

2018 UIL REGION III TRACK & FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS

April 27-28, 2018 – Turner Stadium, Humble, Texas

MEET INFORMATION

The Humble Independent School District is honored to host the Region III AAAAA and AAAAAA Track & Field Championships. The meet will again be held at Turner Stadium, on the Humble High School campus. As always, every effort will be made to make this meet a quality event for you, and your athletes.

PLEASE NOTE:

- All meet information will be posted and updated on the internet and can be accessed through the following website: <http://www.humbleisd.net/Page/31733>

CERTIFICATION: (AREA MEET DIRECTORS)

- All participants in the UIL Regional Track & Field Meet **MUST** be certified by their AREA /District Director. The complete set of results must be sent to the Humble ISD Athletic Office:
 - Mail: 20200 Eastway Village Drive, Humble, TX 77338
 - Fax: 281-641-1055
 - Email: tkite@humbleisd.net

URGENT ! The Area Meet Director's Certification Report **DOES NOT** serve as each individual school's entries.

ENTRY FEES:

It is the responsibility of each District Meet Director to inform the Regional Director if fees will be paid by each individual school or if the District Chairperson will pay the entire fee for their UIL district.

ALL ENTRY FEES should be sent to: [Humble ISD, 20200 Eastway Village Dr., Humble, TX 77338](#)
Attention: Troy Kite

FEE SCHEDULE: \$15.00 per participant, per event (alternates included)

Example: School "A" qualifies the following:

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| 1. Suzy Smith | High Jump (\$15.00) | AND | 4 x 100 Relay (\$15.00) | - \$30.00 total for Suzy Smith |
| 2. Jill Jones | Pole Vault (\$15.00) | AND | 4 x 100 Relay (\$15.00) | - \$30.00 total for Jill Jones |
| 3. Mary Morris | 400 Meters (\$15.00) | AND | 4 x 100 Relay (\$15.00) | - \$30.00 total for Mary Morris |
| 4. Holley Harris | 100 Meters (\$15.00) | AND | 4 x 100 Relay (\$15.00) | - \$30.00 total for Holley Harris |
| 5. Kris Williams | Shot Put (\$15.00) | | | <u>\$15.00 total for Kris Williams</u> |

School "A" Girls Total Entry Fee - \$135.00

ENTRY FORMS:

All entries must be entered into Direct Athletics (See Instructions link on website for help on how to enter)

The coach of each qualifying athlete must enter their athlete in the appropriate event (s) on the web-based meet entry service DirectAthletics.com no later than **Monday, April 23 at 3pm.**

NOTE: Entries MUST include the following:

Athlete's first AND last name Grade
Level
Event Name(s) (all events in which the athlete qualified)

MUST USE AREA MARK / TIME FOR ENTRY IN DIRECT ATHLETICS

Entry deadline is Monday, April 23, 2018 by 3pm. You will no longer be able to enter on the Direct Athletics website after this time!!!!

NOTES TO DISTRICT MEET DIRECTORS:

- Any scratches and/or additions **must be certified by Area/District Meet Director**. The coach scratching an athlete should contact the Area Director, and the next place coach. The Area Director should verify with the next place coach if that athlete will indeed participate. Once verified, the **Area Director** should contact the Humble ISD Athletic Office (281-641-8130). Please submit the same information submitted via email to: tkite@humbleisd.net
- We will then scratch and add the appropriate athlete **based off the Area Meet Director's email**.

PARKING, TEAM ENTRANCE & SET UP:

- Turner Stadium is located on the Humble High School campus (see map enclosed). Team buses should drop off athletes at the visitor's entrance and park in the visitor's parking lot. Team camps and tents will be under the visitor's bleachers. **No teams should set up in or under the home side (west) stands or in the seating areas.**

PLEASE NOTE that on Friday Humble High School will be in session. It is critical that the bus drops off athletes at the visitor's entrance gate and park in the visitor's parking lot. Please be sure not to park in such a way that would inhibit the flow of traffic.

- Turner Stadium track is a Beynon 13mm polyurethane pour system. Spike length is limited to 1/4". No tape is allowed on the track surface (rubber markers will be provided). All field events will be held at the stadium complex.

DAILY ADMISSION CHARGE: Students - \$5.00 per day / Adults - \$10.00 per day

COACH, TRAINER & PARTICIPANT ENTRANCE:

- Each competing team will receive 5 passes for coaches and/or trainers. Participants will be admitted by their competition number and must enter through the home entrance gate. **NO PASSES WILL BE ACCEPTED**

TECHNICAL MEETING:

- There will be an important technical meeting for all head coaches of participating teams from 6:00 to 7:00 PM on Thursday, April 26th in the cafeteria in Humble High School. Information regarding meet protocol and logistical matters will be presented.
- **THIS WILL ALSO BE THE FINAL OPPORTUNITY TO MAKE ANY ENTRY CHANGES.**

TEAM PACKETS:

- Team packets may be signed for and picked up at the following times and locations:
Thursday, April 26 – 6:00 – 7:00 PM (Technical Meeting) – Humble High School cafeteria
April 27 - Beginning at 8:00 AM - Visitor's entrance
Saturday, April 28 - Beginning at 7:00 AM - Visitor's entrance

NO CHANGES WILL BE MADE AFTER 7:00 PM ON THURSDAY, APRIL 26.

(If you are unable to attend the technical meeting please be sure we have your changes prior to 7:00 pm on the 26th.)

UIL MEET RULES:

- The first and second place finishers in each event qualify for the State Meet.
- Coaches will not be allowed on the track. There will be a designated coaches area for field events.
- Contestants must report on time in order to be entered in any event. Any contestant who fails for any reason to be on hand at the time of the preliminaries shall forfeit the right to compete in the preliminaries and finals of that event. **(UIL Plan Section 1320-J)**
- **No excuse will be accepted for failure of a team or contestant to appear at the announced reporting time.**
- Heats are assigned by entry times with random lanes for pre-lims. Finals will be standard lanes.

ATHLETE CHECK IN:

- When athletes present themselves to the clerk for check-in they must be run ready.
- Complete uniform must be on their body with number attached to their uniform top.
- Relay team uniforms (shirt and shorts) must be identical.

VIDEO TAPING:

- **Athletes and coaches may utilize electronic devices to aid in the athlete's performance. Usage of such devices may not slow down or interfere with the normal flow of the meet.**

IMPLEMENT WEIGH-IN:

- Implement weigh-in / check-in will be held 90 minutes prior to the start of each throwing event and can be located on the backside of the visitor's bleachers on the south end. The implements will be impounded and brought to the competition area. All implements should be taken to the implement weigh in area under the visitor's stands. **Weigh-in will close 45 minutes prior to each throwing event.**
- Upon completion of each throwing event implements will be immediately transported back to the weigh-in area where they may be picked up.

DISCUS SECTOR:

- Again, as the National Federation rule has required the use of a **34.92** degree sector in the shot put and discus. The **34.92** degree sector will be used at the state meet and we will use a **34.92** degree sector at the Region III Meet.
- Be aware that the **800,1600, and 3200 meter runs will be run as a "one-heat final"** as in the past. The **800 meter as a final per the direction of the University Interscholastic League.**

POLE VAULT CHECK AND VAULTER WEIGH IN:

- As per National Federation rules, the competitors' weight shall be at or below the manufacturer's pole rating with a 1" circular band indicating the maximum top hand hold position. **The UIL REQUIRES that all vaulters will be weighed at the meet and vault on the corresponding appropriate size pole. The vaulters will be weighed at the implement check in area in the order they vault. Girls will weigh first, followed by the boys. Weigh in will be 90 minutes prior to competition.**

RESULTS SHEETS AND FINALS PACKETS:

- Heat sheets, results and finalists will be posted on the results boards outside the track near the finish line as soon as they are available after each event. Finals packets will be available Saturday morning at the visitor's entrance gate (limit one per team). Coaches must present ticket included in packet in order to receive the meet program.

ACCESS TO THE TRACK:

- Officials will escort competitors to the track prior to each race, as well as to the exit gate upon completion of each race. Access will be allowed only through the clerking area in the southeast corner of the stadium. Athlete **MUST** check in with the clerk in the clerking area before they will be allowed on the track or infield.

PROTESTS:

- Protests must be lodged in writing to the designated official in the press box within thirty minutes of the results being posted. The designee will notify the referee.

PROPOSED OPENING HEIGHTS AND INCREMENTS:

- The Pole Vault will progress at 6" increments. The High Jump will progress at 2" increments. (This will shorten as we get down to the end to ensure we have the best possible records)
- Opening heights will be announced at the technical meeting based on entries.

RELAY PRACTICE TIME:

The track will be open at the following times for relay practice:

- Friday: 5A 10:45 AM to 11:45 AM (relay practice only)
- Friday: 6A 4:00 PM to 5:00 PM (relay practice only)
- Saturday 1:30 PM to 2:30 PM (relay practice only)

****RELAY CARDS WITH ATHLETES NAMES MUST BE TURNED INTO THE CLERKING TENT****

RUNNING QUALIFYING:

In the running events with preliminaries, heat winners and the next best six times will advance to the finals

LANE ASSIGNMENTS FOR FINALS:

The lane assignments for the finals of the running events will be based upon the following formula:

Lane One	Seventh Fastest Preliminary Time
Lane Two	Fifth Fastest Preliminary Time
Lane Three	Third Fastest Preliminary Time
Lane Four	Fastest Preliminary Time
Lane Five	Second Fastest Preliminary Time
Lane Six	Fourth Fastest Preliminary Time
Lane Seven	Sixth Fastest Preliminary Time
Lane Eight	Eighth Fastest Preliminary Time

WHEELCHAIR DIVISION:

Students in wheelchairs will be able to participate in the wheelchair division of the 100-meter dash, 400-meter dash and shot put. These events will be non-scoring and the participants have qualified by submitting a qualifying mark of performance. The 100 and 400 meter dash will go prior to the girls races and the shot put will follow at the conclusion of each division

MEET REFEREE:

- Shirley Crowe

MEET DIRECTORS & FURTHER CONTACT INFORMATION:

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