

# 2021 Youth Challenge Series

## Meet Information

### (Meets #1 & #2 only)

<b>COVID-19 Restrictions</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Parents and Spectators are not permitted inside the stadium at any time.</b></li><li>• Coaches will be permitted on a limited basis.</li><li>• Teams should always have a coach in the warm-up area.</li><li>• Athletes should arrive no more than 45 minutes before their scheduled start time and leave no later than 30 minutes after the conclusion of their session.</li><li>• All athletes, coaches, parents, officials and staff will be required to wear masks at all times.</li><li>• Anyone who is not feeling well should stay home.</li></ul>
<b>Eligibility</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• All youth athletes are required to be USA Track &amp; Field members in order to compete in the 2021 Youth Challenge Series and age verified by their association.</li><li>• Athletes competing for their High School teams are not eligible to compete during their high school season.</li><li>• Athletes must report to the clerking area or to field event area during your scheduled session time.</li><li>• Athletes will be permitted to compete in one session only.</li></ul>
<b>Entry</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Only USATF New York athletes who are attached to a club may compete. Unattached athletes are not permitted at this time.</li><li>• Coaches will be required to enter all athletes into events with accurate seed times at <a href="http://www.athletic.net">www.athletic.net</a>.</li><li>• Athletes will enter the primary event as listed on the meet schedule and automatically be added to the secondary event.</li><li>• The meet will be pre-seeded by performance. Coaches may enter NT or NM and athletes will be randomly seeded in unseeded heats.</li><li>• All entry fees must be paid in full online before the close of entries. <b>Any entries that are not paid for in advance will not be accepted.</b></li><li>• <b>NO DAY OF ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED – NO EXCEPTIONS!</b></li><li>• <b>Entry fee is \$5 per athlete.</b></li></ul>
<b>Entry Deadlines</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Tuesday, April 6<sup>th</sup> (April 11<sup>th</sup> meet) – 11:59pm</li><li>• Tuesday, April 13<sup>th</sup> (April 18<sup>th</sup> meet) – 11:59pm</li></ul>
<b>Pre-Meet Warm-up</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• All warming-up will be conducted outside of Icahn Stadium and should be conducted on the asphalt pad on the south side of the stadium or on the island pathways.</li></ul>
<b>Athlete Check-In</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Athletes will be clerked on the outside of the southern side of the facility</li><li>• All sessions will have a reporting time and 1 call will be made for each session, coaches please make sure your athletes report on time.</li></ul>
<b>Field Events</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• All field event athletes will receive 3 throws total, no finals</li><li>• Athletes must bring their own implements, due to COVID-19 implements should not be shared.</li></ul>
<b>Accepted Entries</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Heat sheets for each meet will be posted the Friday prior to the meet and an updated time schedule will be sent out at that time.</li></ul>
<b>Spikes and Icahn Stadium Rules</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Icahn Stadium will only permit ¼" pyramid spikes. Any athletes with wearing spike larger than ¼" will be disqualified from all events.</li><li>• No spectators will be permitted.</li><li>• No hard coolers are permitted inside the stadium (soft coolers are okay)</li><li>• No chairs or tents permitted inside the Stadium.</li></ul>
<b>Contacts</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Lauren Primerano – <a href="mailto:lauren.primerano@parks.nyc.gov">lauren.primerano@parks.nyc.gov</a></li><li>• Louis Vazquez – <a href="mailto:louis.vazquez@parks.nyc.gov">louis.vazquez@parks.nyc.gov</a></li></ul>
<b>Websites</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Meet website will be hosted at <a href="http://www.Randallsisland.org">www.Randallsisland.org</a></li><li>• Live results will be run through <a href="http://www.milesplit.live">www.milesplit.live</a></li></ul>

## Implement and Hurdle Heights

Youth Weights and Heights	80/100/110HH	200IM	400IM	Shot Put	Turbo Jav	Discus	Javelin	Hammer
Division 1 Boys and Girls				2K				
Division 2 - Boys and Girls				6lb	300 gram	1K		
Division 3 - Boys and Girls	30"			6lb	300 gram	1K		
Division 4 - Boys	33"	30"		4K		1K	600 Gram	
Division 4 - Girls	30"	30"		6lb		1K	600 Gram	
Division 5 - Boys	39"		36"	12lb		1.6K	800 Gram	12lb
Division 5 - Girls	33"		30"	4K		1K	600 Gram	4K
Division 6 - Men	39"		36"	12lb		1.6K	800 Gram	12lb
Division 6 - Women	33"		30"	4K		1K	600 Gram	4K

## Age Divisions

Division	Year of Birth
Division 1 (7-8 year olds)*	2012+*
Division 2 (9-10 year olds)	2010-2011
Division 3 (11-12 year olds)	2008-2009
Division 4 (13-14 year olds)	2006-2007
Division 5 (15-16 year olds)	2004-2005
Division 6 (17-18 year olds)**	2002-2003**

\* Per USATF Rule 300.1 (c) "Athletes must be at least seven (7) years of age on December 31 of the current year to compete at the Youth Athletics or Junior Olympic National Championships."

\*\* Athletes who are still 18 through the final day of the USATF National Junior Olympic Track & Field Championships are eligible to compete in the Young Men's and Young Women's divisions through that meet. This extended eligibility does not apply to cross country events.


**Randall's Island**



## Meet Schedule

Sunday, April 11, 2021 - Youth Challenge Series Season Opener

### ICAHN STADIUM AT RANDALL'S ISLAND

#### Schedule of Events

Time	Session Order	Primary Event	Secondary Event
10:00 a.m.	1	Racewalk (All Divisions)	
TBA	2	80/100/110HH (Divisions 3-6)	200m Dash
TBA	3	800m Run (All Divisions)	200m Dash
TBA	4	100m Dash (All Divisions)	200m Dash
TBA	5	1 Mile Run (All Divisions)	200m Dash
TBA	TBA	Javelin (Divisions 4-6)	Shot Put
TBA	TBA	Shot Put (Divisions 1-3)	TurboJav/AeroJav
TBA	TBA	Long Jump (All Divisions)	Triple Jump (Divisions 4-6)

## Meet Schedule

Sunday, April 25, 2021 – New York Relays

### ICAHN STADIUM AT RANDALL'S ISLAND

#### Schedule of Events

Time	Session Order	Primary Event	Secondary Event
10:00 a.m.	1	Racewalk (All Divisions)	
TBA	2	800m Run (All Divisions)	200m Dash
TBA	3	400m Run (All Divisions)	100m Dash
TBA	4	3000m Run (Division 3-6)	
TBA	5	200m Dash (All Divisions)	100m Dash
TBA	TBA	Discus (Divisions 3-6)	Shot Put
TBA	TBA	Shot Put (Divisions 1-2)	TurboJav
TBA	TBA	Long Jump (All Divisions)	Triple Jump

If needed individual sessions can be split into more than one session, the number of entries will determine the final schedule.

