



2025 USATF
NATIONAL
YOUTH OUTDOOR
CHAMPIONSHIPS
NEW YORK, NY

NATIONAL TOOL KIT

COMBINED EVENT CHAMPIONSHIPS
JUNE 23-24
TRACK & FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS
25-28. 2025

ICAHN STADIUM
20 RANDALL'S ISLAND
NEW YORK, NY, 10035

The **2025 USATF Youth Outdoor Championships** return to Icahn Stadium! The Championship is open to all 2025 USATF members who fall within the youth age divisions. Athletes can join USATF by visiting [USATF.org](https://www.usatf.org).

Proof of Age: Any athlete competing in a USATF age group championship must have their age verified. Age verification must be processed through the USATF membership portal (USATF Connect) by uploading a copy of your birth certificate or passport. Please allow up to 5 business days for verification to be completed. All age verifications should be submitted by Tuesday, June 15th for the Youth Championships.

Relays: Each member of a relay team must be officially affiliated through their member profile with a registered USATF club team to compete on a relay.

Athletes will be **seeded** based on performances officially attached to their athletic.net profiles from the 2024-2025 indoor season and 2025 outdoor season. Coaches may supply seed overrides for relay events only. Please upload all meet results to athletic.net for seeding purposes.

Age Division	Birth Year
*7-8	2017+
9-10	2015-2016
11-12	2013-2014
13-14	2011-2012
15-16	2009-2010
17-18**	2007-2008

*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 Nationals.

**Athletes who are still eighteen (18) years of age through the final day of the National Junior Olympic Track & Field Championship shall be eligible to compete in the 17-18 year-old division through that meet. This extended eligibility does not apply to cross country events.

All entries must be submitted on [Athletic.net](https://athletic.net) by the deadlines listed below.

All **on-time** entries for the 2025 are due by Friday, June 20th at 11:59 p.m. The on-time entry fee for individual events is \$15.00 for the first event and \$15 for each event after the initial first event. In addition, a \$10 per athlete administrative fee added. The cost for a relay event is \$60.00. For the combined event championships, the entry fees will be \$25.00 for the triathlon/pentathlon and \$50.00 for the heptathlon/decathlon.

A **late registration** period will be available from Saturday, June 21st to Sunday, June 22nd the late entry fee will be \$50.00 for the first event, \$25.00 for each additional event, \$100.00 for relays, triathlon/pentathlon \$50.00 and heptathlon/decathlon \$75.00

The Icahn Stadium Track will be available 45 minutes prior to the start of competition each day for general warm-up and will close approximately 20 minutes prior to the first event. After that all warm-ups should be conducted on field 10 or outside of the Icahn Stadium complex.

Packet pick-up will take place at Icahn Stadium on the first floor of the stadium using the east entrance of the facility. Please do not bring your entire team into packet pick-up, athletes should wait outside, when possible and coaches/parents should pick-up packets and bibs.

- **Monday, June 23rd – 7:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.**
- **Tuesday, June 24th – 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m.**
- **Wednesday, June 25th – 7:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.**
- **Thursday, June 26th – 7:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.**
- **Friday, June 27th – 7:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.**
- **Saturday, June 28th – 7:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.**

Times are subject to change, please keep an eye on all email communication with final instructions and updates.

To purchase **Tickets** to the Championships please visit: [2025 USATF National Youth Outdoor Championship Ticket Site](#) Our first out of the block tickets will be sold online only now through June 24th at 11:59 p.m. Individual event days are \$15.00, and a four-day pass is \$50.00. Tickets purchased after that date will be \$20.00 for an individual day or \$70.00 for a four-day pass. It is highly encouraged to purchase tickets prior to arriving at Icahn Stadium.

Processing fees apply.

2025 USATF Youth Outdoor Championships **coach credentials** can only be obtained at Packet Pick-up on-site. All individuals will be required to show a photo ID to pick up their credentials (wristbands). Credentials are non-transferable.

Registered Coach credentials are designed to allow an athlete's coach and/or personal support access to specified areas to support their athlete. Individuals receiving the Registered Coach credential must be a current (2025) member of [USATF](#), which includes

- **Be a current adult**
 - **Pass the**
 - **Successfully complete the U.S. Center for Coaching Education course (free).**
 - **Accept and adhere to the**
 - **List current coaching affiliation on membership profile.**
 - **Fulfill the background screening requirements and submit verification application through [USATF Connect](#). If you do not currently meet the Education Standard, the best option is to complete the online [Education Standard](#) course.**
- OR**

If you do not appear on the USATF Coaches Registry [public listing](#), verify which requirement area (Memberships, Center for SafeSport Training, Background Screening, and Coach Certification) on your USATF Connect profile does not have a green (current) status. All requirements must be valid through at least the last date of the competition. Please allow 10 business days for background screenings to be processed. Individuals not qualifying for the USATF Coaches Registry will need to purchase tickets for entry into the championship.

Credential Terms and Conditions can be found [here](#)

Pole Vault credentials will be provided upon verification of athlete entry and the date/time of the event. The date and time will be clearly noted on the credential and access expires immediately upon completion of the event.

All media outlets interested in covering the 2025 National Outdoor Youth Championships must complete a press application. [Press Application](#)

Awards will be presented to the top 8 athletes in all individual and relay events. In addition, the winner of each event will receive a custom trophy presented to them during the awards ceremony.

All awards presentations will be held in the plaza outside the main entrance and conducted approximately 30 minutes after the conclusion of the event. It is the athlete's responsibility to be there at that time.

Each athlete attending the meet will also receive a drawstring bag and a commemorative patch.

Official **USATF merchandise** will be available to purchase throughout the duration of the event.

The USATF store will have an array of USATF branded youth merchandise as well as apparel feature the 2025 event logo.

Icahn Stadium will also be offering various food offerings throughout the Championships.

Interested in becoming an **official** for the 2025 USATF National Youth Outdoor Championships?

For officials interested in working the Championships please email [Louis Vazquez](#). You may also fill out the form [2025 Youth Outdoor Officials Application](#). The application will close once we have hit our desired number of certified officials.

Officials will be notified of selection by May 1st.

All officials must be currently certified and up to date with their US SafeSport training.

Athletes must always wear their assigned **bib numbers** when in the facility, regardless if they are competing or not. If any athlete loses their bib number, there will be a \$10.00 fee to purchase a new bib number.

Bib numbers can be picked-up with the athlete packet during packet pick-up hours.

All running and field event **check-in** and clerking will take place on the warm-up field (field 10). Athletes should be prepared to check in at least 45 minutes prior to the scheduled start time of the event. Please make sure your athletes are listening to the calls on the warm-up field. Our skilled officials will make sure that the athletes have ample time to warm-up and treated with respect through the check-in process.

Our officials pride themselves on conducting a fair competition following the rules set by our National Governing Body, USATF. Unfortunately, we all make mistakes. If you feel there was a call or a result that is not correct or inaccurate you may file a formal **protest** to the meet referee no later than 30 minutes, then 30 minutes after the official results have been posted on-line.

The protest fee is \$100 and will be refunded if your protest is upheld.

Icahn Stadium is a World Athletics level 1 certified facility and is outfitted with UCS international **equipment**. Starting blocks, batons, throwing implements and all other track equipment will be supplied and used to conduct the championships.

The only **spikes** permitted on the Icahn Stadium track are either 1/4" or 1/8" pyramid spikes. This rule is for all events including the pole vault, javelin and high jump.

Athletes in the 15-16 and 17-18 age divisions may check in and weight one **implement** per event. Personal implements are subject to inspection and must be presented at least 90 minutes prior to the scheduled start time of the event. Implements may also be dropped off at Icahn Stadium on Tuesday, between 12:00 p.m. and 3:00 p.m.

The Icahn Stadium Track will be available 45 minutes prior to the start of competition each day for general warm-up and will close approximately 20 minutes prior to the first event. After that all warm-ups should be conducted on field 10 or outside of the Icahn Stadium complex.

All competitors in the **pole vault** must provide their own vaulting poles. Athletes must have their competition bib and all poles they wish to verify with them one hour prior to the start of the competition. Weigh-in and pole inspections will take place 60 minutes prior to the start of competition. All poles will be inspected for manufacturers pole rating stickers and the maximum top hand hold position. The competitor's weight must be at or below the pole rating. **No exceptions will be made to this rule.** Meet management will not be responsible for any pole that are shipped or impounded at the meet without a hard protective case.

Poles may be shipped to Icahn Stadium for delivery no later than Monday, June 23rd

Division	Girls Opening Pole Vault Heights	Boys Opening Pole Vault Heights
13-14	1.90 meters	2.25 meters
15-16	2.10 meters	3.35 meters
17-18	2.35 meters	3.55 meters

Subject to change based on final entries.

Division	Girls Opening High Jump Heights	Boys Opening High Jump Heights
9-10	0.95 meters	0.95 meters
11-12	1.15 meters	1.15 meters
13-14	1.25 meters	1.40 meters
15-16	1.30 meters	1.55 meters
17-18	1.40 meters	1.65 meters

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New York City is home of thousands of cultural experiences and sports events. We encourage families during their visit to NYC to take in the sites.

Coming soon we will have some great opportunities and discounts for families visiting for the Championships.

Flying to Icahn Stadium is easy! Three international airports are within a 25 miles of Icahn Stadium.

- LaGuardia International Airport – 4 miles
 - Full-service Southwest Airlines for PV poles
- John F. Kennedy International – 16 miles
- Newark Liberty Airport – 25 miles