

Please find a letter below from the organiser of the **County Athletics Championships** that are due to take place at **Wilberforce Road Athletics Track on Saturday 14th May**. This is an external championship primarily for CLUB athletes, however, a number of our pupils have in the past competed and have performed very well. You may therefore wish to discuss this with your child to find out whether they wish to participate.

Further information can be found within the attached letter, alongside the Entry Form link. **Please note that the deadline for you to enter 'online' is midnight on 3rd May.**

Please note that 14th May is the same day as the IAPS National Trampolining Championships (so do consider this before entering, or contact me for advice).

- *Years 6 & 7 compete in the UNDER 13 age group; Year 8 compete in the UNDER 15 age group (against Year 9 pupils).*
- A maximum of 3 events can be entered BUT please reference the provisional timetable to check that event timings do not clash (Note that U13/U15 are not permitted to compete in the 800m AND 1500m on the same day).

For those who chose to enter, **you should aim to arrive at the venue at least 45minutes prior to your child's first event so that numbers can be collected and so that you have allocated time for warming up prior to competing.**

Mr Mageean will be present at Wilberforce Road track on the 14th May from 09:30am – 5pm to assist parents and pupils with any questions and to help pupils know where their field events take place and where the start line is for track events.

With kind regards,

Mr T North
Head of PE

CAMBRIDGESHIRE AAA TRACK AND FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS - SATURDAY 14TH MAY 2022
AT THE UNIVERSITY TRACK, WILBERFORCE ROAD, CAMBRIDGE,

Championships Secretary
18 Hunts Road,
Duxford,
Cambs
CB22 4RE

Dear Parent,

Cambridgeshire AAA, invites athletes from your School to take part in the **2022 Track and Field Championships** on **Saturday 14th May** at **Cambridge University Track, Wilberforce Road** (*PLEASE SEE * below as some field events such as the Year 8 Triple-Jump and the Years 6 and 7 Discus will not take place on this day*). We will use electronic timing on the track, with a display clock and wind measurement, and electronic distance measurement for the long throws events.

Last years' championships were run late in the season due to Covid restrictions, which meant that schools were not able to enter and many athletes were on vacations. We would like to encourage all clubs and schools to enter this year so that we can get back to our normal successful championships. **Athletes can count towards the scores for both their club and their school but it is important that the SCHOOL and CLUB names are both written on the entry form.** This ensures that points are allocated to both the CLUB and SCHOOL trophy competitions.

Team selections for Inter-county events in the summer will be influenced by the results from these championships.

** Note that this year the 3000m Championship events for Under 15 (Boys and Girls), Under 17 (Men and Women), Under 20 (Men and Senior/U20 Women) and the 5000m event (for Senior and veteran men), will take place on Wednesday 8th June 8th at the Evening Open meeting at St Ives. The Mile Championship will take place on June 29th.*

Additionally, due to limited availability of officials we have had to schedule the following field event championships onto the Wednesday evening Open meetings at St Ives at 7pm – U17 mens and U17 Womens Javelin on June 8th, U15 Girls and U15 Boys Triplejump on June 29th and U13 Girls and Under 13 Boys Discus on July 20th (Note these events will not count towards the schools trophy – only those on May 14th – but will count towards the club age-group trophies)

Athletes wishing to enter the 3000m, 5000m, Mile championships or the U17 javelin, U15 Triple-jump or U13 Discus should enter separately via the online links for the Development meetings shown below (no entries will be accepted on the night at the Development meetings).

I enclose a full list of events and a provisional timetable for the main championship on 14th May. The timetable will be approximately correct but there will be several minor changes depending on the number of entries.

Event prospectus and provisional timetable can be found at <http://cambspathletics.org.uk/tf-events/>

Times First events (track & field) 10.00am. Registration from 9.00am onwards.

Age - group Under 13, Under 15 and Under 17 are defined by age on 31st August 2022

definitions Under 13 athletes must be aged 11 before 31st August 2022

Under 20 men must be under 20 on 31st December 2022

Entries For 2022, entry is online at <https://data.opentrack.run/en-gb/x/2022/GBR/cambstf22/>

Please also indicate the SCHOOL attended by athletes (for the schools trophy competition)

Entry fees for 2022 are £5.50 for each athletes first event entered and £4.50 for each additional event

Entries for Club athletes **must** specify athletes EA URN numbers.

This does not apply to schools entries.

Payments Online entry with debit/credit card payment

Closing Date Midnight on Saturday 7th May 2022

LATE ENTRIES, TELEPHONE ENTRIES, OR ENTRIES ON THE DAY, WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED

Vests Club, School, County, Regional or National Team vest must be worn by Competitors.

Mr Mageean will be at the championships on 14th May and will be able to provide St Faith's Athletics vests for the pupils to compete in.

The final timetable of events will be published as soon as possible after compilation of the programme and will depend on numbers of entries received.

Field event timings may change significantly depending on entry numbers. Track events will only vary slightly from the provisional timetable.

Confirmation of Entry/timetable will be e-mailed

All details and links can also be found on the Cambs AA website www.cambspathletics.org.uk .

Event Organiser: Noel Moss (01223 833470) e-mail cambsaatandf@btinternet.com .

For entries to events on the separate Evening Devt meetings including championship events

June 8th - <https://data.opentrack.run/en-gb/x/2022/GBR/camopen1/>

June 29th - <https://data.opentrack.run/en-gb/x/2022/GBR/camopen2/>

July 20th - <https://data.opentrack.run/en-gb/x/2022/GBR/camopen3/>