



2024 Twilight Meet #3 Track & Field Meet Technical Package

Hosted by Okanagan Athletics Club

Sanctioned by World Athletics

Thursday, October 10, 2024

Meet Director: Brad Heinzman - president@okac.ca

LOCATION:

Apple Bowl Stadium, 1555 Burtch Rd, Kelowna, BC V1Y 4A9

FACILITY:

400m curbed, urethane, 8-lane track: urethane run up areas for jumps and the javelin: concrete throwing circles, World Athletics standard hammer/discus cage and 100m field, pole vault facility, dressing rooms with washrooms and showers, covered seating for 500 spectators, an additional 400 seats uncovered, a concession is located at the North end of the stands.

WEATHER:

In October, Kelowna generally has low temperatures and moderate rainfall. Anticipate daytime temperatures around 12°C, while night temperatures can drop to 4°C.

ALTITUDE:

360 meters above sea level

MEDICAL:

Certified First Aid attendants will be available.

ELIGIBLE ATHLETES:

2024 BC Athletic members or equivalent from another Province/Territory or National Athletics Federation.

2024 School club members – Elementary, middle, or high school students whose schools hold a School Club Membership are eligible to compete. “Day of Event” school club members - **Elementary, middle, or high school students** whose schools **do not** hold a school club membership must purchase “Day of Event” insurance for \$5.00 when registering.



- ENTRY FEES:** \$25.00 for the first event (all ages).
\$5.00 for each subsequent event (all ages).
- LATE ENTRIES:** Once an entry is received, refunds will not be given.
Late entries are \$35.00 for the first event, and \$10.00 for each subsequent event.
Late entries are not guaranteed correct seeding.
- ENTRY DEADLINE:** 11:59 pm Tuesday October 8th for all entries. All entries must be received by this date to avoid late entry fees. The late entry deadline is 9:00am, Thursday October 10th. After this date, any further entries will only be accepted at the meet and only if there is room in the event (i.e. additional heats/sections do NOT have to be created).
- ENTRY PROCEDURE:** All entries will be through Trackiereg.com. Payment must be made through TrackieReg and will not be accepted at the meet, with the exception of late entries.
- COMPETITOR NUMBER:** Competitor numbers will be available for collection at the registration desk from 4:00pm. Each athlete will be issued one competitor number for the entire meet. This number is to be worn on the front of their shirt/singlet for all track and field events. Lost or destroyed numbers will be replaced with a \$5 replacement fee.
- AWARDS:** There are no medals or ribbons for this event
- MEET RESULTS:** Meet results will be streamed live at www.okac.ca/live/.
Results will be posted on our website at <https://okac.ca/results/> and linked to the BC Athletics website at www.bcathletics.org.
We will not be posting paper copies of results at the track during the meet.
- EVENT MERCHANDISE:** Available near the entrance to the Apple Bowl, next to the stands
- PROTESTS:** Protests concerning the result or conduct of an event shall be made within 30 minutes of the official announcement of the results of that event. Result postings will be time stamped, and that time is considered the beginning of the 30-minute period. The Protest is made orally to the relevant referee, e.g., the field referee for the field event, or the track referee for the track event. A protest concerning a false start shall be made to the track referee, or (if there is one) the start referee.
Only an athlete, or his/her representative may make a protest. The athlete must have been affected by the decision or result of the event. The protestor may contact the relevant Referee through the Meet Director if the Referee is not immediately available. The referee should record his/her decision and the reasons for that decision on the protest and appeal form. This completed form is posted with the time and date of posting indicated. Once posted, any athlete affected has 30 minutes to lodge a protest concerning this decision. A \$50.00 protest fee is to accompany all protests that are advanced to the Jury. If the protest is upheld, then the protest fee will be returned.
- JURY OF APPEAL:** A Jury of Appeal, consisting of 3 qualified persons selected from guest clubs/officials will be available to deal with any formal protests arising during the meet as per BC Athletics policy. All jury of appeal decisions are final.





- RULES:** All World Athletics, Athletics Canada and BC Athletics rules apply.
- TIMING:** FinishLynx Photo Finish Timing
- WIND GAUGES:** Wind gauges will be used for athletes aged 14 years and older competing in track events 200m and shorter and in horizontal jumps.
- EQUIPMENT:** The Okanagan Athletics Club will supply all official equipment. Athletes wishing to use their own throwing implements may do so, but must have them checked and weighed. Predetermined weigh-in times will be posted at the beginning of each day. We recommend athletes weigh in their implements early on the day of competition.
- SPIKE LENGTH:** Track and Horizontal jumps: 7mm maximum
High jump and Javelin: 9mm maximum
- WARM UP/COOL DOWN:** Use fields outside the Apple Bowl stadium. Please stay off the infield.
- MARSHALLING AREA:** Check in for all field events is at the event site. Check in for all track events is at the event start line area. All athletes must check in a minimum of 20 minutes prior to the scheduled start time.
- ORDER OF EVENTS:** Track events run oldest to youngest, alternating female and then male (with the exception of Hurdles).



COMPETITOR NUMBERS: Each athlete will be issued one competitor number for the entire meet. This number is to be worn on the front of their shirt/singlet for all track and field events. Lost or destroyed numbers will be replaced with a \$5 replacement fee.

START LISTS: Start lists/ heat sheets will be posted at www.okac.ca/live/
Track events will be run according to the schedule posted on the day of the meet, which may differ from that published in the technical package. Track heat sheets are subject to change based on scratches, no shows, and consolidations for meet efficiency. Coaches and athletes must pay attention to the pace of the meet and prepare accordingly.

CONFLICTING EVENTS: Track events will not be delayed. Athletes should report to their field event to check in. A delay in returning to a field event may result in missed attempts. Every effort will be made to accommodate athletes in 9-13 age divisions.

SEEDING: Seed times will be verified via TrackieReg from Athletics Canada indoor/outdoor rankings and Usport rankings. Athletes will be seeded for heats and finals, so please indicate results achieved by the athlete in the past year. Entries without seed times will be treated as slower.

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THROWS: Athletes U16-Masters who finish in the top 8 after three rounds will advance to the final and receive another 3 attempts. Athletes 9-13 years of age will all receive three attempts (except high jump) as per BC Athletics JD policy.

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**AGE DIVISIONS FOR
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GROUPINGS:**

BIRTH YEAR	AGE	AGE GROUP
2015	9 years	U10
2014	10 years	U12
2013	11 years	U12
2012	12 years	U14
2011	13 years	U14
2010-2009	14-15 years	U16
2008-2007	16-17 years	U18
2006-2005	18-19 years	U20
2004 -1990	20-34 years	Senior
1989-	35+	Masters



IMPLEMENT WEIGHTS:

AGE GROUP	SHOT PUT	DISCUS	JAVELIN	HAMMER
U10 Girls	2 kg	n/a	n/a	n/a
U12 Girls	2 kg	750 g	400 g	n/a
U14 Girls	3 kg	750 g	400 g	3 kg
U16 Women	3 kg	1 kg	500 g	3 kg
U18 Women	3 kg	1 kg	500 g	3 kg
U20 Women	4 kg	1 kg	600 g	4 kg
Senior Women	4 kg	1 kg	600 g	4 kg
U10 Boys	2 kg	n/a	n/a	n/a
U12 Boys	2 kg	750 g	400 g	n/a
U14 Boys	3 kg	1 kg	500 g	3 kg
U16 Men	4 kg	1 kg	600 g	4 kg
U18 Men	5 kg	1.5 kg	700 g	5 kg
U20 Men	6 kg	1.75 kg	800 g	6 kg
Senior Men	7.26 kg	2 kg	800 g	7.26 kg

*Masters throw weights as per masters' age categories.

EVENTS OFFERED:

MALE										FEMALE											
Mast	Senior	U20	U18	U16	U14	U12	U10	Group	U10	U12	U14	U16	U18	U20	Senior	Mast					
35+	20-34	18/19	16/17	14/15	13	12	11	10	9	Age	9	10	11	12	13	14/15	16/17	18/19	20-34	35+	
X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	100m	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X			200m			X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
				X	X	X				300m				X	X	X					
X	X	X	X							400m							X	X	X	X	X
				X						300m Hurdles						X					
	X	X	X							400m Hurdles							X	X	X		
X	X	X	X	X						1 Mile					X	X	X	X	X	X	X
				X	X					2000m				X	X						
X	X	X	X							3000m							X	X	X	X	X
X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	Long Jump	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	High Jump	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	Shot Put	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		Discus		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X



