# **Clemson Opener**

December 5th, 2025 Clemson University Indoor Track



### **Entry Information:**

- Entry Process: www.directathletics.com
- Entry Deadline: Tuesday December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2025 at Noon

### **Payment Process:**

- Team Entry Fee: \$1500 per Gender
  - o Men https://am.ticketmaster.com/clemson/buy/2526tf
  - o Women- https://am.ticketmaster.com/clemson/buy/2526tf
- Individual Entry Fee: \$100 per Person Entered
  - o Men https://am.ticketmaster.com/clemson/buy/2526tf
- Women <a href="https://am.ticketmaster.com/clemson/buy/2526tf">https://am.ticketmaster.com/clemson/buy/2526tf</a>We will only accept Credit Card payments NO CASH NO Checks
- PAYMENT DUE December 5<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 <a href="mailto:pcharle@clemson.edu">pcharle@clemson.edu</a> or 917-348-4473
- **SPECTATORS** will be allowed.

### Packet Pick Up & Information:

Thursday, Dec 4<sup>th</sup> from 5:30 pm – 7:30 pm indoor track.

Friday, Dec 5<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/Snacks**

- 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.

1/4" 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.



#### 2025-2026 Shoe Certification Check

Coaches and athletes, prior to arriving to a meet, please make sure that your competition footwear is legal and in accordance with new NCAA rules. You can see the full list

here: https://certcheck.worldathletics.org/FullList

In accordance with rules, we will be randomly checking 10% of all shoes at our home meets to ensure all are legal.

#### **Practice Times:**

Thursday, Dec 4<sup>th</sup> from 5:30-7:30pm -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@clemson.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 based on entries.
- 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 in the 200 & 400 and slow to fast in all other timed final events. Meet management reserves the right to adjust heats as necessary.

### **Field Events:**

- There will be Prelims & Finals in the horizontal jumps & throwing events based on entries.
- 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.

### **Entries Per Event:**

- Based on the number of teams attending, we will have to limit some of the running events to **3 entries** per team for running events and **2 entries** per team for field events.
- We will try to accommodate additional entries based on the total number of entries.

### **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.

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.

# **Hotel Information:**

Coming Soon!

### **Meal Delivery Options (Track or Hotel):**

313 Café Breakfast/Lunch/Dinner (Individually boxed or Buffet) Leslie 864-710-8500 (Texting is best)

Chick-fil-A of Clemson 864-654-4655 (Location #) Christy Sheriff- Catering Coordinator 864-723-0378-Cell

Jersey Mikes of Clemson 864-654-6544 (Location #) Matthew Deserio- Catering contact 610-996-1670 Deserio31@gmail.com

Your Pie Pizza (Clemson Dockside) 864-642-6888 Doug Zirbel- Owner 864-873-8278 dzirbel@yourpie.com