

**Prospectus for the 2017 Leicestershire & Rutland and Warwickshire County  
Track and Field Championships  
Pingles Stadium, Nuneaton, CV11 4LX  
Saturday 13th and Sunday 14th May 2017**

**Terms and Conditions**

It is a condition of entry that you read this prospectus and accept the conditions in it. The Championships are held under UKA Rules and the Rules of the two local County Athletics Associations.

**1 UK ATHLETICS RULES** All events will be subject to UKA Rules for Competition.

**2 CLUB MEMBERSHIP & CLOTHING** Athletes who are a member of a club affiliated directly or indirectly to UK Athletics must include their EA number on the entry form. They should wear their club vests at competition. All athletes are reminded that all clothing must be clean, and so designed and worn as not to be objectionable, even if wet. Brand names on clothing must comply with the UKA rules.

**3 EQUIPMENT** The organisers will provide implements for the throwing events. Competitors may use their own implements provided that these are booked in a minimum of one hour prior to the scheduled start of the individual event and approved by the Technical Manager. Competitors must supply their own poles in the Pole Vault. Competitors own starting blocks may be used if they conform to regulations and are approved by the Starter's Assistant on the day.

**4 ELIGIBILITY** County qualification is either by birth in the County, by 9 months continuous residence\* prior to competition or by 9 months service in a unit of HM forces stationed in the County. Warwickshire is defined as the Warwickshire pre-1974 boundary which includes Birmingham, Coventry, Solihull and Warwickshire (as for cricket!).

\*Please note UKA Rule 21 s6 (1) which explains a) the residence conditions relating to students in term-time and b) issues relating to those who have moved out of the area but have not competed for any other County since their move.

**5 KEY POINTS FOR 2017**

**Changes**

- We have added a 3000m for U15s and older.
- We have removed the 5000m from this date but will provide information on the County websites about offering it on another date.

**General Format** We will follow the same format as last year (in Leicester) but we will be in Nuneaton.

- The meeting will once again be supported by Electronic Distance Measuring (EDM) and Electronic Timing (Photo Finish).
- A start list and detailed timetable will be published on both County websites before the event.
- Masters can enter as Seniors but there are no events or medals specifically for Masters.
- All Club athletes (other than the Under 11 QuadKids entries) **MUST** provide their EA number which will be checked with EA before the meeting. Children who are not in a club and who are entering with a school affiliation only do not need a number, but must state their school.
- You must **confirm your entry each day at Registration** at least 45 minutes before the event start time. There is no discretion on this. Do not ask for special treatment. *Late arrivals cause considerable extra work for the volunteer organisers and for fellow athletes if the event is delayed.*
- Athletes using their own implements must have them weighed and checked a minimum of 60 minutes prior to the start of their event.
- The meeting manager has a public mobile phone number can be called in case of emergencies. The number will be available in the programme and on the County websites prior to the event.
- Photographs of many athletes will be on sale on the day.

## 7 Enquiries

Please address any enquiries to us using the special email address for the Championships: **twocountychamps@btinternet.com**. Do **NOT** contact Midland Counties AA or the stadium staff or the online booking website (BookItZone) as they are not responsible for the competition and cannot help you.

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## Entry Information and Conditions of Entry

### 1 You can enter on paper or you can enter on line.

If you enter on line **The closing time is 17:00 on Sunday 23rd April 2017.**

If you enter on paper **The forms and payment must arrive by 12:00 on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> April 2017** v

Here is a direct link to the on line entry system [www.bookitzone.com/nathan\\_blundell/z5RR](http://www.bookitzone.com/nathan_blundell/z5RR)

You can also download a paper entry form from the following websites,

The Leicestershire & Rutland AA website is: [www.LRAA.org.uk](http://www.LRAA.org.uk)

The Warwickshire County AA website is: [www.WarwickshireCountyAA.co.uk](http://www.WarwickshireCountyAA.co.uk)

Please give contact details for the athlete (or their parent/guardian) rather than club or coach to ensure that queries are dealt with promptly.

### 2. Entry Fees: \* The entry fees for each event have not increased this year

- Senior and Under 20 £7.00 on line £7.50 on paper
- Under 13 – Under 17 inclusive £6.00 on line £6.50 on paper
- Under 11 QuadKids £5.50 on line £6.00 on paper
- *Parallel Success Open competition for classified athletes – see separate Prospectus*

**2 Online Entries:** You will need to register first with “Bookitzone” (and receive their emailed acknowledgement) if you have not used them before. You will be sent a confirmation email once you have paid for your entry. If you do not get the entry confirmation mail then your entry has not been accepted or you have made a mistake in typing your e-mail contact address. We or Bookitzone will also send you a mail sometime between the closing date and the meeting to let you know more details of the meeting including the precise timetable.

**3 Paper Entries:** You need to complete the paper entry form and send it to the address on the form. Confirmation will be sent by text or email (to the mobile number or email address supplied) that your entry has been received but you must also look at your County web site for more detail such as the timetable.

**4 Late Entries and/or requests for event changes after the closing date:** The Championship policy is to refuse late entries or alter entries after the closing date. The organisers will not discuss issues such as “late entries” or “entries lost in the post” or “internet failure” or any reason at all over the championship weekend. If you see a problem with your entry such as the wrong date of birth or age group then use the “contact us” facility to give us the correct details.

**5 Event Cancellation and Refunds:** The organisers may cancel an event if there are very few or no entries or if the athletes can be otherwise accommodated. If an event is cancelled then athletes will be informed beforehand and given a refund. Refunds will not be given for any other reason. If the entire meeting or a complete day is cancelled for any reason (this has never happened before) then all athletes will be refunded 80% of their fees. The Counties will retain 20% to cover unavoidable costs.

**6 Awards from both Counties:** County Championship medals will be awarded to the first three competitors per event/gender/County regardless of the number of entries.

**7 Photography :** The official event photographer is will take pictures of athletes from both Counties and the photographs will be available to purchase on the day. If you wish to be excluded from the photographs on display please let the Meeting Manager know. *If you see anybody acting inappropriately, with or without any form of photography equipment, please tell the nearest Technical Official immediately.*

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## 8 Available Events - Age Groups Under 13 to Seniors

Events	Men					Women				
	U13	U15	U17	U20	Sen	U13	U15	U17	U20	Sen
100	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun
300		Sat					Sun	Sun		
400			Sat	Sat	Sat				Sun	Sun
1500	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun
1500 S/Ch			Sat	Sat	Sat			Sun		
3000/2000 S/Chase				Sat 3000m	Sat 3000m			Sun 2000m	Sun 2000m	Sun 2000m
Sprint Hurdles	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat
200	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat
800	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat
3000		Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun		Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat
400/300 Hur			Sun	Sun	Sun			Sun 300m	Sun	Sun
2K Walk	Sun					Sun				
3K Walk		Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun		Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun
Long Jump	Sat	Sat	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sat	Sat	Sun	Sun	Sun
High Jump	Sun	Sun	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sun	Sun	Sat	Sat	Sat
Pole Vault	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat
Discus	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat
Hammer	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat
Shot Put	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat	Sat
Triple Jump		Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun		Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun
Javelin	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun	Sun

### Available events – Under 11 Age group Boys and Girls – ALL ON SUNDAY

Under 11 athletes must be aged 9 or 10 at midnight on 31st August 2017. They can ONLY enter the Quadkids competition in which they do four events which have the events SCORED WITH POINTS and added together to find the overall champion for each County. There are County medals for the first three overall boys and girls. The FOUR events are: Long Jump, Howler Throw, 75m sprint and 600m run. The individual event times and distances will also be displayed.

### 9 Field Event Trials, Entry Heights an Triple Jump Boards

- Other than the Pole Vault and High Jump, athletes in the U13, U15 and U17 age groups field events will be given 4 trials. Athletes in the U20 and Senior age groups will be given 3 trials but the top six in each age group, irrespective of County will be given three more.

Starting heights	U13G	U13B	U15G	U15B	U17W	U17M	U20W	U20M	SenW	SenM
High Jump	1.05	1.05	1.15	1.25	1.25	1.35	1.25	1.40	1.25	1.40
Pole Vault	1.50	1.50	1.70	1.70	1.70	2.00	1.70	2.00	1.70	2.00

- The Triple Jump board must be at least 7m.

### 10 Parallel Success Competition (for IPC and UKA classified athletes only)

(This is for disabled athletes only – do not enter unless you have a T or F classification)

We are pleased to be able to offer the Parallel Success Competition again this year. An athlete who is IPC and UKA classified may choose to enter the mainstream events (listed above as “Available Events”) in the usual way OR they may enter the events through the special entry form and online facility for Parallel Success Competitors (additionally available as an Open competition to classified athletes regardless of whether or not they qualify for the county). To enter please contact [twocountychamps@btinternet.com](mailto:twocountychamps@btinternet.com) for a Parallel Success Prospectus and entry details.

**11 Other County Track & Field Championships:** Both Counties offer championship events for specific distances or combined events on other dates and at other venues. Please check their websites for information about these events later in the season.