

Clemson Opener

December 8th, 2023
Clemson University Indoor Track



Entry Information:

- **Entry Process:** www.directathletics.com
- **Entry Deadline:** Tuesday December 5th, 2023 at Noon

Payment Process:

- **Team Entry Fee:** \$1000 per Gender
 - **Men** <https://am.ticketmaster.com/clemson/23menstrack>
 - **Women** <https://am.ticketmaster.com/clemson/23womenstrack>
- **Individual Entry Fee:** \$50 per Person Entered
 - **Men** <https://am.ticketmaster.com/clemson/23menstrack>
 - **Women** <https://am.ticketmaster.com/clemson/23womenstrack>
- We will only accept **Credit Card** payments - **NO CASH NO Checks**
- **PAYMENT DUE December 7th**

Unattached Athletes & Spectators

- **NO HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETES.**
- **UNATTACHED ATHLETES** will be allowed at the discretion of Mark Elliott. For all inquiries, please contact Pete Charles pcharle@clemson.edu or 917-348-4473
- **SPECTATORS** will be allowed.

Packet Pick Up & Information:

Thursday, Dec 7th from 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm

Friday, Dec 8th from 9:00 am – 11:00 am

*Packets with wristbands can be picked up at the clerking tent located at the outdoor track.

Results:

All results available on Flash Results <https://flashresults.com/>

Team Tents:

- No tents allowed for this meet.
- There will be no team camps allowed in the indoor track.
- Team meals need to be delivered to at the outdoor track.
- **Delivery Address- 359 Track Drive Clemson, SC 29631**

Restroom Facilities:

- Porta-potty's will be located at the outdoor track.

Spike Information:

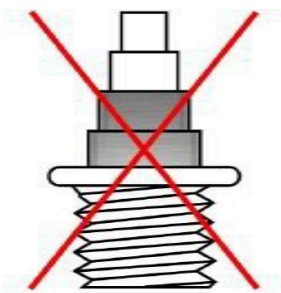
Athletes will NOT compete if they do not comply with these rules:

Please pay close attention to what is the correct spike size.

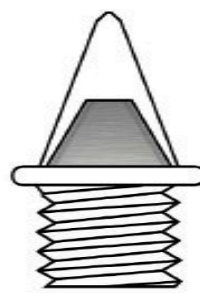
¼" Pyramid Spikes ONLY – this will be strictly enforced.

No permanent spike shoes allowed.

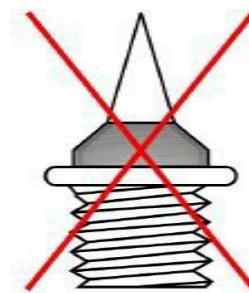
- All spikes must be checked and zip tied at the Spike check in tent and at check-in for your event.
- Spikes will be checked for the appropriate zip tie color to be allowed into the Clerking Area.
- Anyone with the wrong spikes will be disqualified from the meet and puts your team in jeopardy for returning for the future.



**NO
Christmas
Tree Spike
Pins**



**1/4"
Pyramid
"Cone Shape"
Only**



**NO
Needle
Spike
Pins**

Practice Times:

Thursday, Dec 7th from 6:00-8:00pm -indoor track.

Bus/Team Parking:

- Parking for team busses and vans will be in the Jervey parking lot.
- Drop off only at indoor track- no sitting and waiting.

Warm-up Procedure:

- All warm ups will need to take place on the Outdoor Track.
- Final warmups will be indoors before competition.

Athlete Check In:

- Check in for Running and Field events will be at the Outdoor Track.
- Athletes must have their spikes checked prior to event check in.

Track Athlete Check In:

- Athletes must check in **at least 30 minutes prior to the event.**
- Athletes not checked in by this time will be scratched from the event.
- Athletes must be in the outdoor clerking area 15 minutes prior to the scheduled start time where they will be escorted into the Indoor Track.
- Once inside, athletes will be taken to the **Final Check in area** where they will be able to take off their warm ups and change into their spikes.
- Athletes are required to leave the competition area after the at the conclusion of their heat.

Field Athlete Check In:

- Field Athletes must check in outside **at least 60 minutes prior to the event.**
- Pole Vault must check in outside **at least 120 minutes prior to the event.**
- Athletes not checked in by these times will be scratched from the event.
- Athletes will then be given a report back time where they then will be escorted to their competition area.
- Athletes are required to leave the competition area after the at the conclusion of their flight.

Coaches:

- Coaches will be able to coach from any area on the outside of the track. There will be coach boxes for long jump and triple jump on the infield.

Medical Facilities:

- There will be NO medical set up allowed on the Indoor Track, however, trainers will be allowed to go in the Indoor Facility while their athletes are competing.
- Water will be provided and set up near start/finish line. NO sports drinks allowed on the infield.
- For questions please contact Dayshia Davenport ATC, (504) 616-1783 or dayshid@clermson.edu

Dressing Room / Shower Facilities:

There are no dressing room / shower facilities available to teams. Please plan accordingly.

Running Events:

- There will be Prelims in the 60m Hurdles and the 60m Dash.
- Preferred lanes: (Straightaway) 4-5-3-6-2-7-1-8 (Oval) 5-6-4-3-2-1.
- All other running events will be run in sections based on time.
- Heats will be seeded according to submitted times on directathletics.com.
- These entries will be checked on TFRRS to verify marks.
- The fastest sections will be run first. Meet management reserves the right to adjust heats as necessary.

Field Events:

***Minimum marks will be determined after entries.**

- There will be Prelims & Finals in the horizontal jumps & throwing events.
- Each athlete will get 3 attempts in the preliminary rounds, with the top 9 advancing to the finals.
- They will receive 3 additional attempts in the final.

Pole Vault Pole Drop Off:

- Poles can be dropped off after event check in.

Implement Weigh-In:

- The weigh-in area is on the South side doors by the throws area.
- Two hours before event check in.

Hotel Information:

FAIRFIELD INN & SUITES BY MARRIOTT

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ANDERSON, SC 29621

864-332-9000

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For questions please contact Vicky Pounds: (406) 830– 5208 or vpounds@Clemson.edu

Please continue to check Clemson Track and Field website for any updates in meet information and final schedules.

<http://clemson.tigers.com/home-meets/>

