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2018 AIA State Track & Field TOURNAMENT GUIDE

Schedule, Rules, Regulations, Instructions (1-8-18)

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RULES

Rules shall be those of the current National Federation Track and Field Rule Book with exceptions noted in the AIA Constitution and Bylaws and these tournament instructions.

GENERAL INFORMATION

- Coaches will remain in the stands; under no circumstances should coaches come onto the field.
- Participants will be assigned designated areas at each site and shall remain in those areas. Participants will not be allowed on the field unless participating.
- Sportsmanship Rule will be in effect and is in continuation from regular season. (Refer to the AIA Constitution and Bylaws, Article 16, Section 3)
- Field Event Contestants shall report promptly to the event judge at the designated location when the event is called. A contestant shall be charged with an unsuccessful attempt if he/she does not complete the trial or indicate his/her passing it within one minute after he/she has been called for a trial, unless he/she has been excused by the event judge to participate in another event.
- Starting blocks will be provided at the state meet.
- All pole vaulters will be weighed prior to the start of their competition.
- Pole vault poles will not be allowed to be used unless an appropriate weight label is on that pole per National Federation rules.
- *34.92° sectors will be used in shot put and discus for all divisions.*
- The meet director will determine the procedure used in the long and triple jump.
- Spikes must be 1/8 to 1/4 inch in length; long spikes are unacceptable.
- *Throwing implements (shot/discus) will be provided for all Divisions. No school or personal implements will be permitted during competition.* (Should a competitor have a special, high tech discus, not merely a personal favorite, that discus can be given to the Head Field Judge no later than one (1) hour prior to the scheduled competition to be weighed, measured and certified. It will then be kept by the Head Field Judge, placed on the rack of implements to be used in competition, and be available for use by all competitors.)
- Neither the AIA nor the host site shall be responsible for lost or stolen articles.
- Any coach or competitor using tobacco, alcoholic beverages, or misusing drugs at the tournament site during athletic contests sponsored by AIA shall be disqualified from the contest. (Refer to the AIA Constitution and Bylaws, Article 14, Section 14.13)
- Locker room facilities will not be available.
- No field event warm up can commence till the lead official is at the event venue.

NO PETS ARE ALLOWED—unless they are service animals and proper paperwork is in the individual's possession.

STATE MEET ENTRY DEADLINE

- **The deadline for entering qualified athletes into the State Track & Field meet is 5:00 pm on Friday, April 27, 2018.** The entry process will be through the roster page of MaxPreps. Instructions for the entry process will be located on the Track & Field page of www.aiaonline.org . **Athletes that are not entered by that date will not participate in the State Meet per NFHS rules. (Rule 4 Section 1 Art. 1)**
- Last date for a State Qualifying Meet is **Wednesday April 25, 2018**
- **MAXPREPS is the official entry portal and MUST be used. The back up portal is NOT officially entering your athletes.**
- **Enter athletes on athletic.net as your backup.**

2018 NUMBER OF ENTRIES AT STATE

- A maximum of 26 will qualify for running events.
- A maximum of 18 relay teams will qualify for state.
- A maximum of 26 will qualify for Long and Triple Jump
- A maximum of 26 will qualify for Discus and Shot Put
- A maximum of 24 will qualify for Javelin, High Jump and Pole Vault.
- If there is a tie for the last qualifying individual, then those tied will be admitted into the state meet.

PACKET PICK UP

- School packets can be picked up at the team check-in area in the southwest corner of the complex.

EARLY PACKET PICK UP

- Division One and Two can pick up packets at Mesa Community College on Tuesday, May 1, between 8:30 and 10:30 AM. OR from the AIA front office from 1:30 to 3:30 pm.
 - Those schools in the following districts/cities can pick up from MCC: Chandler, Gilbert, Mesa, Higley, Tempe, and Scottsdale. Those not listed are to be picked up from the AIA office.
- Division Three and Four can pick up packets at the AIA front office on Thursday, May 3, from 1:00 to 4:00 PM.
- **YOU DO NOT HAVE TO DO EARLY PACKET PICK UP.**

TEAM CHECK IN

- Each member school will receive a maximum of four (4) coaches' wristbands per gender for a total of eight (8). Each school will also receive two (2) additional wristbands for your school manager/statistician. The wrist bands will be updated each day with a new color for that specific day and will not carry over to the next day. Only coaches listed on the coaches list will be admitted through the pass gate and will need to check in at the tent located near the SW entrance of the stadium. The team check in table will screen athletes and coaches for the proper wristbands and bib number for each participating athlete. All coaches must have the appropriate color wristband and the athletes' must have their state championship bib number.

WARM UP AREA

- The athlete warm up area is the field south of the complex.

BULL PEN / STAGING AREA

- The bull pen is located north of the east bleachers. All check in, hip numbers and staging will take place at this location. **Please note that cell phones, iPods, and other musical devices are not allowed in this area. Athletes should be “competition ready” (warm ups removed, dressed in a legal uniform, spikes on, etc. upon arrival to the staging area.**

2018 ADMISSION PRICE

Adults - \$10.00

Students – \$5.00 Elementary through High School (w/ school ID)

FREE ADMISSION

Children five or under

Media with proper credentials

AIA Lifetime Pass Holder and One Guest

AIA Complimentary Pass and One Guest

Photo ID required for AIA Pass Holder and all AIA Complimentary Passes

PROGRAMS AND SOUVENIRS

Kukulski Brothers is the official supplier for AIA Programs and Souvenirs. *Sale or distribution of AIA State Tournament related game programs, t-shirts or any other souvenirs by any individual or company other than the Kukulski Brothers at any AIA State Tournament playoff site or game is prohibited.*

T-shirts, caps, etc. will be available at the site of the State Meet.

Please call David Kukulski or Dan Kukulski at (480) 921-1975 if you have any questions regarding AIA Team Pictures, Team Rosters, Programs, Souvenirs and/or Digital Photography.

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GAMES COMMITTEE

1A Conference

Jury of Appeals	Rick Samon	Mogollon
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2A Conference

Jury of Appeals	Mike Elder	Northland Prep
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3A Conference

Jury of Appeals	Paul Demuth	Holbrook
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4A Conference

Jury of Appeals	Lori Larson	Williams Field
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5A Conference

Jury of Appeals	Eric Bolus	Deer Valley
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6A Conference

Jury of Appeals	Jennifer Burks	Perry
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AIA Representatives

Tournament Coordinator	Dean Visser
Meet Director	David Shapiro

Games Committee Duties/Responsibilities

- Members of the committee should be available throughout the contest for assistance to the director.
- The Games Committee, upon the request of the Meet Director, shall consider and take appropriate action on any protest of the tournament operation.
- The decision of the Meet Director and/or Games Committee shall be final.

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2018 State Track & Field Coaches Information

State entries due by **5:00 pm Friday, April 27, 2018** through the roster page of MaxPreps

- State qualifiers will be posted on www.aia365.com by 12:00 noon Monday, April 30, 2018
- If possible these lists will be emailed earlier. Emails will be sent by way of maxpreps communication.
- **(New) Individuals can only be entered in four events—individual or relay.**

Facility opens at 10:00 a.m.

- Team check-in begins at 10:00 a.m. each day
- Team camp area: South warm-up fields, or east side of track.

Hip Numbers

- Located on east side of stadium, north of the bleachers next to the bull pen.
- Hip numbers are available beginning at 1:30 p.m.
- Exceptions are for the 4x800 relays

Bull Pen

- Located on the east side of stadium, north of the bleachers
- Bull pen opens at 2:00 p.m.
- Exceptions are for the 4x800 relays

Coaches Corner

- East side of stadium, north of bleachers
- Pole Vault weigh ins
- PV, LJ, TJ, HJ coaches check-in for Coaches Boxes
- Shot / Discus weigh-ins if needed
- Coaches questions, concerns, protests, explanations for DQ's
- Javelin weigh ins.

Coaches Box

- Coaches' boxes will be available for one (1) coach per school at the LJ, TJ, HJ and the PV. Passes **MUST be returned** or a new one will NOT be issued for any other field event.

Coaches Seating

- On Championship Saturday – coaches are to sit in the east bleachers or around the small interior fence of the track.
- No coaches or teams will be allowed in the home (west side) bleachers

Admin Tent

- West side of stadium at the finish line

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Scoreboard

- Located on the SW corner of the track

Results

- Event results will be posted near the finish line.
- Event results will be posted online live at aiaonline.org.

Opening Heights:

- Provisional State qualifying marks will serve as opening heights for the high jump and pole vault.

Awards

- The top 4 finishers will receive medals immediately following the conclusion of their event
- No college sweatshirts/T-shirts or advertising of any commercial products on the awards stand. Athletes are to be in school issued uniform.

Certified Athletic Trainer

- Located in the SW corner of the track
- The trainer is present to provide water around the site and for emergencies only.
- The trainer will not be available for treatment or taping.

Media Area

- Located on the SW corner of the track
- Tables and power will be available

AIA365.com Video Streaming: Any school wanting to video stream a playoff game in any round must contact Brian Bolitho, bbolitho@aiaonline.org. The exclusive rights for post season tournaments belongs to the NFHS Network; however, schools may broadcast a first round through semi-final game through AIA365.com/NFHSNetwork.com and not have to pay a rights fee. Any school wishing to broadcast on a third party website will be subject to the rights fee of that sport.

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**2018 ARIZONA STATE TRACK & FIELD CHAMPIONSHIP
SCHEDULE OF EVENTS**

SITE: Mesa Community College; 1833 W. Southern Ave. Mesa, AZ 85202

WEDNESDAY, MAY 2, 2018
DIVISION I & II

10:00 a.m.	Team entrance open	
11:30 am	Javelin Pole Vault	Div II Girls/ Div I Girls/ Div I Boys Div. I Boys/ Div. II Girls /Div. II Boys
12:00 p.m.	High Jump	Div. I Girls/Div. II Girls/Div I Boys
1:00 pm	Long Jump Triple Jump	Div. II Girls/Div. I Girls Div. I Boys/Div. II Boys
2:00 PM	Shot Put Discus	Div. II Boys/Div. I Boys Div. I Girls / Div. II Girls

1:45 p.m. Coaches Meeting

Time. Track Events Girls/Boys Div. II/Div. I

11:30 a.m. 4X800m Relay DII Girls /DI Girls

3:00 p.m.

Prelims 100m Hurdles Girls
Prelims 110H Hurdles Boys

3:30 p.m. Exhibition Wheel Chair 100 Meter

Prelims 100m Dash Girls
Prelims 100m Dash Boys

4:45 p.m. 1600m Run Boys

Prelims 4X100 Relay Girls
Prelims 4X100 Relay Boys

5:40 p.m. 400m Dash Girls

Prelims 400m Dash Boys

Prelims 300m Hurdles Girls

Prelims 300m Hurdles Boys

7:00 p.m. 800m Run Boys

Exhibition Exhibition Wheel Chair 200 Meters

Prelims 200m Dash Girls

Prelims 200m Dash Boys

7:40 p.m. 3200m Run Girls

Prelims 4X400 Relay Girls

Prelims 4X400 Relay Boys

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FRIDAY, MAY 4, 2018

UNIFIED AND DIVISION III & IV

10:00 a.m.	Team entrance open	
11:00 am	Unified team check in	
11:30 am	Javelin	Div IV Girls/ Div III Boys/ Div IV Boys
	Pole Vault	Div. III Girls/Div. IV Girls/Div. IV Boys
12:30 pm	Triple Jump	Div. III Girls/Div. IV Boys/Div IV Girls
	Long Jump	UNIFIED /Div III Boys /Div IV Boys/Div III Girls
	High Jump	Div. IV Boys/Div. III Boys
1:00 pm	Shot Put	UNIFIED /Div. III Girls/ Div. IV Girls/
2:00 pm	Discus	Div. IV Boys / Div. III Boys
1:45 p.m.	Coaches Meeting	
Time	Track Events	Girls/Boys Div. IV/Div. III
11:30 a.m.	4x800 Relay	DIV Boys/DIII Boys
2:00 p.m.	UNIFIED 100 Meter Dash	coed
	UNIFIED 400 Meter Run	coed
	UNIFIED Wheelchair 50 m	
3:00 p.m.		
Prelims	100m Hurdles	Girls
Prelims	110 H Hurdles	Boys
	UNIFIED	4x100 Relay
Prelims	100m Dash	Girls
Prelims	100m Dash	Boys
4:30 p.m.	1600m Run	Girls
Prelims	4X100 Relay	Girls
Prelims	4X100 Relay	Boys
Prelims	400m Dash	Girls
Prelims	400m Dash	Boys
Prelims	300m Hurdles	Girls
Prelims	300m Hurdles	Boys
6:50 p.m.	800m Run	Girls
Prelims	200m Dash	Girls
Prelims	200m Dash	Boys
7:55 p.m.	3200m Run	Boys
Prelims	4X400 Relay	Girls
Prelims	4X400 Relay	Boys

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SATURDAY, MAY 5, 2018
DIVISION I / II / III / IV

10:00 a.m.	Team entrance open	
11:30 am	Shot Put Discus Javelin	Div. IV Boys/ Div. I Girls/ Div. II Girls/ Div. III Boys Div. I Boys/ Div. IV Girls/Div. II Boys/ Div. III Girls/ Div II Boys/Div III Girls.
11:45 a.m.	Long Jump Triple Jump High Jump Pole Vault –	Div. I Boys/ Div. II Boys/ Div. IV Girls Div. II Girls/ Div. I Girls/ Div. III Boys Div. III Girls/ Div. IV Girls/ Div. II Boys Div. I Girls/Div. III Boys
Time	Track Events	Girls/Boys Div. IV / Div. III / Div. II / Div. I
11:30 a.m.	4X800 Relay	Div. IV Girls/ Div. III Girls/ Div. II Boys/Div. I Boys
2:30 p.m.	100/110m Hurdles	
3:05 p.m.	100m Dash	
4:10 p.m.	1600m Run	Div. IV Boys/ Div. III Boys/ Div. II Girls/Div. I Girls
4:45 p.m.	4X100 Relay	
5:15 p.m.	400m Dash	
6:00 p.m.	300m Hurdles	
6:35 p.m.	800m Run	Div. IV Boys/ Div. III Boys/ Div. II Girls/Div. I Girls
7:10 p.m.	200m Dash	
7:50 p.m.	3200m Run	Div. IV Girls/ Div. III Girls/ Div. II VBoys/Div. IBoys
8:45 p.m.	4X400 Relay	

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