

**NCHSAA Outdoor State Track and Field Championship Meets**  
**North Carolina A & T State University**  
**TEAM INFORMATION**  
**2A/3A Friday, May 20, 2022**  
**1A/4A Saturday, May 21, 2022**

Congratulations on qualifying for the 2022 NCHSAA Outdoor Track and Field State Championships. We are looking forward to a great state championship weekend and wish all our teams the best of luck. To ensure that the meet is run in a professional manner that showcases the very best in track and field in North Carolina, please read and share the following details with your team and fans. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out. Thank you and good luck!

**Parking:**

- **Team buses will park at Memorial Stadium. Memorial Stadium is about ¼ mile from the track on Lindsay Street.**
- Coaches driving their personal cars and have volunteered to help officiate the meet will be allowed to park in the grassy lot behind Aggie Stadium free of charge
  - **Your name must be on the list by May 17, 2022**
  - **If you are not officiating and your name is not on the list**, it will cost you \$10.00 to park in this lot.
  - Note: This lot is also for fans. Once it is full, it is full. There are no reserved spots for officials.
- Fans will be able to park in the lots located in front and rear of the stadium for a \$10.00 fee
- Parking on the streets and in Memorial Stadium is free.

**Admission:**

- \$10.00 for general public and non-participating athletes (no exceptions)
- **All tickets must be purchased online at: <https://gofan.co/app/school/NC1661>**
- Public entrances are located at the front and rear of the facility

**Implement Inspection:**

- 1. Morning Implement inspectors should arrive by 7:15.**
  - 2. Afternoon Implement inspectors should arrive by 2:00.**
- **All** implements will need to be inspected at the Storage Building located next to the discus cage.
  - **All** implements will be impounded and taken to the site by meet management.
  - **Rejected** implements will also be impounded, and spray painted with a **Red X**.
  - **Rejected** implement's will be returned to the athlete/coach at the conclusion of the event at the event site.
  - **Pole Vault participates** will be weighed and have poles verified at the competition area according to NCHSAA guidelines.
  - ***Pole Vault Certification and Weigh-ins will close one hour prior to event***

- **Implement Inspection Times:**

***Friday, May 20, 2022***

- The **discus** inspection schedule is as follows:
  - 3A Girls Discus: Inspection closes at 9:15
  - 2A Girls Discus: Inspection closes at 11:15
  - 2A Boys Discus: Inspection closes at 1:15
  - 3A Boys Discus: Inspection closes at 3:15

- The **shot put** inspection schedule is as follows:  
2A Girls and Boys Shot Put: Inspection closes at 9:15.  
3A Girls and Boys Shot Put: Inspection closes at 11:15.

***Saturday May 21, 2022***

- The **discus** inspection schedule is as follows:  
4A Girls Discus: Inspection closes at 9:15  
1A Girls Discus: Inspection closes at 11:15  
1A Boys Discus: Inspection closes at 1:15  
4A Boys Discus: Inspection closes at 3:15
- The **shot put** inspection schedule is as follows:  
1A Girls and Boys Shot Put: Inspection closes at 9:15.  
4A Girls and Boys Shot Put: Inspection closes at 11:15.

**General Information: *Please read carefully***

- Implementation weigh-ins begins at 8:00 am
- **Substitute coach** – must be on school letterhead and sent to our office by close of business Thursday (4:30pm) – Athletes cannot compete without proper school representation (Handbook policy)
- All athletes are to be in proper uniform in accordance with the sanctioning body and rules: National Federation (NFHS) and NCHSAA.
- **Pole Vaulting is the only event that will have a coach's box**
- Field events will have 1 (one) flight
- All Running Events are Timed Finals with preliminary rounds for 100 M Hurdles and 100 M Dash.
- Field events will not start until the Field Referee, Jumps or Throws Referee has certified that all athletes are in proper uniform.
- Wheelchair events will follow abled body events
- **The 10-minute check-in /check-out rule will be in effect.** Tell your athletes to check out with the event judge and return within **fifteen (15) minutes maximum. (Five minutes prior to the heat of their event, 10 minutes following the conclusion of their heat.)** If an athlete is in a field event and gets a first call for a running event, they should check out of their field event and check-in at the Clerk's Table and then return to the field event. Event judges will be instructed to allow athletes to go "out of turn" if necessary. **The Clerk will be instructed NOT to "hold" athletes competing in field events.** It is the responsibility of the coach and the athlete to report to the starting line for their event.
- All athletes are to always have their complete uniform on while on the track or in the infield. Failure to comply with this rule will result in first, a warning, and second disqualification from an event or possibly the entire meet.
- Athletes competing in 2 or more field events simultaneously will have to go "back and forth." They will need to check-out and report immediately to their next event. (Officials will allow them time to change shoes if the need shall arise.) Athletes cannot lose an attempt if competing in another event provided, they have checked out and are back within the 10-minute rule.
- **All protests should be filed with the event Referee, on the proper "Protest/Appeal Form." Forms will be in a 3-ring binder at the Clerk of Course tent.**

- **A coaches' scratch meeting is NOT held for the outdoor state meet.** If an athlete fails to show up for an event, the athlete will be **DISQUALIFIED FOR REMAINDER OF THE MEET.** Event judges are to report any athletes who fail to report to the Meet Director, Rodney King. The athlete's coach will be notified.
- Coaches should have their athletes that finish in the "Top 4" available to pick up their medals immediately after the event is completed.
- The **infield is off limits** if you do not have a worker's hang tag and you have not been assigned meet duties by the Meet Director, Rodney King.
- **NO ONE** other than the Durham Striders Finish Line Coordinator should be in the finish line area.

**Sportsmanship Reminders:**

- **RESPECT THE FACILITY.** Please makes sure that you remind athletes to PUT THE TRASH AND BOTTLES IN TRASH CONTAINERS!!!
- Coaches, remember that you are role models and ambassadors for our students. Teach them pride in the facility and the rightful thing of leaving a borrowed facility in better shape that you found it.
- **Coaches and all athletes are expected to show GOOD SPORTSMANSHIP. Competitors who engage in taunting, profanity, baton throwing, and/or refuse to follow the instructions of meet officials will be DISQUALIFIED FROM THAT EVENT OR POSSIBLY THE MEET.**
- **Sportsmanship is important and reflects you, your program and the NCHSAA...if in doubt, we will remove athletes from competition**

**Officials:**

- **All officials should check in at the "Official's Check-in" table 30 minutes prior to the Officials' Meeting located at packet pick-up upon their arrival in order to receive their credentials.**
- **All Head officials, including clerks, please familiarize yourself with the "Meet Management Checks and Balance".**