35 pm	Hammer Throw	men	final
5:50 pm	Long Jump	men	final
5:55 pm	100m	men	semi
6:10 pm	100m	women	semi
6:25 pm	110m Hurdles	men	1st round
6:30 pm	Shot Put	women	final
6:45 pm	Hep 800m	women	heptathlon
7:00 pm	800m	men	semi
7:15 pm	800m	women	semi
7:20 pm	Javelin Throw	women	final
7:30 pm	100m	men	final
7:40 pm	100m	women	final
7:50 pm	400m	men	semi
8:05 pm	400m	women	semi
8:20 pm	1500m	men	semi
8:40 pm	5000m	women	final
9:00 pm	5000m	men	final

Saturday, June 21, 2003

8:00 am	20km Race Walk	women	final
11:10 am	Dec 100m	men	decathlon
11:50 am	Long Jump	women	final
11:55 am	Dec Long Jump	men	decathlon
12:00 Noon	Pole Vault	women	final
12:15 pm	Javelin Throw	men	final
12:40 pm	110m Hurdles	men	semi
12:50 pm	Shot Put	men	final
1:00 pm	3000m Steeplechase	women	final
1:10 pm	Dec Shot Put	men	decathlon
1:20 pm	400m	men	final
1:32 pm	400m	women	final
1:42 pm	400m Hurdles	men	semi
1:54 pm	400m Hurdles	women	final
2:04 pm	3000m Steeplechase	men	final
2:25 pm	Dec High Jump	men	decathlon
2:38 pm	1500m	women	final
2:50 pm	110m Hurdles	men	final
3:05 pm	100m Hurdles	women	1st round
3:25 pm	200m	men	1st round
3:45 pm	200m	women	1st round
4:05 pm	Dec 400m	men	decathlon

Sunday, June 22, 2003

11:00 am	Pole Vault	men	final
11:30 am	100m Hurdles	women	semi
11:35 am	Triple Jump	men	final
11:50 am	Dec 110m Hurdles	men	decathlon
12:00 noon	Triple Jump	women	final
12:10 pm	High Jump	women	final
12:15 pm	200m	men	semi
12:30 pm	200m	women	semi
12:45 pm	Dec Discus Throw	men	decathlon
1:08 pm	400m Hurdles	men	final
1:20 pm	800m	men	final
1:32 pm	800m	women	final
1:44 pm	100m Hurdles	women	final
1:56 pm	200m	men	final
2:08 pm	200m	women	final
2:20 pm	1500m	men	final
2:55 pm	Dec Pole Vault	men	decathlon
5:25 pm	Dec Javelin Throw	men	decathlon
7:05 pm	Dec 1500m	men	decathlon

The USA Junior Outdoor Track & Field Championships will be held in conjunction with the USA Outdoor Track & Championships. For a complete schedule with junior event times, visit www.usatf.org.

QUALIFYING STANDARDS

Marks must be achieved between July 5, 2002 and June 15, 2003 (on or after November 30, 2002 for marks from indoor competitions). For the men's & women's **1500m only**, an alternate one mile run standard has been established for qualifying. See Qualifying Guidelines below for full details.

Men			Women		
	<u>"A"</u>	<u>"B"</u> Field Size		<u>"A"</u>	<u>"B"</u> FieldSize
100m	10.28	10.34 32	100m	11.48	11.55 32
200m	20.71	20.80 32	200m	23.40	23.55 32
400m	46.03	46.10 32	400m	52.90	53.05 32
800m	1:48.00	1:48.35 24	800m	2:05.50	2:06.00 24
1500m	3:41.60	3:42.00 24	1500m	4:16.50	4:18.00 24
<i>Mile</i>	3:59.10	3:59.50	<i>Mile</i>	4:36.50	4:38.00
5000m	13:51.00	13:52.50 18	5000m	15:56.00	16:04.00 18
10,000m	28:40.00	29:01.00 18	10,000m	33:50.00	33:55.00 18
110m H	13.80	13.86 32	100m H	13.20	13.30 32
400m H	50.69	50.75 24	400m H	58.25	58.40 24
3000m SC	8:44.50	8:45.50 26	3000m SC	10:15.00	10:20.00 26
20km RW	1:36:00	18	20km RW	1:50:00	— 18
HJ	2.31 / 7-7	2.23 / 7-3.75 18	HJ	1.84 / 6-0.5	1.83 / 6-0 18
PV	5.70 / 18-8.25	5.54 / 18-2 18	PV	4.17 / 13-8.2	4.10 / 13-5.25 18
LJ	8.00 / 26-3	7.80 / 25-7.25 18	LJ	6.35 / 20-10	6.25 / 20-6.25 18
TJ	16.35 / 53-7.75	16.00 / 52-6 18	TJ	13.00 / 42-8	12.80 / 42-0 18
SP	19.10 / 62-8	18.59 / 61-0 18	SP	15.90 / 52-2	15.75 / 51-8.25 18
DT	61.00 / 200-1	58.90 / 193-3 18	DT	54.50 / 178-10	53.50 / 175-6 18
HT	65.76 / 215-9	64.50 / 211-7 18	HT	60.96 / 200-0	60.00 / 196-10 18
JT	71.00 / 232-11	70.00 / 229-8 18	JT	50.50 / 165-8	48.00 / 157-6 18
Decathlon	7850	7650 20	Heptathlon	5450	5350 20

"A" and "B" Standards

"A" - athletes who attain the "A" standard will automatically be included in the event.*

"B" - athletes who attain the "B" standard will be accepted into the event only if additional competitors are needed to fill the stated field size (i.e. not enough athletes have attained the "A" standard).* For notification purposes a current phone number must be provided during the entry process.

*- subject to the Qualifying Guidelines, entry process, and declaration process. If the "B" standard is used, only the number of athletes, in ranked order, needed to fill the stated field size will be accepted into the event. These athletes must declare and they will be selected for inclusion after the close of declarations based on their qualifying mark.

QUALIFYING GUIDELINES

- All qualifying performances for running events must be made on a standard indoor or a 400m outdoor track.
- Qualifying marks must be made and verifiable in one of the following:
 - USATF- or IAAF-sanctioned events
 - collegiate meets, or high school meets, except duals and triangular meets
- All qualifying marks from outdoor competitions must be attained on or after Friday, July 5, 2002 through Sunday, June 15, 2003. Qualifying marks from indoor competitions must be attained on or after Saturday, November 30, 2002.
- Fully automatic timing (F.A.T.) is the only method of timing acceptable for qualifying marks for events equal to or shorter than 800 meters.
- A manual time may be used for qualifying for events of 1500 meters and longer only if no F.A.T. qualifying time exists for the race during the qualifying period. A manual time may not supersede any F.A.T. qualifying time for an event. Qualifying manual times, for eligible events, are always the F.A.T. qualifying time minus the last zero. The seed time for a submitted manual time will be in accordance with Rule 76.
- For Race Walk events, road race times are acceptable.
- Times submitted in hundredths of a second must be F.A.T. times.
- An entered athlete attaining a qualifying mark within one-tenth percent (0.1%) of the "B" standard for a running event, or 3cm below the standard for the discus, javelin or hammer, or 1 cm below the standard for all other field events may declare their desire to compete during the normal declaration period. Athletes within this allowance may be accepted into the competition by the Sport Chair when positions are available in existing heats or sections in running events or when the number of competitors in a field event is fewer than 16.

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ELIGIBILITY TO COMPETE

In addition to correctly entering the meet and having equaled or bettered the qualifying standard(s) during the stated qualifying periods, the following criteria must be met:

- **For all athletes, a 2003 USATF membership number must be provided or entry will not be accepted.** USATF memberships may be purchased on-line at www.usatf.org, through your local USATF Association or by calling the USATF National Headquarters at 317-261-0478 x345. The fee is \$20.
- **FOR COLLEGE COACHES:** The requirement that college athletes be USATF members in order to compete in the USA Outdoor Championships is in effect.
- Only citizens of the United States who are eligible to represent the United States in all levels of international competition and who have met the published entry standards between July 5, 2002 and June 15, 2003 are eligible to compete in these Championships. Qualifying marks from indoor competitions must be attained on or after November 30, 2002. See USATF Rules for more information and exceptions.
- Female athletes must be 14 years or older to compete in these Championships.
- Athletes may enter an event(s) even if they have not yet met the qualifying standard for that event(s). However, athletes will not be permitted to compete unless they have:
 - a) Completed the entry process
 - b) Met the entry standard by June 15, 2003
 - c) Completed the declaration process
- Proof of qualifying performance, if required, must be submitted to the USA Track & Field National Headquarters no later than Tuesday, June 17, 2003 at 2:59 p.m. ET. Any submittal received after this date will not be accepted.
- Athletes wishing to represent a branch of the Armed Forces of the United States must be registered with the Membership Committee of their local USATF Association.
- Athletes in the OUT-OF-COMPETITION (OOC) Drug-Testing Pool must have an updated athlete location form on file with USADA prior to competition.

ENTRY INFORMATION

To compete in the Championships, you must complete the entry process as follows:

A 2003 USATF MEMBERSHIP IS REQUIRED TO ENTER.

- Enter on-Line at : www.usatf.org (then click on USA Outdoor Championships).
- **THE PREFERRED METHOD OF ENTRY IS ON-LINE.** Athletes needing an alternative method of entry may call 317-261-0478 x337. The entry process begins April 7, 2003. **A 2003 USATF MEMBERSHIP IS REQUIRED TO ENTER.**
- The status of entry web page updates hourly.
- **On-time entries must be completed on-line or received by USATF by June 8, 2003, 5:00 p.m. ET.** An entry fee of \$10 must accompany the entry.
- In order to enter on-line, please have the following information available:
 - your 2003 USATF Membership number
 - your USATF membership password (see www.usatf.org/members-only/ for assistance)
 - the qualifying mark, qualifying event
 - name, location and date of event where qualified
 - affiliation
 - coach and/or agent phone number
 - an updated athlete location form on file with USADA if you are in the OUT-OF-COMPETITION (OOC) Drug-Testing Pool
 - credit card information: **USATF prefers VISA**
- **Late entries will be accepted if completed on-line or received by USATF by Monday, June 16, 2003, 7:00 p.m. ET.** Late entries must be accompanied by the \$10 entry fee **PLUS A LATE ENTRY FEE OF \$50.**
- On-line entries must be paid by credit card. **USATF prefers VISA.**

- Entries not completed on-line must be accompanied by check, money order or credit card information and mailed to:

**USA Track & Field
2003 USA Outdoor Track & Field Championships
One RCA Dome, Suite 140
Indianapolis, IN 46225**

- Athletes may enter an event(s) even if they have not yet met the qualifying standard for that event(s). However, athletes will not be permitted to compete unless they have:
 1. a 2003 USATF membership
 2. completed the entry process
 3. met the entry standard by June 15, 2003
 4. an updated athlete location form on file with USADA if in the Out-Of-Competition (OOC) Drug-Testing Pool
 5. completed the declaration process
- Proof of qualifying performance, if required, must be submitted to Duffy Mahoney at the National Headquarters no later than 2:59 p.m. ET on Tuesday, June 17, 2003. Any submittal received after this date will not be accepted. **Please fax to 317-261-0514.**

DECLARATIONS PROCESS

Once properly entered, all athletes must complete the declaration process.

- **DECLARATIONS WILL BE CONDUCTED ON-LINE** at www.usatf.org. Athletes needing an alternative method of declaration may call 317-261-0476.
- The status of declarations web page updates hourly.
- Each athlete or his/her representative must declare whether that athlete will or will not compete in each event they have entered. The person declaring may submit any corrected or improved marks in each event entered.
- **Declarations begin at 3:00 p.m. ET on Sunday, June 15, 2003 and close at 2:59 p.m. ET on Tuesday, June 17, 2003.**

- In order to make a declaration, please have all the following information available:

- 2003 USATF membership number
- your USATF membership password (see www.usatf.org/members-only/ for assistance)
- athlete's name
- athlete affiliation
- event(s) declaring
- event(s) scratching
- qualifying mark and qualifying event
- name, location and date of event where qualified, meet director and facility name
- phone number for call-back questions

- Athletes not declaring by 2:59 p.m. ET, Tuesday, June 17, 2003 will be scratched from the competition,
- Petitions for late declaration will be accepted from 12:00 noon until 2:59 p.m. ET on Wednesday, June 18, 2003 and must be accompanied by a \$100 fee. **Petitions may be filed by calling 317-261-0476.** Decisions on late declaration petitions will be acted upon by a special committee prior to the Seeding Committee meeting, which will be held at 1:00 p.m. PT on Wednesday afternoon,

RULES

- USA Track & Field rules shall apply. Protests must be filed in writing within 30 minutes of the results being announced and must be accompanied by a \$50 cash deposit, refundable only if the protest is upheld.

USATF Rule 10.3(b) Automatic Qualification.

a) Any athlete who has, in the current year or during the four previous calendar years, earned an individual medal in track and field in an Olympic Games or in an IAAF World Indoor or Outdoor Championships, or in the previous year won an individual USA Open Outdoor Championship event shall be afforded automatic qualification into all USA Open Indoor and Outdoor Track & Field Championships and Olympic trials in the same event in which the athlete has won the medal or championship. For this purpose, the indoor 60m, 60m hurdles, mile and 3000m distances are interchangeable with the outdoor 100m, 100m hurdles, 110m hurdles, 1500m and 5000m, respectively.

b) Any athlete who has, in the current year or during the four previous calendar years in a race walking event (1) earned an individual medal in an Olympic Games or in an IAAF World Indoor or Outdoor Championships, (2) won an individual Championships at the USA Open Indoor or Outdoor Track Championships (3) won a USA Championships in the 50-kilometer Walk, or (4) won a USA Olympic Trials shall be afforded automatic qualification into all USA Open Indoor and Outdoor Championships and Olympic Trials in a race walking event of his or her choice.

PACKET PICK-UP

Athlete packet pick-up and purchase of athlete support credentials will take place based on the following schedule:

Hyatt Rickey’s Hotel - Camino Ballroom

Wednesday, June 18 4:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Stanford Football Stadium Gate 2 - Located across from Cobb Track & Angell Field

Thursday, June 19 11:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
 Friday, June 20 3:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
 Saturday, June 21 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
 Sunday, June 22 9:00 a.m. - 12 noon

CREDENTIALS

Admission to the stadium will be by credential or admission ticket only. All “Athlete” and “Athlete Support” credentials must be picked up and/or purchased during packet pick-up. See Packet Pick-up schedule.

- Each athlete qualified and declared for the Championships will receive ONE “Athlete” credential for him/herself.
- USATF and the LOC have devised a system of low entry fees with the option to purchase “Athlete Support” credentials. This system is an attempt to better serve our athletes. “Athlete Support” credentials may be purchased as follows:

\$30 – Limited Access “AS” (all-sessions) – Provides admission to Cobb Track & Angell Field, warm-up track, mixed zone, event shuttle from the Hyatt Rickey’s and Marriott Santa Clara and access to the standing-room-only areas at the stadium. No seat is provided with this credential.

\$60 – “AS” (all-sessions) – Provides admission to Cobb Track & Angell Field, warm-up track, mixed zone, event shuttle from the Hyatt Rickey’s and

Marriott Santa Clara and seating in the athlete/athlete-support seating area.

- Athletes may purchase a maximum of two (2) Athlete Support Credentials regardless of the type.

PRACTICE HOURS

Practice will be restricted on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday prior to the start of the Championships. Visit www.usatf.org as more information becomes available on practice sites and hours of operations.

DOPING CONTROL

Athletes who participate in this competition may be subject to drug testing by the United States Anti-Doping Agency (USADA) in accordance with the IAAF Procedural Guidelines for Doping Control or the Olympic Movement Anti-Doping Code. Drug testing, and the adjudication of positive findings, will be carried out by the United States Anti-Doping Agency. Athletes found to have committed a doping violation will be disciplined according to the USADA Protocol and suspended, if appropriate, according to applicable IAAF rules. Such penalties may result in a period of ineligibility, as well as disqualification from this event. Any substance taken by an athlete is at his/her own risk and may result in a positive sample. **(This includes cold medicines, nutritional supplements, and some over the counter medicines).** Information on drugs and drug testing may be obtained by calling the USADA Drug Reference Hotline at **1-800-233-0393** or visiting the USADA web site at www.usantidoping.org

PLEASE CONSIDER THE TIME NECESSARY FOR PROVIDING A SAMPLE AND PROCESSING PAPERWORK AT THE END OF YOUR EVENT WHEN MAKING TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS.

AIRPORT INFORMATION

USA Track & Field is pleased to announce that it has been able to secure special airfare discounts on United Airlines and American Airlines. Several pricing options are available to serve your needs.

United Airlines

You may choose a 5% discount off any United Airlines domestic published airfare or a 10% discount off the unrestricted fully refundable coach fare. Receive an additional 5% discount on tickets purchased at least 30 days in advance of travel. Or you may choose Area Pricing, a fixed airfare rate to your meeting based on geographical location. Area Pricing must be purchased at least 7 days in advance. These discounts apply on United Airlines and United Express. Call 1-800-521-4041 to obtain the best fares and schedule information. Make sure you refer to ID Number 516RY. Dedicated Reservation Agents are on duty 7 days a week from 8:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. EST.

American Airlines

You may choose a 5% discount off any American Airlines domestic published airfare or a 10% discount off the unrestricted fully refundable coach fare. Receive an additional 5% discount on tickets purchased at least 30 days in advance of travel. Or you may choose Area Pricing, a fixed airfare rate to your meeting based on geographical location. Area Pricing must be purchased at least 7 days in advance. Call 1 800-433-1790 to obtain the best fares and schedule information. Make sure you refer to ID Number A0863BB.

AIRPORT SHUTTLES

Athletes may arrange shuttle service from San Jose Airport and San Francisco International through the following services:

San Jose Airport - All shuttles require reservations.

San Jose Express	408-370-0701
South & East Bay Airport Shuttle	408-225-4444
VIP Airport Shuttle	408-885-1800
Santa Clara Airporter	800-771-7794

San Francisco International Airport

SuperShuttle - 415-558-8500 - Walk up service welcome, if space available. Reservations are requested.

CAR RENTAL

Avis	800-831-2847
Budget	800-527-0700
Dollar	800-800-4000
Enterprise	800-726-8227
Hertz	800-654-3131
National	800-227-7368
Thrifty	800-847-4389
Alamo	800-462-5266

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 Nelson 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>

HOUSING INFORMATION

The Hyatt Ricky's Hotel, located at 4219 El Camino Real in Palo Alto, will serve as the Athlete Headquarters for elite athletes and coaches only. The Hyatt Rickey's is holding a limited number of rooms for reservations at the USATF special rate. Contact the hotel directly at 650-352-1234 and mention "USA Track & Field" for the single/double rate of \$99 per night (plus 10% tax) and the triple/quad rate of \$125 per night (plus 10% tax). The cutoff date for special rate reservations is June 10, 2003 at 5:00 p.m. PT. After this date, rooms will be on a "space-available" basis at a higher rate. This rate has been negotiated by USATF as a service to athletes and coaches.

If reservations are cancelled within 48 hours of arrival or reservation is a "NO SHOW", guest will be charged one night's room rate.

TICKETS

Athletes' friends and family members wishing to purchase tickets may contact the Stanford Ticket Office at 1-800-782-6367. For ticket information and a seating chart visit www.usatf.org or www.ustfnationals.org. A sellout crowd is expected, tickets should be purchased early!

THROWING IMPLEMENTS

- Athletes will be permitted to use their own implements for competition provided they pass the implement inspection. Implements not passing inspection will be impounded and returned after the completion of competition.
- Personal implements that are accepted for use in the competition lose identity as privately owned implements for the duration of the competition and may be used by any competitor.
- Meet organizers will provide a limited supply of implements for use by competitors not wishing to use their own implements or whose implements have not passed inspection.
- Athletes must provide their own implements for practice.

SHUTTLE BUSES

- Complimentary shuttle bus service will operate from the Hyatt Rickey's Hotel to and from Cobb Track & Angell Field from Thursday through Sunday of the Championships.
- Shuttles will be for the exclusive use of athletes, coaches, officials and media. A valid Championships credential will be necessary to gain admittance to the bus.
- No shuttle service will be provided to or from the airports in the area.
- A shuttle bus schedule will be available at packet pick-up.

AWARDS

USA Track & Field medals will be awarded to the top 6 finishers in each event. All champions will be honored in a medal ceremony following the conclusion of their event.

FILMING OF CHAMPIONSHIPS

The 2003 USA Outdoor Track & Field Championships is being filmed for broadcast. By entering this competition an athlete grants USA Track & Field, the right to use the athlete's name, likeness, voice, biographical and other information, in any format whatsoever, in connection with the distribution of the 2003 USA Outdoor Track & Field Championships or the advertising or promotion of the sport of track & field.

PRIZE MONEY

For the 2003 USA Outdoor Track & Field Championships, USA Track & Field will pay prize money to the first- through fifth-place finishers in each championship event. The prize structure is as follows:

First Place	\$4,000
Second Place	\$3,000
Third Place	\$2,000
Fourth Place	\$1,000
Fifth Place	\$ 500

Athletes with remaining **collegiate eligibility** are not eligible to receive this prize money. Athletes are eligible to receive prize money in more than one event. Athletes who are over the income cap (over \$125,000) are not eligible to receive these basic grant funds. Funds will only be distributed to persons who are eligible to represent the United States in all levels of international competition.

MEDICAL SERVICES

A full complement of medical professionals will be available at Cobb Track & Angell Field during the Championships. "Athlete Support" credentialed medical/training personnel will have a designated area for their use.

VAULTING POLES

No athlete transportation is provided from the airport to the Hyatt Rickey's Hotel. Poles will be transported from the Hyatt Rickey's Hotel to Cobb Track & Angell Field.

Vaulting poles may be stored at Cobb Track & Angell Field beginning Wednesday, June 18, 2003.

NATIONAL TEAM SIGN-UP

The 2003 USA Outdoor Track & Field Championships will serve as the selection meet for the following international competitions:

- 2003 Pan American Games
- 2003 World Championships
- 2003 World University Games
- USA vs. Great Britain vs. Russia
- USA vs. Germany Decathlon & Heptathlon

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