



2017 USATF Mid-Atlantic Association Junior Olympic Track & Field Championships

June 17-18, 2017
Widener University Chester, Pa. 19013

Eligibility Requirements

INDIVIDUALS

All athletes must be 2017 members of USATF in good standing, with their age verified. Only U.S. citizens, aliens living in the United States and foreign exchange students are eligible to compete in these championships. See the USATF Rules for more information and exceptions.

AGE DIVISIONS AND EVENT LIMITS

Each athlete must compete in his/her age division only. There will be no "moving up" in any events, including relays. Competitors in the 8-and-under, 9-10 and 11-12 Divisions may compete in a maximum of three events, including relays. Competitors in the 13-14, 15-16 and 17-18 Divisions may compete in a maximum of four events, including relays. Combined events will be contested.

RELAY TEAMS

Only 2017 USATF member clubs may enter relay teams. All athletes representing the club must be an USATF membership. Visit www.usatf.org/membership.

Entry Process

All entries and payments must be made online at Athletic.net website:

DEADLINE

The deadline for entries and payment of entry fees is 6/13/17 at 9 PM. No late entries are allowed. Online registration opens on 5/1/17.

USING Athletic.net

An instructional video about the online registration process may be viewed at Athletic.net. Each club and athlete is responsible for the accuracy of their entry information. Please validate all data before submitting an entry to Athletic.net.

Fees

Individuals \$6 per event. Relays \$24 per team, Dec/Hep \$16.00, and Tria/Pen \$10.00. Only Visa and electronic checks will be accepted when registering.

Spectators: Admission to the stadium costs \$4 per day or \$6 for both days. Children under 5 admitted free.

PROOF OF BIRTH DATE

The Mid-Atlantic Membership Chair (see below) must receive, either by mail or fax, proof of each athlete's birth date by June 9, 2017. Proof of birth date documents include: a copy of the athlete's birth certificate, passport, certified baptismal record, driver's license, or U.S. government identification. The date of birth must be verified to access online entry. See Rule 300.1(i) for further explanation.

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WAIVER

All athletes must complete the Junior Olympic Participant Waiver and Release form. This form is integrated into the online entry system and can be completed electronically; it can also be obtained from the association. The form must be properly completed and signed by a parent/guardian before an athlete receives a competition number.

Event Check-In

Athletes must check in at the designated areas when the first call is made. No athletes will be permitted to check in after an event is closed. NO EXCEPTIONS.

The check-in area for running events will be in the

middle of the infield. Field event athletes are to check in directly at the venue.

If an athlete is competing in another event, a coach or parent may check in that athlete. The athlete must report before the event closes.

All athletes must remain in the check-in area after they have checked in.

Parents and coaches are not permitted in the check-in area unless they are checking in an athlete who is competing in another event.

Each athlete's coach/parent is responsible for making sure the athletes check in to only the events they have entered. Athletes who go over event limits or compete in events they have not been entered in will be disqualified.

Athletes or teams may be disqualified from an event if they fail to adhere to the check-in rules.

Competition Information

BIB NUMBERS

Competitors must wear their assigned bib numbers on the front of their jersey during competition. If an athlete loses a bib number, a replacement can be purchased for \$5. Bib numbers will be distributed to coaches and unattached athletes in their registration packets.

EQUIPMENT NOTES

- Meet management will provide starting blocks and batons.
- Only 1/4" spikes are permitted on the track.
- Only certified implements may be used in competition.

RESULTS

Results will be posted behind the bleachers. In addition, event results will be posted at www.usatf.org on the Junior Olympic page and at www.mausatf.com.

Awards will be available for pickup 30 minutes after results are posted. Please make sure your results are correct before leaving the championships.

PROTESTS

There will be a \$50 fee for each protest. Protests must be submitted to the Protest Referee within 30 minutes after a result has been announced or posted. Protests will be reviewed only after the fee and the proper paperwork is submitted by the club coach or, if the athlete is unattached, by a parent or coach. The protest fee will be refunded only if the protest is accepted.

AWARDS

USATF Junior Olympic medals will be awarded to the top six individuals and the top six relay teams in each event of each age division.

VOLUNTEERS

We need your assistance to make this meet a success. We are asking for volunteers to submit their names at the time of packet pick-up, and report to the coaches meeting for assignments.

Advancement

REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

The top six individuals and relay teams in each age division for each event at the Association Championships will advance to the USATF Region 2 Championships to be held July 6-9 at Sunny Brockport (Niagara Association) qualifying athletes must declare at Athletic.net registration that they will participate in the regional championships. The declaration period opens on June 18, 2017 and closes at June 30, 2017.

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

The top five athletes and relay teams in each age division for each event at the Region 2 Championships will qualify for the National Junior Olympic Championships to be held July 24-30 at Lawrence, KS. In combined events, the top two athletes will qualify. Information about the national championships will be posted at:

www.usatf.org/Events---Calendar/2017/USATF-National-Junior-Olympic-Outdoor-Track---Fiel.aspx

Rules of Conduct and Facility

- No tents may be spiked into the grounds. Pop-up tents are permitted in stands if they do not block the view of the press box area.
- No coaches or parents will be permitted on the infield. Designated coach's areas will be provided during field competitions.
- Only one coach per team is allowed in coaches-only areas.
- Participants must clean up after themselves and leave the area in excellent condition before departing the meet. Trash bags will be given out at the packet pickup.
- Concessions will be provided.
- Athletes and spectators must conduct themselves in a respectful manner adhering to 2017 USATF rules of competition.

Schedule

Packet pickup: 6:45 a.m.-8 a.m.

Officials Meeting: 7:00 a.m. at the finish line.

Coaches and Volunteers Meeting: 7:15 a.m. at the finish line.

Implement weigh-in: 7:00-9 a.m.

Warm-ups: The track will be open for warm-ups until 7:50 a.m. After that, athletes must warm up outside the track. A call will be made to allow hurdlers to warm-up over hurdles prior to their races.

2017 Age Divisions

8 and under (born 2009+)

9-10 Division (born 2007-2008)

11-12 Division (born 2005-2006)

13-14 Division (born 2003-2004)

15-16 Division (born 2001-2002)

17-18 Division (born 1999-2000)

* Athletes born in 1999 are also eligible if they do not turn 19 on or before 8/2/2017.

Order of Events (subject to change)

DAY 1 Saturday, June 17, 2017

ATHLETES FOR COMBINED EVENTS MUST CHECK IN 45 MINUTES PRIOR

<u>Start Time</u>		<u>Age</u>	<u>Events</u>	
8:00	Decathlon	15-16 yr Boys	100m, LJ, SP, HJ, 400m 12lb	Day 1
8:00	Decathlon	17-18 yr Men	100m, LJ, SP, HJ, 400m 12lb	Day 1
8:00	Triathlon	9-10 yr Girls	SP, HJ, 200M 6lb	Final
8:00	Triathlon	9-10 yr Boys	SP, HJ, 400M 6lb	Final
8:15	Heptathlon	15-16 yr Girls	100mh, HJ, SP, 200M 33" 4kg	Day 1
8:15	Heptathlon	17-18 yr Women	100mh, HJ, SP, 200M 33" 4kg	Day 1
8:30	Pentathlon	13-14 yr Boys	100mh, SP, HJ, LJ, 1500 33" 4kg	Final
8:45	Pentathlon	13-14 yr Girls	100mh, SP, HJ, LJ, 800m 30" 6lb	Final

TRACK Events AFTER THE 13-14yr Girls 100mh PENTATHLON. Combined Events track runs have priority.

FIRST CALL 8:15 A.M. ... 3km and 1.5km Race Walks at 9:00 A.M. and then a Rolling Schedule

Generally female before male and ages may be combined & race walks may be combined.

3000m Race Walk Finals: 13-14yr/15-16yr/17-18yr Females and Males

1500m Race Walk Finals: 9-10yr/11-12yr Females and Males

3000m Run Finals: 11-12 yr Girls/ 13-14 yr Girls/ 15-16 yr Girls /17-18 yr Women / then the boys
11-12 yr Boys/ 13-14 yr Boys/ 15-16 yr Boys/ 17-18 yr Men

Any Trial with 8 or fewer SHALL be run as a FINAL!

200m DASH.TRIALS: 8-under/ 9-10yr/11-12yr/13-14yr/15-16yr/17-18yr

4x100m Relay Finals: 8-under relay/ 9-10yr relay /11-12yr relay/13-14yr relay/15-16yr relay/17-18yr relay

80m Hurdles TRIALS: 11-12yr Girls, 11-12yr Boys
30" 30"

100m Hurdles TRIALS: 13-14yr Girls, 13-14yr Boys, 15-16yr Girls, 17-18yr Women
30" 33" 33" 33"

110m Hurdles TRIALS: 15-16yr Boys, 17-18yr Men
39" 39"

100m DASH TRIALS: 8-under /9-10yr/11-12yr/13-14yr/15-16yr/17-18yr

400m DASH TRIALS: 8-under/ 9-10yr/11-12yr/13-14yr/15-16yr/17-18yr

4x800m Relay Finals: 11-12yr relay/13-14yr relay/15-16yr relay/17-18yr relay

DAY 1 Saturday, June 17, 2017

FIELD Events ... Ages may be combined and First Call at 7:15 AM

Combined Events have order priority.

Hammer and Discus share the same sectored field.

8:00 A.M. High Jump: 17-18 yr Women/ 15-16 yr Girls/13-14 yr Girls/11-12 yr Girls/ 9-10 yr Girls

High Jump: Combined Event High Jump – ~8:45 A.M. TRI 9-10 yr Girls and Boys,
HEP 15-18 yr Females, PENT 13-14 yr Girls and Boys, DEC 15-18 yr Males

11:00 A.M. Javelin Throw: 13-14 yr Boys; 15-16 yr Boys/ 17-18 yr Men; 600g; 800g/800g;
13-14 yr Girls/ 15-16 yr Girls/ 17-18 yr Women all 600g

8:00 A.M.-Hammer Throw: 15-16 yr and 17-18 yr Males; 15-16 yr and 17-18 yr Females
12 lb 4 kg

Follows the hammer-Discus Throw: 15-16 yr and 17-18 yr Females; 15-16 yr and 17-18 yr Males
1 kg 1.6 kg

~8:45 A.M. Long Jump-Pit-2-Combined: 15-18 yr DEC; later PENT 13-14 yr Girls and Boys

Long Jump-pit-1: 15-16 yr Girls/ 17-18 yr Women/ 17-18 yr Men/ 15-16 yr Boys

8:00 A.M. Shot Put-Pit-1-Combined: TRI 9-10 yr Girls and Boys; PENT 13-14 yr Boys/ PENT 13-14 yr Girls/
HEP 15-18 yr Females; DEC 15-18 yr Males (6lb;4 kg;6lb;4kg;12lb)

8:00 A.M. Shot Put-Pit-2: 8 and under Girls/ 8 and under Boys/ 9-10 yr Girls/ 9-10 yr Boys/11-12 yr Girls/ 11-12 yr Boys
2kg 2kg 6lb 6lb 6lb 6lb

9:00 A.M. Pole Vault: 13-14 yr, 15-16 yr, and 17-18 yr Females all together

1:00 P.M. Pole Vault: 13-14 yr, 15-16 yr, and 17-18 yr Males all together

DAY 2 Sunday, June 18, 2017

ATHLETES FOR COMBINED EVENTS MUST CHECK IN... 45 MINUTES PRIOR

<u>Start Time</u>		<u>Age</u>	<u>Events</u>	
8:00	Decathlon	15-16yr Boys	110mH, DIS, PV, JAV, 1500m 39" 1.6kg 800g	Final
8:00	Decathlon	17-18yr Men	110mH, DIS, PV, JAV, 1500m 39" 1.6kg 800g	Final .
8:00	Hepathlon	15-16yr Girls	LJ, JAV, 800m 600g	Final.
8:00	Heptathlon	17-18yr Women	LJ, JAV, 800m 600g	Final.
8:15	Pentathlon	11-12yr Girls	80mh, SP, HJ, LJ, 800m 30" 6lb	Final.
8:15	Pentathlon	11-12yr Boys	80mh, SP, HJ, LJ 1500m 30" 6lb	Final

TRACK Events: Generally female before male and ages may be combined Combined Events track runs have priority.

AFTER THE 11-12yr Boys 80mh PENTATHLON

FIRST CALL 7:45 A.M. ... 2000m Steeplechase at 8:30 A.M. and then a Rolling Schedule

2000m Steeplechase Finals: 15-16yr girls and 17-18yr Women / 15-16yr boys and 17-18yrMen
30" 36"

1500m Run Finals: 8-under/ 9-10yr/11-12yr/13-14yr/15-16yr/17-18yr

400m Hurdles Finals: 15-16 yr Boys, 17-18yr Men
36"

400m Hurdles Finals: 15-16 yr Girls, 17-18yr Women
30"

200m Hurdles Finals: 13-14yr Girls, 13-14yr Boys
30"

100m Hurdles Finals: 13-14yr Girls, 13-14yr Boys, 15-16yr Girls, 17-18yr Women
30" 33" 33' 33"

110m Hurdles Finals: 15-16yr Boys, 17-18yr Men
39"

80m Hurdles Finals: 11-12yr Girls, 11-12yr Boys
30"

400m Dash Finals: 8-under/9-10yr/11-12yr/13-14yr/15-16yr/17-18yr

100M Dash Finals: 8-under/ 9-10yr/ 11-12yr/ 13-14yr/ 15-16yr/ 17-18yr

800M Run Finals: 8-under/ 9-10yr/ 11-12yr/ 13-14yr/ 15-16yr/ 17-18yr

200m Dash Finals: 8-under/ 9-10yr/ 11-12yr/ 13-14yr/ 15-16yr/ 17-18yr

4x400m Relay Finals: 8-under relay/ 9-10 yr relay/ 11-12yr relay/ 13-14yr relay/ 15-16yr relay/ 17-18yr relay

DAY 2 Sunday, June 18, 2017

FIELD Events ... Ages may be combined and First Call at 7:15 AM
Combined Events have order priority.
Javelin and Mini Javelin share the same sectored field.

8:00 A.M. Long Jump/pit-1: 8 and under Girls/ 8 and under Boys/ 9-10 yr Girls/ 9-10 yr Boys

8:00 A.M. Long Jump/pit-2: 15-18 yr HEP Females; PENT 11-12 yr Girls / PENT 11-12 yr Boys

Long Jump-pit-2: 13-14 yr Boys/ 13-14 yr Girls/ 11-12 yr Boys/ 11-12 yr Girls – Then Triple Jump

Triple Jump-Pit-1: 13-14 yr/15-16 yr/17-18 yr Males; 13-14 yr/15-16 yr/17-18 yr Females

8:00 A.M. High Jump: 17-18 yr Men/ 15-16 yr Boys/ 13-14 yr Boys/ 11-12 yr Boys / 9-10 yr Boys
~ 8:45 A.M. PENT High Jump 11-12 yr Girls and Boys;

11:00 A.M. Discus Throw: 11-12 yr Girls/ 11-12 yr Boys/ 13-14 yr Girls / 13-14 yr Boys Both 1kg

~8:30 A.M. Discus Throw/Decathlon: 15-18 yr Males 1.6kg

~ 8:00 A.M. Javelin Throw/Combined: 15-18 yr HEP Females; later 15-18 yr DEC Males
600g 800g

8:00 A.M. Mini Javelin Throw In the infield: 8 and under Girls/ 8 and under Boys/ 9-10 yr Girls/ 9-10 yr Boys
All 300g 11-12 yr Girls/ 11-12 yr Boys

8:00 A.M. Shot Put-Pit-1: 15-16 yr Girls/ 17-18 yr Women (4kg; 4kg)

~ 9:00 A.M. Shot Put-Pit-2: Combined Events: PENT 11-12 yr Girls; 9:00 AM PENT 11-12 yr Boys Both 6lb

Shot Put-Pit-2: 15-16 yr Boys /17-18 yr Men; 13-14 yr Girls / 13-14 yr Boys (12lb; 12lb; 6lb; 4kg)

10:00 A.M. Pole Vault/Decathlon: 15-18 yr Males

Contacts

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Facilities at Widener University

Leslie C. Quick Jr. Stadium

Directions

Driving to Widener University

FROM PHILADELPHIA

Take I-95 South to I-476 North and MacDade Boulevard. Turn west onto MacDade Boulevard and follow the Widener University sign. After three traffic lights, MacDade Boulevard becomes East 22nd Street. At the fourth traffic light, turn left onto Providence Avenue, Route 320 South, and follow the Widener University sign. Turn left onto East 14th Street into the main entrance of the University.

FROM WESTERN AND NORTHERN PENNSYLVANIA

Follow the Pennsylvania Turnpike to Exit 331A, I-476. Take I-476 South toward Chester to Exit 1 (MacDade Boulevard). Turn west onto MacDade Boulevard and follow the Widener University sign. After three traffic lights, MacDade Boulevard becomes East 22nd Street. At the fourth traffic light, turn left onto Providence Avenue, Route 320 South, and follow the Widener University sign. Turn left onto East 14th Street into the main entrance of the University.

FROM DELAWARE, MARYLAND AND WASHINGTON, DC

Take I-95 North to Exit 6 (Routes 320 and 352). At the first traffic light, turn left over the bridge. Bear right at the fork on the other side of the bridge. Go to the first traffic light and turn right onto East 14th Street into the main entrance of the University.

FROM HARRISBURG

Follow I-76 East (exiting the Pennsylvania Turnpike at Valley Forge) to Exit 331A (I-476 South). Follow I-476 South to Exit 1 (MacDade Boulevard). Go right off the exit onto MacDade Boulevard West and follow the signs for Widener University. After three traffic lights, MacDade Boulevard becomes East 22nd Street. At the fourth traffic light, turn left onto Providence Road, Route 320 South, and follow the Widener University sign. Go to the first traffic light and turn right onto East 14th Street into the main entrance of the University.

FROM NEW YORK, NORTHERN NEW JERSEY AND NEW ENGLAND

Take the New Jersey Turnpike South to Exit 2. Proceed on Route 322 West across the Commodore Barry Bridge. Coming off the bridge, follow signs for I-95 North and Philadelphia. Take I-95 North to Exit 6 (Routes 320 and 352). At first traffic light, turn left over the bridge. Bear right at the fork on other side of bridge. Go to first traffic light and turn right onto East 14th Street into the main entrance of the University.

FROM SOUTHERN NEW JERSEY

Take the Atlantic City Expressway to the Commodore Barry Bridge. Follow signs for I-95 North and Philadelphia. Take I-95 North to Exit 6 (Routes 320 and 352). At the first traffic light, turn left over bridge. Bear right at the fork on other side of bridge. Go to first traffic light and turn right onto East 14th Street into the main entrance of the University.

To the Leslie C. Quick Jr. Stadium