



THE DARNELL HALL FESTIVAL OF CHAMPIONS March 6, 2022

- WHERE:** Eastern Michigan University
Bowen Field House (Indoor Track)
221 Bowen Field House, Ypsilanti , Michigan , 48197
- SANCTIONED BY:** Amateur Athletic Union (AAU)
- HOST:** Michigan AAU T & F/ Track Life University
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- ELIGIBILITY:** This meet is open to any athlete that falls within the age divisions listed below. AAU individual and club memberships can be obtained through the AAU National Website www.aausports.org. Each athlete aged **13-18 years** may enter in up to a **maximum of 4 events including relays**. Athletes aged **12 and younger** based on year of birth below may only enter in **3 events including relays**. If an athlete is entered into too many events, meet management reserves the right to reject the athlete from one or more events without notification.
- AGE DIVISIONS:** Age divisions are determined by year of birth. Listed below are the AAU Age Divisions.
- 5 & 6 Under Girls/Boys (Born 2016 and later) Maximum 3 Events including relays
 - 7 & 8 Girls/Boys (Born 2015 -2014) Maximum 3 Events including relays
 - 9 Year Old Girls/Boys (Born 2013) Maximum 3 Events including relays
 - 10 Year Old Girls/Boys (Born 2012) Maximum 3 Events including relays
 - 11 Year Old Girls/Boys (Born 2011) Maximum 3 Events including relays
 - 12 year Old Girls/Boys (Born 2010) Maximum 3 Events including relays
 - 13 Year Old Girls/Boys (Born 2009) Maximum 4 Events including relays
 - 14 Year Old Girls/Boys (Born 2008) Maximum 4 Events including relays
 - 15-16 Year Old Girls/Boys (Born 2007-2006) Maximum 4 Events including relays
 - 17-18 Year Old Girls/Boys (Born 2005-2004) Maximum 4 Events including relays
- *Athletes who are still eighteen (18) years of age through the final day (March 6th) shall be eligible to compete in the 17-18 year old division.
- MEET ENTRY FEE:** Entry fee is \$20.00 for each athlete for Track & Field events. All members of relay teams, including alternates, who have not entered an individual event, must pay a \$20.00 entry fee. **ALL FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE AND NON-TRANSFERABLE . ALL ENTRY FEES MUST BE PAID ONLINE.** Entry will not be processed unless entry fee is paid by the deadline. All major credit cards accepted online. Bring a legible copy of a birth certificate or proof of age, along with a 2022 AAU membership card for each athlete entered; Do not send in advance. All entry fees must be paid online or at the meet.
- ENTRY PROCESS:** All teams and unattached athletes must utilize the online entry process via coach.com. This will permit a very efficient registration process that is easy to use. Everyone will have until 11:59pm CST, Tuesday, March 3, 2022 to complete registration . Immediately after registering online, you will receive a receipt

from the website, which will produce a list of all athletes registered for the meet. This receipt should be used as your transcript of your meet entries. If your athletes do not appear on the confirmation, they are not registered for the meet. Please take care of these issues prior to arriving in Michigan, if at all possible. Absolutely no entries will be accepted after March 3, 2022.

DEADLINE DATE: ONLINE REGISTRATION ONLY: COACHO.COM .REGISTRATION WILL BE OPEN UNTIL MARCH 3, 2022.

PACKET PICKUP: SUNDAY, MARCH 6, 2022, 7:00AM-4:00PM – PACKETS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE TRACK (EASTERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY). A packet will be provided for each team consisting of team roster and events entered. A team representative will be responsible for picking up the packets. All teams are urged to pickup packets early as the lines on Sunday can be long.

AWARDS: In individual and relay events, awards will be presented for participants who finish 1st – 8th place.

ADMISSION: There will be a \$10.00 gate fee charge per person . All coaches will receive one free pass for 4 or more athletes, two free passes for 5 to 15 athletes and 3 free passes for 16 or more athletes in their packet. All Children 6 and under will be admitted free. All Registered athletes with a 2022 AAU Card and Competition Number will also be admitted free.

FACILITY : Bowen Field House Indoor track facility contains an 8-lane straightaway as well as providing 6 lanes around the oval. Only 1/4” or smaller pyramid spikes are allowed. Fully Automatic Timing & results will be done by Engleter Timing using Finish Lynx Cameras interfaced with Hy-Tek Meet Manager. No radios, glass containers, or alcoholic beverages are allowed in the facility.

REFRESHMENTS: A Full Service Concession Stand will be provided as well as a hospitality area for officials.

RESULTS: Results will be posted on line at www.aautrackandfield.org and www.coacho.com.



COMPETITOR BIB NUMBERS: Competitor bib numbers will be issued at athlete check-in. All athletes will be required to wear their bib numbers on the front of your competition singlet at all times of competition. There is a ten-dollar (\$10.00) replacement fee for lost bib numbers. Replacement bib numbers can be purchased at the clerking area.

IMPLEMENTS: Athletes may bring their own implements to use during competition.

PROTESTS: Protests concerning the status or eligibility of any competitor must be made to the AAU Youth Athletics Committee prior to the commencement of the meet, or the Referee during the meet. Protests relating to matters, which develop during the conduct of the meet, must be made to the Referee and be filed at once, but in any case not more than 30 minutes after the result has been announced. Protests MUST be filed in writing and presented to the Meet Director accompanied by a cash deposit of \$100.00. The Referee shall consider all available official evidence. When the Referee renders his/her decision, there is still the right of appeal to the Jury of Appeals. The jury’s decision is final. If the protest is denied, the cash deposit will be forfeited. **PROTESTS CONCERNING JUDGMENT CALLS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

AIR TRAVEL: Detroit Wayne County Airport (DTW) is approximately 20 mins away from Eastern Michigan University.

HOST HOTEL: Area Hotel information is listed below.

HOTEL	LOCATION	PHONE	AMENITIES	RATE
	<u>Ann Arbor Marriott Ypsilanti at Eagle Crest</u> 275 S Huron Street, Ypsilanti, Michigan 48197	Tel: (734) 973-6100	INDOOR POOL	\$109.00 (Rates are subject to change)
	Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott Ann Arbor Ypsilanti 326 James L Hart Pkwy, Ypsilanti, MI 48197	Tel: 734-482-0668	INDOOR POOL	\$99.00 (Rates are subject to change)



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All Running events will start at the designated time listed each day. Listen to announcements and check-in to the designated check-in area for your event at least 30 minutes early. Any athlete that does not check-in before their schedule heat is run will be scratched from the event.

Sunday – March 6, 2022

This is a rolling schedule

11:00 AM

60 Meter Hurdles – SF - Starting with 11 Year Olds – 17/18 year old (top 8 times advance to finals)
60 Meter Dash – SF – Starting with 5 Year Olds – 17/18 year old (top 8 times advance to finals)
3000 Meter Run – TF - Starting with 11 Year Olds – 17/18 year old – Age Groups may be combined by gender
60 Meter Hurdles – F- Starting with 11 Year Olds – 17/18 year old
60 Meter Dash – F - Starting with 5 Year Olds – 17/18 year old
1600 Meter Run – TF- Starting with 7&8 Year Olds – 17/18 year old (Age Groups may be combined by gender)
4 x 200 Meter Relay – TF - Starting with 5 Year Olds – 17/18 year old
400 Meter Dash – TF - Starting with 5 Year Olds – 17/18 year old
800 Meter Run – TF - Starting with 5 Year Olds – 17/18 year old
200 Meter Dash – F - Starting with 5 Year Olds – 17/18 year old
4 x 400 Meter Relay – TF - Starting with 7&8 Year Olds – 17/18 year old

- ? NOTE: If there are not enough runners in Semi-Final, event will be run as a Final at that time.
- ? NOTE: Some distance races may be combined due to the number of participants.

- ? This event is licensed by the Amateur Athletic Union of the U.S., Inc.
 - ? All participants must have a current AAU membership.
 - ? AAU membership may not be included as part of the entry fee to the event.
 - ? AAU Youth Athlete membership must be obtained before the competition begins, except where the event operator has a laptop available with an internet connection.
- Be Prepared: Adult and Non-Athlete memberships are no longer instant and cannot be applied for at an event. Due to background screenings, please allow up to 10 days for adult memberships to be processed.
- ? Participants are encouraged to visit the AAU website www.aausports.org to obtain their membership.



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All Field Events will follow schedule below. **This is a rolling schedule**. Listen to announcements for calls to your Field Event. Any athlete who does not check-in before their designated flight starts will be scratched from the event. Field Event athletes who have a conflict with a running event will be released by the Field Event official – ONLY - at the appropriate time. **Field Event athletes will have 10 minutes to report back to their Field Event after their running event** and be ready to compete.

***Long Jump and Shot Put will be contested with three jumps or throws. Top 8 will medal.

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Sunday

March 6th

Time	Long Jump 1	High Jump 1	Shot Put 1	Pole Vault
8:00am	5-6 G/B	17-18B/G	5-6 G/B	13G/13B
	7-8G/7-8B	15-16G/B	7-8G/7-8B	14G/14B
	9G/9B	14G/14B	9G/9B	15-16G/B
	10G/10B	13G/13B	10G/10B	17-18B/G
	11G/11B	12G/12B	11G/11B	
	12G/12B	11G/11B	12G/12B	
	13G/13B	10G/10B	13G/13B	
	14G/14B	9G/9B	14G/14B	
	15-16G/B		15-16G/B	
	17-18B/G		17-18B/G	