

2024 USATF New Jersey Association 14 & Under Junior Olympic Track & Field Championships

Saturday & Sunday, June 22-23, 2024 – Kean University, Union New Jersey

AGE DIVISIONS & ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

8 & under (born 2011 +)	
9 - 10 (born 2009-2010)	
11 - 12 (born 2007-2008)	
13 - 14 (born 2005-2006)	

Athletes who are 15 & older will compete on June 30,2024 at Kean University, Union, , NJ.
There is a separate registration on Athletic.net for this meet.



<u>Individuals:</u> 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 8 & Under, 9 - 10 and 11 - 12 age divisions may compete in a maximum of three (3) events, including relays. Competitors in the 13 – 14 age 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 2024 members of USATF-NJ in good standing.

<u>Relay Teams:</u> Only registered 2024 USATF-NJ 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 www.usatf.org/membership.

ENTRY PROCESS:

Individual Entries: \$10 per event Relay Entries: \$40 per relay team

Multi events (Decathlon, Heptathlon, Triathlon & Pentathlon) will not be contested at these championships. Individual events in Steeplechase and Hammer Throw will also not be contested. Athletes in these events must contact the USATF NJ office by June 19 at 11:59pm in order to be advanced directly to the Region 2 Meet. Only six athletes will advance in each age group in these events. Please notify the USATF-NJ office as soon as possible if your athlete would like to compete in Hammer, Steeple or Multi Events at the Region 2 Championship Meet.

Discus & 600gm Javelin will take place near campus facility, further information to follow Track Events with 8 or less athletes entered will be finals on time

There are no preliminary qualifying meets. Club Administrators and Unattached Athletes should register online by June 19th at 11:59pm. Late entries will not be allowed. Online registration is open. Fees must be paid online by the close of registration. Only credit cards will be accepted. Accuracy of data entered is the responsibility of each club and/or athlete. Please validate data within Athletic.net for accuracy prior to submitting entry. An instructional video on the online registration process may be accessed by visiting Athletic.net.

Valid 2024 USATF Membership and Proof of Birth is required for participation. Before registration, please ensure proof of DOB has been submitted with membership prior to 6/15/24

WAIVER: All athletes who participate in the USATF Junior Olympic Program must complete the Junior Olympic Participant Waiver and Release form. This form is already integrated in the online entry system and can be completed electronically. All forms must be submitted at the first round of the Junior Olympic series.

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 6 individuals and relay teams in each event of each age division will advance to the USATF Region 2 Championships to be held on July 12-14, Lincoln Park, Jersey City, NJ. Registration and Advancements must be completed by registering online. Please check back on the USATF New Jersey Youth Page for the Region 2 Championship registration details after the Association Meet.

The 2024 USATF National Junior Olympic Track & Field Championships, July 22-28, 2024, College Station, TX https://www.usatf.org/events/2024/2024-usatf-national-junior-olympic-track-field-cha

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS: The start of the meet will be 9:00am on both Saturday and Sunday. A tentative meet schedule will be released at a later date.

IMPLEMENT WEIGH-IN: There will be no Implement Weigh in at the Meet, unless a record has been broken

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: All competitors must wear their assigned bib numbers during competition and on the front on their jerseys only. If an athlete loses the bib number, a replacement can be purchased for a fee of \$10. Bib numbers will be distributed to athletes on both Saturday and Sunday starting at 7:45am at Kean University.

EVENT RESULTS: During competition, event results will be posted. In addition, event results will be available online at https://www.vipertiming.com/ after the completion of the entire meet.

PROTESTS: There will be a \$100 fee for all protests. Protests must be submitted in writing and citing the appropriate rule 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.

GATE ADMISSION FEES: No Admission Fee

EVENT MERCHANDISE WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR PURCHASE BOTH DAYS

DIRECTIONS & PARKING:

https://www.google.com/maps/dir/40.8420352,-74.3571456/kean+university/@40.7609833,-74.4827571,11z/data=!3m1!4b1!4m9!4m8!1m1!4e1!1m5!1m1!1s0x89c3ad5b6a0b3391:0x76c486324be28e94!2m2!1d-74.23311!2d40.6801659?entry=ttu

PARKING IS FREE IN AND AROUND CAMPUS

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