

# Clemson Opener

December 8th, 2023  
Clemson University Indoor Track



## Entry Information:

- **Entry Process:** [www.directathletics.com](http://www.directathletics.com)
- **Entry Deadline:** Tuesday December 5<sup>th</sup>, 2023 at Noon

## Payment Process:

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

## 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](mailto:pcharle@clemson.edu) or 917-348-4473
- **SPECTATORS** will be allowed.

## Packet Pick Up & Information:

Thursday, Dec 7<sup>th</sup> from 5:00 pm – 7:00 pm

Friday, Dec 8<sup>th</sup> 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:**

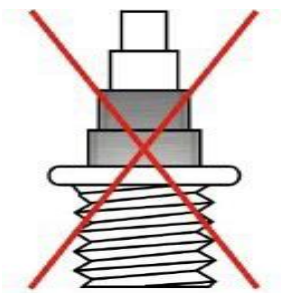
Athletes will NOT compete if they do not comply with these rules:

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 7<sup>th</sup> 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](mailto: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](http://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:**

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ANDERSON, SC 29621

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Please continue to check [Clemson Track and Field website](http://Clemson Track and Field website) for any updates in meet information and final schedules.

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

