Meet Information

Meet: Open non-scoring NCAA sanctioned indoor track and field competition.

Time: **Saturday** – Field events and running events begin at 11:00 a.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 Monodotrack 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, 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 Teams, Field Hockey, Soccer and Softball.

Entries: Entries are due by Tuesday, February 12, 2019 at 9pm, consisting of event entries with best marks from the previous year or realistic projected marks. All entries will be done online at [www.directathletics.com](http://www.directathletics.com). Please visit the Direct Athletics website at your earliest convenience in order to familiarize yourself with how the entry process works. You are allowed up to 5 entries per event. There is no limit on relays. Should you wish to enter additional entries over 5, please email Josh.Klein@deltatiming.com.

**Note: Please check [www.kentstatesports.com](http://www.kentstatesports.com) after the entry deadline for changes or adjustments to the meet time schedule!**

Entry Limitations: Due to time limitations, we have been required to put restrictions on the horizontal jumps. Please adhere to the following entry limitations:

- Men LJ: 21' (6.40m)  
- Women LJ: 16' (4.87m)
- Men TJ: 42' (12.80m)  
- Women TJ: 32' (9.75m)
- Men PV: 12' (3.65m)  
- Women PV: 8' (2.43m)

Internet Entry Lists: Final entry lists will be posted on our website, [www.kentstatesports.com](http://www.kentstatesports.com), on Thursday night, February 14. Please check to make sure your athletes are entered correctly. If there are mistakes or scratches, please email Josh.Klein@deltatiming.com.

Entry Fees: $275 per team (men or women) consisting of 17 or more individuals in unlimited events  
$500 for a combined program consisting of 17 or more individuals in unlimited events on each team  
$15 per individual, if 16 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. Please note that due to possible entry sizes, meet management reserves the rights to implement minimum marks for the throws and horizontal jumps. Those marks will be conveyed on the heat sheets.

The only finals on the track will be the 60m and 60m hurdles, with the advancement being heat winners plus the next X times, to fill all 8 lanes.

All other races will be run as sections against time with the fastest heats being run first.

In the 60m Dash and 60m Hurdles, if the field sizes are too large there will be a qualifying round, per NCAA rules. Those athletes that qualify out of the qualifying round will advance to the semis and the finals.

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.

Restrictions: Any coach or athlete that disposes of gum on the track or turf is subject to immediate removal from the facility, per discretion of meet management.

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