

Meet Information



LSU TRACK AND FIELD



2008 LSU Track and Field Meet Information

INDOOR

<u>Date</u>	<u>Meet</u>	<u>Format</u>
January 19	Purple Tiger Invite	Invitational
Jan. 31- Feb 1	LSU Combined Events	Open- Limited
February 1	Bayou Bengal Invite	Invitational
February 22	LSU Twilight	Invitational
March 7	LSU Qualifier Invitational	Open

OUTDOOR

<u>Date</u>	<u>Meet</u>	<u>Format</u>
March 28-29	LSU Relays	Open
April 10-11	Tiger Combined Events	Open- Limited
April 12	Tiger Invitational	Invitational
April 19	LSU Alumni Gold	Open

- Open meets are available to all who would like to enter.
- Open-Limited meets have field size limits.
- Invitational meets are closed meets to invited teams only.

Interested individuals or teams in open-limited meets or invitational meets should email Todd Lane at toddlane@lsu.edu about possible participation.

All meet specific information is posted on the Track and Field page at www.lsusports.net

**LSU Combined Event Classic
January 31 - February 1, 2008
Carl Maddox Fieldhouse- Baton Rouge, Louisiana**

Entry Information and Instructions

FIELD SIZES

The LSU Combined Event Classic will restrict field sizes. Permission to enter the meet will be on a first come-first served basis. Coaches who wish to attend should notify LSU meet management as early as possible.

OBTAINING PERMISSION TO ENTER

Coaches who wish to enter athletes in the LSU Combined Event Classic should obtain permission by emailing toddlane@lsu.edu . Please clearly state the school and the number of athletes you wish to enter in decathlon and heptathlon competitions. At this time, also provide an email address for further communication regarding the competition.

ENTRY PROCEDURES

Upon obtaining permission to enter, submit entries by email to toddlane@lsu.edu. Clearly state the athlete's name, gender, and projected scores and marks for each event. Deadline for receipt of these entries is Friday, January 25, 2008.

ENTRY FEES

No fee will be charged for collegiate entries. Unattached entries will be charged \$20, payable at packet pickup.

UNATTACHED ENTRIES

Unattached athletes will be permitted only as space permits. Unattached athletes should obtain permission to enter by emailing toddlane@lsu.edu. Please clearly state your gender, projected scores and marks for each event. Also provide an email address for further communication regarding the competition. In accordance with NCAA rules, high school athletes or high school aged athletes are not allowed to compete. You will be notified by email whether your entry will be accepted.

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Bernie Moore Track Stadium... Baton Rouge, Louisiana**

Meet Information

MEET SITE

The LSU Carl Maddox Fieldhouse is a 3,000-seat facility with a 200-meter tartan track. The lanes are 42" wide, with 7 lanes on the oval and 10 for straightaway races. The pole vault runway is Mondo, the high jump area is tartan, and the long/triple jump and pole vault runways are rubber covered board runways. The throwing circles are plywood. The LSU Fieldhouse is located just off Nicholson Drive on the LSU campus.

PARKING

Parking is available at Bernie Moore Lot off Nicholson Drive, near the Southwest Portal of the LSU Field House (athletes and coaches entrance).

PACKET PICKUP

Coaches should pick up their team's meet packet prior to competing Thursday between the hours of 1:00 PM and 3:00 PM at the Southwest Portal (athletes and coaches entrance) of the Fieldhouse. Unattached athletes should collect their packets there at the same time.

MEET PACKETS

Team packets will include heat sheets, time schedule, coaches infield passes, meet tickets for athletes, and additional meet tickets for coaches and support staff per gender.

MEET ADMISSION

Athletes and Coaches: Enter at Gate 2 by presenting your meet ticket.

General Public: Enter at Gate 3.

Athletes and Coaches: Enter at Southwest Portal by presenting your meet ticket.

General Public: Enter at Southeast Portal. Admission is free.

DRESSING FACILITIES

Locker room and shower facilities are available in the Fieldhouse for both men and women during meet hours. You must furnish your own towels.

TRAINING AREA

Trainers will be available in the Northeast Portal of the Fieldhouse for emergencies. Team trainers must set up behind the bleachers adjacent to the Southwest Portal (athletes and coaches entrance). Trainers will not be allowed to set up in any other area.

SEATING

Athletes and coaches must use only sections 4, 5, 6, and the portable bleachers located in the Southeast and Southwest corners of the LSU Field House. All other sections are reserved for ticket holders only.

TIME SCHEDULE

A copy of the tentative time schedule is enclosed. With the exception of the initial event of each day, event times are approximate. A revised schedule will be in your packet, and coaches will be notified by email in the event of significant changes.

SPECIAL MEET RULE(S)

- No radios or portable stereos will be allowed through the gates of Bernie Moore Track Stadium. Please remind your athletes of this policy. (Walkman-type individual radios are OK.)
- No electronic devices of any type will be allowed in the warm up and competition areas of Bernie Moore Track Stadium.

HEAT SHEETS & RESULTS

Heat sheets will be in your packet at check in. Individual event results will be posted near the Southwest Portal of the Fieldhouse. Event by event results and scores will be passed out as competition progresses. Final results will be available from the press box after the meet, and will be posted on the same web site.

INFIELD PASSES AND COACHING AREAS

Included in the meet packet will be one infield coaching pass per gender. This pass will permit coaches unlimited access to the infield during Friday's competition. During Saturday's competition, this pass permits entry into either of two coaching boxes. These boxes are located next to the pole vault runway on the infield, and directly in front of the temporary bleachers in the southeast corner of the Fieldhouse just outside the oval.

PREMEET PRACTICE AND WARMUPS

The LSU Fieldhouse will not be available for team practice on days prior to the meet. Athletes will be permitted access to the track for warm up purposes 90 minutes prior to the start of competition.

ATHLETE CHECK-IN

Athletes need check in only for running events. Check in and issuance of hip numbers will take place at the starting line 10 minutes prior to the start of each running event.

IMPLEMENT WEIGH-IN

Throwing implements will be inspected in the Northwest Portal of the Field House. Inspections for all throwing events will be held from 1:30 PM to 3:00 PM Thursday, January 31. Implements will be transported to the event site one hour prior to the scheduled start of competition, but should be claimed by the athletes at the event site after the completion of each throwing event.

WARMUPS

Athletes will be permitted access to the track for warm up purposes 90 minutes prior to the start of competition. The Bernie Moore Outdoor Track will be available for warm-ups as well.

FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information, contact the LSU Track & Field Office at (225) 578-8627.

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Time Schedule

Thursday, January 31

Field Events*****

3:30	Long Jump	Heptathlon
4:00	High Jump	Pentathlon
4:30	Shot Put	Heptathlon
5:30	Shot Put	Pentathlon
5:30	High Jump	Heptathlon
6:30	Long Jump	Pentathlon

Running Events*****

3:00	60 Meters	Heptathlon
3:30	60 Hurdles	Pentathlon
7:30	800 Meters	Pentathlon

Friday, February 1

Field Events*****

1:30	Pole Vault	Heptathlon
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Running Events*****

1:00	60 Hurdles	Heptathlon
3:00	1000 Meters	Heptathlon