



2021 AAU CLUB CHAMPIONSHIPS

Satellite Beach High School 300 Scorpion Ct., Satellite Beach, FL 32937



"LAST CHANCE TO QUALIFY FOR THE AAU JUNIOR OLYMPIC GAMES!

IMPORTANT INFO

Event Schedule:

- o July 13, 2021 Packet Pick Up
- July 14 17, 2021 Track & Field Competition
 (WEDNESDAY SATURDAY) MEET ENDS SATURDAY
- <u>Events not included:</u> Multi-events, Turbo Javelin, High Jump, Javelin, Triple Jump, Pole Vault, or Steeplechase

> Advancement:

- Top 8 Athletes Advance! This is your <u>LAST CHANCE</u> to Qualify for the 2021 AAU Junior Olympic Games in Humble, TX!
- If an athlete that finishes in the top 8 has already qualified, then the next athlete will be "moved up" as an AAU Junior Olympic Games qualified athlete!
 - This does not apply for Multi-Events or Relays.

➤ COACHES CREDENTIALS:

- All Coaches must have a valid 2021 AAU Non Athlete Membership to receive a Coaches Credential. You must present your membership information at registration to receive a credential.
- Athletes that compete in Primary Nationals & Club Championships will only receive (1) athlete credential that is good for the entire event (July 12 17, 2021).

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SITE: Satellite Beach High School - 300 Scorpion Ct., Satellite Beach, FL 32937

Packet Pick Up/Registration: Satellite Beach United Methodist Church, 450 Lee Ave., Satellite Beach, FL 32937

RATIONALE: The AAU National Club Championships has been designed to place an emphasis on the team aspect of the sport, hence the club/team meet, and to add another National Championship meet to the AAU Track & Field Program. It also provides additional participation opportunities for individual athletes against national caliber competition.

DATES:		
	Tuesday, July 13, 2021	Packet Pick-Up
	Wednesday, July 14, 2021	Track and Field Competition
	Thursday, July 15, 2021	Track and Field Competition
	Friday, July 16, 2021	Track and Field Competition
	Saturday, July 17, 2021	Track and Field Competition
AGE DIVISIONS:	Individuals	8 & Under, 9 Year Olds, 10 Year Olds, 11 Year Olds, 12 Year Olds, 13 Year Olds, 14 Year Olds, 15-16 Year Olds, 17-18 Year Olds
	Relay events:	8 & Under (4x100m ONLY), 9 & 10 Year Olds, 11 & 12 Year Olds, 13 & 14 Year Olds, 15-16 Year Olds, and 17-18 Year Olds

AGE

DETERMINATION: The athlete's year of birth shall determine the age division in which he/she will compete for individual events:

AGE GROUPS	YEAR OF BIRTH
8 & Under*	2013 & After*
9 Year Olds	2012
10 Year Olds	2011
11 Year Olds	2010
12 Year Olds	2009
13 Year Olds	2008
14 Year Olds	2007
15-16 Year Olds	2005 - 2006
17-18 Year Olds**	2003 - 2004**

**Athletes who are still eighteen (18) years of age through the final day of the AAU Junior Olympic Games shall be eligible to compete in the 17-18 Year Olds division.

ONLINE ENTRY: Registration will only be accepted <u>ONLINE CLICK HERE</u> to register for event, only Visa, MasterCard, Discover and American Express accepted. NO EXCEPTIONS!!!....NO REFUNDS!!!

*Due to 2021 restrictions, events can be capped at any time. Please enter and pay as soon as possible. Entries are not accepted until all fees have been paid. *

ENTRY

DEADLINE: Online Entry must be submitted no later than WEDNESDAY, July 7, 11:59 PM EST

The AAU have spent many hours planning and preparing for this event. In order to make it a great success, we are asking for your cooperation. It is the responsibility of the coach, designated administrator of the club, or athlete to make sure all athletes are registered online at <u>www.aautrackandfield.org</u>

ONLINE REG. Once on-line meet entry has been accepted, no changes can be made. Upon completion of the on-line entry process, including the payment of the entry fee, athlete entries are locked and a confirmation e-mail is sent showing all athletes and events entered. Athletes can be added until on-line meet entry is closed, but the entry and roster record of locked athletes cannot be changed. The entry of a locked athlete cannot be removed, nor can the entry of a locked athlete be swapped for another. There will be NO EXCEPTIONS.

The person who enters the athletes on-line assumes full responsibility for the events entered on-line. If an e-mail confirmation of an entry is not received within 24-hours, it is the responsibility of the person entering the athletes to contact the National Office. <u>NO EXCEPTIONS WILL BE ENTERTAINED.</u>

ENTRY FEE: <u>TRACK AND FIELD INDIVIDUAL ENTRY FEE</u>

\$45.00 per athlete regardless of the number of events. VISA, MasterCard, Discover and American Express ACCEPTED THRU ONLINE ENTRY. All athletes shall receive a special commemorative t-shirt for their participation in the event.

RELAY TEAMS

There is no additional entry fee for relay events as long as the following criteria are met:

- 1. All competitors as well as alternates have paid the individual entry fee of \$45.00.
- 2. The relay team represents a current 2021 AAU registered club.
- 3) All competitors must have current AAU memberships.

CLUB/TEAM ENTRY FEE

All clubs/teams will be entered in the club scoring, there is **NO** additional fee. **ALL PARTICIPATING CLUBS/TEAMS MUST BE 2021 AAU CLUB MEMBERS!**

CHECK-IN: All entries must be submitted ONLINE at <u>www.aautrackanfield.org</u>, no later than the *JULY* 7, 2021, 11:59 PM EST deadline dates. NO ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THE DEADLINE!! Of course, we want as many athletes as possible to participate, so please get all entries submitted online ASAP!

On-Site Packet Pick-Up: Packet Pick Up for all athletes and coaches participating in the 2021 AAU National Club Championships will be held at <u>Satellite Beach United Methodist Church, 450 Lee Ave., Satellite Beach, FL 32937</u>

ALL PARTICIPATING ATHLETES/CLUBS SHOULD PLAN ON CHECKING-IN THE DAY BEFORE COMPETITION BEGINS. Upon arrival at the complex, please follow posted signs to the registration area. Paid parking will be available at the venue. ALL ATHLETES AND COACHES MUST CHECK-IN AT THE REGISTRATION CENTER PRIOR TO COMPETITION!

*Hours of operation at the Packet Pick-Up Center will be as follows for the AAU National Club Championships:

Packet Pick-up SCHEDULE			
Day/Date	Open Time	Close Time	
Tuesday, July 13 th	7:00 AM	1:00 PM	
Wednesday, July 14th	7:00 AM	1:00 PM	
Thursday, July 15 th	7:00 AM	12:00 PM	
Friday, July 16th	7:00 AM	12:00 PM	
Saturday, July 17th	7:00 AM	9:00 AM	

<u>NOTE</u>: If your event is one of the first events on any morning and is within two hours of the opening of packet pick-up, it is recommended that you check-in on the day before competition to obtain your packet and race number(s).

PROOF OF AGE:	The same 'Proof of Ag	e' requirement for obtaining an AAU membership card, will be the same requirement
	for entering this meet.	(See required 'Proof of Age', in AAU Athletics Handbook, Part II, Section E).

REPLACEMENTBIBS:Replacement bibs will be sold in the timing trailer for \$10.00 (cash only)

CLUB/TEAM Team scoring will be based on (8) eight places with the following point structure: 10-8-6-5-4-3-2-1. All events will be scored towards the team totals, including the multi-events. Relay points will be awarded to the age groups in which the event was competed.

ELIGIBILITY: Open to any athlete or club/team who holds current AAU Membership. You may register for membership online at <u>www.aausports.org</u>. The annual fee for individual membership is \$14.00 for athletes and \$16.00 for non-athletes. In order for athletes to be physically prepared to compete at the AAU National Club Championships level, it is highly recommended that athletes compete in their local AAU District meet. Go to our website: <u>www.aauatrackandfield.org</u>, for meet information or, contact your local AAU District at 1-800-AAU-4USA or the AAU National Headquarters at: (407) 934-7200 for information about meets in your area.

Individual athletes (Unattached) and Clubs from other organizations are also encouraged to compete in this Championship upon becoming members of the AAU.

AAU MEMBERSHIP: All a

MEMBERSHIP: All athletes and coaches must have 2021 AAU membership, before registering online. For membership information, and to purchase membership online, go to <u>www.aausports.org</u>.

All relay teams and clubs/teams must present current 2021 AAU Club membership when registering for the event online.

COACHES'

EDUCATION: The AAU National Office is happy to announce to its members, FREE Coaches' Education for all **AAU Non-Athletes**. This exciting program is **MANDATORY** for all AAU Non-Athletes and will be administered by **Positive Coaching Alliance (PCA).** Please visit <u>www.aausports.org</u> and click on JOIN NOW in order to enter and take the MANDATORY AAU/PCA coaches educational course. Membership may be revoked from non-athletes who do not complete course prior to competition.

EVENT

LIMITATIONS: All competitors in the 8 & Under, 9 Year Old, 10 Year Old, 11 Year Old and 12 Year Old divisions will be limited, including relays but excluding multi-events. Competitors in the 13 Year Old, 14 Year Old, 15-16 Year Old and 17-18 Year Old divisions will be limited to a total of (4) four events per competitor, including relays.

AWARDS: <u>NATIONAL CLUB CHAMPION AWARD</u> (1) - National championship award will be presented to the club/team with the highest overall point total of all divisions and genders combined.

<u>**CLUB/TEAM AWARDS**</u> (54) - National championship award presented to the 1st through 3rd place clubs/teams in each age division and gender (i.e. "10 Year Old Girls Champion").

INDIVIDUAL ATHLETE AWARDS - National championship medals presented 1st through 8th for each event per age group (including each relay team member). Individual award ceremonies will be conducted at the awards area. Awards for every final event will be presented approximately 30-60 minutes after conclusion of the event.

Team award ceremonies will be conducted immediately following the conclusion of the last event at the track on Saturday, July 17th

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- **CREDENTIALS:** Please note that the credentials issued to athletes and coaches are wristbands. These tickets are required to be used in the turnstiles to gain access to the venue. If an athlete or coach loses their credential, a replacement will be issued at the cost of an LOE ticket.
- **SCHEDULE:** The schedule for this event will be on a "TIME" schedule for each event. Due to the nature of the weather this time of year, the "TIME" schedule will be adjusted when necessary.



QUALIFICATION: The top <u>EIGHT</u> (8) place finishers and relay teams from each event will qualify for the 2021 AAU Junior Olympic Games. Athletes in <u>Track & Field Individual Events ONLY</u> who finish 9th and after <u>CAN MOVE</u> <u>UP</u> if Athletes in the Top 8 have previously qualified at a National Qualifier (This does not apply to Multi-Events or Relays). Athletes who finish 9th and after <u>DO NOT MOVE UP</u> if an athlete who receives a qualifying bid chooses not to attend the AAU Junior Olympic Games. <u>The 60m Hurdles event DOES NOT</u> Advance you to the AAU Junior Olympic Games.

If the athlete decides to compete, he/she must complete all online registration information at www.aautrackandfield.org to participate in the AAU Junior Olympic Games by the deadline of <u>July 20^h, 2021</u> at 11:59 PM EST.

- INT'L ATHLETES: (According to the AAU Athletics Handbook, foreign athletes, provided they are AAU registered members, may participate in AAU sanctioned practice or developmental meets; however, foreign athletes MAY NOT participate in District, Regional, or National Championship meets, except for the AAU National Club Championships, held at the Satellite Beach High School.)
- HOUSING: <u>CLICK HERE FOR MORE INFORMATION</u>
- **PARKING:** Paid parking is available at the venue. Parking on local private property or outside of the designated areas will be subjected to being towed or ticketed.

ADMISSION: Spectator tickets are available at the gate of the venue. Children under the age of six (6) are admitted for free.

1-Day Event Admission:	\$15 per day
Length of Event Admission:	\$45

TRACK & FIELD VENUE INFORMATION

SHOWER & There are no shower or locker room facilities available at the track & field venue. All competitors need to dress at their hotel and arrive at the track ready to compete.

RESTROOM Restroom facilities will be available at the track & field venue. A combination of permanent restroom facilities and port-a-lets will be placed throughout the venue.

- **COMPETITOR** 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. Replacement numbers will be issued for a **fee of \$10.00** at the Timing Trailer.
- **HIP NUMBERS:** Hip numbers will be issued at clerk of the course and will be required for all running event competitors during their event. The clerk of course will indicate which side and location to wear the hip numbers at check-in time.
- **IMPLEMENTS:** The AAU will be supplying implements for use at this event (Except Pole Vault poles). Athletes may bring their own implements to use during competition. However, personal implements will be required to be weighed-in prior to reporting to the event site. Implement weigh-in will occur in a tent near the clerking and warm-up areas of the event. Implements will be impounded and delivered to the event area. Implements will be returned to the athletes after competition.
- **PROTESTS:** Protests concerning the status or eligibility of any competitor must be made to the Games Committee prior to the commencement of the meet or to 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. Written protests at the National level, protests MUST be filed on official protest forms and accompanied by a cash deposit of \$150.00. The National Meet Director will cause the results of each event to be marked with the correct time and date. The Referee shall consider any and all available evidence, except photographic evidence other than official films or official videotapes. When the Referee renders his decision, there is still the right of appeal to the Jury of Appeals, whose decision is final. If the protest is denied, the cash deposit will be forfeited.
- WARM-UP: The warm up area will be located adjacent to the Clerk of Course tent.

COMPETITOR

ATHLETE

- **CHECK-IN:** Track athletes for running events will report to Clerk's tent, up to one hour before start of event. Field event athletes will report to the chief official of that event, no less than thirty minutes before the start of their event. Athletes who fail to report at that time will be subject to the participation guidelines outlined in the AAU Athletics Handbook. It is the athletes, coaches, and parents who are responsible to report on time, not meet management.
- **TENTS:** Tents/Tarps/Umbrellas will not be allowed in the grandstands. Some individual tents will be allowed to be erected in a limited area. However, the tents cannot be staked down, and tent tops must be removed at night or during inclement weather.
- **MEDICAL:** A medical area will be stationed near the finish line of the track and staffed with athletic trainers. (No taping of ankles, except for injuries which occur during meet.)
- **FLUIDS:** Water stations will be located at all event areas, clerking tent, and at the finish areas of the track.
- **WEATHER:** The average high temperature in Satellite Beach during the month of July is in the low 90's with high humidity. Chance of rain in the month of July is high and the following rain protocols will be observed:

- □ In the case of lightning or severe rain, all competition will be halted and all guests will be asked to report to the HP Field House or baseball stadium. The competition will resume if the weather clears or be postponed to the following day (in the case of very severe weather).
- □ In the case of light rain, competition will continue until safety becomes an issue, at which time competition will be halted and the above protocol will be observed.

FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT:

Meet Director

AAU National Staff

Chad Culver c2culver@gmail.com 423-827-4977 Madison Evans <u>mevans@aausports.org</u> 407-828-8326

- □ This event is licensed by the Amateur Athletic Union of the U.S., Inc.
- □ All participants must have a current AAU membership.
- □ AAU membership may not be included as part of the entry fee to the event.
- □ AAU Youth Athlete membership must be obtained before the competition begins.
- BE PREPARED! Adult and Non Athlete memberships are no longer instant and cannot be applied for at event.
- □ Please allow at least 10 days for membership to be processed.
- Participants are encouraged to visit the AAU website <u>www.aausports.org</u> to obtain their membership