

National Inter Club Track & Field League 2018

Round 1 – 24th June – Templemore and Mary Peters Track, Belfast

Round 2 – 8th July - Athlone IT and Morton Stadium, Santry

Final - 19th August - Tullamore

Entry Form Information and Rules

1. Team Composition

Teams can be either

- a. Club Teams from a single club
 - No guests allowed in the Premier Division.
 - Maximum of 2 members registered with other clubs from within their county affiliated to the Athletic Association of Ireland Division 1
 - These athletes shall be stated clearly on the initial entry, and <u>no changes</u> will be allowed from the close of entries
 - Members of these club teams may not take part in any other team.

b. Composite Teams

- More than one club and greater than 2 athletes per club, from within their county affiliated to the Athletic Association of Ireland
- The names of the clubs and athletes must be given on the initial entry, and <u>no</u> <u>changes</u> will be allowed from the close of entries.
- Members of these composite teams may not take part in any other team.
- The composite team may compete under a suitable area name.
 - Team colours must be declared

c. County Teams

- Entered by a County Board.
- Names of clubs and athletes must be provided on the entry form, and members named of these clubs may not take part in any other team.
- Note: A County may enter a team made up of a number of clubs from within their county affiliated to the Athletic Association of Ireland, even though other clubs in the county enter separately or as a composite unit.
- By agreement of the county, athletes who are not selected to compete on the county team can participate as guests with clubs in division 1 within their county
- 2. Club Secretary or Chairman *must* sign the entry of team to which the club is committed.
- 3. Club members may compete only on the team nominated by the club official.
- 4. Teams will declare an identifying singlet in advance, which must be worn in all competition. Failure to wear it will result in disqualification and loss of points for all events in which the infringement occurs.
- 5. Team Managers

a. Declare their teams 1 hour before the start of the competition. **Note:** Pole Vault 90 minutes

- b. Individual athletes need only report to the site of competition.
- c. No changes in the original team declaration may be made without the consent of the event referee and subsequent notification to the meet organiser.
- 6. All athletes must be bona fide registered members of the club for which they compete.

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- 7. Members of composite teams must be registered athletes.
- 8. Members of County teams must be registered athletes from <u>within</u> their county.
- 9. All athletes must be 16 years or over on 31st December in the year of competition.
- 10. In Senior Men Shot, Discus and Hammer athletes must be 18 years of age on 31st December in the year of competition.
- 11. Athletics Northern Ireland clubs entering the league must furnish a list of their athletes to the AAI Office by the closing date. Additional athletes 2 in total, if used, must be from the County of the competing club permitted in Division 1 only.
- 12. 2 top teams in final of Division 1 will be promoted to Premier Division men & women.
- 13. Demotion will be the bottom 2 teams following rounds 1 & 2.
- 14. A team not competing in the league for 2 years will be automatically demoted.
- 15. Changes to the rules and regulations of the national league may be undertaken from time to time by the competition committee.
- 16. County or Composite Teams are not eligible to progress to European Team Competition.
- 17. Teams who fail to field a team in Round 2 will be deemed to be ineligible to compete in the league the following year, subject to review.

Structure and Format

Division 1

Rounds 1, 2 and Final will consist of full programme with both men and women counting 15 best events.

Premier Division

Rounds 1, 2 and Final will consist of full programme with both men and women counting 17 best events for men, 15 best results for women.

IAAF Rules of Competition will apply

- 1. In general every effort will be made to locate teams at the one most convenient to them, and men's and women's teams from the same club at the same venue. However the need to balance the strength of the groups means that this cannot be guaranteed.
- 2. The Referee will decide all matters of fact. Appeals (in writing) to the League co-ordinator or Deputy on the day as per IAAF.
- 3. Clubs who compete as part of composite or county teams who gain promotion will remain part of that team for a minimum of one further season.

Structure and Format

- 4. Scoring for events shall remain as heretofore,
 - 1st Place 9 points, 2nd place – 7 points 3rd Place -6 points 4th place -5 points 5th place -4 points 6th place -3 points 7th place -2 points 8th place -1 point
- 5. Qualification for the final is by total number of points scored over rounds 1 & 2.
- 6. 8 teams per division men and women will progress to the final.
- 7. In the event of a tied position for the final, the total number of winning positions i.e. 1st, 2nd, 3rd etc. will be the deciding factor.
- 8. Each athlete may take part in two track and one field event, or two field and one track event, plus relays on each day.
- 9. Teams shall nominate two officials on the entry form for each round including final, together with details of their events if applicable. The named officials may be changed on the team declaration, but failure to attend will result in deduction of the lowest counting event points on the day.
- 10. Team managers will certify that competitors are physically fit and technically competent to take part in their events.
- 11. The referee shall, on recommendation of officials, remove from competition anybody whom through lack of fitness, ability or technique constitutes a danger to himself or other competitors.
- 12. Non scoring guest athletes may be accommodated in qualifying rounds at the discretion of the Official in charge at the venue, but will <u>not</u> be allowed in the final.
- 13. In Field events where applicable 4 trials will be allowed.
- 14. Competitors must bring their own Pole Vault which may not be shared without permission from the owner.
- 15. Starting Height Pole Vault Men 2.00m Women 1.55m
- 16. 4 Failures <u>in total</u> for Pole Vault and High Jump (*Normal 3 consecutive failure elimination rule also applies*)
- 17. Women's 3000m S/C introduced in 2018.

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| Club Team | | | | | | | | |
|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| County/Composite Team | | | | | | | | |
| MEN | WOMEN | | | | | | | |
| I enclose a non-refundable fee of €100 for each team entered. | | | | | | | | |
| Total amount \in returned with this entry. | | | | | | | | |
| Payments by Cheque or for Card Payments please call Athletics Ireland Competition Team on:01 8869933 | | | | | | | | |
| Signature | | | | | | | | |
| Please provide the name and address/email of person to receive all correspondence in relation to the National Track & Field League | | | | | | | | |
| PLEASE USE CAPITALS | | | | | | | | |
| Name: | | | | | | | | |
| Address: | | | | | | | | |
| Email | | | | | | | | |
| Phone | | | | | | | | |
| 8 | g Date: 13 th June 2018 | | | | | | | |
| Email Entries to: League Coordinator, Bernie Dunne, E 0879830567 | Email: <u>berniedunne21@gmail.com</u> Phone: | | | | | | | |

Entries by post please send to: AAI Office: 19 Northwood Court, Northwood Business Campus, Santry, Dublin 9

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Team Declaration 2018

(*Please note: 3000m S/C for Women added for 2018. Check: Team Composition information*)

| Event | Name | Club |
|-------------------|------|------|
| 100m H (W) | | |
| 110m H (M) | | |
| 1500m Walk (W) | | |
| 3000m Walk (M) | | |
| 400m H (W&M) | | |
| 4 x 100m (W&M) | 1) | 2) |
| | 3) | 4) |
| 1500m (W&M) | | |
| 400m (W&M) | | |
| 3000m (W) | | |
| 3000m S/C (W&M) | | |
| 200m (W&M) | | |
| 800m (W&M) | | |
| 5000m (M) | | |
| 100m (W&M) | | |
| 4 x 400m (W&M) | 1) | 2) |
| | 3) | 4) |
| Hammer (W&M) | | |
| Pole Vault (W&M) | | |
| Long Jump (W&M) | | |
| Discus (W&M) | | |
| High Jump (W&M) | | |
| Shot (W&M) | | |
| Javelin (W&M) | | |
| Triple Jump (W&M) | | |
| 56lbs Dist. (M) | | |
| Official & event | | |
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Amendments to this list may be made on the day. We need to capture as much data as possible prior to the event to speed up the administration/results on the day.

Date



National Track & Field League 2018 Round 1

Timetable (Subject to Change)

| Track | | | | Field | | | |
|--------------------|------------------------|---|-------|-------------|-------|-------------|--|
| | | | | Men | | Women | |
| 11.30 | 100m H | W | 11.30 | Hammer | 11.30 | High Jump | |
| 11.45 | 110m H | Μ | 11.30 | Pole Vault | | | |
| 12.00 | 1500m Walk | W | 11.45 | Long Jump | 12.00 | Shot | |
| 12.15 | 3000m Walk | Μ | | | 13.00 | Hammer | |
| 12.35 | 400m H | W | | | 13.30 | Triple Jump | |
| 12.50 | 400m H | Μ | | | | | |
| 13.05 | 4 x 100m | W | | | | | |
| 13.20 | 4 x 100m | Μ | 14.00 | Shot | | | |
| 13.35 | 1500m | W | 14.00 | High Jump | | | |
| 13.50 | 1500m | Μ | 14.30 | Discus | 14.30 | Pole Vault | |
| 14.05 | 400m | W | | | | | |
| 14.20 | 400m | Μ | 14.45 | Triple Jump | 14.45 | Javelin | |
| 14.35 | 3000m | W | | | | | |
| 14.55 | 3000m S/C | Μ | | | | | |
| 15.15 | 200m | W | 16.00 | Javelin | 16.00 | Discus | |
| 15.30 | 200m | Μ | | | 16.00 | Long Jump | |
| 15.45 | 800m | W | | | | | |
| 16.00 | 800m | Μ | | 56 lbs | | | |
| 16.15 | 5000m | Μ | | | | | |
| <mark>16.35</mark> | <mark>3000m S/C</mark> | W | | | | | |
| 16.55 | 100m | W | | | | | |
| 17.10 | 100m | Μ | | | | | |
| 17.25 | 4 x 400m | W | | | | | |
| 17.40 | 4 x 400m | Μ | | | | | |

Scoring System: 9,7,6,5,4,3,2,1

Sequence of events: Division 1 Women followed by Premier Women followed by Division 1 Men followed by Premier Men

> Premier Division Men score in the best 17 events. Premier Division Women score in the best 15 events Division One Men and Women score in the best 15 events.

This timetable is designed as a guide of event times. Events may run ahead of schedule and it is the team Managers responsibility to ensure that athletes attend for the start of their competition.