Know Before You Go

2025 USATF National Junior Olympic Track & Field Championships



We look forward to seeing you at the 2025 USATF National Junior Olympic Track & Field Championships at Savannah State University in Savannah, Georgia from July 21 – July 27, 2025, and wanted to share a few helpful tips before you head into the competition.

PACKET PICKUP

Packet pickup will be available starting Sunday, July 20th onsite at the Ted Wright Stadium on the <u>Savannah</u> State University campus. For purposes of packet pickup on Sunday (July 20th) only, participants may enter through the LaRoche gate to pickup packets.

- Sunday, July 20th 12:00 pm 6:00 pm
- Monday, July 21st 6:00 am 3:00 pm
- Tuesday, July 22nd 7:00 am 3:00 pm
- Wednesday, July 23rd 7:00 am 4:00 pm
- Thursday, July 24th 7:00 am 6:00 pm
- Friday, July 25th 7:00 am 6:00 pm
- Saturday, July 26th 7:00 am 2:00 pm
- Sunday, July 27^{th} 7:00 am 3:00 pm

ADMISSION

- Admission to the 2025 USATF National Junior Olympic Track & Field Championships is all digital and available to purchase online.
 - VIP Passes for the full week for just \$300 (plus fees) Hurry! Supplies are limited!
 - VIP Pass holders will receive: daily VIP ticket to the Event; VIP entrance into the stadium; VIP Parking spot at the stadium; VIP seating in the stadium; Early access to event merchandise; complimentary water and snack bag at competition; VIP concierge
 - o Adult Pass for full week \$80 (plus fees)
 - o Child Pass for full week \$40 (plus fees) (ages 7 17, without a bib for the Event)
 - Adult Single Day Pass \$20 (plus fees)
 - Child Single Day Pass \$10 (plus fees) (ages 7-17, without a bib for the Event)
 - Click <u>HERE</u> to purchase tickets!
- Note, the stadium has a clear bag policy.

- No tents will be permitted in the stadium. Small umbrellas are permitted in most areas.
- **No CASH** will be accepted for the following services: Registration, Parking, Tents, Tickets and Bib Replacements.

PARKING

- All attendees are encouraged to rideshare or carpool to the Event as parking space is limited!
- Rideshare drop-offs will be at the following gates: LaRoche, Whately and Jasmine gates
- Oversized vehicles and shuttle drop-offs will occur at the Commons gate.
- Visitor parking is available on campus. Regular sized vehicles are **\$20 per day** and oversized vehicles are **\$30 per day**. No RV's permitted.
- If parking on Campus, please go HERE to purchase parking in advance. Parking QR code is required to enter campus.
- Be sure to observe posted signage for any restrictions or time limits.
- Overflow parking (at no charge) can be found at:
 - o Jennifer Ross Soccer Complex, 7221 Sallie Mood Drive, Savannah, GA 31406
 - o Herschel V. Jenkins High School, 1800 E. Derenne Avenue, Savannah, GA 31406
- Shuttles (white and marked with *Elite Savannah Travel*) will be provided from the overflow parking every 20 minutes, on the following schedule (**PLEASE PROVIDE YOURSELF WITH PLENTY OF EXTRA TIME TO DEAL WITH DELAYS IN PARKING AND SHUTTLES**):
 - o Monday, July 21st 6:00 am 7:00 pm
 - o Tuesday, July 22nd 7:00 am 9:00 pm
 - Wednesday, July 23rd 7:00 am 6:00 pm
 - o Thursday, July 24th 7:00 am 8:00 pm
 - o Friday, July 25th 7:00 am 9:00 pm
 - o Saturday, July 26th 7:00 am 4:00 pm
 - Sunday, July 27th 7:00 am 6:00 pm

See parking maps below. The blue lines indicate where you can park and the yellow star is where the shuttle pickup/dropoff points will be.

Herschel V. Jenkins High School, 1800 E. Derenne Avenue, Savannah, GA 31406



Jennifer Ross Soccer Complex, 7221 Sallie Mood Drive, Savannah, GA 31406



Additional Information: https://savannahstate.edu/events/2025-usatf-national-junior-olympic-track-field-championships/

TENT CITY

- Clubs and spectators may erect a 10x10 tent within the Tent City area, provided they have reserved a Tent Space for \$20 for the week (tents must be supplied by the club/spectator). Tent spaces can be reserved HERE.
- Drop-offs are only permitted between 6:00 AM and 8:00 AM daily.
- Each vehicle is allowed a maximum of 15 minutes for drop-off.
- The lot adjacent to the tennis courts will be open exclusively for drop-offs during this time. (There is no parking available in this location.)
- Tents must be broken down daily to eliminate hazards in stormy weather
- No grilling is available on campus.
- Tents/other items left unattended or overnight are at their own risk.

MERCHANDISE

• The **Team USATF Store** will be open onsite during competition. Check out the <u>online store</u> for a preview of some of the great new Nike fits you can purchase throughout the competition!

CONCESSIONS

- Food trucks and other vendors will be available around the outside of the Ted Wright Stadium during the following dates and times (all times are subject to change):
 - o Monday, July 21st 7:00 am 6:00 pm
 - o Tuesday, July 22nd 7:00 am 9:00 pm
 - Wednesday, July 23rd 7:00 am 5:00 pm
 - o Thursday, July 24th 7:00 am 8:00 pm
 - o Friday, July 25th 7:00 am 8:00 pm
 - Saturday, July 26th 7:00 am 4:00 pm
 - o Sunday, July 27th 7:00 am 5:00 pm
- Concessions will also be available inside the stadium for purchase throughout the competition.

INCLEMENT WEATHER

- Please plan for hot and humid weather. Bring your sunscreen, bug spray, and keep hydrated!
- In the case of inclement weather, please seek immediate shelter.
- Schedule and weather updates will be provided at:

- USATF Event Webpage
- Through Real Response messaging (see below).

REAL RESPONSE

- Subscribe for Real-Time Event Updates! Stay informed throughout the USATF National Junior Olympic Track & Field Championships by subscribing to text alerts from USA Track & Field.
- To subscribe, please sign up with the following link: https://app.realresponse.com/respond/zuiffp/start
- By providing your contact information, you will receive:
 - Real-time schedule updates
 - Championship reminders
 - Important safety notifications
 - Reunification and emergency procedures
- This new communication platform is designed to protect your privacy while keeping you informed with critical event information. Your participation supports a safer, more organized, and more positive experience for all athletes and their families.

SAFE SPORT

- Make sure you are familiar with USATF's Minor Athlete Abuse Prevention Policies (MAAPP) prior to attending the event:
 - o MAAPP At-A-Glance
 - o One-on-One Interactions
 - o Social Media and Electronic Communication
 - o **Lodging**
- If you see something, say something. You should report any instances of sexual misconduct to the U.S. Center for SafeSport via their online reporting form here. Please report misconduct relating to bullying, hazing, harassment, and physical or emotional misconduct to USATF via the following options:
 - Online reporting form, email usatfsafesport@usatf.org, Call (317) 713-4688, Text (833)-9-USATF (987-2834)
- Athletes 18 and up should take the SafeSport course prior to attending the event. Instructions on completing the SafeSport training can be found here.

LET'S GET SOCIAL

To help you promote you are competing at the 2025 USATF National Junior Olympic Track & Field Championships, we've created "Watch Me" graphics for you to post on your social media.

What you will find attached to the "Know Before You Go" email:

- A customizable graphic add your favorite photo and make it your own.
- A ready-to-go graphic Just download and post as-is!

Simply save these images and use them to post on social.

Need a caption? We've got you. Here's some sample text to use or tweak as you like. And don't forget to tag @usatf and use #USATFFutureStars so we can see and share your post!

Savannah LOADING... 🔥



Locked in and ready to chase PRs at the 2025 USATF National Junior Olympic Track & Field Championships! I'm competing in the [insert your event here] with the best in the game. Catch me LIVE on USATF.tv!

TUNE IN

You can tune-in to all the action on <u>USATF.tv</u> beginning on July 23rd.

VISIT SAVANNAH - Know Before You Go!

Thank you to our Sponsors and Partners for helping to make the 2025 USATF National Junior Olympic Track & Field Championships possible! We look forward to a successful event and wish you the best of luck!

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