

2007 N.E. Men's and Women's DIII Outdoor Track & Field Championships

Date: Thursday, Friday, & Saturday – May 3-5, 2007

Site: Springfield College
Blake Track
263 Alden St.
Springfield, MA, 01109

Start Time: Th. 10:00; Fri. 12:00; Sat. 10:00

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Facilities: Eight-lane, 400-meter Euro-Tan track re-surfaced in 2004. ¼" exposed spikes or less. Javelin is on the inside of the track. Throwing circles are brushed concrete; there are separate Hammer and Discus circles for the facility. Long and Triple Jump runways have 150-foot approaches, separate for men and women and can go in either direction. Bathrooms are located in the PE Complex as well as the track shed adjacent to the track. Showers are available in the PE Complex, but teams must provide their own towels.

Parking: Buses may park in Benedum Field (football field parking lot next to Natatorium) or on other side of PE Complex. You may drop off athletes outside the track facility, but cannot park along Alden Street.

Athletic Training: Teams should provide their own training supplies. Trainers will be available for treatments 1 to 1.5 hours prior to the first event and trainers will be in attendance at the track during the meet. Treatments will be administered as long as prescriptions are carried to our trainers, otherwise only ice will be administered. Call Barclay Dugger, ATC, Head Athletic Trainer (413)-748-3385 if you have individual concerns.

Concessions: Concessions will be available trackside by Aramark, our college food service provider.

Awards: In the men's meet, medals are presented to the top 3 individuals in each event and the top 3 teams overall. In the women's meet, t-shirts are presented to the top 3 individuals in each event and the top 3 teams overall. All N.E. certificates will be awarded to the top 8 individuals in each event for both meets. An award presentation will follow the conclusion of the meet.

Results: Complete results can be found at: www.spfldcol.edu/homepage/athletics.nsf/mtrackandfield, and www.finishright.com. They will also be posted during the meet on the track shed. Results will also be in packets at the end of the meet.

Rosters: Alphabetical rosters including name and year are due to Direct Athletics and Springfield College Director of Sports Communication Stephen Raczynski at steveraz@spfldcol.edu by Wednesday, April 25, by 6:00 PM. Early submissions are much appreciated.

Entries: Due **Tuesday, May 1st by 7:00 PM**. Final Declarations should be submitted to Direct Athletics. Performance list will be posted by 12:00 Wednesday, May 2nd on the Springfield College Men's Track & Field website at: www.spfldcol.edu/homepage/athletics.nsf/mtrackandfield and www.finishright.com.

Decathlon Entries: Due **Tuesday, May 1st by 3:00 PM** to kenneth_klatka@spfldcol.edu. All competitors must be accompanied by at least one school representative to help with the conduct of the meet.

Games Committee: **Men:** Dan Rose (USCGA), Peter Thomas (Keene), Ken Klatka (Springfield), Ralph White (Williams), James Hird (U.M. Dartmouth). **Women:** Deb Aiken (Colby), Ned Bishop (Conn. Coll.), Kristen Morwick (Tufts), Matt Hird (Salve Regina), James Pennington (Springfield).

Seeding Committee: Ethan Barron (Tufts), Eric Nedeau (Amherst), Ned Bishop (Conn. Coll.).

Scoring: Both Championships will score eight places (10-8-6-5-4-3-2-1). The number of competitors to compete in the finals will be decided by the games committee. All field event trials will be seeded in rank order to establish flights. Positions within the flight will be randomly seeded.

Implement Weigh-In: All implements will be weighed and measured inside the track shed anytime Thursday, Friday, and Saturday **between 8:30 and 10:00 am**. Implements not weighed in will not be allowed for competition and must be marked accordingly.

Hotels and Restaurants:
http://www.spfldcol.edu/ncaa/championship.nsf/area_info.html

If you have any further questions regarding this event, please call Ken Klatka 413-748-3230 or e-mail Kenneth_klatka@spfldcol.edu

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Thurs.

1:00 Dec. 100
 1:40 Dec. LJ
 2:30 Dec. Shot Put
 3:30 Dec. HJ
 4:30 Dec. 400

Fri.

12:00 Dec. HH
 12:15 Hep. HH
 12:40 Dec. Discus
 12:50 Hep. HJ
 1:40 Dec. PV
 2:30 Hep. Shot Put
 3:40 Hep. 200
 4:30 Dec. Jav.
 5:00 Hammer (M)
 5:30 Dec. 1500
 6:00 Long Jump (M & W)
 10,000 (M)
 7:00 Hammer (W)
 10,000 (W)

Saturday

10:00 Javelin (W)
 HJ (M)
 Shot Put (W)
 Pole Vault (W)
 Discus (M)

 1:00 Triple Jump (M & W)
 HJ (W)
 Shot Put (M)
 Pole Vault (M)
 Discus (W)
 2:00 Javelin (M)

Running Events

10:00 HH Trials (M-W)
 10:30 100 Trials (M-W)
 11:00 Hep. LJ
 Steeplechase (M-W)
 11:45 4x100 (M-W)
 12:15 1500 (M-W)
 12:30 Hep. Javelin
 12:50 HH Finals (W-M)
 1:00 400 (M-W)
 1:20 Hep. 800
 1:30 100 Finals (M-W)
 1:45 800 (M-W)
 2:10 400 IH (M-W)
 2:40 200 (M-W)
 3:00 5,000 (M-W)
 3:45 4x800 (W)
 4:00 4x400 (M-W)
 4:30 Team Awards

Decathlon & Heptathlon time schedule tentative
 Depending on number of qualifiers