OVAC TRACK FORMAT
Effective 2019 - 2020

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2020 CHAMPIONSHIP DATE:
Saturday, May 2, 2020
St. Clairsville High School

Qualifying Dates/Locations:
All-qualifying/championship meets will be held at St. Clairsville High School

4A, 5A:  Monday, April 27, 2020
1A-2A, 3A:  Tuesday, April 28, 2020

MAKE-UP DATES (If needed for weather)
Wednesday, April 29
Thursday, April 30

FIELD EVENTS START AT 2:30PM
TRACK EVENTS START AT 4:00PM

FUTURE DATES:

April 26, 2021:  1A-2A, 3A Qualifying
April 27, 2021:  4A, 5A Qualifying
May 1, 2021: Championship

May 2, 2022:  4A, 5A Qualifying
May 3, 2022:  1A-2A, 3A Qualifying
May 7, 2022: Championship

May 1, 2023:  1A-2A, 3A Qualifying
May 2, 2023:  4A, 5A Qualifying
May 6, 2023: Championship

April 29, 2024:  4A, 5A Qualifying
April 30, 2024:  1A-2A, 3A Qualifying
May 4, 2024: Championship

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MANDATORY MEETING:
There will be no mandatory meeting for track. All necessary materials will be e-mailed to the head coaches the first Monday of March. It is IMPERATIVE that all coaches see that their e-mails are correct on the website and that they have established user names and passwords.
1. There will be four (4) class championships for boys and four (4) class championships for girls. A runner-up plaque will also be given to each school finishing second in each class.

2. Each school will compete in the class assigned to it by the OVAC.

3. The rules used for the OVAC track meet include National Federation Rules, Ohio and West Virginia State Regulations, and OVAC Regulations. **Ohio Rules Will Be In Effect, Especially Concerning Uniforms,** unless otherwise noted. All other aspects of the meet not covered by the rules will be determined by the games committee, made up of the meet manager, the meet referee, and the track committee.

4. **No scoring will be done or awards presented at the qualifying meets.**
   Individually, at the Championship Meet, the top three (3) finishers in each class in each event will receive a medal.
   In addition, the overall champion will receive an overall champion medal for his/her finish in each event.
   The top scoring team in each class will receive the OVAC Championship Trophy.

5. The entry fee shall be $60.00 per team. If a school enters BOTH a boys’ AND a girls’ team, their combined entry fee shall be $120.00. This covers the cost of both the Qualifying and the Championship Meets.
   For purposes of this rule, one (1) or more entrants is considered a team.
   Checks should be made out to the OVAC and mailed to the Director, unless they were paid for at the beginning of the year.
   **ENTRY FEES MUST BE PAID BEFORE THE FIRST EVENT OR THAT SCHOOL WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO COMPETE.**

6. The OVAC track committee shall be responsible through its appointed meet directors for the operation of the qualifying and championship meets.

7. A fully automatic timing system MUST be used for both qualifying and championship meets.

8. The admission fee for the qualifying and championship meets for 2020 will be as follows:
   **ADULTS:** $7.00
   **STUDENTS:** $5.00

**ONLY OVAC PASSES WILL BE HONORED.**

**ENTRY DEADLINE ON BAUM’S PAGE IS SUNDAY, APRIL 26, 2020, AT 9:00PM. TEAMS NOT ENTERED BY THE DEADLINE WILL NOT BE ABLE TO COMPETE.**

**UPDATED: 06.06.19**
OVAC TRACK COMMITTEE

1. The OVAC track committee shall consist of the following:
   A. Commissioner;
   B. Chairman;
   C. Site Manager;
   D. Track representatives;
   E. Referee;
   F. Four (4) officials and/or meet referees;
   G. Meet director;
   H. Media representative.

2. Vacancies that occur will be filled by the committee.

3. Removal will be made as deemed necessary by the committee. (Examples: lack of attendance at meetings, lack of overall concern for Conference and/or sport, etc.)

4. All members will have a vote.

5. Concerns of Conference coaches should be addressed to the track representative. The track representative will then present said concern to the committee for its consideration. This should be done as soon as possible following the annual championships and prior to the committee’s annual format meeting.

FUTURE COMMITTEE DATES

2020
Format Meeting, May 17, 2020

2021
Format Meeting, May 23, 2021

2022
Format Meeting, May 22, 2022

2023
Format Meeting, May 21, 2023

2024
Format Meeting, May 19, 2024

OVAC TRACK COMMITTEE

COMMISSIONER:
Dugan Hill, Caldwell

CHAIRMAN EMERITUS:
Donna Joseph, Shadyside

SITE MANAGER:
Kelly Rine, St. Clairsville

REPRESENTATIVES:
Steve Blinco, Morgantown High School
Jenna Coyne, Shadyside High School
Jeff Lewis, Weir High School
Dylan Rogers, Barnesville
Dr. Suzanne Govey-Allen, Steubenville High School
Bob Stanko, Steubenville Catholic High School
Shawn Valloric, Bellaire High School

MEET REFEREE:
Jerry Narcisi, Shadyside

OFFICIALS:
Dirk Fitch, Martins Ferry
Rich Skrabak, St. Clairsville
Jeff Turner, Wheeling
Ron White, Wheeling

MEET DIRECTOR:
Ben Frye

MEDIA REPRESENTATIVE:
Seth Staskey, Times Leader
RUNNING EVENTS

1. 100, 200, high hurdles, 300 hurdles, 400: the four (4) fastest times from each class move on to Saturday. Each event will be run only once. No hot heat.

2. 800, 1600, 3200: One heat of each will be run with the top four (4) in each event qualifying for the finals on Saturday.

3. Relays will qualify the top four (4) times from each class in each event to the finals on Saturday.

4. Based upon the number of entries, the referee will have the discretion to run one combined race for multiple classes.

FIELD EVENTS

1. Long jump, discus, shot put: There will be a total of four (4) jumps and four (4) throws. The top four (4) from each class in each event will qualify for the finals on Saturday. Best jumps and throws DO NOT CARRY OVER to the finals. If there is a tie for fourth place, the next best throw/jump will decide the qualifying spot.

#Throwing implements shall be checked in and inspected by the designated official no later than FIFTEEN (15) minutes before the start (2:15PM). The pole vault should be checked in at the pole vault site no later than THIRTY (30) minutes before the start (2:00PM).

2. High jump, pole vault: The top four (4) in each event will qualify for the finals on Saturday. If there is a tie for fourth place, there will be a jump off for the qualifying spot.

3. All field events will start fresh on the final day. No height or distance will carry over.

4. Minimum Starting Heights*

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The Games Committee has the right to change the starting heights/distances after reviewing entries and considering weather conditions.

RESULTS of all events will be posted on stcathletics.com.
OVAC Cal Giffin Qualifying Track Meet Schedule

FIELD EVENTS

2:30PM

1st Session
- Boys Discus 4 Throws
- Girls High Jump
- Boys Long Jump 4 Jumps
- Girls Shot Put 4 Throws
- Boys Pole Vault

2nd Session
- Girls Discus 4 Throws
- Boys High Jump
- Girls Long Jump 4 Jumps
- Boys Shot Put 4 Throws
- Girls Pole Vault

SMALL CLASSES COMPETE FIRST

RUNNING EVENTS

4:00 PM
- 4 X 800 Meter Relay
- 100/110 Meter High Hurdles
- 100 Meter Dash
- 4 X 200 Meter Relay
- 1600 Meter Run
- 4 X 100 Meter Relay
- 400 Meter Dash
- 300 Meter Low/Intermediate Hurdles
- 800 Meter Run
- 200 Meter Dash
- 3200 Meter Run
- Shuttle Hurdle Relay
- 4 X 400 Meter Relay

SMALL CLASSES COMPETE FIRST

GIRLS COMPETE FIRST

Field events are to START PROMPTLY at 2:30. All warm-ups are to be completed no later than 2:25PM.
2020 OVAC TRACK AND FIELD CHAMPIONSHIP MEET
All Classes, boys and girls

St. Clairsville High School
Saturday, May 2, 2020
Field Events: 10:00AM#
Running Events: 12:00PM

RUNNING EVENTS
1. 100, 200, 400, high hurdles, 300 hurdles, 4x100, 4x200, and 4x400 will have two (2) heats running against time. There will be a hot heat in each event, run last.
   2. 800, 1600, 3200 and 4x800 will have one (1) heat.
   3. Shuttle hurdle relays will have four (4) heats running against time with one (1) hot heat.
   4. **Athletes MUST HAVE RELAY CARDS turned in to clerk when they report.**
   5. All **SCRATCH SHEETS** must be turned in by 11:30AM. This will assist the officials in placing the appropriate number of competitors in the hot heat.

FIELD EVENTS
1. Discus, long jump, and shot put finals will have four (4) throws and/or four (4) jumps.
   2. If field events do not start due to weather, they will not score.
   3. If competition in any field event has started and must be halted due to weather conditions, the referee will make any scoring determination.

#Throwing implements shall be checked in and inspected by the designated official no later than FIFTEEN (15) minutes before the start (9:45AM). The pole vault should be checked in at the pole vault site no later than THIRTY (30) minutes before the start (9:30AM).

SCORING
1st place = 10 points
2nd place = 8 points
3rd place = 6 points
4th place = 4 points

AWARDS
The first three (3) places in each class will receive medals. In addition, the overall champion in each event regardless of class will receive a medal. Team class champions will receive a championship trophy at the meet.

RECORDS
In addition to class records, there will be separate championship meet records. Class records can be established during the qualifying meets or the championship meet (regardless of place).

ALL-CONFERENCE
All-Conference recognition will be awarded to those athletes who finish first in each event in each class.

OUTSTANDING PERFORMER AWARD
The Butch and Donna Joseph Outstanding Performer of the Meet Award will be given to one male and one female athlete in the field events and in the track events. Items that may be considered would be points scored, overall champion, records set, etc.

RESULTS of all events will be posted on stcathletics.com.
OVAC Cal Giffin Championship Track Meet Schedule

FIELD EVENTS

10:00 AM

1st Session
- Boys Discus: 4 Throws
- Girls High Jump
- Boys Long Jump: 4 Jumps
- Girls Shot Put: 4 Throws
- Boys Pole Vault

2nd Session
- Girls Discus: 4 Throws
- Boys High Jump
- Girls Long Jump: 4 Jumps
- Boys Shot Put: 4 Throws
- Girls Pole Vault

RUNNING EVENTS

12:00 PM
- 4 X 800 Meter Relay: 1 Heat Girls
- 4 X 800 Meter Relay: 1 Heat Boys
- 100 Meter High Hurdles: 2 Heats Girls
- 110 Meter High Hurdles: 2 Heats Boys
- 100 Meter Dash: 2 Heats Girls
- 100 Meter Dash: 2 Heats Boys
- 4 X 200 Meter Relay: 2 Heats Girls
- 4 X 200 Meter Relay: 2 Heats Boys
- 1600 Meter Run: 1 Heat Girls
- 1600 Meter Run: 1 Heat Boys
- 4 X 100 Meter Relay: 2 Heats Girls
- 4 X 100 Meter Relay: 2 Heats Boys
- 400 Meter Dash: 2 Heats Girls
- 400 Meter Dash: 2 Heats Boys
- 300 Meter Low Hurdles: 2 Heats Girls
- 300 Meter Intermediate Hurdles: 2 Heats Boys
- 800 Meter Run: 1 Heat Girls
- 800 Meter Run: 1 Heat Boys
- 200 Meter Dash: 2 Heats Girls
- 200 Meter Dash: 2 Heats Boys
- 3200 Meter Run: 1 Heat Girls
- 3200 Meter Run: 1 Heat Boys
- Shuttle Hurdle Relay: 4 Heats Girls
- Shuttle Hurdle Relay: 4 Heats Boys
- 4 X 400 Meter Relay: 2 Heats Girls
- 4 X 400 Meter Relay: 2 Heats Boys

Field events are to START PROMPTLY at 10:00. All warm-ups are to be completed no later than 9:55AM.