



2015 USATF Georgia Association Junior Olympic Cross Country Championships



Saturday, November 14, 2015
Heritage Christian Church
2130 Redwine Rd., Fayetteville, GA, 30215

SCHEDULE & AGE DIVISIONS:

Age Division	Distance	Time
8 & Under (born 2007+)	2 km (1.24 miles)	Girls – 10:00am Boys – 10:30am
9 & 10 (born 2005-2006)	3 km (1.86 miles)	Girls – 11:00am Boys – 11:30am
11 & 12 (born 2003-2004)	3 km (1.86 miles)	Girls – 12:00pm Boys – 12:30pm
13 & 14 (born 2001 –2002)	4 km (2.48 miles)	Girls – 1:00pm Boys – 1:30pm
15 & 16 (born 1999–2000)	5 km (3.1 miles)	Girls – 2:00pm Boys – 2:30pm
17 & 18 (born 1997-1998)	5 km (3.1 miles)	Girls – 3:00pm Boys – 3:30pm

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS:

Individuals: Current USATF membership is required to compete. Proof of Birth (copy of birth certificate, passport, certified baptismal record, driver's license, or U.S. government identification) is required and must be submitted prior to registration and participation.

Teams: Only registered USATF member clubs may enter a team. All athletes representing the club must be affiliated with that club as part of their USATF membership. To enter a team, a club must complete the team entry/declaration process during online registrations. Only athletes listed on the team declaration roster will be eligible to represent the club at the Association, Regional or National championships.

TEAM SCORING: 8 athletes on the team entry/declaration form may be declared as scoring athletes. The top 5 finishers among the declared runners will score.

COMPETITION BIB NUMBERS: All competitors must wear their assigned bib numbers during competition, chest-high on the front of their jerseys. Bib numbers will be in the team packets. Packets will be available for pick-up on the day of the event from 8:00am to 3:00pm.

EVENT RESULTS: During competition, event results will be posted at the awards area. In addition, event results will be posted at www.ptgrouponline.com.

AWARDS: USATF Junior Olympic medals will be awarded to the top thirty individuals in each age division. The top two teams in each age division will receive awards.

ADVANCEMENTS: Top 30 individuals and top 5 teams in each age group will advance to the Regional Championships. The Regional Championships will be held on Saturday, November 21st at TBD. Information is available at: <http://www.usatf.org/Resources-for---/Youth--NEW/Championships/YouthChmps.aspx>

ENTRY FEES & DEADLINES:

On-Time Registration: Must be completed by November 11, 2015 at 11:59pm.

ONLY ONLINE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED. Please visit www.coacho.com to enter

Individual Entries: **\$10.00** per athlete.

Team Entries: **No charge**

PAYMENTS: The online entry system accepts all credit cards, however **USATF prefers VISA.**

DIRECTIONS & PARKING: Please use your preferred navigation provider. The venue is located at: 2130 Redwine Rd., Fayetteville, GA 30215. There is adequate parking onsite.

COURSE: The walk-thru will be at 9:10 AM. The course will be closed at 9:50 AM. No one will be allowed on the course for warm up after this time. The entire course is grass, dirt surface, and some gravel. Spikes may be useful on the hills or if the course is wet. There is plenty of area for warm up in the adjoining fields. No dressing facility or public water is available. Portable restrooms are located near the parking lot of the facility.

FACILITY RULES & GUIDELINES:

1. Remember we are guests of Heritage Christian Church
2. Barbecuing will not be allowed on site.
3. Please do NOT bring loud radios or music, pets, or unnecessary distractions to the meet.
4. Please keep the facility clean. Place trash in the waste receptacles near you before leaving.
5. Alcoholic beverages will not be allowed.
6. Parking only in the designated parking areas.

VENDORS: T-Shirt and food vendors will be supporting this event.

CONTACT: USATF Georgia, Youth Committee – Lamar Grant, lamar.grant37@gmail.com; Monica Ross, monica30047@yahoo.com; Jacqui Collins, Jacquicyd@att.net; Arlena Epps; arlenaepps@hotmail.com

Club Administrators and Unattached Athletes should register online at https://coachoregistration.com/dbi-bin/meetinfopage.pl?Web_Site_Id=ga_usaxcyouth45&Meet_Id=usageoassj1507&Team_Id=& by **November 11, 2015 at 11:59pm. Late entries will not be allowed.** Online registration opens **October 14, 2015. Fees must be paid online by the close of registration. USATF prefers VISA; electronic checks will also be accepted.** Accuracy of data entered is the responsibility of each club and/or athlete. Please validate data within Coach O for accuracy prior to submitting entry. An instructional video on the online registration process may be accessed by visiting, <http://coachoregistration.com/meet/entry/assets/videos/usatf/index.html>.

Valid 2015 USATF Membership and Proof of Birth is required for participation. Before registration, please ensure that the membership chair has received (via mail or fax) a copy of the athlete's Proof of Birth (copy of birth certificate, passport, certified baptismal record, driver's license or U.S. government identification). See Rule 300.1 (i) for further explanation.

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