## Appalachian Invitational Track Meet for High Schools General Information Saturday, April 7, 2018

Entry Fee......\$100.00 per team per gender over 16 athletes entered for a team. For teams entered with less than 16 athletes, the fee is 5.00 per athlete...the entry fees will be charged based on the number you enter on the online entry form which includes relay members...however, if you scratch an athlete on Friday, April 6th before 5:00 pm they will not be included in the fees.

Packet Pickup........... Make Checks Payable to ASU Athletics. You may bring the money or check with you on Saturday morning. You must pick up your packet and pay fees at the entrance to the stadium on the home side beginning at 9:30 am. Athletes will not be allowed to compete until fees are paid.

Entry Information......Entries must be made through Direct Athletics beginning March 19, 2018 at 8:00am. Deadline for entry is Monday, April 2, 2018 at 11:59pm. We will not accept any entries after this date. We will only accept entries from athletes on sanctioned teams and on their state association rosters from North Carolina, Virginia, South Carolina and Tennessee. We will not accept unattached high school athletes.

Entry Limits......Schools are allowed to enter four athletes in the running events, two athletes in the field events and one relay team per school in the relay events. When entering you must designate your relay members, but can make changes prior to the relay being run at the meet. Your athletes can not be in more than 4 events including relay events.

Awards...... 1st thru 3rd will receive medals for each event..the top three places for relay events will receive medals for each individual in the relay and a relay team trophy. Medal winners will be called to the awards stand by PA system. There will be a team score based on 8 places (10-8-6-5-4-3-2-1). Top two boys and girls teams will receive a trophy.

High Jump for girls starts at 4-6, boys at 5-6

Pole Vault for girls starts at 8-0, boys at 9-6

There will be four jumps for each athlete in the triple jump and long jump, There will be no finals, the flights will be ranked worse to best.

The triple jump board for the girls will be at 28 feet...only exception for athlete who has jumped over 39' this season.

The triple jump board for the boys will be at 34 feet...only exception for an athlete who has jumped over 45' this season.

The long jump board is 12' from the pit for boys and girls.

There will be four throws for each athlete in the shot put and discus. There will be no finals. The flights will be ranked from worse to best.

Running event check-in will be near the starting line for the event no less than 15 minutes prior to the scheduled start time. Look for our clerks to check in. They will put the athletes on the track for their heat.

Field event athletes need to check-in at the field event site no less than 30 minutes before their event is scheduled to start or when the PA system instructs them to report.

Procedures

Check-In for Event:

All members of relay teams must report to the start line area for lane and heat assignments prior to being taken to their zones no less than 10 minutes prior to the scheduled start of the relay. Only tape can be used for zone marks, no chalk or any other material or object.

Warm-Up Area:

Athletes may warm-up only in the designated area of the infield. There is a field across the street from the fieldhouse and runners can use the upper causeway around the stadium.

We will allow hurdle warmup on the track and the edge of the football field near the hurdle start.

Team Area:

Team areas are in the stands. Teams will not be allowed to set up "camp" on the infield... this is a warmup area. This will be strictly enforced, please make it easier for meet management and respect these instructions. Athletes not warming up or leaving after an event will be asked to leave and return to the stands.

Gate to Track:

The gates to the track from the West Side will be locked and no one is to cross the track from the stands. Everyone needing to go to the infield must exit through the back of the stands and enter the infield area by way of the entrance from the fieldhouse side of the track.

Tents:

Tents can only be setup in the stands on the West Side (press box side) in the upper section. Not the section below near the track.

Team areas are not allowed at all on the East Side of the stadium. Spectators may go to the corners to watch the long jump or triple jump and pole vault.

Coaches Area:

Only the football infield is open to the coaches. Coaches will not be allowed near the long/triple jump pit on the track surface. Coaches must stay on the infield for the pole vault and the high jump.

Balcony Area:

The balcony area at the track level at the fieldhouse is not open for anyone during the meet except for the high jump competition. Spectators must be in the stands and coaches on the infield for all other events.

First Aid:

The balcony area is the First Aid area if needed. Our trainers are there only to be first responders and can not tape or administer to anyone unless injured during the meet and will only give ice to an injured athlete during the meet. You must bring your own ice for post-race therapy.

**Results:** 

Results will be posted during the day under the West Side stands near the restrooms. Also, a full results will be on www.bigkahunatiming.com after the meet.

Email scratches to weaverjt@appstate.edu by Friday, April 6th at 5:00 pm

There will be no additions to the events on Saturday unless it is our mistake. Bring your DirectAthletic confirmation to prove entries.

# Appalachian Invitational Special Meet Management Information Please Read Carefully

Coach Weaver's office number (828-262-3074) will be our hotline in case of inclement weather. If the weather looks like it will be a problem, we will make the decision to proceed or cancel by 10:00 pm on Friday night. Do not call prior to this time. Information will be put on the answering machine if weather is a question, otherwise there will be no message.

Absolutely no athletes, spectators, coaches or parents are to enter Owens Fieldhouse or the Athletic Center at any time during the day. This includes during inclement weather. This is an office area and is Off Limits for this meet!. There are plenty of restrooms under the West Side stands. This area will also provide protection from inclement weather.

## Important - Please Read

In the triple jump and long jump each athlete will be given four attempts. There will be no finals - only four attempts. Therefore, when an athlete's flight is over, they are finished with that event. If an athlete must leave a field event to run or go to another event, they must return before all the athletes competing in their flight have made their attempts. When the last athlete present has made their last attempt in that flight, the flight is over and the athlete that left will forfeit any remaining attempts if they have not returned before that final flight attempt.. We will not allow that athlete to compete in the next flight if there is one. We will not make calls for absent athletes.

If an athlete leaves the high jump, they will lose any attempts at the height they left if they don't return before the last jump has been made at that height. They may, however, carry any remaining attempts over to the next height and continue to jump.

All events will be sections on time except for the 100m, 110m Hurdles, 100m hurdles. We will take the top 8 times to the finals in those events only. The winners will be the top three performances in timed sections or the finals of the 100m, 110m Hurdles and 100m Hurdles. The fastest will compete against the fastest in time sections. We will snake the pre-lims of the 100m, 110m Hurdles and 100m Hurdles. We will run the fastest sections first in timed section events.

Cooperation and understanding will be the key words for a successful meet. Officials are volunteers and will do the best job they can. If you have a problem, see Coach Weaver and let us handle it. Please stay away from the officals. Please remember we want you and your athletes to have a pleasant experience but we will not allow anyone to abuse officials.

Please coaches you are responsible for your athletes, their conduct and behavior at this meet whether you are there or not.

## Appalachian High School Outdoor Invitational Track Meet April 7, 2018

## April 7, 2018 Kidd Brewer Stadium-Belk Track Boone, North Carolina

Boone, North Carolina
This a Tentative Schedule That Will Be Changed Based on Entry Numbers
We will send an actual schedule to all who send us their email address.
We will not start the field events before 11:00am or running before 11:30 am regardless.

Field Event Schedule Throws area is above the stadium near the Sofield Practice Facility. There is a gate at the top of the steps leading to the Sofield from the stadium area.

11:00 am Boys High Jump - Girls High Jump to follow

Girls Long Jump - Boys Long Jump to follow Boys Pole Vault - Girls Pole Vault to follow Boys Shot Put - Girls Shot Put to follow Girls Discus - Boys Discus to follow

Girls Triple Jump will follow the Boys Long Jump Boys Triple Jump will follow the Girls Triple Jump

Running Events Check-In 15 minutes prior to race time at the event start area. All relay members must check-in together at the start area then we will take them to the zones.

11:30 am	Girls 100m Hurdles Pre-Lims
	Boys 110m Hurdles Pre-Lims
11:45 am	Girls 100m Dash Pre-Lims
	Boys 100m Dash Pre-Lims
12:05 pm	Girls 4 x 800m Relay
	Boys 4 x 800m Relay
12:25 pm	Girls 100m Hurdle Final
	Boys 110m Hurdle Final
12:35 pm	Girls 100m Final
	Boys 100m Final
12:45 pm	Girls 4 x 200m Relay
	Boys 4 x 200m Relay
12:55 pm	Girls 1600m Run
	Boys 1600m Run

## 1:15 pmBreak

1:50 pm	Girls 4 x 100m Relay
	Boys 4 x 100m Realy
2:05 pm	Girls 400m Dash
	Boys 400m Dash
2:25 pm	Girls 300m Hurdles
	Boys 300m Hurdles
2:50 pm	Girls 800m Run
	Boys 800m Run
3:10 pm	Girls 200m Dash
	Boys 200m Dash
3:35 pm	Girls 3200m Run
	Boys 3200m Run
4:00 pm	Girls 4 x 400m Relay
	Boys 4 x 400m Relay
4:30 pm	Awards to Top Two Boys and Girls Teams