



2008 USATF-NEW ENGLAND JUNIOR OLYMPIC TRACK & FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS
Saturday June 21, 2008 Fitchburg State Track Complex (at Coolidge Park)
Fitchburg State College – Fitchburg MA
John Fitch Highway, Fitchburg MA 01420

USATF MEMBERSHIP

All participants must have a 2008 USATF membership or purchase one at the meet (\$20) prior to competition.

ENTRY FEES

Received by Thursday June 19 (DO NOT mail entries after 6/16):
 \$6.00 first event, \$4.00 each additional event. NO FAXES ACCEPTED
Day of event entries (until 1 p.m. only):
 \$7.00 first event, \$5.00 each additional event.

ENTRY PROCEDURES

Bantams and Midgets may enter three (3) events.
 Youth, Intermediate, Young Men/Women may enter four (4) events.
Each relay counts as an event!!
 Athletes must compete in their own age group.
Only USATF member clubs may enter relays. At the NE meet there is no charge for relay teams. Each relay team member must have a completed individual entry form.

AGE DIVISIONS – BY YEAR OF BIRTH

<i>Division</i>	<i>Year of Birth</i>	<i>Abbreviation</i>
Bantam Boys & Girls	1998 and later	BB, BG
Midget Boys & Girls	1996/1997	MB, MG
Youth Boys & Girls	1994/1995	YB, YG
Intermediate Boys & Girls	1992/1993	IB, IG
Young Men & Women**	1990/1991	YM, YW

**Including those born 7/27/1989 or later

Eligibility and Waivers: Participation is limited to US citizens, resident aliens, and foreign exchange students. With approval of the Youth Athletics Chairman, athletes who miss the Association Meet due to extraordinary circumstances may be allowed to advance to the Region I meet **if this does not displace** athletes who competed at the Association Meet. Requests must be made by June 18.
 Steeplechase and 4 x 800 will take all waivers.

NEW ENGLAND MEET NOTES: Field event competitors participating in running events will be excused for a reasonable amount of time.
 In the horizontal jumps and throws, missed trials may be taken only if the competitor returns in the allotted time. If finals have begun, missed trials may NOT be made up.
 In the pole vault and high jump, the bar will not be lowered after the competition has started. Throwing and horizontal jump events for Bantam, Midget, and Youth athletes have a total of 4 attempts.
 Intermediate & Young M/W have 3 trials & 3 final attempts.

Relays consist of four athletes and an unlimited number of alternates. All names must be on the relay roster on June 16. After a team checks in, no alternates may be used without a medical waiver.
All relay team runners MUST wear the same color top.
 At Nationals, teams MUST wear the same color tops and bottoms. All team members MUST be in the same age division.

There are no 4x800 relays, steeplechase, or multi-events at the NE Championship meet. Individuals and Club relays may sign up on June 21 to enter these events at the Region I meet. Each counts as one event entered for athletes at the New England meet!

REGION I JO CHAMPIONSHIPS

July 11,12,13 Icahn Stadium, New York City
 The Region I meet date and site have switched to the above location
 The top 6 finishers in each event on June 21 qualify for Region I meet.
 Region I information will be found at www.usatfne.org/jo
 Region I registration must be completed before leaving Fitchburg!!

USATF NATIONAL JO CHAMPIONSHIPS

July 22–July 27,2008 Omaha, Nebraska
www.usatf.org/events/2008/USAJuniorOlympicTFChampionships
 The top 3 finishers in each event at the Region I meet qualify to compete in the National JO Championships.

TRACK EVENT SCHEDULE

NOTE: Age groups may be combined in events

10:15 am	1500m/3000m Racewalk	All ages
10:35 am	400m hurdles 36"	IB, YM
	400m hurdles 30"	IG, YW
	200m Hurdles	MG,MB,YG,YB
10:50 am	Order of age groups, unless combined, will be IG, IB, YW, YM	
	100 meters	All Trials
	1500 meters	IG, YW Finals on Time
	100 meters	All Finals
	1500 meters	IB, YM Finals on Time
	400 meters	All Finals on Time
	4x100 Relay	All Finals on Time
	800 meters	All Finals on Time
	200 meters	All Finals on Time
	4x400 Relay	All Finals on Time
1:30 pm	80m hurdles 30"	MG, MB Finals
	100m hurdles 30"	YG Finals
	100m hurdles 33"	YB, IG, YW Finals
	110m hurdles 39"	IB, YM Finals
2:00 pm	Order of age groups, unless combined, will be BG, BB, MG, MB, YG, YB	
	100 meters	All Trials
	1500 meters	Girls Finals on Time
	100 meters	All Finals on Time
	1500 meters	Boys Finals on Time
	400 meters	All Finals on Time
	4x100 Relay	All Finals on Time
	800 meters	All Finals on Time
	200 meters	All Finals on Time
	4x400 Relay	All Finals on Time
4:30 pm	3000m MG, MB, YG, YB	
	3000m IB,IG, YW and 5000m YM together	

FIELD EVENT SCHEDULE

Javelin	10:00am	IB/YM, IG/YW, YB/YG
Mini-Javelin	1:00 pm	BG/BB, MG/MB (on grass runway)
Long Jump , two pits, one for girls, one for boys	10:00 am	IG/YW and IB/YM
	1:00 pm	Bantam/Midget/Youth
Triple Jump , two pits, one for girls, one for boys	11:30 pm	Youth/Inter/Young
High Jump	10:30 am	IB and YM,IG and YW
	1:00 pm	BG,BB,MG,MB,YG,YB
Pole Vault	10:30 am	YG,IG,YW all together
	followed by	YB,IB,YM all together
Shot Put	10:30 am	IG,YW together IB,YM together
	12:30 pm	B/M/Y Girls then B/M/Y Boys
Discus	11:30 pm	IG, YW and IB, YM
	1:30 pm	MG, YG, MB, YB
Hammer	4:00 pm	IG/YW, IB/YM and <u>OPEN</u> W/M

Entry Forms can be found on
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Checks payable to USATF-New England
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