



2026 Christmas Challenge Indoor Track Meet

Hosted by the Kamloops Track and Field Club

Sanctioned by BC Athletics

Saturday December 12, 2026

Location:

Tournament Capital Centre (TCC), 910 McGill Rd., Kamloops, BC.

Facility:

Track: 6 lanes - 200m oval, 8 lanes - 60m, Mondo surface, fully automatic timing. Complete jumps and shot put areas. Change rooms available.

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Eligible Athletes:

- 2026/2027 BC Athletics members.
- "Day of Event" Membership insurance for **\$5.00**.
- Masters athletes' the age is determined as of the day of the meet – December 12, 2026
- For all other athletes' the age is calculated as of December 31, 2026
- Non members must fill out the insurance waver form during registration.

Meet Registration:

Entries Chairperson:

Brian Beck

Ph: 250-579-5346

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Regular Entry Fees end November 28, 2026 @ 11:59 pm (Local Time)

- \$15.00 for each event.

Late Entry Fees end December 5, 2026 @ 11:59 pm (Online Registration Closes)

- \$25.00 for each event.

Administration Fee

- \$5.00 per athlete

Late Entries maybe accepted at the meet subject to space in the events so that new heats/flight do not have to be created.

Relay entries will be accepted up to 1 hour prior to the event and will not be considered late.

Registration Method & Pavement:

All entries **must** be submitted to Brian by the following method:

- **TrackieReg** – Register online and payment may be made using a credit card:
<https://www.trackie.com/event/2026KAMLxmaschallenge>

COMPETITION RULES AND OTHER INFORMATION

COMPETITION NUMBERS:

Payment must be received before the competition numbers are released. Clubs must designate a responsible person who will pick up, completely pay for the club package, and assume responsibility for the package (the Meet Secretary will not look after partial club packages).

Competition numbers must be worn on the front for all track events, and front or back for field events (at the discretion of the official). Hip numbers, if issued, must be worn on the hips on both sides and on the upper left chest area. These will be issued at the start line or at marshalling.

COMPETITION CATEGORIES:

2026

U10 (2017), U12 (2015 - 2016), U14 (2013 - 2014), U16 (2011 - 2012), U18 (2009 - 2010), U20 (2007 - 2008), Senior (1992 - 2006), Master (1991 and earlier - 35yrs of age+)

AWARDS:

Ribbons will be awarded to athletes placing 1st - 6th on Oval races and 1st - 8th in field events and straight away races for individual events only. Awards will be available for pickup usually half an hour after events are completed and posted. They must be picked up by the end of the meet and will be available 30 minutes after the event results have been posted. **No mail-outs.**

MARSHALLING:

Check-in for all field events is at the event site. Check-in for all track events is at the start line area for the event. All athletes must check in a minimum of 30 minutes prior to the scheduled start time.

IMPLEMENTS:

Indoor shot puts will be supplied by the meet organizers. Athletes may use their own implements which must meet World Athletics standards and be suitable for throwing on hardwood flooring. They must be weighed in and measured at least 45 minutes prior to competition. The weigh-in station will be located near the throws area, inside the track at the east end of the Fieldhouse.

SPIKE LENGTH:

The maximum spike length allowed is 7 mm for all events. No needle spikes will be allowed. All spikes must be either christmas tree or a pyramid.

ORDER OF EVENTS:

All track events will be run from youngest to oldest, female, then male (exception hurdles), and may start up to 30 minutes earlier than the scheduled time. **Please pay attention to announcements regarding time changes for events.**

ATHLETES WITH CONFLICTING EVENTS:

Track events will go as scheduled. Athletes must notify the officials at all events which are in conflict. Athletes in field events will forego their attempt in a round if the round has been completed before they return.

TRACK EVENTS:

All Track events will be run as **timed finals**. Sections will be consolidated where possible. Events may be run up to 30 minutes earlier than the scheduled time.

FIELD EVENTS:

The Tentative List of Events Offered and the Tentative Schedule are posted on <https://www.trackie.com/event/2026KAMLxmaschallenge>. Please check back for updated schedules closer to the date of the event.

COMPETITIVE ATTIRE:

All athletes are encouraged to wear their club/team uniform.

PROTESTS:

After discussion with the event referee, any further protest must be submitted in writing to the Meet Director and the Jury of Appeal within 30 minutes of the posting of the results of the event concerned. 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 three competent and qualified persons will be available for decisions arising from protests. All Jury of Appeal decisions are final.

MEDICAL:

St. John's Ambulance will be on site.