



AAU INDOOR NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP March 6 – March 8, 2026

- WHERE:** Virginia Beach Sports Center
1045 19th Street, Virginia Beach, VA 23451
- SANCTIONED BY:** Amateur Athletic Union (AAU)
- HOST:** AAU Track & Field Executive Committee
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- ELIGIBILITY:** This meet is open to any athlete who falls within the age divisions listed below. AAU individual and club memberships can be obtained through the AAU National Website www.aausports.org. Each athlete aged **13-18 years** may enter in up to a **maximum of 4 events, including relays**. Athletes aged **12 and younger**, based on year of birth below, may only enter in **3 events, including relays**. *If an athlete is entered into too many events, meet management reserves the right to reject the athlete from one or more events without notification.*
- AGE DIVISIONS:** Age divisions are determined by year of birth. Listed below are the AAU Age Divisions.
- 5 & 6 Under Girls/Boys (Born 2020 and later) Maximum 3 Events including relays
 - 7 & 8 Girls/Boys (Born 2018 and 2019) Maximum 3 Events including relays
 - 9-Year-Old Girls/Boys (Born 2017) Maximum 3 Events including relays
 - 10-Year-Old Girls/Boys (Born 2016) Maximum 3 Events including relays
 - 11-Year-Old Girls/Boys (Born 2015) Maximum 3 Events including relays
 - 12 year 12-year-old girls/Boys (Born 2014) Maximum 3 Events including relays
 - 13 Year Old Girls/Boys (Born 2013) Maximum 4 Events including relays
 - 14 Year Old Girls/Boys (Born 2012) Maximum 4 Events including relays
 - 15-16 Year Old Girls/Boys (Born 2010-2011) Maximum 4 Events including relays
 - 17-18 Year Old Girls/Boys (Born 2008-2009) Maximum 4 Events including relays
- *Athletes who are still eighteen (18) years of age through the final day (March 8th) of the AAU Indoor National Track & Field Championship shall be eligible to compete in the 17-18 year old division.**
- MEET ENTRY FEE:** Entry fee is **\$40.00** for each **athlete** for **Track & Field events**. All members of relay teams, including alternates, who have not entered an individual event, must pay a **\$40.00** entry fee. **ALL FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE AND NON-TRANSFERABLE. ALL ENTRY FEES MUST BE PAID ONLINE.** Entry will not be processed unless the entry fee is paid by the deadline. All major credit cards are accepted online. **Bring a legible copy of a birth certificate or proof of age, along with a 2026 AAU membership card for each athlete entered if there is a protest; Do not send in advance. All entry fees must be paid online.**
- ENTRY PROCESS:** All teams and unattached athletes must utilize the online entry process via www.athletic.net. This will permit a very efficient registration process that is easy to use. Everyone will have until 11:59 pm CST, **Saturday, February 28, 2026**, unless the registration reaches the **capacity of 3000 athletes**, to complete registration. Immediately after registering online, you will receive a receipt from the website, which will produce a list of all athletes registered for the meet. This receipt should be used as your transcript of your meet entries. If your athletes do not appear on the confirmation, they are not registered for the meet. Please take care of these issues prior to arriving in Virginia Beach, VA, if at all possible. ***Absolutely no entries will be accepted after February 28, 2026, or once the entry capacity is 3000 paid athletes.***

- DEADLINE DATE:** ONLINE REGISTRATION ONLY: WWW.ATHLETIC.NET. REGISTRATION WILL BE OPEN UNTIL February 28, 2026, OR ONCE 3000 ATHLETES ARE PAID FOR REGISTRATIONS.
- PACKET PICKUP:** **THURSDAY, MARCH 5, 2026, 6:00 PM – 8:00 PM – PACKETS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE TRACK (Virginia Beach Sports Center).** A packet will be provided for each team, consisting of the team roster and events entered. A team representative will be responsible for picking up the packets. All teams are urged to pick up packets on Friday, as the lines on Saturday can be long.
- FRIDAY, MARCH 6TH & SATURDAY, MARCH 7TH 7:00 AM-4:00 PM and SUNDAY, MARCH 8TH 7:00 AM-1:00 PM - PACKETS CAN BE PICKED UP AT THE TRACK FACILITY (Virginia Beach Sports Center).**
- AWARDS:** In individual and relay events, awards will be presented for participants who finish in 1st – 8th place.
- ADMISSION:** There will be Pre-Sale Tickets for \$15.00 that can be purchased through the Virginia Beach Sports Complex ticket link. **The ticket link will go live closer to the date.** On-site gate fee charge per person per day is \$20.00, purchased with a Credit Card Only. **NO CASH WILL BE ACCEPTED FOR TICKET PURCHASES.**
- All Children 4 and under will be admitted free. All Registered athletes with a 2026 AAU Card and Competition Number will also be admitted free. Athletes will be issued a wristband. **If the athlete's band is lost or damaged, a replacement wristband can be purchased for \$10.00.**
- COACH'S CREDENTIALS:** Below is the Coach's Credential Formula:
- | Coaches Credential Formula | |
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| 1 – 3 Athlete(s) | No Complimentary Coaches Credential |
| 4 Athletes | One (1) Complimentary Coaches pass per club |
| 5-20 Athletes | Two (2) Complimentary Coaches passes per club |
| 21-30 Athletes | Three (3) Complimentary Coaches passes per club |
| 31-40 Athletes | Four (4) Complimentary Coaches passes per club |
| 41+ Athletes | Five (5) Complimentary Coaches passes per club |
- Coaches will receive **one free pass for 4 athletes, two free passes for 5 to 20 athletes, 3 free passes for 21 to 30 athletes, 4 free passes for 31 to 40 athletes, and 5 free passes for 41 or more athletes.**
- Only one coach's pass for an unattached athlete can be purchased for \$15.00 at the time of packet pickup.**
- FACILITY:** Virginia Beach Sports Center Indoor track facility contains a 200-meter, hydraulically banked track, 8-lane straightaway, as well as providing 6 lanes around the oval. **Only 1/4" or smaller pyramid spikes are allowed.** Fully Automatic Timing & results will be done using Finish Lynx Cameras interfaced with Hy-Tek Meet Manager. No radios, glass containers, or alcoholic beverages are allowed in the facility.
- REFRESHMENTS:** A Full full-service concession Stand will be provided, as well as a hospitality area for officials. **ONLY SMALL COOLERS ARE ALLOWED IN THE STADIUM.**
- RESULTS:** Results will be posted online at www.athletic.net.
- COMPETITOR BIB NUMBERS:** Competitor bib numbers will be issued at athlete check-in. All athletes will be required to wear their bib numbers on the front of your competition singlet at all times of competition. **There is a ten-dollar (\$10.00) replacement fee for lost bib numbers and wristbands.** Replacement bib numbers can be purchased at the clerking area.
- IMPLEMENTS:** Athletes may bring their own implements to use during competition.

PROTESTS:

Protests concerning the status or eligibility of any competitor must be made to the AAU Age Verification Committee prior to the commencement of the meet or to the Referee during the meet. Prior to the commencement of the meet, or the Referee during the meet. Protests relating to matters which develop during the conduct of the meet must be made to the Referee and be filed at once, but in any case not more than 30 minutes after the result has been announced. **Protests MUST be filed in writing and presented to the Meet Director, accompanied by a cash deposit of \$100.00.** The Referee shall consider all available official evidence. When the Referee renders his/her decision, there is still the right of appeal to the Jury of Appeals. The jury's decision is final. If the protest is denied, the cash deposit will be forfeited. **PROTESTS CONCERNING JUDGMENT CALLS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.**

AIR TRAVEL:

Norfolk International Airport is approximately 20 minutes away from Virginia Beach, VA.

HOST

RESERVATIONS:

[AAU National Indoor Championship - JEMS Sports \(jemshospitality.com\)](http://jemshospitality.com)

Please be sure to indicate that you are participating in the AAU Indoor National Track & Field Championship. Rooms must be reserved by **Thursday, February 19, 2026**, to ensure you get the best rate.