



2007 USATF Illinois Association Junior Olympic Track & Field Championships



Thursday-Saturday, June 21-23, 2007
Benedictine University – Lisle, IL

AGE DIVISIONS & ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Age Divisions
Sub-Bantam (born 1999 and later)
Bantam (born 1997 and later)
Midget (born 1995–1996)
Youth (born 1993–1994)
Intermediate (born 1991–1992)
Young (born 1989-1990)
* athletes born in 1988 are also eligible if they do not turn 19 on or before 7/29/2007



Individuals: Only U.S. citizens, aliens living in the United States, and foreign exchange students are eligible to compete in these Championships. See the USATF Rules for more information and exceptions. A competitor must compete in his/her age division only. There will be no "moving up" in any events, including relays. Competitors in the Bantam and Midget divisions may compete in a maximum of three events, including relays. Competitors in the Youth, Intermediate, and Young divisions may compete in a maximum of four events, including relays. Combined events are not included in the event count. All athletes must be 2007 members of USATF in good standing.

Relay Teams: Only registered 2007 USATF member clubs may enter a relay team(s). All athletes representing the club must be affiliated with and members of that club as part of their USATF membership.

ENTRY PROCESS:

Paper/Mailed Entries - \$7.00 per event/\$28.00 per Relay Team for each entry received by Friday, June 8. \$10 per event/\$40 per relay team for each entry received 6/9 thru Thursday, 6/14. Mail Paper Entries To: Brenda Kimbrough, 10735 Beach Rd, Beach Park, IL 60087. (847-894-9544). **Make checks payable to USATF Illinois. Last day to receive paper/mailed entries is Thursday, June 14, at \$15 per event.** Note: Any entries received after 5:00pm on the indicated dates will be recorded as received on the following day, and appropriate entry-fee additions will be assessed. Note: Express delivery required after 6/8. Phone or Fax entries will *NOT* be accepted. Confirmations will be mailed for paper entries received by Friday, June 8-if sent with a self-addressed stamped envelope.

All paper entries must be made using the official entry form. Proof of Birth (copy of birth certificate, passport, certified baptismal record, driver's license, or U.S. government identification) is required and must be submitted with each entry form. For relay team entry, please follow the instructions on the official Relay Roster Form

Electronic Entries - USATF Illinois Clubs and UNattached athletes may submit their entries electronically. The deadline for the submission of all electronic entries is **Sunday, June 17 at 9:00pm**. The standard entry fee for electronic entries is **\$7.00 per event/\$28.00 per relay**. If you miss the electronic entry deadline and we allow you to enter the meet electronically, you will be charged \$10 per event/\$40 per relay team. Note: All necessary follow-up paperwork, including all listed requirements (e.g., electronic receipts, USATF membership numbers, BC's for new members etc.), must be received at the USATF Illinois Office within **48 hours** after each club's electronic entries are submitted. Under all circumstances, paperwork from all electronic entries must be received by 5:00 pm on Tuesday, June 19

Mail paper entries age verification documents and/or electronic receipts and summaries to:

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*NOTE: Electronic Entry fees are based on the day you **submit** your entries--Paper Entry charges are based on the date we **receive** your entries, not on the date you mail them.*

Enter Electronic Entries At: www.kompusport.net.

Note: Combined Events are not contested until the Regional Meet.

AWARDS: USATF Junior Olympic medals will be awarded to the top three individuals (top three teams in the relay events) in each event of each age division.

ADVANCEMENTS: The top 6 individuals and relay teams in each event of each age division will advance to the USATF Region 7 Championships to be held on **July 12 through July 15 at Proviso East H.S., Maywood, IL.**

All advancement/entry forms for the USATF Region 7 Championships must be completed, paid for, and submitted (cash or money order only) prior to leaving Benedictine University on 6/23/2007. The National Championships will be held from Tuesday, July 24 to Sunday, July 29 at Mt. San Antonio College in Walnut, CA. The top 3 athletes at the Region 7 Championships will qualify for the National Championships. Information is available at: www.usatf.org/events/2007/USATFJuniorOlympicTFChampionships/

SCHEDULE:

Unless otherwise noted, the starting order shall be younger to older, girls first.

Thursday, June 21

Running Events (3:00pm)

- Steeplechase F
- 4x100 F
- 4x800 F
- 200 **P***

Field Events (3:00pm)

- Javelin
- Pole Vault (Boys)
- Triple Jump (Girls)
- Long Jump (PG, BG)

Friday, June 22

Running Events (7:00am)

- 5000 F
- 3000 F
- 100 **P***
- 800 F
- 100 F
- 200/400H F

Field Events (9:00am)

- Long Jump (MG, YG, IG, YW)
- Triple Jump (Boys)
- Shot Put (Boys)
- Discus (Girls)
- High Jump (Boys)
- Pole Vault (Girls)

Saturday, June 23

Running Events (7:00am)

- 1500/3000/5000 RaceWalks
- 110/100/80H **P***
- Ten Minute Break —
- 80/100/110H F
- 400 F
- 1500 F
- 200 F
- 25/50/75 **X** (Shrimps & Atoms)
- 4x400 F

Field Events (9:00am)

- Long Jump (Boys)
- Shot Put (Girls)
- Discus (Boys)
- High Jump (Girls)
- Mini Javelin (BG, BB, MG, MB)

Key — ***P** = Prelim, F = Finals, **X** = Exhibition: No prior registration/no entry fees. Awards to all Shrimps (3-4 yrs old) and Atoms (5-6 yrs old).

IMPLEMENT WEIGH-IN: At the track, one hour before each event.

EVENT CHECK-IN: There will be separate check-in areas for Running and Field events. Athletes must check in at these designated areas 45 minutes prior to the event's scheduled starting time. All athletes will be required to remain in the designated warm-up areas after checking in.

COMPETITION BIB NUMBERS/Packet Pick Up: At the track, beginning at 1 pm on Thursday. All competitors must wear their assigned bib numbers during competition and on the front on their jerseys only. If an athlete loses the bib number, a replacement can be purchased for a fee of **\$5.00**. *Note: *No entry changes/no substitutions/no adds/no new entries will be accepted at the meet site.* Except, USATF Illinois will correct all data entry mistakes; and all sex and division errors whatever the source.

EVENT RESULTS: During competition, event results will be posted in the display case at the track. In addition, event results will be posted at **www.kompusport.com**.

PROTESTS: There will be a **\$50.00** fee for all protests. Protests must be submitted to the Protest Referee at once and not later than 30 minutes after a result has been announced. The protest fee will be refunded if the protest is upheld.

RULES – CONDUCT & FACILITY:

The following are not permitted at the Benedictine University Sports Complex:

- Alcohol
- Smoking
- Glass or metal containers
- Weapons, fireworks, explosives or munitions
- Laser pointers
- Gum on the track or the infield
- Pets
- Skates, skateboards or roller blades
- Plastic bottles and coolers are permitted but are subject to inspection by security personnel at the gate entrance.

GATE ADMISSION FEES: Thursday free. \$5.00 per day for Friday or Saturday. \$7.00 for two-day PASS. Pre-school FREE. Only those coaches who present a 2007 USATF membership CARD will be admitted FREE. No coaches' passes will be issued! Note: Actual CARD with "Coach" category checked, must be presented.

DIRECTIONS:

From Chicago

Take I-294 or I-290 to I-88. Go west on I-88 to I-355 south. Take the Maple Avenue exit west (right turn) for about two miles. The campus is on the left side.

From the north or south suburbs

Take the I-355 North-South Tollway to the Maple Avenue exit. The University is about two miles west of the Tollway.

From the south

Take I-55 to the I-355 exit. Take the Maple Avenue exit west to the University.

By train

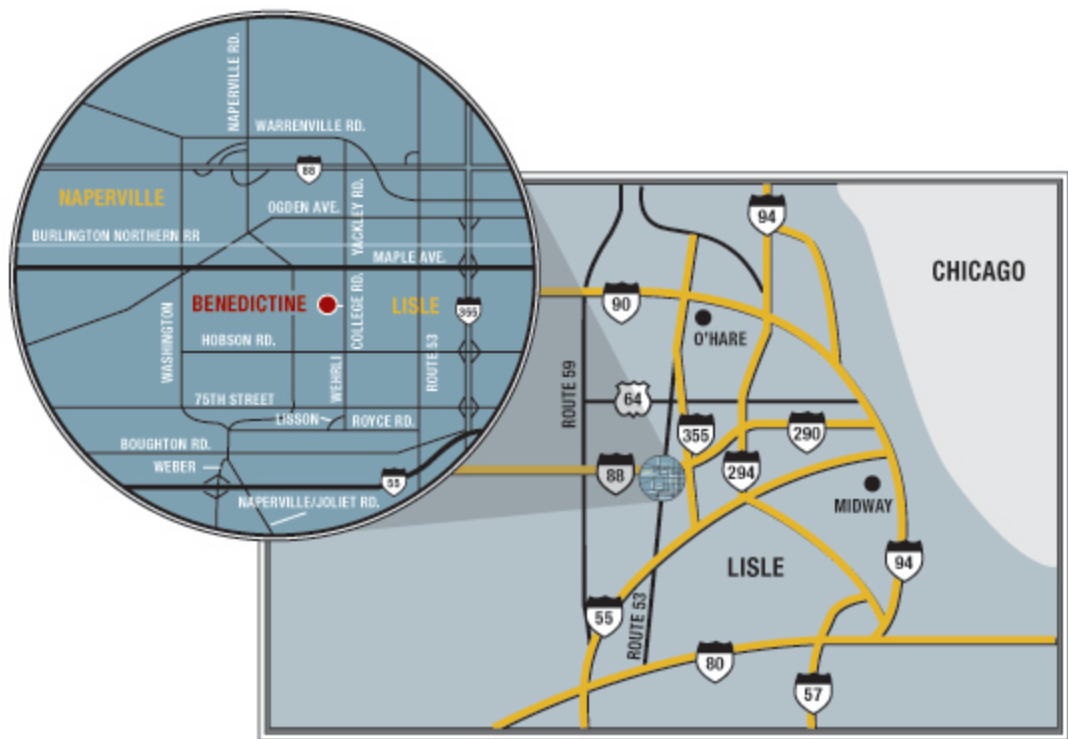
Metra, the Chicago area commuter rail system, runs from Lisle to downtown Chicago and back seven days a week. For train schedules, call (630) 968-3916 or visit www.metrarail.com. Cab service is available for the two-mile trip from the station to campus.

From O'Hare International Airport

Benedictine University is about 30 minutes southwest of O'Hare International Airport. Take I-294 south to I-88. Go west on I-88 to I-355 south. Go south to the Maple Avenue exit and west to the University.

From Midway Airport

Benedictine University is 30 minutes northwest of Midway Airport. Take I-55 south to the I-355 exit. Go north to the Maple Avenue exit and west to the University.



HOST HOTEL: Lisle Hyatt

1400 Corporetum Drive

Lisle, IL 60532

Rate: \$89.00

Reservations deadline: June 1, 2007

Reservations: 800-233-1234 - Ask for USA Track & Field Block

Make reservations as early as possible. Rooms are disappearing fast.

PARKING: Please see <http://www.ben.edu/athletics/usatf/parking.pdf>

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