The Ocean Breeze Invitational
held in conjunction with USATF New York

September 1, 2017

We are pleased to invite your school to the Third Annual Ocean Breeze Invitational to be held on Saturday, January 27 and Sunday, January 28, 2017. The Games will be a two day meet with all Boys events on Saturday and all Girls events on Sunday. We have applied for a National Federation of High School Sanction. The meet is open to all accepted athletes and relay teams that are competing with their high school team. The meet will be held at the state of the art Ocean Breeze Athletic Complex on Father Capodanno Boulevard on Staten Island which is less than 10 minutes from the Verrazano-Narrows Bridge.

- An elite-level hydraulically banked track that can be converted from eight to six lanes and can incline 4.5 feet.
- 8 Lane sprint/hurdle straightaway
- Plenty of FREE parking for buses and cars!
- No admission fee for spectators!
- Plenty of warm-up area
- 2 Long/Triple runways, 2 Weight/Shot Put Cages, 2 High Jumps and 2 Pole Vault runways
- On site food concession

Please read the information and entry sheet carefully. If you have any questions, please email me at Louis.Vazquez@parks.nyc.gov. Remember entries are due by Saturday, January 20, 2017. Just a reminder, that once an entry is accepted, the entry fee should follow. The fee is an entry fee and not a participation fee.

We look forwarded to seeing you at Ocean Breeze.

Sincerely,

Louis J Vazquez
Meet Director
| Important Dates | November 1st - Entries open on [www.directathletics.com](http://www.directathletics.com)  
Friday, January 19th – attached hard copy entry due  
Saturday, January 20th – Entries close on directathletics at 10:00pm  
Tuesday, January 23rd – Seeded and accepted athletes posted |
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| Entries | Step 1) Hard copy entry and entry fee must be mailed to:  
Ocean Breeze Athletic Complex  
625 Father Capodanno Blvd  
Staten Island, New York 10305  
Please make checks payable to: USATF-New York  
Hard Copy entry must be received by Friday, January 19th.  
The fee is an entry fee and not a participation fee. |
| Step 2) Rosters - all eligible athletes must be listed on your team roster. |
| Step 3) You must be enter all individual athletes and relay teams. Please use your athlete’s best mark from 2017 outdoor or the 2017-18 indoor season. All online rosters and entries must be submitted on [www.directathletics.com](http://www.directathletics.com) by Saturday, January 20th at 10:00pm. |
| We will only be running one section of the Boys and Girls 2 mile run. Please make sure your athletes are seeded on [www.directathletics.com](http://www.directathletics.com) with a seed time. |
| Directions for [www.directathletics.com](http://www.directathletics.com) are included in this packet. |
| Eligibility | An athlete can compete in any 2 events. Freshmen cannot compete in a Sophomore event. |
| Batons | Relay batons will be supplied. |
| Field Events | Opening Heights  
Boys High Jump – 5’ 4”  
Boys Pole Vault – 10’ 0”  
Girls High Jump - 4’ 4”  
Girls Pole Vault - 7’ 0” |
<p>| Field Events | All first jumps and throws will be measured in the Shot Put, Long Jump and Triple Jump. After that a minimum distance will be determined by the games committee. |
| Spikes | Only ¼” pyramid spikes are permitted on the Ocean Breeze Athletic Complex. Spikes will be available to purchase at the meet. |
| Awards | Medals to the top six places in all individual events and relays |</p>
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Total Number of Individual Events: X $6.00 = $
Total Number of Relays: X $24.00 = $
Total Entry Fee = $

Minimum entry fee is $20.00. All entry fees shown here are entry fees and not participation fees.
Make Checks payable to: USATF-New York
Mail to: Ocean Breeze Athletic Complex ~ 625 Father Capodanno Blvd ~ Staten Island, NY 10305

School ________________________________ Coach ________________________________
Address ________________________________ Phone ________________________________
City _____________________________ State ____________ Zip ____________
Ocean Breeze Invitational Schedule

**If Needed**

**Field Events**
- 9:00   Varsity Boys Weight Throw (Cage # 2)
- 9:00   Freshmen Boys Shot Put (Cage # 1)
- 9:00   Varsity Boys Pole Vault
- 9:00   Varsity Boys Long Jump (Pit # 1 & # 2)
- 11:30  Freshmen Boys Long Jump (Pit # 2)
- 11:30  Sophomore Boys Shot Put (Cage # 1)
- 11:30  Sophomore Boys Long Jump (Pit # 2)
- 12:15  Varsity Boys Shot Put (Cage # 2)
- 2:00   Varsity Boys Triple Jump (Pit # 1)

**Running Events - Inside Oval**
- 9:00   Varsity Boys 55 Meter Hurdle Trials
- 9:30   Freshmen Boys 55 Meter Hurdle Trials
- 9:40   Varsity Boys 55 Meter Dash Trials
- 10:05  Sophomore Boys 55 Meter Dash Trials
- 10:20  Freshmen Boys 55 Meter Dash Trials
- 10:50  Varsity Boys 55 Meter Hurdle Final
- 10:55  Freshman Boys 55 Meter Hurdle Final
- 11:00  Varsity Boys 55 Meter Dash Final
- 11:05  Sophomore Boys 55 Meter Dash Final
- 11:10  Freshmen Boys 55 Meter Dash Final

**Running Events - Oval**
- 8:45   Varsity Boys 2 Mile Run
- 9:00   Varsity Boys 800 Meter Run
- 9:45   Sophomore Boys 800 Meter Run
- 10:05  Freshmen Boys 800 Meter Run
- 10:25  Varsity Boys 200 Meter Dash - Trials
- 11:35  Sophomore Boys 200 Meter Dash - Trials
- 12:05  Freshmen Boys 200 Meter Dash - Trials
- 12:30  Invitational Boys 2 Mile Run
- 12:45  Varsity Boys 200 Meter Dash - Final
- 12:50  Sophomore Boys 200 Meter Dash - Final
- 12:55  Freshmen Boys 200 Meter Dash - Final
- 1:00   National Anthem - Opening Ceremony
- 1:10   Varsity Boys Mile Run
- 3:10   Sophomore Boys Mile Meter Run
- 3:55   Freshmen Boys Mile Meter Run
- 4:35   Varsity Boys 800 Meter Relay Trials
- 5:20   Sophomore Boys 800 Meter Relay Final
- 5:30   Freshmen Boys 800 Meter Relay Final
- 5:40   Varsity Boys 400 Meter Run
- 6:20   Varsity Boys 800 Meter Relay Final
- 6:25   Sophomore Boys 400 Meter Run
- 6:45   Freshmen Boys 400 Meter Run
- 7:05   Varsity Boys 3200 Meter Relay
- 7:45   Varsity Boys 1600 Meter Relay
- 8:10   Varsity Boys 4 X 1 Mile Relay

**If Needed**

**Field Events**
- 9:00   Varsity Girls Weight Throw (Cage # 2)
- 9:00   Freshmen Girls Shot Put (Cage # 1)
- 9:00   Varsity Girls Pole Vault
- 9:00   Varsity Girls Long Jump (Pit # 1 & # 2)
- 11:30  Freshmen Girls Long Jump (Pit # 2)
- 11:30  Sophomore Girls Shot Put (Cage # 1)
- 11:30  Sophomore Girls Long Jump (Pit # 2)
- 12:15  Varsity Girls Shot Put (Cage # 2)
- 2:00   Varsity Girls Triple Jump (Pit # 1)
- 3:00   Freshmen Girls Shot Put (Cage # 1)

An updated time schedule will be posted after all the entries are posted.
Ocean Breeze Athletic Complex Hotel Information

Hilton Garden Inn
(7.5 miles from Ocean Breeze Athletic Complex)
1100 South Avenue
Staten Island, New York 10314
718-477-2400
Complimentary Shuttle service for hotel guests to and from Newark Airport and the Staten Island Ferry.


Hampton Inn & Suites Staten Island
(7.5 miles from Ocean Breeze Athletic Complex)
1120 South Avenue
Staten Island, New York 10314
718-477-1600
Complimentary Shuttle service for hotel guests to and from Newark Airport and the Staten Island Ferry.


For the Staten Island New York Hotel, Holiday Inn Express and Comfort Inn you can email or contact Anne Colangelo – AnneC@PrestigeH.com – or phone - 718-698-8811.

Staten Island New York Hotel formerly the Holiday Inn Staten Island soon to become Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott
(8.3 miles from Ocean Breeze Athletic Complex)
290 Wild Avenue
Staten Island, New York 10314
718-698-8811
Complimentary breakfast and shuttle service for hotel guest to the Staten Island Ferry

Comfort Inn
(8.3 miles from Ocean Breeze Athletic Complex)
310 Wild Avenue
Staten Island, New York 10314
718-370-8555
Complimentary hot breakfast
Complimentary shuttle service for hotel guest to the Staten Island Ferry

www.comfortinnstatenisland.com

Holiday Inn Express Staten Island
(8.3 miles from Ocean Breeze Athletic Complex)
300 Wild Avenue
Staten Island, New York 10314
718-370-8777
Complimentary hot breakfast
Complimentary shuttle service for hotel guest to the Staten Island Ferry
Directions for DirectAthletics

STEP 1 - ACCESSING YOUR DIRECTATHLETICS ACCOUNT
Each coach must have a DirectAthletics username and password for his/her team. If you don't know your username and password, click http://www.directathletics.com/forgot_password.html. You will use the same account to enter all meets run through DirectAthletics.

**NOTE ABOUT MEN'S AND WOMEN'S ACCOUNTS:** You control only one gender at a time, so you will complete the below steps for your Men, and then switch to your Women's team and repeat the process (or vice versa). The team you are controlling is listed on the blue navigation bar across the top of your account, for example:

**Sport:** Track & Field  **Team:** Guilford (M)

This indicates that you are controlling the Guilford Men's team (M=MEN). To switch to your Women's team, you would select "Guilford (W)"

STEP 2--SETTING UP YOUR ONLINE ROSTER
Before entering an athlete into a meet, you must add all attending athletes to your roster. If an athlete is already on your roster (from previous seasons or meets) you do not need to add him/her again.

1) Upon logging in, click the TEAM tab. (New users will automatically be in the TEAM module)
2) If you have used DirectAthletics before, you will see your existing athletes on your roster. New Users should click the green "Add Athletes" link.
3) Click the green "Add Athletes" link under the Team Roster header. Select an approximate number of athletes you would like to add (you can add more at any time).
4) Enter your athletes' First Name, Last Name, and School Year and click "Submit".
5) You may add, edit or delete athletes on your Team Roster at anytime by clicking the TEAM tab. To add athletes, click the green "Add Athletes" link at any time. To delete or edit athletes, check the box to the left of each athlete(s) and then click the red "Delete Selected" link or the blue "Edit Selected" link respectively.

All athletes from previous seasons will appear on your roster. It is your responsibility to take the following steps to make sure that you have an accurate, up-to-date roster:

1. Review your existing roster carefully. To view your roster, login and click TEAM.
2. To delete an athlete, check the box(es) next to the athlete(s) you wish to delete. Then click on the red "Delete" button at the top of the roster.
3. Edit school year for existing athletes. Please review your entire roster to make sure that the school year is accurate for each existing athlete. If the school year is incorrect, check the box(es) next to the athlete(s) you wish to edit. Then click the dark blue "Edit" button at the top of the roster. Change the school year in the dropdown and Submit.
4. Check spelling. You can change the spelling of an existing athlete's name by following the instructions in the previous step. Once at the Edit Athlete page, make the appropriate changes to the First or Last Name and click Submit.
5. Add only new athletes not already on your roster. Do NOT create duplicates on your roster.

STEP 3--SUBMITTING ONLINE MEET ENTRIES
Once your athletes are added to your roster, you must submit your entries.

1) In the HOME tab (under Upcoming Meets) or in the SCHEDULE tab, click the green Register button next to the meet you wish to enter.
2) If prompted, choose an entry method. We HIGHLY Recommend using the NEW, "Enter by Athlete" method.
3) Follow onscreen instructions for submitting your entries. You will see a running tally of your entries on the right side of your screen.
4) When you are finished with your entries, click the "Finish" link.
5) You will see a list of your current, submitted entries. Click the appropriate link to receive an EMAIL confirmation or a PRINTABLE confirmation.
6) To edit your existing entries, click the blue Edit Entries button next to the meet name on your Upcoming Meets or complete Schedule.
Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Name (as shown on your income tax return)

New York Track and Field, Inc

d/b/a USTAF - New York

Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above

Check appropriate box for federal tax classification:

☐ Individual/sole proprietor ☐ C Corporation ☐ S Corporation ☐ Partnership ☐ Trust/estate

☐ Limited liability company. Enter the tax classification (C-C corporation, S-S corporation, P-partnership) ►

☐ Exempt payee

Date of Birth (MM/DD/YY) ►

Address (number, street, and apt. or suite no.)

c/o Philip Greenwald, VP - Finance, 101 West 81 Street, Apt 718

City, state, and zip code

New York, NY 10024

List account number(s) here (optional)

Requester's name and address (optional)

Part I - Taxpayer Identification Number (TIN)

Enter your TIN in the appropriate box. The TIN provided must match the name given on the "Name" line to avoid backup withholding. For individuals, this is your social security number (SSN). However, for a resident alien, sole proprietor, or disregarded entity, see the Part I instructions on page 3. For other entities, it is your employer identification number (EIN). If you do not have a number, see How to get a TIN on page 3.

Social security number

Employer identification number

Part II - Certification

Under penalties of perjury, I certify that:

1. The number shown on this form is my correct taxpayer identification number (or I am waiting for a number to be issued to me), and

2. I am not subject to backup withholding because (a) I am exempt from backup withholding, or (b) I have not been notified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) that I am subject to backup withholding as a result of a failure to report all interest and dividends, or (c) the IRS has notified me that I am no longer subject to backup withholding, and

3. I am a U.S. citizen or other U.S. person (defined below).

Certification instructions. You must check item 2 above if you have not been notified by the IRS that you are currently subject to backup withholding because you have failed to report all interest and dividends on your tax return. For real estate transactions, item 2 does not apply. For mortgage interest paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, contributions to an individual retirement arrangement (IRA), and generally, payments other than interest and dividends, you are not required to sign the certification, but you must provide your correct TIN. See the instructions on page 4.

Sign Here

Signature of U.S. person ►

Date ►

General Instructions

Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

Purpose of Form

A person who is required to file an information return with the IRS must obtain your correct taxpayer identification number (TIN) to report, for example, income paid to you, real estate transactions, mortgage interest you paid, acquisition or abandonment of secured property, cancellation of debt, or contributions you made to an IRA.

Use Form W-9 only if you are a U.S. person (including a resident alien), to provide your correct TIN to the person requesting it (the requester) and, when applicable, to:

1. Certify that the TIN you are giving is correct (or you are waiting for a number to be issued),

2. Certify that you are not subject to backup withholding, or

3. Claim exemption from backup withholding if you are a U.S. exempt payee. If applicable, you are also certifying that as a U.S. person, your allocable share of any partnership income from a U.S. trade or business is subject to the withholding tax on foreign partners' share of effectively connected income.

Cat. No. 10231X

Form W-9 (Rev. 12-2011)