

2017 GREAT AMERICAN CONFERENCE

Men's and Women's Track & Field Championships



- Host:** Harding University, Searcy, AR (50 minutes north of Little Rock, AR)
- Date:** April 20-22, 2017
- Location:** Ted Lloyd Track on the campus of Harding University
- Entries:** All entries will be handled through DA. Accepted marks from TFRRS 2017 Outdoor only. If the athlete does not have a time then they will be entered as NT or NM.
- Timing:** BW Sports Timing; Clermont, FL (Brian) (352) 403-8116
- Entry Fee:** \$150.00 per gender. Make checks payable to Harding University.
- Declarations:** Entry deadlines, final declarations and scratches due Tuesday, April 18 at 6:00 PM. No scratches accepted after deadline unless pulling from the meet or according to honest effort rule with physician excuse.
- Final Heat Sheets:** Available at 12:00 PM, Wednesday, April 19
- Coaches Meeting:** The meeting will be held at the GAC Athletic Center on the campus of Harding University on Friday, April 21 at 2:00 PM.
- Check-in:** Athletes may pick up hip numbers at the tent located by the Athletic Trainers tent outside of the track on SW corner. Athletes will check-in for the races at the starting line or field area.
- Officials:** Coach Randy Heath will be the Meet Referee again this year.
- Relay Cards:** Relay cards are to be turned in to tent 30 minutes prior to the race.
- Honest Effort Rule:** Will apply according to the NCAA Track & Field rule book.
- Weigh-In:** Weights and measurements will located at the tent.
Thursday: 12:00 – 1:00 PM
Friday: 2:00 – 3:00 PM
Saturday: 8:30 – 10:00 AM

- Infield rules:** No warm-ups are to be done on Football Field. Must be done outside of the track. Absolutely no one inside the area that is flagged off. My AD will kill me.
- Athletic Trainers:** The Harding athletics training room will be available. Harding Athletic Trainers will be available at the track on competition days. There will be a physician at the meet, as well as an emergency crew.
- Locker rooms:** Located in GAC Athletic Center. Must provide own towels.
- Meet Info / Results:** Will be posted at the stadium and will be available through the Harding Sports Information Office and online at www.hardingsports.com and immediately following the meet.
Contact Scott Goode at 501-279-4363 or sgoode@harding.edu
- Hospitality Room:** Will be available for officials and coaches throughout the meet.
- Awards:** Top 3 in each event will be presented on the awards stand immediately after their events. Team Trophies will be presented at conclusion of the meet.

Hotels near Harding University

America's Best Value Inn

107 Rand Dr.
Searcy, AR
501-279-9100
[View Website](#)



Best Western Plus Searcy Inn

501 Willow Street
Searcy, AR
Contact: Cookie Desai
5012799191 | bwsearcy@gmail.com
Open: 24 hrs
[View Website](#)



Cedar Hollow Bed & Breakfast

393 Bloodworth Rd.
Searcy, AR
501-305-4999
[View Website](#)



Comfort Suites

209 S. Poplar St.
Searcy, AR
501-278-9922
[View Website](#)



Days Inn

3109 E. Race Ave.
Searcy, AR
501-268-6171
[View Website](#)



Econo Lodge Inn & Suites Searcy

120 North Rand Drive
Searcy, AR
Contact: Gary Patel
501-279-
1200 | econolodgesearcy@yahoo.com
Open: 24 hours
[View Website](#)



Hampton Inn

3204 East Race Ave.
Searcy, Arkansas
Contact: Cindy Roberson
501-268-
0654 | donna.barrett@hilton.com



Open: 24 Hour
[View Website](#)

Heritage Inn at Harding University

907 E. Market Ave.
Searcy, AR
Contact: Vickie Walton
501-279-
4700 | vwalton@harding.edu
Open: Front desk open 6:00 AM -
11:00 PM
[View Website](#)



Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites

3660 Ferren Trail
Searcy, AR
501-279-9991
[View Website](#)



Knights Inn & Suites Searcy

3211 East Race St
Searcy, AR
Contact: GARY PATEL
501-268-
9900 | KNIGHTSINNSEARC@att.net
Open: 24 HOURS
[View Website](#)



La Quinta Inn & Suites

504 N. Poplar St
Searcy, AR
501-278-4200
[View Website](#)



M STAR HOTEL

2203 E. RACE AVE
SEARCY, ARKANSAS
Contact: MANISH PATEL
501-268-
3511 | MSTAR@SEARCYLODGING.COM
Open: 24HRS
[View Website](#)



Microtel Inn & Suites

3668 Ferren Trail
Searcy, AR
501-268-1555
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Whilma's Filipino Restaurant

4.3 (16) · Filipino

701 E Race Ave

Casual · Locals · Takeout

Rock House

4.2 (45) · \$\$ · American

Familiar American plates served in sizable, laid-back surrounds accented with music memorabilia.

1301 E Beebe Capps Expy

Great dessert · Casual · Locals

Casa Brava

4.2 (45) · Mexican

1801 E Beebe Capps Expy

Great dessert · Casual · Locals

Sushi Cafe

4.2 (23) · \$\$ · Japanese

Creative maki & other Japanese eats served in a comfortable space with booths & sushi bar seating.

2039 E Race Ave

Casual · Locals · Vegetarian options

New China

3.5 (26) · \$ · Chinese

2625 E Race Ave

All you can eat · Casual · Locals

Mi Pueblito Mexican Restaurant

4.0 (29) · \$\$ · Mexican

1512 E Race Ave

Casual · Locals · Vegetarian options

Los Montano's Mexican Restaurant

3.9 (32) · Mexican

3109 E Race Ave

Usually a wait · Casual · Locals

San Diego Mexican Restaurant

4.3 (31) · Mexican

1610 W Beebe Capps Expy

Cozy · Casual · Locals

The Warehouse

4.3 (14) · Mexican

1805 E Race Ave

Casual · Locals · Takeout

Colton's Steak House & Grill

3.8 (31) · \$\$ · Steak

Easygoing steakhouse chain with a Wild West theme, offering complimentary peanuts.

3002 E Race Ave

Great dessert · Casual · Locals

Whistlestop BBQ

4.1 (29) · Barbecue

2315 W Beebe Capps Expy

Great dessert · Casual · Locals

Brick Oven Pizza Co of Searcy

3.5 (24) · Pizza

1400 W Beebe Capps Expy

Casual · Locals · Takeout

Zaxby's Chicken Fingers & Buffalo Wings

3.5 (10) · \$ · Chicken

Chain eatery serving up fried chicken fingers, wings, sandwiches & other American comfort eats.

1303 E Beebe Capps Expy

Casual · Locals · Vegetarian options

Murdock's Catfish

3.9 (14) · Restaurant

2600 E Race Ave

Casual · Locals · Takeout

Dickey's Barbecue Pit

4.0 (14) · \$ · Barbecue

BBQ chain eatery featuring house-smoked meats, stuffed baked potatoes & classic sides.

407 S Main St

Casual · Locals · Takeout

Pizza Hut

Beebe Capps Hwy.

FAST FOOD RESTAURANTS

Arby's

3.3 (13) · \$ · Fast Food

Fast-food chain, known for its roast beef, serving up hot & cold sandwiches, fries & shakes.

Searcy, AR

Drive-through · Casual · Takeout

McDonald's

2.9 (33) · \$ · Fast Food

Classic, long-running fast-food chain known for its burgers, fries & shakes.

Searcy, AR

Drive-through · Casual · Takeout

Zaxby's Chicken Fingers & Buffalo Wings

3.5 (10) · \$ · Chicken

Chain eatery serving up fried chicken fingers, wings, sandwiches & other American comfort eats.

Searcy, AR

Casual · Locals · Vegetarian options

Popeyes Louisiana Kitchen

3.5 (15) · \$ · Chicken

Louisiana-accented fast-food chain known for its spicy fried chicken, biscuits & sides.

Searcy, AR

Casual · Locals · Takeout

Wendy's

2.9 (17) · \$ · Fast Food

Fast-food burger chain known for its shakes, as well as sides such as chili & baked potatoes.

KFC

2.8 (15) · \$ · Fast Food

Fast-food chain known for its buckets of fried chicken, plus wings & sides.

Searcy, AR

All you can eat · Drive-through · Casual

Captain D's

3.3 (15) · \$ · Seafood

Fast, casual seafood restaurant chain serving fish & seafood dishes, plus sides & desserts.

Searcy, AR

Quiet · Casual · Locals

Chick-fil-A

4.0 (10) · Fast Food

Fast-food chain serving chicken sandwiches, strips & nuggets along with salads & sides.

Searcy, AR

Casual · Healthy options · Takeout

Chick-fil-A

4.9 (40) · Fast Food

Fast-food chain serving chicken sandwiches, strips & nuggets along with salads & sides.

Searcy, AR

Drive-through · Casual · Healthy options

Firehouse Subs

4.0 (10) · \$ · Sandwich
Counter-serve sandwich chain offering made-to-order hot & cold subs, plus a variety of hot sauces

McAlister's Deli
4.0 (15) · \$\$ · American
Easygoing counter-service chain known for its sandwiches, stuffed baked potatoes & sweet tea.
Searcy, AR

Which Wich Superior Sandwiches
3.8 (10) · \$ · Sandwich
Modern, casual chain known for design-your-own sandwiches & varied bread options.
Searcy, AR
Casual · Locals · Vegetarian options

Taco Bell
3.7 (10) · \$ · Mexican
Fast-food chain serving Mexican-inspired fare such as tacos, quesadillas & nachos.
Searcy, AR
Casual · Locals · Takeout

Quiznos
3 reviews · \$ · Sandwich
Known for toasted, build-your-own subs, this counter-serve chain also sells soups, salads & more.
Searcy, AR
Casual · Locals · Healthy options

Burger King
3.3 (10) · \$ · Fast Food

Well-known fast-food chain serving grilled burgers, fries & shakes, plus breakfast.
Searcy, AR
Drive-through · Casual · Takeout

Taco Bell
3.2 (22) · \$ · Mexican
Fast-food chain serving Mexican-inspired fare such as tacos, quesadillas & nachos.
Searcy, AR
Casual · Locals · Takeout

Hardee's
3.3 (14) · \$ · Fast Food
Fast-food chain serving fried chicken, big burgers & made-from-scratch breakfast biscuits.
Searcy, AR
Drive-through · Casual · Takeout

Burger King
3.3 (7) · \$ · Fast Food
Well-known fast-food chain serving grilled burgers, fries & shakes, plus breakfast.
Searcy, AR
Drive-through · Casual · Takeout

Subway
2 reviews · \$ · Fast Food
Casual counter-serve chain for build-your-own sandwiches & salads.
Searcy, AR
Quiet · Casual · Locals