

2012 USATF Illinois Association Junior Olympic Track & Field Championships



Friday - Sunday, June 22-24, 2012 Kankakee HS, Kankakee, IL

(REVISED 5/22//2012)

AGE DIVISIONS & ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS: Age Divisions

Sub-bantam (born 2004+)
Bantam (born 2002-2003)
Midget (born 2000-2001)
Youth (born 1998-1999)
Intermediate (born 1996-1997)
Young (born 1994-1995)
* athletes born in 1993 are also eligible if they do not turn 19 on or before 7/30/2012



Individuals: 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. A competitor must compete in his/her age division only. There will be no "moving up" in any events, including relays. Competitors in the Subbantam, Bantam and Midget divisions may compete in a maximum of three (3) events, including relays. Competitors in the Youth, Intermediate and Young divisions may compete in a maximum of four (4) events, including relays. Combined events are not included in the event count. All athletes must be 2012 members of USATF in good standing.

Relay Teams: Only registered 2012 USATF member clubs may enter a relay team(s). All athletes representing the club must be affiliated with and members of that club as part of their USATF membership. Visit <u>www.usatf.org</u> and select "Products/Services" to become a member.

ENTRY PROCESS:

Individual Entries: \$ **6.00** per event Relay Entries: \$ 24.00 per relay team

Club Administrators and Unattached Athletes should register online at <u>www.coacho.com</u> by **Sunday**, **June 17** at **9:00 p.m.** Late entries will not be allowed. Online registration opens **June 1**, **2012**. Fees must be paid online by the close of registration. Accuracy of data entered is the responsibility of each club and/or athlete. Please validate data within Coach O for accuracy prior to submitting entry.

Valid 2012 USATF Membership and Proof of Birth are needed to compete. Before the meet start date, please ensure that the membership chair has received (via mail or fax) a copy of the athlete's Proof of Birth (copy of birth certificate, passport, certified baptismal record, driver's license or U.S. government identification). See Rule 300.1 (i) for further explanation.

Membership Chair: Lorette Cherry Address: s/o USATF Illinois, 1213 Maple Ave. Lisle, IL 60532 Fax: 630 512-0728 For guestions, contact at: usatfil@sbcglobal.net or call 630 512-0727

<u>Combined Events</u>: Although multi-events will not be contested until the Region 7 Championship in Indiana, all athletes must register for the event during the Association online championship. The deadline for registration is Sunday, June 17, at 9:00 pm. After the Association Championship, all athletes must go back onto the Coach O site and declare themselves and pay for the Region 7 Champions. Following are the fees: Triathlon \$15, Pentathlon \$20 and Decathlon \$20.

AWARDS: USATF Junior Olympic medals will be awarded to the top three (3) individuals and the top three (3) relay teams in each event of each age division.

ADVANCEMENTS: The top **eight** individuals and relay teams in each event of each age division will advance to the USATF Region **7** Championships to be held on July 5-8 in Indianpolis, Indiana, at Franklin University. Advancements must be completed by registering at **www.coacho.com** by **starting Tuesday**, **June 26th**.

The National Junior Olympic Championships will be held from Monday, July 23rd to Sunday, July 29th at Hughes Stadium, Morgan State University – Baltimore, MD. The top 5 athletes at the Region **7** Championships will qualify for the National Championships. Information is available at:

http://www.usatf.org/Events---Calendar/2012/2012-USATF-Natl-Jr-Olympic-Outdoor-Track-and-Field.aspx.

SCHEDULE:

Unless otherwise noted, the starting order shall be younger to older, girls first. **Friday, June 22**

Running Events (3:00 pm)

- Steeplechase F
- 4x100 F
- 4x800 F
- 200 P

Saturday, June 23

Running Events (8:00 am)

- 1500/3000/5000 Race Walks
- 100 **P***
- 800 F
- 100 F
- 200/400H F

Sunday, June 24

Running Events (8:00 am)

- 3000 F
- 110/100/80 H **P***
- Ten Minute Break -
- 80/100/110H F
- 400 F
- 1500 F
- 200 F
- 25/50/75 X (Shrimps & Atoms)
- 4X400 F

Key — *P = Prelim, F = Finals, X = Exhibition: No prior registration/no entry fees. Awards to all Shrimps (3-4 yrs old) and Atoms (5-6 yrs old).

IMPLEMENT WEIGH-IN: At the track one hour before each event.

EVENT CHECK-IN: There will be separate check-in areas for Running and Field events. Athletes must check in at these designated areas 45 minutes prior to the event's scheduled starting time. All athletes will be required to remain in the designated warm-up areas after checking in.

COMPETITION BIB NUMBERS: At Kankakee High School, beginning at 1:00 pm on Friday. All competitors must wear their assigned bib numbers during competition and on the front on their jerseys. If an athlete loses the bib number, a replacement can be purchased for a fee of \$5.00. *Note: *No entry changes/no substitutions/no adds/no new entries will be accepted at the meet site*. However, USATF Illinois will correct all data entry mistakes; and all sex and division errors.

EVENT RESULTS: During competition, event results will be posted **along the wall adjacent to the track**. In addition, event results will be posted at <u>www.usatfil.org</u>.

PROTESTS: There will be a **\$100.00** fee for all protests. Protests must be submitted to the Protest Referee at once and not later than 30 minutes after a result has been announced. The protest fee will be refunded if the protest is upheld.

- Field Events (3:00pm)
- Javelin
- Pole Vault (Boys)
- Triple Jump (Girls)
- Long Jump (PG, BG)
- Hammer ((IG, YW, IB, YM after JV)

Field Events (8:00 am)

- Long Jump (MG, YG, IG, YW)
- Triple Jump (Boys)
- Shot Put (Boys)
- Discus (Girls)
- High Jump (Boys)
- Pole Vault (Girls)

Field Events (8:00 am)

- Long Jump (Boys)
- Shot Put (Girls)
- Discus (Boys)
- High Jump (Girls)
- Mini Javelin (BG, BB, MG, MB)

RULES – CONDUCT & FACILITY: The following are not permitted at the Kankakee High School:

Alcohol Smoking Glass or metal containers Weapons, fireworks, explosives or munitions Laser pointers Gum on the track or the infield Pets Skates, skateboards or roller blades Plastic bottles and coolers are permitted but are subject to inspection by security personnel at the gate entrance

GATE ADMISSION FEES Friday is free. Saturday and/or Sunday is \$5.00 per day. You can purchase a two-day pass for \$7.00. Pre-school children (5 & under) are free. Only those coaches who present a 2012 USATF background checked membership card and Seniors (62 & older) will be admitted FREE. Coaches' passes will not be issued!

INCLEMENT WEATHER

Should inclement weather occur and force postponement of an event, it is the responsibility of the competitor to check for the adjusted time schedule.

DIRECTIONS & PARKING:

DIRECTIONS TO KANKAKEE HIGH SCHOOL 1200 WEST JEFFERY STREET, KANKAKEE, IL, 60901

FROM THE NORTH/NORTHEAST

Take Interstate 57 South to exit #312. Turn Right on to Court Street continue for 2 ½ miles west on Court Street to Curtis Ave, Turn Left there is a Phillips 66 on the corner going South for 1 mile to Jeffery St. Turn Left then a quick Right in to the school.

FROM THE SOUTHWEST/I-55 SOUTH

Take Rt. 17 East from Dwight to Kankakee. Rt. 17 becomes Court St. Turn Right on to Curtis Ave, going south to Jeffery St. Turn left then a quick Right into the school.

FROM THE NORTHWEST/I-55 NORTH

Take I-55 to I-80 east, I-80 east to I-57 south to exit #312. Turn Right on to Court Street continue for 2 ½ miles west on Court Street to Curtis Ave, Turn Left there is a Phillips 66 on the corner going South for 1 mile to Jeffery St. Turn Left then a quick Right in to the school.

FROM THE NORTHWEST I- 355 SOUTH

Take I-355 South to I- 80 East to I-57 south to exit #312, Turn Right on to Court Street continue for 2 ½ miles west on Court Street to Curtis Ave, Turn Left there is a Phillips 66 on the corner going South for 1 mile to Jeffery St. Turn Left then a quick Right in to the school.

FROM THE SOUTH/SOUTHEAST

Take Interstate 57 north to exit #308, going north on Rt. 45/52 for 1mile and 8/10th merge to left as you pass Pepsi Cola, Turn Left at the stop sign, On to Jeffery Street go 1 mile the school is on the left.

Housing

Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites 62 Ken Hayes Drive Bradley IL 60915 Reservations 815-932-2350

Hampton Inn 60 Ken Hayes Drive Bradley IL 60915 Call 815-932-8369

Super 8 Motel 1390 Locke Dr. Bradley, IL 60915 (Exit 315) Call 815-939-7888

Country Inn and Suites 380 S. Cypress Manteno, IL 60950 (Exit 322) Call 815-468-2600

American Best Inn & Suites 1500 N. Rt. 50 Bourbonnais, IL 60914 815 401-5043 \$99.00 Double/Queen Suites/King Quality Inn & Suites 800 N Kinzie Ave (Rte. 50) Bradley IL 60915 (Exit 315) Call 815-939-3501

Fairfield Inn 1550 State Rte. 50 N Bradley, IL 60915 (Exit 315) Call 815-933-7708

Hilton Garden Inn Riverstone CC 455 Riverstone Parkway Kankakee IL 60901 (Exit 308) Call 815-932-4444

Howard Johnson Inn & Suites 157 Cypress Dr. Manteno, IL 60950 (Exit 322) Call 815-468-8657

Economy Inn Rte. 45 & Rte. 52 Kankakee, IL (Exit 308) Call 815 939-4551

Motel 6 1311 Rte 50 N Bradley, IL 60915 (Exit 315) Call 815-933-2300

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