



# 2019 USATF Colorado Association Junior Olympic Track & Field Championships



**Thursday - Sunday, June 20-23, 2019**  
**Legacy Stadium, 25901 E. Arapahoe Rd. Aurora, CO 80016**

## AGE DIVISIONS & ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

### Age Divisions

8 & under (born 2011 +)
9 - 10 (born 2009-2010)
11 - 12 (born 2007-2008)
13 - 14 (born 2005-2006)
15 - 16 (born 2003-2004)
17 - 18 (born 2001-2002)
<small>* Athletes who are still 18 through the final day of the USATF National Junior Olympic Track &amp; Field Championships are eligible to compete in the 17-18 age division through that meet.</small>



**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 8 & under, 9 - 10 and 11 - 12 age divisions may compete in a maximum of three (3) events, including relays. Competitors in the 13 - 14, 15 - 16 and 17 - 18 age divisions may compete in a maximum of four (4) events, including relays. Combined events are not included in the event count. All athletes must be 2019 members of USATF in good standing.

**Relay Teams:** Only registered 2019 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. Visit [www.usatf.org/membership](http://www.usatf.org/membership).

## ENTRY PROCESS:

Individual Entries: **\$8** per event  
Relay Entries: **\$26** per relay team  
Decathlon/Heptathlon: **\$18** per event  
Triathlon/Pentathlon: **\$12** per event

Club Administrators and Unattached Athletes should register online at <http://colorado.usatf.org/Youth/Youth-Upcoming-Events.aspx> (by **June 21 at 8PM**). **Late entries will not be allowed.** Online registration opens May 10. **Fees must be paid online by the close of registration.** Accuracy of data entered is the responsibility of each club and/or athlete. Please validate data within Athletic.net for accuracy prior to submitting entry. An instructional video on the online registration process may be accessed by visiting, <http://cs.athletic.net/blog/b/athletic/archive/2016/01/18/getting-started-athletic-net-tutorials.aspx>

**Valid 2019 USATF Membership and Proof of Birth is required for participation.** Before registration, please ensure that the membership chair has received (via mail, or email attachment) a copy of the athlete's Proof of Birth (copy of birth certificate, passport, certified baptismal record, driver's license or U.S. government identification). A picture of the document may be taken from camera phone and emailed. See Rule 300.1 (i) for further explanation.  
**DO NOT WAIT UNTIL REGISTRATION TO SUBMIT YOUR PROOF OF AGE. IT MAY TAKE SEVERAL DAYS TO BE VERIFIED. YOU MUST BE VERIFIED TO COMPETE IN ALL USATF COLORADO MEETS.**

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**WAIVER:** All athletes who participate in the USATF Junior Olympic Program must complete the Junior Olympic Participant Waiver and Release form. This form is already integrated in the online entry system and can be completed electronically; it can also be obtained via your association. All forms must be submitted at the first round of the Junior Olympic series.

**AWARDS:** USATF Junior Olympic medals will be awarded to the top three (3) individuals and the top three (3) relay teams in each event of each age division.

**ADVANCEMENTS:** The top 4 individuals and relay teams in each event of each age division will advance to the USATF Region 10 Championships to be held on **July 4-7** at **Mesa Community College, Mesa, AZ**. Advancements must be completed by declaring at **(link available soon)** by **July 1 at 8pm**. Declaration will open on **June 24th**.

The National Junior Olympic Championships will be held from Monday, July 22 through Sunday, July 28 in Sacramento, CA. The top 5 athletes at the Region 10 Championships will qualify for the National Championships, in combined events the top 2 athletes will qualify. Information is available at: <http://www.usatf.org/Events---Calendar/2019/USATF-Hershey-National-Junior-Olympic-Track---Fiel.aspx>

#### **SCHEDULE:**

See attachment on website at <http://colorado.usatf.org/Youth/Youth-Upcoming-Events.aspx>

**IMPLEMENT WEIGH-IN:** To be announced at stadium.

**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:** 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 \$10. Bib numbers will be distributed to athletes at **Legacy Stadium, 8am, June 20-23**

**EVENT RESULTS:** During competition, event results will be posted at the facility on the West entrance. In addition, event results will be posted at <http://colorado.usatf.org/Youth/Youth-Upcoming-Events.aspx>.

**PROTESTS:** There will be a \$40 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:**

**GATE ADMISSION FEES:** No Fee

**DIRECTIONS & PARKING:** Parking is available.

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