Dear Coaches,

As many of you heard us present at the USTFCCCA Convention regarding meets at Panorama Farms in 2023, I wanted to provide this information again to you all for planning purposes.

The NCAA Championships will be Saturday, November 18, 2023. The course will be ready for inspection on Thursday from 10:00am-5:00pm. There will be a coaches social on Thursday, November 16 so please mark your calendars. There will be NO spectator parking at Panorama Farms for the NCAA meet. We will utilize bus transportation from the Fashion Square Mall (8-minute commute) and spectators will pay in advance of boarding the buses. Official team vehicles with an official parking permit will be able to park adjacent to the team tents. These tents will be reserved in advance by each team in September and teams will be invoiced. If your team does not qualify then your program will be refunded.

Virginia Invitational (By invite)

Friday or Saturday, September 22 or 23, 2023 (depending upon the UVA home football schedule). This invitational will accommodate approximately 300 student-athletes and priority will be given to those teams who qualified for the 2022 NCAA Cross Country Championships. If demand warrants, then we will run a second, non-scored race (this will be utilized as an overflow race only for teams not selected for the "A" race).

XC 23 Pre-Nationals (this will serve as a test run for the NCAA championships)

TENTATIVELY Monday, October 9, 2023, OR Friday, October 13, 2023 (race will be midmorning). The exact date and time will be finalized when the ACC football schedule is released in late January. The A races for men and women will accommodate full teams only and it will be a scored race. It is our goal to run approximately 300 student-athletes per gender in the A races. If demand warrants, then we will run a second, non-scored race. Priority for the scored A race will be given to those teams ranked on the USTFCCCA poll at that time.

In the lead up of these races, there will be two steps as follows:

February:

<u>uvatrackmeets@gmail.com</u> will send a call for entries to all Division I NCAA teams, which will require a response indicating your intent to compete in our meet(s). This intent to compete form is to be returned to <u>uvatrackmeets@gmail.com</u> not later than May 1, 2023. These intent forms will be reviewed and a contract will be generated. This signed contract must be received by July 1, 2023. If a team withdraws from either meet after August 1, 2023 then your program will be assessed a financial penalty.

Entry procedure information will be shared with all invited teams before September 1, 2023.

As a reminder, all information that was shared at the USTFCCCA Convention is located at <u>www.virginiasports.com</u>. You will also find information regarding all of our outdoor track and field meets this upcoming Spring. All UVA outdoor track and field meets will have competitive fields and will be USATF and World Athletics sanctioned events.

We look forward to welcoming you to Charlottesville and hope this information is helpful for your planning and scheduling. Feel free to reach out if you have questions.