

**2006
USA Junior Outdoor Track & Field
Championships**



**June 21 – 25
IU Michael A. Carroll Track & Soccer Stadium
at Indiana University – Purdue University Indianapolis
Indianapolis, IN**

ENTRY INFORMATION

QUICK FACTS

Competition Dates: Junior Athletes

June 21 - 25, 2006

Site: IU Michael A. Carroll Track & Soccer Stadium on the campus of IUPUI, Indianapolis, IN

Qualifying Period:

Track & Field – May 1, 2005 – June 18, 2006
Combined Events – March 1, 2005 – June 18, 2006
Race Walk – May 1, 2005 – June 18, 2006
Indoor Competitions – On or after November 19, 2005

Entry Process Begins:

April 1, 2006, 9:00 am ET

Entry Deadline:

June 12, 2006, 11:59 pm ET

Status of Entries Web Page:

Updates hourly

Declarations Begin: open athletes

June 17, 2006, 9:00 am ET

Declarations Deadline:

June 19, 2006, 11:59 pm ET

Status of Declarations Web Page:

Updates hourly

Junior Championships Headquarter Hotel:

Radisson Hotel City Centre

USATF Discounted Rate:

\$120 (plus tax) single/double
Reference "USA Track & Field"

On-line Reservations at Radisson.com – Block Code is USATF

Reservation Deadline:

Monday, June 5, 2006

See Housing Information for other hotel options

Tickets: For ticket information and seating charts, visit www.usatf.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 317-713-4665

**The following Championship Events for men and women will be contested at the
2006 USA Junior Outdoor Track & Field Championships**

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

FACILITY SPECIFICATIONS FOR CARROLL STADIUM

Track	Mondo Super X Nine (9)-48 inch lanes on the straightaway Eight (8)-48 inch lanes on the oval Outside water jump for steeplechase
Long/Triple	204' 9" Mondo runways
Pole Vault	176' 8" and 184' 7" Mondo runways
High Jump	Mondo surface
Javelin	Mondo surface
Shot Put	Concrete ring with dirt/grass impact area
Discus/Hammer	Concrete ring with dirt/grass impact area

Visit www.usatf.org
often for updated information about the Championships

2006 USA Junior Outdoor Track & Field Championships
Time Schedule – Junior Athletes
Tentative - Subject to Change

Wednesday, June 21, 2006

12:30 pm	Javelin Throw	jr. men	final
12:30	100m Hurdles	jr. women	heptathlon
1:00	100m	jr. men	decathlon
1:30	High Jump	jr. women	heptathlon
1:45	Long Jump	jr. men	decathlon
3:00	Shot Put	jr. men	decathlon
3:30	Discus Throw	jr. men	final
4:15	High Jump	jr. men	decathlon
4:30	Shot Put	jr. women	heptathlon
5:45	200m	jr. women	heptathlon
6:30	Hammer Throw	jr. women	final
6:45	400m	jr. men	decathlon
7:10	5,000m	jr. men	final
7:30	5,000m	jr. women	final
7:55	10,000m	jr. men	final

Thursday, June 22, 2006

9:45 am	Javelin Throw	jr. women	final
10:00	110m Hurdles	jr. men	decathlon
10:20	110m Hurdles	jr. men	1st round
10:30	High Jump	jr. men	final
10:40	100m Hurdles	jr. women	1st round
10:50	Long Jump	jr. women	heptathlon
11:00	100m	jr. women	1st round
11:00	Discus Throw	jr. men	decathlon
11:20	100m	jr. men	1st round
11:40	400m Hurdles	jr. women	1st round
12:00 pm	400m Hurdles	jr. men	1st round
12:15	Long Jump	jr. men	final
12:20	800m	jr. women	1st round
12:25	Long Jump	jr. women	final
12:30	Javelin Throw	jr. women	heptathlon
12:40	800m	jr. men	1st round
1:00	3,000m	jr. women	final
1:15	3,000m Steeplechase	jr. men	final
1:30	100m Hurdles	jr. women	final
1:40	110m Hurdles	jr. men	final
1:45	Pole Vault	jr. men	decathlon

Thursday, June 22 cont'

1:50	100m	jr. women	final
2:00	100m	jr. men	final
2:15	800m	jr. women	heptathlon
2:15	Shot Put	jr. men	final
2:15	Shot Put	jr. women	final
4:00	Javelin Throw "A"	jr. men	decathlon
5:00	Javelin Throw "B"	jr. men	decathlon
5:15	Pole Vault	jr. women	final
6:20	1,500m	jr. men	decathlon

Friday, June 23, 2006

10:00	Hammer Throw	jr. men	final
10:20	Discus Throw	jr. women	final
10:50	200m	jr. women	1st round
11:15	200m	jr. men	1st round
11:40	1,500m	jr. women	1st round
12:00 pm	1,500m	jr. men	1st round
12:15	Pole Vault	jr. men	final
12:20	400m	jr. women	1st round
12:40	400m	jr. men	1st round
12:45	Triple Jump	jr. women	final
12:45	High Jump	jr. women	final
1:00	3,000m Steeple	jr. women	final
1:15	800m	jr. women	final
1:25	800m	jr. men	final
1:35	400m Hurdles	jr. men	final
1:45	400m Hurdles	jr. women	final
1:55	200m	jr. women	final
2:00	Triple Jump	jr. men	final
2:05	200m	jr. men	final

Saturday, June 24, 2006

8:30	10 km Race Walk	jr. women	final
2:05	1,500m	jr. women	final
2:25	1,500m	jr. men	final
2:45	400m	jr. women	final
2:55	400m	jr. men	final

Sunday, June 25, 2006

8:30	10 km RaceWalk	jr. men	final
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The USA Junior Outdoor Track & Field Championships will be held in conjunction with the 2006 AT&T USA Outdoor Track & Field Championships. For a complete schedule with all event times, visit www.usatf.org.

QUALIFYING STANDARDS

Marks must be achieved in an outdoor competition as follows:

Track & Field Events qualifying period:	May 1, 2005 thru June 18, 2006
Combined Events qualifying period:	March 1, 2005 thru June 18, 2006
Race Walk Events qualifying period:	May 1, 2005 thru June 18, 2006

Marks from indoor competitions must be made on or after November 19, 2005. See Qualifying Guidelines below for full details.

	Junior Men		Junior Women	
100m	10.64	3000m Race Walk	15:00.0	100m 11.84
200m	21.54	5000m Race Walk	25:30.0	200m 24.54
400m	47.84	High Jump	2.06 m	400m 55.94
800m	01:53.9	Pole Vault	4.90 m	800m 02:13.6
1500m	03:58.1	Long Jump	7.28 m	1500m 04:40.1
1600m	04:13.9	Triple Jump	14.65 m	1600m 04:58.1
Mile	04:15.2	Shot Put (6 kg)	17.60 m	Mile 05:00.1
5000m	15:05.0	Shot Put (12 lb. H.S.)	18.11 m	3000m 10:15.1
1500m	03:58.1	Shot Put (16 lb.)	16.15 m	3200m 10:55.1
1600m	04:13.9	Discus Throw (1.75 kg)	53.12 m	5000m 17:55.1
Mile	04:15.2	Discus Throw (1.6 kg H.S.)	56.40 m	3000m 10:15.1
3000m	08:40.0	Discus Throw (2 kg)	49.96 m	3200m 10:55.1
3200m	09:15.0	Hammer Throw (6 kg)	51.50 m	100m Hurdles (33") 14.34
5000m	15:05.0	Hammer Throw (12 lb.)	by appeal	100m Hurdles (30") 13.94
10,000m	32:45.0	Hammer Throw (16 lb.)	48.46 m	400m Hurdles (33") 01:03.1
1500m	03:58.1	Javelin Throw (800 g)	58.00 m	300m Hurdles (30") 44.14
1600m	04:13.9	Decathlon	5950 pts.	3000m Steeplechase 10:50.1
Mile	04:15.2	Decathlon (H.S.)	6050 pts.	1500m 04:40.1
3000m	08:40.0			1600m 04:58.1
3200m	09:15.0			Mile 05:00.1
5000m	15:05.0			3000m 10:15.1
110m Hurdles (39")	14.74			3200m 10:55.1
110m Hurdles (42")	14.84			5000m 17:55.1
400m Hurdles (36")	53.94			2000m Steeplechase 07:05.1
300m Hurdles (30")	37.1			10,000m Race Walk 59:45.0
300m Hurdles (36")	37.6			5000m Race Walk 28:30.0
400m Hurdles (30")	53.7			3000m Race Walk 16:30.0
3000m Steeplechase	09:39.4			High Jump 1.72 m
2000m Steeplechase	06:26.4			Pole Vault 3.90 m
1500m	03:58.1			Long Jump 5.90 m
1600m	04:13.9			Triple Jump 11.80 m
Mile	04:15.2			Shot Put (4 kg) 13.60 m
3000m	08:40.0			Discus Throw (1 kg) 45.00 m
3200m	09:15.0			Hammer Throw (4 kg) 48.00 m
5000m	15:05.0			Javelin Throw (600 g) 40.00 m
10,000m Race Walk	55:15.0			Heptathlon 4200 pts.

QUALIFYING GUIDELINES

1. All qualifying performances for running events must be made in competition on a standard indoor or a 400m outdoor track.
2. Qualifying marks must be made in accordance with USATF Rule 149 and verifiable in one of the following:
 - 1) USATF- or IAAF-sanctioned events
 - 2) Events at collegiate meets which prescribe to or exceed USATF competition rules, or
 - 3) High school meets, except duals and triangular meets
3. All qualifying marks from outdoor competitions must be attained on or after May 1, 2005 through Sunday, June 18, 2006 **for track & field and race walk events. Combined events** qualifying marks must be attained on or after March 1, 2005 through June 18, 2006. Qualifying marks from indoor competitions must be attained on or after November 19, 2005.
4. Fully automatic timing (F.A.T.) is the only method of timing acceptable for qualifying marks for events equal to or shorter than 400 meters.
5. A manual time may be used for qualifying for events of 800 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 without the last zero. The seed time for a submitted manual time will be in accordance with USATF Rule 166.6.
6. Times submitted in hundredths of a second must be F.A.T. times.
7. For Race Walk events, road race times are acceptable.

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 2006 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 Office at 317-713 - 4665. The fee is \$20.
- 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 as stated elsewhere in this document are eligible to compete in these Championships. See USATF Rules for more information and exceptions.
- Athletes must be at least 14 years old on the day of competition but not turn 20 years old during 2006. All entries must be accompanied by a copy of a legal document (passport or birth certificate) in order to verify date of birth and citizenship. If you have a valid passport at the time of entry, please use a copy of the information page of your passport as verification of citizenship and birth date. These copies will not be returned. You must fax a copy of your passport or birth certificate to the "USA Junior Outdoor Track & Field Championships" at the USATF National Office at 317-261-0514 no later than June 16, 2006.

- Athletes are encouraged to enter even if they have not yet met the qualifying standard. However, athletes will not be permitted to compete unless they have:
 - 1) Completed the entry process
 - 2) Met the entry standard by June 18, 2006
 - 3) Completed the declaration process
- Proof of qualifying performance, if required, must be submitted to USATF no later than Tuesday, June 20, 2006 at 12:00 noon 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.

STATEMENT OF CLUB MEMBERSHIP

Athletes must be bona fide members of a 2006 USATF club in order to represent a club. An athlete's current club affiliation can be viewed in his/her membership profile (www.usatf.org/membership/edit/) and as part of the online entry process. Athletes wishing to change affiliations can make such a request through their local USATF Association (note that this request must be made by the athlete - see Regulation 7 in the USATF Governance Manual, Section III). All club affiliations must be finalized by close of declarations. No club changes accepted after this date for the Outdoor Championships.

SPONSOR AFFILIATION

In addition to a club affiliation, athletes are able to represent one (1) corporate sponsor. This corporate sponsor must be a registered USATF Corporate Member and be part of the athlete's membership profile. Corporate Membership applications can be obtained by sending an e-mail to membership@usatf.org. All sponsor affiliations must be finalized by close of declarations. No sponsor changes accepted after this date for the Outdoor Championships.

ENTRY INFORMATION

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

A 2006 USATF MEMBERSHIP IS REQUIRED TO ENTER

- All entries must be submitted on-line at www.usatf.org (click on National Championships on the homepage and then go to USA Junior Outdoor Track & Field Championships).
- On-line entry is the only method of entry. No other form of entry will be accepted.
- On-time entries are those that are completed on-line between Saturday, April 1, 2006 and Monday, June 12, 2006, 11:59 pm ET. An entry fee of \$25 must accompany the entry.
- A Help Line is available for those who need help with the entry process. For assistance call 317-713 - 4673 during normal business hours, 8:30 am - 5:00 pm ET, Monday - Friday.
- The Status of Entries/Declarations web page updates hourly: www.usatf.org
- In order to enter on-line, please have the following information available:

- 1) 2006 USATF membership number
 - 2) USATF membership password (see www.usatf.org/members-only/ for assistance)
 - 3) The qualifying mark and qualifying event
 - 4) Name, location and date of event where qualified
 - 5) Athlete's affiliation
 - 6) Coach's phone number
 - 7) Credit card or checking account (electronic checks) information: "VISA, the only card accepted by USA Track & Field"
- Late entries are those that are completed on-line after 11:59 pm ET on Monday, June 12, 2006 through Friday, June 16, 2006, 11:59 pm ET. Late entries must be accompanied by the \$25 entry fee PLUS A LATE ENTRY FEE OF \$50.
 - On-line entries and other fees must be paid by credit card or electronic check. "VISA, the only card accepted by USA Track & Field"
 - All performances are subject to verification.
 - Athletes are encouraged to enter even if they have not yet met the qualifying standard. However, athletes will not be permitted to compete unless they have:
 - 1) A 2006 USATF membership
 - 2) Completed the entry process
 - 3) Met the entry standard by June 18, 2006
 - 4) Completed the declaration process
 - Proof of qualifying performance, if required, must be submitted to USATF no later than 12:00 noon ET, Tuesday, June 20, 2006. Any submittal received after this date will not be accepted. Please contact stats@usatf.org for verification procedures.

DECLARATIONS PROCESS

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

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 WILL BE CONDUCTED ON-LINE at www.usatf.org. On-line is the only method of declaration. No other form of declaration will be accepted.
- Declarations begin at 9:00 am ET on Saturday, June 17, 2006 and close at 11:59 pm ET on Monday, June 19, 2006.
- A Help Line is available for those who need help with the declaration process. For assistance call 317-713-4673 during normal business hours, 8:30 am - 5:00 pm ET, Monday - Friday.
- The Status of Entries/Declarations web page updates hourly: www.usatf.org.
- In order to make a declaration, please have the following information available:

- 1) 2006 USATF membership number
- 2) USATF membership password (see www.usatf.org/members-only/ for assistance)
- 3) Athlete's name
- 4) Athlete's affiliation
- 5) Event(s) declaring
- 6) Event(s) scratching
- 7) Any updated qualifying mark(s) and qualifying event(s)
- 8) Name, location and date of event where qualified, and meet director
- 9) Phone number for call-back questions
- 10) Athletes not declaring by 11:59 pm ET, Monday, June 19, 2006 will be scratched from the competition.

- Petitions for late declaration will be accepted from 9:00 am until 12:00 noon ET on Tuesday, June 20, 2006 and must be accompanied by a late declaration fee of \$100 payable by credit card or electronic check only. Petitions may be filed by calling 317-713-4673. Decisions on late declaration petitions will be acted upon by a special committee no later than end of business day, Tuesday, June 20, 2006. An athlete, whose petition is successful, will be notified as soon as the decision is final. "VISA, the only card accepted by USA Track & Field".

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 \$100 cash deposit, refundable only if the protest is upheld.

PACKET PICK-UP – Junior Athletes

Athlete packet pick-up and Athlete Support credential pick-up will take place at the IU Natatorium Lobby and across the street from Carroll Stadium during the following times:

Tuesday, June 20	4:00 pm – 10:00 pm
Wednesday, June 21	9:00 am – 7:00 pm
Thursday, June 22	7:30 am – 7:00 pm
Friday, June 23	7:30 am – 5:00 pm
Saturday, June 24	11:30 am – 4:00 pm
Sunday, June 25	Closed

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" ("A") credential for him/herself.
- Each athlete will receive one complimentary "Athlete Support" ("AS") credential as part of the entry fee, good for all sessions.
- Each athlete may purchase one additional "AS" credential for personal coaches and/or medical personnel as follows:

Single Day Credential -	\$30
All Sessions Credential -	\$60

“Athlete Support” (“AS”) credentials are only valid when worn by an individual 18 years or older.

Athlete Credential (“A”) – An “Athlete” credential provides access to the following areas:

- Carroll Stadium
- The field of play when escorted by an official for the purpose of competition
- The IU Natatorium for weight room and doping control
- Athlete shuttle buses
- Event medical facilities
- Athlete seating
- Athlete hotel hospitality lounge

Athlete Support Credential (“AS”) - An “Athlete Support” credential provides access to the following areas:

- Carroll Stadium
- The IU Natatorium for weight room and doping control
- Athlete shuttle buses
- Event medical facilities for purpose of escorting an athlete
- Athlete seating
- Athlete hotel hospitality lounge

PRACTICE HOURS

Practice will be permitted at Carroll Stadium **only** at the times listed below, **as well as for two hours immediately following the last contested event of the day.**

Monday, June 19	2:00 pm – 8:00 pm
Tuesday, June 20	8:00 am – 8:00 pm
Wednesday, June 21	8:00 am – 11:00 am
Thursday, June 22	6:00 am – 8:00 am
Friday, June 23	6:00 am – 8:00 am
Saturday, June 24	6:00 am – 8:00 am
Sunday, June 25	6:00 am – 8:00 am

During competition hours, athletes may prefer to practice at the University on Indianapolis which is about a 10 minute ride from the Hyatt. A practice shuttle bus will operate from the Radisson to the University of Indianapolis beginning Wednesday, June 21 through Sunday June 25. The bus will run every 60 minutes from 8:00 am – 5:00 pm

DOPING CONTROL

Athletes who participate in this competition are subject to drug testing in accordance with the United States Anti-Doping Agency (USADA) Protocol for Olympic Movement Testing (USADA Protocol). Testing may take place after any round--preliminary, qualifying, or final. USADA will be responsible for conducting comprehensive drug testing, as well as the adjudication of positive findings. Athletes selected for doping control are required to sign a testing notification form by the assigned doping control chaperone, who will remain with each athlete until she or he arrives at the doping control testing center. Athletes have one hour from the time of notification before they must report to the doping control testing center. Once athletes complete the drug testing process, they are free to leave. Athletes with positive drug test results will have their cases adjudicated according to the USADA Protocol and will be penalized, if appropriate, according to applicable IAAF or World Anti-Doping Agency rules. Such penalties may include, but not be limited to, a period of ineligibility from competition, as well as disqualification from past competitions and cancellation of awards and prizes previously awarded. Any substance taken by an athlete is at his/her own risk and may result in a positive sample. BEWARE: some

nutritional supplements, prescription, cold medicines and over-the-counter medications contain prohibited substances. Information regarding specific drugs and substances may be obtained by calling the USADA Drug Reference Line at 800-233-0393, visiting the www.usantidoping.org/dro .

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

AIRPORT INFORMATION

Athletes traveling by air to the 2006 USA Junior Outdoor Track & Field Championships will find it convenient to fly into the Indianapolis International Airport. The airline discounts listed below are valid for the Championships.

AMERICAN AIRLINES: Call 800-433-1790 and ask for Meeting ID code A1466BJ. Discounts: 5% off lowest applicable fare including first class and excluding Q and O. Applicable travel dates are June 18-28, 2006.

UNITED AIRLINES: Call 800-521-4041 and ask for Meeting ID code 538TE. Discounts: 2% off supersaver fares and 5% off mid-range fares. An additional 5% discount will be awarded for travel booked 30 days prior to the travel. Applicable travel dates are June 18-28, 2006.

AIRPORT GROUND TRANSPORTATION

COMPLIMENTARY AIRPORT SHUTTLE

The Local Organizing Committee will provide a complimentary airport shuttle from the Indianapolis International Airport to the Radisson Hotel during specific scheduled hours of the day from Monday, June 19 thru Monday, June 26.

Visit www.usatf.org for further information about the complimentary Indianapolis International Airport shuttle. Scheduled pick-up times will be available on the USATF website at a later date.

CAR RENTAL

Avis	800-230-4898
Budget.....	800-572-0700
Dollar.....	800-800-3665
Enterprise.....	800-736-8222
Hertz.....	800-654-3131
National.....	800-227-7368
Thrifty.....	800-847-4389
Alamo.....	800-327-9633

OTHER GROUND TRANSPORTATION OPTIONS

For van service, shuttle service, limousines and other ground transportation options, please visit the airport website www.indianapolisairport.com

DIRECTIONS TO Carroll Stadium

1001 W. New York Street, Indianapolis, IN 46202

IU Michael A. Carroll Track & Soccer Stadium
Indiana University – Purdue University Indianapolis (IUPUI)
1001 W. New York Street
Indianapolis, IN 46202
317-274-3518
www.sportcomplex.iupui.edu

Interstate I-65 – From the north, take Exit 114 and follow West Street (Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Street) south to Michigan Street and turn right. Once on campus on Michigan Street continue west to University Blvd. and turn left. Take University Blvd. to New York Street. The Stadium is at the corner of New York and University Blvd. For event parking, follow signs on Michigan Street for the track stadium parking.

Interstate I-65 – From the south, take I-65 into downtown and exit onto I-70 West. Take Exit 79A and follow West Street north to Michigan Street and turn left on Michigan Street. Continue west to University Blvd. and turn left. Take University Blvd. to New York Street. The Stadium is at the corner of New York and University Blvd. For event parking, follow signs on Michigan Street for the track stadium parking.

Interstate I-70 – From the west, take Exit 79A and follow West Street (Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Street) north to Michigan Street and turn left on Michigan. Continue west to University Blvd. and turn left. Take University Blvd. to New York Street. The Stadium is at the corner of New York and University Blvd. For event parking, follow signs on Michigan Street for the track stadium parking.

Interstate I-70 – From the east, take I-70 into downtown and exit onto I-65 North – move to the far left lane. Take Exit 114 and follow West Street (Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Street) south to Michigan Street and turn right. Once on campus on Michigan Street continue west to University Blvd. and turn left. Take University Blvd. to New York Street. The Stadium is at the corner of New York and University Blvd. For event parking, follow signs on Michigan Street for the track stadium parking

HOUSING INFORMATION

Junior Headquarters Hotel

The Radisson Hotel City Centre will serve as the Junior Athlete Headquarters hotel. The Radisson is located at 31 West Ohio Street. A limited number of rooms are available for reservations at the USATF special rate. **Contact the hotel directly at 800-333-3333 or 317-635-2000 and mention “USA Track & Field” for the single/double rate of \$120 per night (plus tax).** The cutoff date for special rate reservations is **June 5, 2006**. After this date, rooms will be on a “space-available” basis at a higher rate. Visit http://www.radisson.com/indianapolisin_citycentre for more information about the hotel.

Special Rate Rules: Rate valid June 19-26, 2006

- Rooms are limited, and reservations will be taken on a first-come, first-served basis. The USATF housing block may be filled before the reservation deadline.
- The **Reservation Deadline** is Monday, June 5, 2006. After that date, if rooms are available, the rate may be higher.
- There is a **3- night minimum stay** for this special rate.
- Check-in time is 3:00 pm and check-out time is 12:00 noon.
- All **reservations must be guaranteed** by a major credit card. “Visa, the only card accepted by USA Track & Field” Reservations held **without** a guarantee will be cancelled on **May 17, 2006**.

All guaranteed reservations will be charged a one- night cancellation fee (\$120 + tax) for all cancellations after **May 17, 2006** and for all no- shows.

- If your plans change and you will arrive on a different day, you must contact the hotel directly to change your reservation. Otherwise, your entire reservation will be cancelled and you will be charged the one- night cancellation fee.

Complimentary shuttle service will be provided from the Radisson to Carroll Stadium. The Radisson is approximately one mile from the track stadium.

Overflow Hotel - Rate valid June 19-25, 2006

The Westin Indianapolis located at 50 South Capitol Avenue has been designated as the overflow hotel for the Championships. A limited number of rooms are available for reservations at the USATF special rate of \$124 (plus tax) per night for a single/double room. The cutoff date for special rate reservations is **May 29, 2006**. After this date, rooms will be on a “space-available” basis at a higher rate. **Contact the hotel directly at 800-228-3000 and reference “USA Track & Field”.** Visit <http://www.starwoodhotels.com/westin/indianapolis> for more information about the hotel.

Special Rate Rules:

- Rooms are limited and reservations will be taken on a first-come, first-served basis.
- The **Reservation Deadline** is Monday, May 29, 2006. After that date, if rooms are available, the rate may be higher.
- There is a **3- night minimum stay** for this special rate.
- All **reservations must be guaranteed** by a major credit card. “Visa, the only card accepted by USA Track & Field”. Reservations held **without** a guarantee will be cancelled on **May 17, 2006**. All guaranteed reservations will be charged a one- night cancellation fee (\$124 + tax) for all cancellations after **May 17, 2006** and for all no- shows.
- If your plans change and you will arrive on a different day, you must contact the hotel directly to change your reservation. Otherwise, your entire reservation will be cancelled and you will be charged the one- night cancellation fee.

There is no direct shuttle service between the Westin and Carroll Stadium. Shuttle service is available at the Hyatt Regency – across the street from the Westin.

For driving directions to these hotels visit www.usatf.org

TICKETS

For ticket information and a seating chart, visit www.usatf.org, www.indianasportscorp.com, or www.ticketmaster.com. A USATF member discount of 10% is available when tickets are purchased at www.usatf.org while supplies last.

THROWING IMPLEMENTS

- Athletes will be permitted to use their own implements for competition provided they pass the implement inspection. All implements will be impounded after inspection. Implements not passing inspection will be returned after the completion of competition.
- Implement weigh-in and inspections will be held at Carroll Stadium behind the press box at the times listed below.

- 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.

Implement Weigh-in Hours

Wednesday, June 21	9:00 am – 10:00 pm
Thursday, June 22	9:00 am – 10:00 pm
Friday, June 23	9:00 am – 10:00 pm
Saturday, June 24	6:00 am – 7:00 pm
Sunday, June 25	6:00 am – 6:00 pm

EVENT SHUTTLE BUSES

- Complimentary shuttle bus service will operate from the Radisson Hotel City Centre to Carroll Stadium Monday, June 19 through Sunday, June 25. Athletes staying at the Westin can take the shuttle by walking across the street to the Hyatt.
- On competition days a practice shuttle bus will operate to the University of Indianapolis every 60 minutes from 8:00 am – 5:00 pm for those who wish to have full practice facilities.
- 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 during competition days. No credential will be needed for the practice shuttle.
- A shuttle bus schedule will be available at packet pick-up and at the hotel guest services desks.

AWARDS

A Gold Medal, emblematic of the Championships of the United States of America, will be given to the winner of each Championship event, a Silver Medal to second place, and a Bronze Medal to third through sixth places.

All champions will be honored in a medal ceremony following the conclusion of their event.

FILMING OF CHAMPIONSHIPS

The 2006 Junior 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 Championships or the advertising or promotion of the sport of track & field.

MEDICAL SERVICES

A full complement of medical professionals will be available at Carroll Stadium during the Championships. "Athlete Support" credentialed medical/training personnel will have a designated area on the warm-up field near the medical tent.

VAULTING POLES

The Local Organizing Committee will provide airport pick-up at Indianapolis International Airport for vaulting poles beginning Monday, June 19, 2006. Upon arrival at the airport athletes should contact the guest services desk to learn where poles should be left for pick-up. Representatives from the LOC will deliver the poles hourly between 8:00 am and 6:00 pm to Carroll Stadium. Poles may be claimed at the Implement Inspection tent located behind the press box.

NATIONAL TEAM PROCESSING

The 2006 USA Junior Outdoor Track & Field Championships will serve as the selection meet for the 2006 IAAF World Junior Championships to be held August 15 – 20 in Beijing, China. All citizens of the United States must have a visa to enter China. USATF will obtain athlete visas however, because of this time consuming process, all junior athletes must bring their passport with them to the Outdoor Championships in Indianapolis so their visa may be applied for. Passports must be good for 6 months after the return to the United States thus all passports must be good through February of 2007. An athlete planning to make the 2006 IAAF World Junior Team that does not have a valid passport should apply for his/her passport now. Passports may take from 4-6 weeks to process and the visa must be processed after receipt of the passport thus making it difficult for an athlete that does not have a valid passport with him/her at the Outdoor Championships to complete the necessary items to make the team.

Athletes must compete in the Junior Championships to be eligible for the World Junior Team.

Team processing for **junior athletes** will take place at the IU Natatorium from Wednesday, June 21 - Sunday, June 25. National Team Processing will operate on the following schedule:

Wednesday, June 21	3:00 pm – 10:00 pm
Thursday, June 22	12:30 pm – 10:00 pm
Friday, June 23	12:30 pm – 6:30 pm
Saturday, June 24	3:00 pm – 5:30 pm
Sunday, June 25	9:30 pm – 10:30 pm Race Walk Only

Athletes must complete team processing on the day of their final event.

PLEASE CONSIDER THE TIME NECESSARY FOR TEAM PROCESSING WHEN MAKING YOUR TRAVEL ARRANGMENTS.

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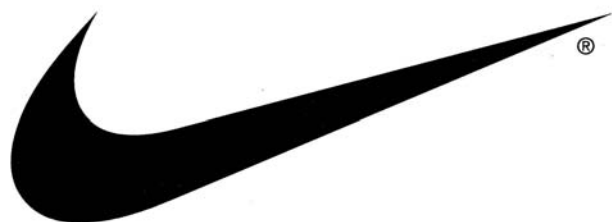
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