

PACESETTERS



TRACK CLUB

*"To everyone else
it's just Track and Field."*



Pacesetters Track Club

2024 Season Kickoff

March 17, 2024

3-4:30 pm

Zoom: ID:881 4227 7311

Passcode: PTC2024

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Meeting Agenda

- Welcome, and Introductions –Officers and Coaches – Staff Introductions
- Age Divisions
- Required Meet/Practice Schedule & Location
Registration/Fees (USATF and Club) Team
Fees/Payment Schedule
- Social Media
- Uniforms
- Website
- Fund Raising
- Parent Volunteer opportunities
- Key Dates & Set The Pace Showcase
- Q&A- Coaches Comments

Officers/Coaches

- Current Officers
 - CEOs: Chris and Kim Simon
 - President: Jamie Hence
 - Club Administrator: Lisa L Palmer
 - Treasurer: Rodney Palmer
 - Administrative Asst.: Yvonne Gray / Cynthia Robertson
 - Marketing/Social Media: Felicia Hence
 - Uniform Coordinator: Cynthia Robertson

- Coaches
 - Jamie Hence
 - Yolanda Cox
 - Darian Noble
 - Dorraine Johnson
 - Kathy James
 - Wilbur James
 - Jazman Scott
 - Desmond Palmer

USATF 2024 Age Divisions

Age Division	Year of Birth
8 & under	2016+*
9-10	2014 – 2015
11-12	2012 – 2013
13-14	2010 – 2011
15-16	2008 – 2009
17-18	2006 – 2007**

*Athletes must be at least 7 years of age on December 31 of the current year to compete at the Junior Olympics National Championship.

**Athletes born in 2005 are also eligible if they do not turn 19 on or before 7/24/2024

2024 Required Meet/Practice Schedule

Required Meet Schedule

- Required meets* for advancement (**your athlete must participate to advance**): Check your vacation schedule as they must compete for a chance to advance, view entire meet schedule [click here](#):

- **June 22-23, 2024**, Ohio Association Junior Olympic Championship, University of Toledo (Must participate in individual and/or be part of the team for relay to advance to Region), Top 6 advance to Region 5 Championships.
- **July 5-7, or 12-14, 2023**, USATF Region 5 Championships in West Virginia (specific location TBD). (Must participate to advance to Nationals). Top 5 advance to Junior Olympic National Championship in College Station, TX.
- **July 22 – July 28, 2024, Junior Olympics National Championship (7 yrs. and older) Texas A& M, College Station, TX.**

- ☐ Parents will fill out a Permission Google Form each week to confirm the athlete(s) participation in the upcoming meet.

- **Practice Schedule/Location:** Pickerington North High School, 7800 Refugee Rd. [Click here](#) for practice information:

6:00pm to 7:30pm on these dates Panther Stadium or PN Practice Field

- 4/8 & 4/11 M/W
- 4/15 & 4/18 M/TH
- 4/23 & 4/24 T/W
- 4/29 & 5/1 M/W
- 5/6 & 5/8 M/W
- 5/13 & 5/17 M/F
- 5/20 & 5/21 M/T
- 5/27 & 5/29 M/W
- 6/3 starts 4 days a week at PN (**Practice on grass**)

6:00pm to 8:00pm June/July: 4 days per week (Mon – Thurs)

First practice for Elementary: Monday, April 8th (weather permitting)

First practice for JR/HS** is when the athlete's season is over

**Athletes that do not compete for their schools can start practice in April.

Club Registration

- **PTC Registration** (online: www.pacesetterstrackclub.com); all members must register annually with USATF.
 - USATF Membership \$25 (www.usatf.org) You must do this first; instructions located on PTC website (renew/new) Renew or recover your account to ensure that you do not have to submit your birth certificate again. **Select Pacesetters: 17-0056 (must be selected)** If transferring from another club, alert Admin/Coach ASAP. For USATF new/renewal information [Click Here](#)
 - PTC Registration: Returning athletes do not need a new username. Create an account on the Pacesetters website to complete the registration process. When registering the primary contact has to be the parent regardless of child's age. You can register all of your athletes under one account. Make sure the correct phone number and email is listed for the person paying the fees. Parents will have to verify approval through email or text response for older athletes. [Click here](#) for PTC registration link.
 - **Digital Copy** of athlete's Birth Certificate for (new members only) must be uploaded during the registration process with USATF. No physical copies or originals of birth certificates will be accepted. [Upload Video Instructions](#)
 - During the registration process, please make sure you answer the uniform and additional sibling questions to order a uniform and/or get discount credits.
- **PTC Registration Deadlines:** All Division Registration open **3/17/24**. Elementary Division Registration and final fee deadline is **5/3/24** and Middle and High School Registration and final fees deadline is **6/7/24**. Minimum payment must be paid by due date.
- **Group Text Messages:**
During the registration process, please stay up to date with Pacesetters news and events, through Telegram group text messaging system. To opt in copy and paste this URL: <https://t.me/+9wwkaDesjKwzODAx>. **This is the quickest and most reliable form of communication for the club.** You will then receive information regarding practice, meets, and events.

Team Fees/Payment Schedule

- **Minimum Payment:** A deposit payment of at least **(\$210) is due by 4/1 for elementary and (\$200) is due by 5/3 for middle/high** per athlete starts your registration process. Additionally, if you place a uniform order, payment must be made at the time of registration. Accounts not paid in full by the registration deadline (Elementary Division (5/3/24) and Middle/High Division (6/3/24)), will incur a \$40 processing fee and meet entry and uniform orders may be affected.
 - ☐ You must answer yes to additional athletes' questions to get the discounts and adjustments.
- **Team Fees total: \$195 –Training Only**
 - ☐ These athletes will not be competing in any meets. This is a one-time fee and is not pro rated based on start date.
- **Team Fees total \$430 (\$475.99 if Uniform Top ordered) – Elementary Division**
 - ☐ **Meet Fee's - \$200** for scheduled meets, additional funds may need to be collected as athlete advances through the qualifying meets.
 - ☐ **Club Fees** -Elementary Division 12 yrs. & under: **\$230** (first athlete), \$155 (second athlete), \$105 (third & more) **1st installment 4/5 Must be paid, last installment 5/3**
- **Team Fees total \$310 (\$355.99 if Uniform Top ordered) – Middle/ High Division**
 - ☐ **Meet Fee's - \$130** for scheduled meets, additional funds may need to be collected as athlete advances through the qualifying meets.
 - ☐ **Club Fees** - Jr. High/High school 12 yrs. & older: **\$180** (first athlete), \$155 (second athlete), \$105 (third & more) **1st installment 5/3 Must be paid, last installment 6/3**
- **Uniform Fees: \$45.99** (if your registration fees aren't increased by your uniform order at time of check out, you have not ordered a uniform)
 - ☐ Additional optional items (Warm-ups, book bags, and spirit wear, will be direct order through the website, one team shirt is free)
 - ☐ Answer yes to order uniform (top only). This will add an additional cost of \$45.99 automatically to your cart.
 - ☐ Black bottoms can be purchased at any sporting good store or store that sells sports wear.
- **Payment: Please email (info@pacesetterstrackclub.com)** if you want to pay in person. In person credit/debit payment processing is available. When registering you will have a cart which represents your "order" of club, meet and uniform fees. Payments are secured and your account is updated immediately. There is a nominal charge of 3.4% which will be added to your account at checkout. If you receive any donations or adjustments from last year, your account will be updated to reflect the discount.

Social Media, Website Navigation, Uniforms

- info@pacesettertrackclub.com Email
- Instagram: pacesettertrack
- X: @pacesettersoh
- Facebook: PacesettersTrackOH

www.pacesettertrackclub.com

Key Tabs: Click links below:

- [Parent Information](#)
- [Registration](#)
 - Registration listing
 - How to register
- [Resources](#)
 - Permission Google Forms
 - Document Links
- [Meet Dates and Results](#)
- [Set The Pace Showcase](#)

Girls Uniform



Boys Uniform



Backpack and Sweats

- All items will be available in the online store
- Name on Jacket and Backpack
- Will need at least 10 orders before the store can close
- <https://www.7athletix.com/pacesetters>

Individual Prices

- \$70 Warm up (Jacket and Pants)
- \$40 Jacket
- \$40 Pants
- \$55 Backpack Resources
- \$25 For T-shirt (Parents and athletes)

Bundle Price

- \$110 for the bundle
 - Includes Jacket, Pants and Backpack

Sweat Jacket



Sweat Pants



Backpack



T-shirt



Fundraising

1. **Donation Campaign:** Individual and corporate donations are accepted and used for purchase of equipment and other needed items. A Paypal button will be on the website to also make donations to individual athlete accounts.

2. **Double Good Popcorn**

This is a popcorn sells fundraiser and all proceeds go to the individual athlete. POPUP fundraiser will be March 26-30 & June 5-9.

Parent Volunteer Committees & Parent/Athlete Conduct

- **Stats and Awards**

Help maintain the meet book and upload information into the stats software. Obtain the event results and provide information to coaches and parents to assess performance, restructure practice and drills and for parents to see their child's improvement. Also in the book will be PRs, target times/distances for each event. You may be asked to assist with awards distribution for the club or during the Ohio association meet.

- **Photography**

Help with picture taking at all events. Capture the season through pictures and video. Photos will be the property of the Club and will be used for the website and other USATF sanctioned events, Facebook, and Twitter..

- **Parent and Athlete Conduct**

A Parent Conduct Document will be on the website and a waiver that you have read and understand the conduct we expect will be in the registration process.

Key Dates

March/April

3/17 – Season Kickoff Parent Meeting

3/17 – PTC Registration online begins

4/5 – 1st Installment and Uniform Fees Due, Elementary Division-\$210 (45.99 for uniform Top remember to select “yes” for uniform)

4/8 – First practice (weather permitting)

*Double Good Fundraiser: POPUP March 26-30

June

6/2 – Track Meet- United Students, Trotwood High School.

6/5 - PTC Registration and Final Club fees Deadline (Middle/High Div.)

6/6 - Parent Meeting during Practice (Qualifying Meets and hotel accommodations.

6/8 –Track Meet: Midwest Classic *

6/22-6/23 Track Meet: Ohio Assn Championships, Toledo, OH

*Double Good Fundraiser: POPUP June 5-9

May

4/28- Track Meet: Dayton Wolverine’s Invite, Central State University

5/3- 1st Installment and Uniform fees Due Middle/High Division-\$200 (45.99 for uniform Top remember to select “yes” for uniform). PTC Registration and Final Club fees Deadline (Elementary Div.)

5/5 – Blackwell Scholastic Invitational-Harley Field

5/19 – Track Meet Set the Pace Showcase, Pickerington North

5/26 -- Track Meet: Coach P Summer Games, Toledo, OH

July/August

7/5 – 7/7 or 7/12-7/14 Track Meet: Region V Championship, West Virginia, (TBD)

7/13 – Queen City Invitational, Location TBD

7/23 – Ohio Track Classic-Harley Field

7/22 – 7/28 Track Meet: National JO Championship, Texas A& M, College Station, TX

TBD – End of Season Activity

*Track meet location: Cedarville, OH

-Important dates

-Mandatory qualifying meets

Q & A

- Live ZOOM Chat questions
- Coaches Comments