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KENT STATE NATIONAL QUALIFIER Saturday, February 10, 2018

Meet Information

- Meet:** Open non-scoring NCAA sanctioned indoor track and field competition for Division I, and invited Division II and Unattached athletes.
- Time:** **Saturday** – Field events begin at 12:00 p.m. Running events begin at 1:00 p.m.
See meet schedule for more information.
- Timing:** Fully automatic FinishLynx system
- Location:** Kent State University Field House, Summit Street & Route 261, Kent, Ohio
- Facility:** Originally an \$8.8 million state of the art facility, the field house underwent an extensive renovation during the summer of 2008. It contains a six lane 292-meter Mondotrack FTX surface track with eight lane straightaway, dual long jump pits which includes a **new elevated long-jump and triple jump runway and landing pit**, dual high jump pits, dual pole vault pits, and throwing areas including a **new Thunder dome throwing cage**. In the spring of 2014, an additional \$4 million went into the field house and saw locker rooms put in for the Men's and Women's Track Team, Field Hockey, Soccer and Softball.
- Entries:** Entries are due by Tuesday, February 6, 2018, consisting of event entries with best marks from the previous year or realistic projected marks. All entries will be done on-line at www.directathletics.com. Please visit the Direct Athletics website at your earliest convenience in order to familiarize yourself with how the entry process works.
****Note: Please check www.kentstatesports.com after the entry deadline for changes or adjustments to the meet time schedule!**
- Internet Entry Lists:** Final entry lists will be posted on our website, www.kentstatesports.com, on Wednesday night, February 7. Please check to make sure your athletes are entered correctly. If there are mistakes or scratches, please email Josh.Klein@deltatiming.com.
- Entry Fees:** **\$350** per team (men or women), consisting of 14 or more individuals in unlimited events
\$650 for a combined program, consisting of 14 or more individuals in unlimited events on each team
\$30 per individual, if 13 or fewer athletes competing
- **TEAMS** pay in the traditional manner by bringing a check, made payable to Kent State University Athletics, or cash the day of the competition.
 - **INDIVIDUALS** will now have the option to pay online with a credit card at the time of entry or pay with cash or check as described above. If you choose to pay by credit card, please be aware there will be a minimum of \$2.00 for processing/transaction fee assessed to your payment.
- Spikes:** ONLY 1/4 inch or shorter pyramid spikes will be allowed. All spikes will be checked prior to events. No pin or needle spikes, spike elements, or any other type of spike will be allowed.
- Sections/Heats/Flights:** Flights will be seeded by distance with best marks in the latest sections/flights. Finals in field events will consist of the top nine marks from the qualifying rounds.
- The 200m up to 3,000m will have both unseeded and invitational sections. Invitational sections will include the top 10 entries in the 200m and 400m, top 12 entries in the 800m and 1 Mile, and the top 15 entries in the 3,000m. The remainder of entries will compete as unseeded sections against time with the fastest heats being run first.

Implement Weigh-In: 30 minutes prior to event at event site.

Changing Rooms, Showers, Team Areas: Available at KSU Field House, please bring your own towels. Kent State University assumes no liability for lost or stolen items.

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