# NEBRASKA TRACK & FIELD

# 49th FRANK SEVIGNE HUSKER INVITATIONAL | MEET INFORMATION

FEBRUARY 7<sup>TH</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup>, 2025 | BOB DEVANEY SPORTS CENTER | LINCOLN, NE

## **Entry Procedures:**

- Institutions will submit entries via Direct Athletics.
- Entries will BEGIN on Wednesday, January 1st and CLOSE on Tuesday, February 4th at 12:00pm (CDT).
- Entry marks must be from the 2024 or 2025 INDOOR season and will not be accepted without proof of performance. The only exception will be in the Combined Events.

### **Unattached Entries:**

- Unattached athletes wanting to compete will need to contact Meet Director, Cody Brousek at <a href="mailto:cbrousek@huskers.com">cbrousek@huskers.com</a> with name, desired event(s), and proof of performance no later than close of entries.
- Upon acceptance into the competition, a link will be provided for official entry.
- NO entry fee will be charged for unattached athletes.

## **World Athletics & USATF Certification:**

- This meet will be listed on the World Athletics and USATF Calendar.
- While the meet will be conducted under NCAA rules, additional rules & procedures will be in place in order to comply with required World Athletics and USATF standards.
- In addition to results being reported to TFRRS, results will also be reported to World Athletics & USATF notating any rule violations that were incurred.

## **Shoe Check:**

- An official will be stationed next to the clerking table and will be tasked with checking AT A MINIMUM, 10% of competing athletes. During this check *OR* during competition, if an athlete is found to be wearing shoes not listed on the approved list, they can/will be disqualified.
- Coaches & Athletes can use the link <u>HERE</u> to verify their shoes are allowable.

#### **Field Size Considerations:**

- The below field sizes are **ONLY** recommendations.
- Meet management reserves the right to select which entries will be accepted and in which sections entrants will be placed in order to provide the highest level of competition possible.

Pole Vault	24	60 M. Hurdles	48	Mile Run	30
High Jump	24	60 M. Dash	48	3,000 M. Run	30
Triple Jump	24	200 M. Dash	40	5,000 M. Run	20
Long Jump	24	400 M. Dash	40	4x400 M. Relay	16
Shot Put	24	600 M. Run	20	Pentathlon	16
Weight Throw	24	800 M. Run	24	Heptathlon	16

# **Entry Fee:**

- \$50 per individual entry/relay; not to exceed \$600 per gender
- All entries will be paid via Direct Athletics and MUST be paid prior to the closure of entries on Tuesday, February 4<sup>th</sup> at 12:00pm (CDT).
- Payment of entry fee is NOT a guarantee to compete. This is only an entry fee, not a competition fee.

## **Facility Overview:**

- 200 Meter hydraulic-banked track with a Mondo Super X surface and eight lane straightaway.
- Surface was replaced in the Fall of 2019.
- 8 Lane Mondo Practice/Warm-up straight away located on the Volleyball Concourse.
- Preferred Lanes:
  - o 60 M. Dash/Hurdles: 4 5 3 6 2 7 1 8
  - o 200 M. Dash: 5 6 4 3 2 1
  - o 400 M. Dash & 600 M. Run: 5 6 4 3 2 1
- Preferred Ally: Inside

## **Facility Restrictions:**

- The use of ¼" pyramid or compression spikes will be strictly enforced.
- High Jumpers will be allowed to use 3/8" spikes with a recessed spike element.
- Only tape will be allowed to mark approaches & runways. No chalk will be allowed.
- No hard shell 20 lb. or 35 lb. weights allowed.

## **Team Seating & Camps:**

- Team camps can and should be set up along the volleyball concourse near the warmup straight away.
- Team seating will be in the west bleachers, along the backstretch.
- NO teams will be allowed to camp/sit along the homestretch.

# **Team Scoring:**

• No team score will be kept.

## **Coaching Boxes:**

• Coaching boxes will be clearly marked around the perimeter and on the infield of the track. Infield coaching boxes will be made available for horizontal jumps, throws and pole vault.

# **Practice & Warm-ups:**

- Thursday, February 6th
  - The facility will be made available Thursday evening for all visiting teams between 4:30pm 8:00pm.
    All teams wishing to use the facility MUST make arrangements with Cody Brousek, no later than Tuesday, January 30<sup>th</sup>.
- Friday, February 7<sup>th</sup>
  - The track will be available for general warmup from 1:00pm 4:30pm, during which the Combined Events will be contested. Please be courteous to athletes in those events.
  - o After 4:30pm all other warm-ups must be conducted on the volleyball concourse.
- Saturday, February 8<sup>th</sup>
  - o The track will be available for general warmup from 8:00am 9:00am.
  - o After 9:00am all other warm-ups must be conducted on the volleyball concourse.

**Volleyball Concourse:** A 60 M., 8 lane straightaway of Mondo. Starting blocks & hurdles will be available. The inside lane is reserved for those jogging *around* the concourse. Mondo surface will be reserved for those doing block starts & build ups. Hurdle mobility will be done on the concrete.

## **Implement Certification:**

- All implements will be weighed in at the site of competition, by a certified official.
- Implements can be brought for certification beginning 30 minutes prior to warm ups.

## Seeding & Advancement:

- All running events will be conducted as finals against time, except the 60m dash and 60m Hurdles in which a preliminary round will be contested on Friday and a final round will be contested on Saturday.
- The top EIGHT time qualifiers from the preliminary round will advance to a one section final to be contested Saturday afternoon (Rule 5-2.b.1a)
- In the 200 M. Dash, 600 M. Run, 800 M. Run, Mile Run, 3,000 M. Run sections/heats containing the top entry marks will run in the Special Invite Section on Saturday Afternoon.
- Horizontal jumps and throwing event competitors will receive three preliminary jumps/throws. There will then be a short break and the top <u>nine</u> competitors from the preliminary round will receive three more jumps/throws in the final. <u>IF</u> there are 9 or fewer competitors entered into the competition, all competitors will automatically advance to the final as long as each competitor has achieved a valid mark in the preliminary round.

## **Check-in & Clerking Procedure:**

- **Running Events:** Check in *AT LEAST* 30 minutes prior to your event at the Hip Number Table, located along the North Wall. 15 minutes prior your event report to the clerk of the start area, located near the Awards Platform.
- **Field Events:** Report to your event area no later than 45 minutes prior to the START of your event (not flight).
- **Relay Events:** 4x400 M. Relay cards will be turned into the Hip Number Table, located along the North Wall, immediately after the 800 M. Run.

#### Awards:

- A member of meet management will present each event champion with an award at the conclusion of their respective event.
- An additional award will be presented to the Most Outstanding Male & Female Performer of the Meet during the "awards break" in the afternoon session. This award will be voted on my members of meet management.

#### **Shower Facilities:**

- Women's Visiting Locker Room will be in Locker Room #1 (Adjacent to the Volleyball Court on East Side)
- Men's Visiting Locker Room will be in Locker Room #2 (Adjacent to the Volleyball Court on East Side)
- No towels will be provided, please plan accordingly.

## **Team Drop Off & Parking:**

• Team vans & buses should drop off student-athletes and staff on the NORTH side of the Bob Devaney Sports Center. Vans & buses will then continue EAST and turn SOUTH on N. 17<sup>th</sup> Street and park in lot 55, which is located EAST of the Bob Devaney Sports Center.

## **Sports Medicine:**

- Located at the north end of the track, next to the concession stand.
- Visiting Trainers & Massage Therapists are asked to set up treatment tables on the volleyball concourse near your team camp.

#### Food & Drink:

• Team Food and Drinks should be delivered and kept in respective team camps, located on the volleyball concourse. Student-athletes can bring individual meals to the team seating area.

#### **Results:**

- Paper results will NOT be provided at any point throughout the competition.
- All results can be accessed using our official meet timer **Delta Timing** at <a href="http://results.deltatiming.com/nebraska">http://results.deltatiming.com/nebraska</a>

## **Facility Maps & Additional Information:**

• A map of the Bob Devaney Sports Center and additional information can be found on the Huskers Home Meet Information Page: <a href="https://husker.com/sports/2017/10/3/211671175.aspx">https://husker.com/sports/2017/10/3/211671175.aspx</a>

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