# 8<sup>th</sup> Annual Northwest Indiana HSR Qualifying Meet

Date: Saturday March 9th, 2024

Time: 8:30 A.M. (Central Time)

**Location: Portage High School Fieldhouse** 

Cost: \$6 per individual entry; \$24 per relay entry

\$200 team max



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# Northwest Indiana HSR Qualifier - Coaches Information

# Facility and Runways

- 6 lanes, 42" wide. Super Mondo. Spikes permitted.
- Interior Courts all-purpose Mondo. No spikes allowed.

# Meet Registration

- Registration will be on Direct Athletics from February 1<sup>st</sup> March 6<sup>th</sup> at 10 PM.
- Seed marks are required in Direct Athletics for all events.
- Scratches only are accepted on the day of meet. Substitutions are permitted, but NO additions day of meet.

# Entry Fees

- \$6 per Individual event. \$24 per relay. Max \$200 per team. Make checks payable to: Portage Track Booster Club.
- Limit entries to <u>4</u> max individuals per event except Long Jump maximum of 3 entries and <u>1</u> relay per event.
- Bring payment the day of the meet to compete. (Do <u>not</u> pay Direct Athletics.)

# Team Entry & Camps

- Teams should enter through school's front entrance "E" in the center section.
- Busses may park in the lot in front of PHS West Building.
- Changing facilities are NOT available.
- Restrooms are available outside the track in the North East and South West Halls.
- Team camps are not permitted in the fieldhouse.
- Set up team camps in the Freshman Gymnasium down the hallway from the fieldhouse.

# Spectator Entry

- Enter school through entrance "D" on south side of building, or entrance "M" on the north side.
- Enter track through southeast doors door of fieldhouse.
- Limited Spectator seating is available. (Consider bringing a camp chair.)
- Athletes are not permitted in paid spectator seating.

# Coaches/Officials Meeting

• Held promptly at 8:15 AM in the LGI room. Review special procedures.

### Race Clerk Check In

- The Race Clerk is located in hallway near the northeast corner near the 55m start line.
- An "all-call" for each race by the Clerk will be made approx. 10 minutes before the start.
- Athletes must check in with the clerk at that time to compete in the race.
- Athletes will "spike up" at this time.
- Races will not be held up for missing athletes.

### **Athletes**

- Fieldhouse warm-ups should take place in lanes 1 & 2 only, or on gray area of backstretch.
- Hallway warm-ups should take place in the halls around the freshman gymnasium.
- Athletes will spike up at check-in with the race clerk.
- Spikes are only permitted during races on main oval and LJ and PV runways only.
- Spikes must be removed following the event.
- Athletes wearing spikes on the basketball courts will be disqualified.
- Standard Starting blocks are provided.

### Field Events

- Shot puts will be provided. Do <u>not</u> bring your own.
- Shot Put Finals Top 9 from trials.
- High Jump starting heights: Girls 4'04". Boys 5'04".
- Pole Vault starting heights: Girls 7'00", Boys 8'00".
- Long Jump (3 jumps): 1<sup>st</sup> good jump is measured. Minimum jumps for measurement: Girls 14' 00, Boys 17' 00.

### **Running Events**

- Using all lanes, 1-6.
- Heats and sections will be determined after registration closes. See Heat Sheets at Coaches meeting.
- There will be NO finals. The fastest time submissions will make up the first heat and so on.

### Relay Races

- Using outer lanes 4, 5, & 6.
- A fly-zone is permitted for safety in 4x200
- Interior lanes 1 & 2 may be used for warm-ups on back stretch.

### <u>Results</u>

- All Times are FAT.
- Meet results will be posted by the concession stands during the meet.
- Results will be on Direct Athletics 1 hour after the conclusion of the meet for potential HSR qualifiers.

### **Concessions**

• Concessions will be available.

# <u>T-Shirts</u>

• HSR T-Shirts will be available for purchase