



BRYAN  
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INVITATIONAL

## 2023 MEET INFORMATION

### REGISTRATION

#### Registration Window:

**OPEN:** Monday, March 20th @ 12:00 AM Pacific Time

**CLOSE:** Monday, April 3rd @ 6:00 PM Pacific Time

**Standards:** Only entries hitting time standards are guaranteed. Must have been run on or after January 1, 2022. Indoor Mile to 1500 Conversion automatically adjusted if faster [0.9259 conversion factor].

Find time standards here: [Schedule & Standards](#)

**Accepted Entries Posted:** Wednesday, April 5th @ 9:00 PM Pacific Time

**Scratches:** Sunday, April 9th @ 6:00 PM Pacific Time. Send Scratches to: [seansmith@apu.edu](mailto:seansmith@apu.edu) (distance) or [jhoyt@apu.edu](mailto:jhoyt@apu.edu) (all other events)

**Heat Sheets Posted:** Tuesday, April 11th @ 6:00 PM Pacific Time or sooner.

The only method for entry is online through DirectAthletics. Accepted Entries, Heat Sheets, and all other meet information will be posted via [apucougars.com](http://apucougars.com)

#### Collegiate Entry:

- Team's wishing to pay in person should email [JHoyt@apu.edu](mailto:JHoyt@apu.edu) for approval.
- Entry fee should be paid online through direct athletics before entries close.
- Entry Fees are **only entry fees**, not a competition fee. **No Refunds.**
- **Entry Fee:** \$40 per event per athlete
- **Team Entry Cap is \$700 per team per gender** (\$1400 for both genders) \*\*

\*\* Some events surcharge on number of entries above team cap \*\*

#### **\*\* Surcharge Entry Fee**

- Surcharge fees applied to: 800, 1500, 3k SC, 5k, & 10k
- Teams are allowed 2 entries in each distance event/gender before surcharge.
- Direct Athletics will prompt you to accept surcharge before it is added.
- Additional Entries / surcharge will be \$30 dollars per athlete per event

#### **Late Entry Fee**

- No late entries are guaranteed and most will not be accepted.
- **\$100 CASH ONLY** late fee for all events. On Site Payment **ONLY.**

Collected at hiping. No hip number if fee not paid.

#### Decathlon and Heptathlon Registration:

- Register via Direct Athletics at: 2023 Bryan Clay Invitational Multi Event
- **Entry Fee:** \$150 for multi per athlete

#### Unattached Entry

- Register via Direct Athletics at: 2023 Bryan Clay Invitational Club/Unattached/Open
- Must hit the "Open" time standards to be guaranteed entry. [Schedule & Standards](#)
- \$40 per athlete per event. Must be paid by credit card while registering on DirectAthletics. Entry marks must be verified. **No refunds.**

## PACING

For Distance Races:

**1500:** Top 10 heats per gender (Invite)

**5000:** Top 4 heats per gender (Invite)

**10000:** Top heat per gender (Invite)

**3k SC:** Top 1 or 2 heats per gender

**800:** We will work with coaches on finding pacers for up to 5 heats / gender

**NOTE:** One goal is to find athletes willing to come back and pace from various teams while also helping those willing athletes into heats that suit them for their primary race. Coaches, if you are reaching out for adjustments or exceptions please know that 1. It is very hard to accommodate everyone and 2. Please offer your help in having athletes pace in exchange for adjustments within reason.

With some of the top heats in the 3k SC, 5k and 10k we do have funding available for post-collegiate athletes interested in pacing. Email Sean Smith w/ inquiries at [seansmith@apu.edu](mailto:seansmith@apu.edu)

## PARKING

- **Main Parking:** In the main lot next to Cougar Stadium off of N Citrus Drive.
- **Overflow Parking:** On Thursday or Friday, if the main parking lot is full drop off your athletes and park on APU's West Campus lots: **East Foothill Blvd and Stein Way.** You may ride the APU Trolley Bus or choose to take the 10min walk back to the track
- **Buses:** Must drop off in "bus drop off zone" near track and then proceed to overflow parking.
- **Additional Paid Parking:** Citrus College has paid parking available in Lot LL A where a valid parking permit is required at all times. You must park within a designated parking stall and must park facing into the stall (head-in-parking only). Permits can be purchased from any Automated Pay Station (APS) machine located in the S1, S2, S3, ... , S9 parking lots.
- **Campus Map with Parking Lots** and Warm Up Fields on last page.

## SPORTS MEDICINE

- Your Sports Medicine staff should be stationed in your designated team area
- APU SM is located at the SE corner of the track. Ice will be available as well as emergency response
- If you will **NOT** be traveling with an athletic trainer and/or you have any specific treatment requests, please notify Rachelle Cyrus [ [rcyrus@apu.edu](mailto:rcyrus@apu.edu) ] at least 48 hours in advance

## CHECK IN PROCEDURES

- Heat Sheets & Schedule will be updated via Finished Results **AND** posted on the APU Track Webpage.
- **Running events:** check-in, spike check in, and hip numbering is located at the Southwest corner of the track entry gate near the 100m start.
  - **Check In:** 60min Prior to your race start time at the clerking tent.
  - **20 minutes prior to your race**, return to the SW Corner of the track for a spike check and to be let onto the track for a short warm up. Longer Warmups should be completed on Dillon Recreation Field across the parking lot from the track entrance.
  - **200m races will be re-drawn after check-in due to the large number of scratches in the past. All 200m competitors must return to the clerking tent 20 minutes prior to their race to receive their final heat and lane assignment.**
- **Field Events:** Check in at their event (only competing flights on the infield).
  - **Pole Vaulters:** 60 minutes prior to their section start time or immediately after the completion of the proceeding section
  - **High Jumpers:** 45 minutes prior to their section start time or immediately after the completion of the proceeding section
  - **Throwers & Horizontal Jumpers:** 30 minutes prior to their flights start time or immediately after the proceeding flight concludes

## IMPLEMENTATION CERTIFICATION

- Friday's Open hammers and Discs must be certified 60min prior to your flight's start time at the Citrus Throwing Field.
- **ALL** multi-event implements must be certified prior to the start of their Day 1 first event.
- Saturday throwing event open shots and javelins will be certified at APU on the infield near the timing tent. Must be completed by noon or 60min prior to your event start.

## LIVE STREAMING [ FLOTRACK ]



- As in years past the Bryan Clay Invite will be live streamed through Flotrack who we are excited to have a continued partnership with. Flotrack Subscription Required.
- Live streaming can be found via: **FLOTRACK.ORG**

## WORLD ATHLETIC & USATF CHAMPIONSHIPS QUALIFYING [NEW]



- New **World Athletics and USA Track & Field policies** require that for marks to qualify for their championships, they must come from competitions sanctioned through World Athletics / USATF and must abide by their rulebook.
- While **this meet will be conducted under NCAA rules**, it is also sanctioned by World Athletics and USATF.
- Results will be reported both to TFRRS (the NCAA results reporting system) and to World Athletics / USATF, with notations of any rule violations from the World Athletics rulebook.
- The three areas in which NCAA rules and World Athletics/USATF rules differ, where result notations (disqualifications) may be submitted to World Athletics are:
  1. Video Review at Horizontal Jumps: World Athletics requires video review at the takeoff board at the horizontal jumps. As we have done in years past, video review will be available at the horizontal jumps for officiating review.
  2. Lane Violations: World Athletics / USATF and NCAA rules differ in number of steps permitted on or over the lane line. An athlete could potentially be disqualified by World Athletics / USATF rules but not NCAA rules. Results will be submitted to each organization accordingly.
  3. Footwear: World Athletics / USATF requires that all shoes be in compliance with their approved shoe list (<https://www.worldathletics.org/about-iaaf/documents/technical-information>). Shoes will be randomly checked for compliance at clerking and field event check in. Those athletes not in compliance with the approved shoe list will be noted and result will be disqualified from World Athletics / USATF. Once again, an athlete could potentially be disqualified by World Athletics / USATF rules but not NCAA rules. Results will be submitted to each organization accordingly.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- **Admissions:** \$10 for spectators / day. Students are free **WITH** student ID.
- **Team Camps:** Permitted in the stadium or in the small parking lot easy of the track on all 3 days. Limited space for team camps will also be available on the edge of Dillon Rec Field, adjacent to the track.
- Locker Room and shower use can be made available for college teams upon request.
- Due to safety and field limitations at Azusa Pacific, the **Hammer and Open Discus competitions will be held at Citrus College** on the throwing field next to the Citrus Football Stadium.

# BRYAN CLAY INVITATIONAL MAP

