



Registration

Registration Information

1 Read Handbook and Sports Entry Packet

All information within the Handbook is subject to change without prior notice. It is the responsibility of the coach/athlete to verify all information upon check-in at Ford Field or Eastern Michigan University.

2 Secure/Update AAU Membership

All athletes and coaches must be 2003 AAU members and present their AAU membership card during on-site registration. Register as an AAU athlete/coach and secure your AAU membership prior to arriving in Detroit by contacting your local AAU Association at 1-800-AAU-4USA (1-800-228-4872) or register on-line at www.aasports.org.

3 Complete All Forms

Fill out the applicable athlete and coach entry forms enclosed in the entry packet. Be sure to fill out all entry forms completely and legibly. Include your AAU membership number and an e-mail address in all entry information. Make sure all signature requests are signed. NOTE: Not entering the required information will delay the processing of your entry as well as the on-site check-in procedure.

4 Sign Athlete Waiver

Each athlete or parent/guardian (if athlete is under 18 years of age) must complete and sign the Athlete Waiver/Release Form included in the entry packet.

5 Submit Payment

Submit a cashier's check or money order for your entry fee made payable to: 2003 AAU Junior Olympic Games. Personal checks will NOT be accepted.

6 Mail Packet

It is suggested that some form of delivery with confirmation is used to assure your packet arrives on time. Mail completed entry packets to:

**2003 AAU Junior Olympic Games
Detroit Metro Sports Commission
211 W. Fort Street, Suite 1000, Detroit, MI 48226**

Note: The Host Committee has spent many hours planning and preparing for this AAU Junior Olympic Games. In order to make it a great success we are asking for your cooperation. It is the responsibility of the coach or designated person of the team entering the National Championship to submit all the necessary monies and completed forms BEFORE your sport deadline. It is not the responsibility of the Local Host or the AAU to make sure all are completed, **ONLY TO ACCEPT OR REJECT A TEAM OR INDIVIDUAL BASED ON DOCUMENTS SUBMITTED.**

**OVERNIGHT SERVICE (AIRBORNE, FED-EX, UPS)
IS STRONGLY RECOMMENDED TO
SUBMIT ENTRY PACKETS.**

On-Site Check-In

Ford Field

(all events except Track & Field, Multi-Events, Swimming and Field Hockey)

On-site check-in for all events except Track & Field, Multi-Events, Swimming and Field Hockey is located at Ford Field in Downtown Detroit. There is ample parking a short walk from Ford Field, but many spaces will require a parking fee.

Alternatively, the Detroit People Mover can place fans very close to Ford Field. With 13 stops throughout downtown Detroit, Ford Field patrons can find a station conveniently located near almost any parking facility. The People Mover's nearest stops to Ford Field are: Greektown, Broadway and Grand Circus Stations. The People Mover fare is \$.50. For more information about the Detroit People Mover, call 1-800-541-RAIL or 313-224-2160 or visit them online at www.thepeople-mover.com. A map of the downtown area, including the Ford Field vicinity and the People Mover route, can be found on page 12.



Eastern Michigan University

(Track & Field, Multi-Events, Swimming and Field Hockey ONLY)

On-site check-in for Track & Field, Multi-Events, Swimming and Field Hockey will take place at Eastern Michigan University's Convocation Center in Ypsilanti. There is ample parking located at the stadium and surrounding areas. Keep in mind there may be a parking charge to park on-campus at EMU and visitors should obey all on-campus parking regulations. Directions to the Convocation Center can be found on page 14.

Please make sure to check-in at the appropriate venue. You will not be able to choose which venue to check-in at.