

**The Florida Indoor Championships**  
**Alachua County Sports Complex @ Celebration Pointe**  
**4870 Celebration Pointe Avenue**  
**Gainesville, Fl. 32608**  
**February 11<sup>th</sup> – February 12<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

**2/11/23-2/12/23 HS Championships**

The top 21 marks excluding ties from the 2023 Indoor rank order list and event winners from the 3 Indoor meets held at the Alachua County Event Center @ Celebration Pointe will be eligible to compete. That makes a total of 24 athletes in each event. Athletes must live and attend High School in Florida to be eligible (Grades 9-12). Proof of eligibility will be a Fall 2022 report card from a Florida HS.

**Events:** 60m Hurdles, 60m Dash, 200m Dash, 400m Dash, 600m Run, 800m Run, 1000m Run, Mile Run, 3000m Run, Pole Vault, High Jump, Long Jump, Shot Put, Triple Jump, Weight Throw.

Preliminary rounds will be held in all running events up to and including the 1000m run. Longer distance races will be run in 1 section. All horizontal field events will have 2 flights of 12 athletes seeded worst to best who get 3 attempts each with the top 8 advancing to receive an additional 3 attempts in a final round. All vertical field events will be seeded from worst to best and be contested in a 5 alive format until such time as a normal rotation can be used. Vertical starting heights will be one bar below the lowest entry.

**2/11/23-2/12/23 Youth Challenge the Champions**

The 3 winners of events here at the Alachua County Event Center @ Celebration Pointe will get an automatic bid into this championship meet once they register. All others will enter to see if they can beat our champions. Age groups for this championship will be 4-6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14. Ages are based on **year of birth** or date of 12/31/23. **The top 21 non-champion athletes will be allowed to compete in the 60m, and the top 15 non-champion athletes will be allowed to compete in all other events.**

**Events:** 60m Dash (4-14), 200m Dash (4-14), 400m Dash (7-14), 800m Run (7-14), Mile Run (9-14), 3000m Run (11-14), High Jump (11-14), Long Jump (4-14), Shot Put (4-14).

1 heat final will be held in all running events except for the 60m, 200m and 400m Dash. All horizontal field events will be seeded worst to best and get 3 attempts each.

**All High School (15-18) Entries must be done through [www.DirectAthletics.com](http://www.DirectAthletics.com)**

**All Youth (4-14) Entries must be done through [www.CoachO.com](http://www.CoachO.com)**

**The 2023 Indoor Rank Order list** will consist of any indoor meet held in the United States on an indoor track between the dates of 11/15/22 and 2/1/23. To get a mark from an event not held at the Alachua County Event Center to be added to the Rank Order List, a request must be made on the Rank Order Website. The only exception to that will be the Florida/Georgia Challenge on 2/4/23-2/5/23 at the Alachua County Event Center @ Celebration Pointe. Final Rank Order List will be posted by 11:59pm on 2/5/23.

Rank Order List: [https://www.tfrs.org/lists/4042/RADDSports\\_Florida\\_Indoor\\_Performance\\_List](https://www.tfrs.org/lists/4042/RADDSports_Florida_Indoor_Performance_List)

**Entries:** Please plan to enter the meet if you are in the top 40 on the rank order list and wish to compete. Once entries close, we will take the top 24 entered athletes and the rest of the entries will have their entry fees refunded. The deadline for entries will be **11:59pm on Tuesday 2/7/23**. Entries will be **\$35/Athlete**. If events are not already full, late entries will be accepted until **5:00pm on Wednesday 2/8/23**. **Late entries will be \$60/Athlete. Please make sure that your entries are accurate for gender, event, and marks. No changes will be made, athletes will just be turned away.**

**Age Groups:** 4-6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, High School. USATF event limits will be enforced.

**Awards:** Top 3 in each age group will earn medals, 4-6 will earn ribbons.



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**Facility:** The Alachua County Sports Complex @ Celebration Pointe. The Jimmy Carnes Track is a 200m banked, 6 lane track with 8 lanes of Mondo on the sprints runway. It also has 2 raised horizontal jump runways, 1 raised pole vault runway, 1 throws cage with landing areas, and a high jump area on the sprint lanes. **All athletes must wear only ¼" PYRAMID SPIKES on the surfaces.**

**Seating:** For 2023 seating will be on temporary bleachers. Team camps are encouraged to be outside in the designated area by the parking garage. The grass in this area will serve as our warmup location for 2023. In the future that area will be upgraded to include a rubberized warmup area. When inside the building, keep team camps out of walkways, throws area, warmup/clerking zones.

**Parking:** Spectator and Team parking is in the garage across from the center.

**Celebration Pointe:** Please enjoy the proximity of the Celebration Pointe shops and restaurants. No team camps, warmups, etc. are allowed across the street into the celebration pointe complex.

**Directions / Parking:** Spectator and Team parking is in the blue garage across from the center. We are located off the I-75 exit at Archer Road. Please exit towards the west and turn right on SW 45<sup>th</sup> Street. This road will become Bass Pro Blvd. at the light on the corner of the Center. Continue north until you clear the Center on your left. Then turn left and proceed to the parking garage ahead on your left.

**Buses:** Buses will follow the above directions, but prior to the parking garage, they will turn left on SW 49<sup>th</sup> Terrace and drop off in front of the Center. Once they have dropped off athletes they will continue straight and park in the surface lot just south of the Orange parking garage at SW 31<sup>st</sup> Lane.

**Packet Pickup:** Packets can be picked up at the South entrance to the complex. They will include your athlete numbers, pins, coach's passes, last minute meet updates. Only Coaches may pick up the packets and the entire packet must be picked up at one time. Please make team arrangements accordingly.

- **Saturday 2/11/23** from 8:00am to 4:00pm. After 4:00pm the packets will no longer be available.
- **Sunday 2/12/23** from 8:00am to 12:00pm. After noon the packets will no longer be available.

**Coaches Bands:** Teams will receive 1 coaches' band for every 10 athletes registered. A maximum of 6 bands per team will be issued. 0-2 athletes = 0 bands, 3-10 athletes = 1 band, 11-20 athletes = 2 bands, 21-30 athletes = 3 bands, 31-40 athletes = 4 bands, 41-50 athletes = 5 bands, and 51+ athletes = 6 bands.

**Spectators:** Single Day tickets will be \$15 each. A Two-Day pass will be \$25. Children three and under are free with their parent. All tickets will be through [www.SportWrench.com](http://www.SportWrench.com). No paper tickets will be issued. **Broken or lost wristbands will be \$15.** All spectators must enter from the Main (west) lobby. No outside food/drink may enter the spectator areas.

**NO ANIMALS:** No animals are allowed inside the venue. Please do not bring them as they will be turned away at the door.

**Trainer/Medical:** The facility will have ice and first aid on site. Teams will need to provide their own athletic trainer for competition.



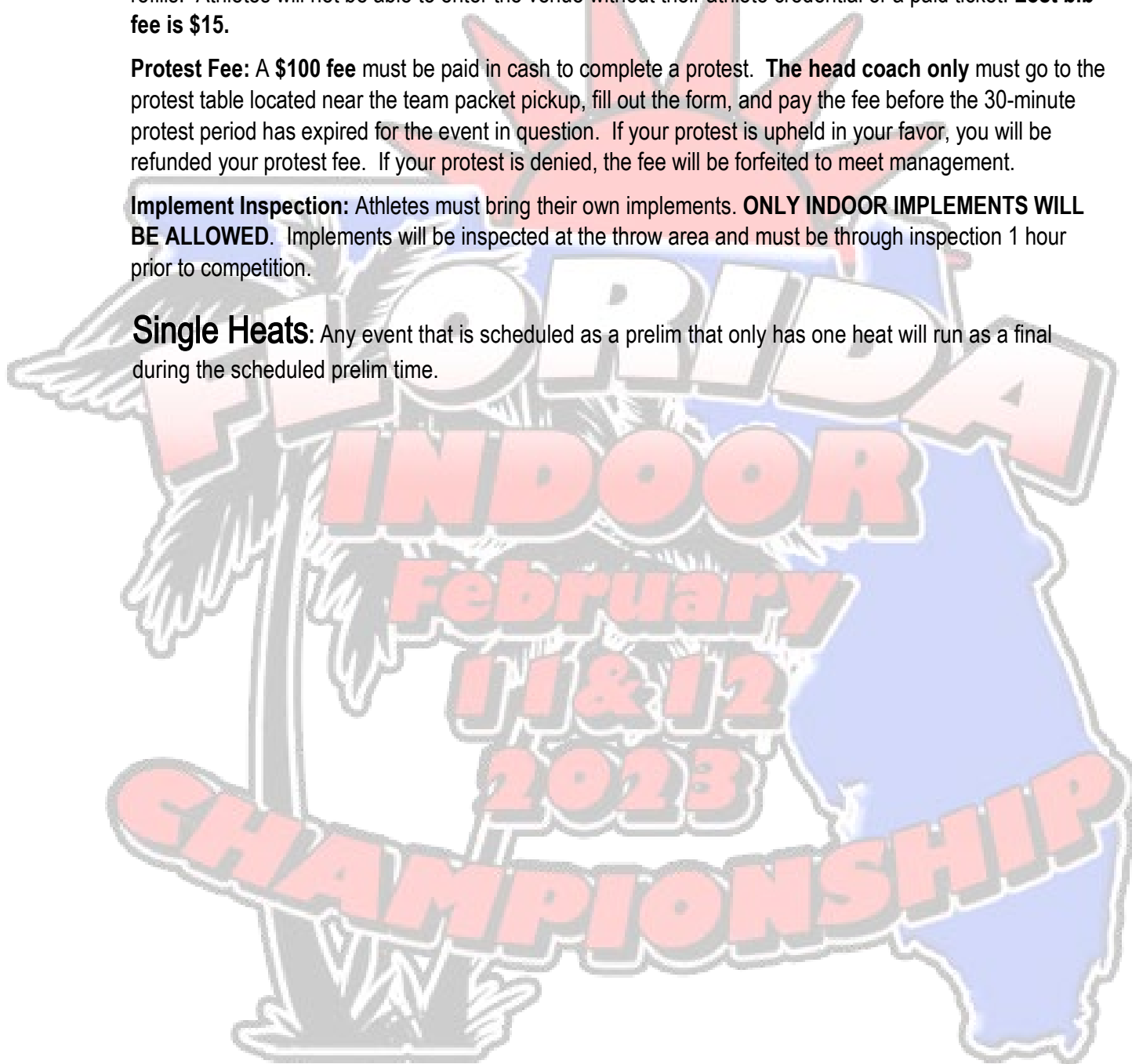
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**Athlete venue Entry:** Athletes must enter through the West Lobby. Athletes may carry in a water bottle and small snacks in their bag to stay hydrated. Water coolers will be provided throughout the venue for refills. Athletes will not be able to enter the venue without their athlete credential or a paid ticket. **Lost bib fee is \$15.**

**Protest Fee:** A **\$100 fee** must be paid in cash to complete a protest. **The head coach only** must go to the protest table located near the team packet pickup, fill out the form, and pay the fee before the 30-minute protest period has expired for the event in question. If your protest is upheld in your favor, you will be refunded your protest fee. If your protest is denied, the fee will be forfeited to meet management.

**Implement Inspection:** Athletes must bring their own implements. **ONLY INDOOR IMPLEMENTS WILL BE ALLOWED.** Implements will be inspected at the throw area and must be through inspection 1 hour prior to competition.

**Single Heats:** Any event that is scheduled as a prelim that only has one heat will run as a final during the scheduled prelim time.



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**Saturday: 2/11/23**

**Field Events:**

|         |                   |                   |   |       |
|---------|-------------------|-------------------|---|-------|
| 8:30am  | High Jump         | HS, Youth (11-14) | F | Final |
|         | 20lb Weight Throw | HS                | F | Final |
|         | Long Jump         | Youth (4-14)      | F | Final |
| 12:00pm | Long Jump         | Youth (4-14)      | M | Final |
| 10:30am | 25lb Weight Throw | HS                | M | Final |
| 11:00am | High Jump         | HS, Youth (11-14) | M | Final |
| 12:30pm | Shot Put          | HS                | F | Final |
| 2:00pm  | Triple Jump       | HS                | F | Final |
| 3:30pm  | Triple Jump       | HS                | M | Final |
| 3:00pm  | Shot Put          | HS                | M | Final |

**Running Events:**

|         |             |              |     |                            |
|---------|-------------|--------------|-----|----------------------------|
| 9:00am  | 800m Run    | HS           | F/M | <b>Prelim</b>              |
| 9:30am  | 200m Dash   | HS           | F/M | <b>Prelim</b>              |
| 10:05am | 200m Dash   | Youth (4-14) | F/M | <b>Prelim/1 Heat Final</b> |
| 11:05am | Mile Run    | HS           | F/M | Final                      |
| 11:30am | Mile Run    | Youth (9-14) | F/M | Final                      |
| 12:45am | 400m Dash   | HS           | F/M | <b>Prelim</b>              |
| 1:15pm  | 400m Dash   | Youth (7-14) | F/M | <b>Prelim/1 Heat Final</b> |
| 2:00pm  | 1000m Run   | HS           | F/M | <b>Prelim</b>              |
| 2:25pm  | 600m Run    | HS           | F/M | <b>Prelim</b>              |
| 2:50pm  | 60m Hurdles | HS           | F/M | <b>Prelim</b>              |
| 3:15pm  | 60m Dash    | HS           | F/M | <b>Prelim</b>              |
| 3:45pm  | 60m Dash    | Youth (4-14) | F/M | <b>Prelim/1 Heat Final</b> |

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**Sunday: 2/12/23**

**Field Events:**

|         |            |              |   |       |
|---------|------------|--------------|---|-------|
| 9:00am  | Shot Put   | Youth (4-14) | F | Final |
| 11:00am | Shot Put   | Youth (4-14) | M | Final |
| 9:00am  | Long Jump  | HS           | F | Final |
| 11:30am | Long Jump  | HS           | M | Final |
| 9:00am  | Pole Vault | HS           | M | Final |
| 11:30am | Pole Vault | HS           | F | Final |

**Running Events:**

|         |             |               |     |       |
|---------|-------------|---------------|-----|-------|
| 9:00am  | 600m Run    | HS            | F/M | Final |
| 9:20am  | 1000m Run   | HS            | F/M | Final |
| 9:45am  | 400m Dash   | HS            | F/M | Final |
| 9:55am  | 400m Dash   | Youth (7-14)  | F/M | Final |
| 10:00am | 60m Hurdles | HS            | F/M | Final |
| 10:15am | 60m Dash    | HS            | F/M | Final |
| 10:25am | 60m Dash    | Youth (4-14)  | F/M | Final |
| 10:50am | 3000m Run   | HS            | F/M | Final |
| 11:30am | 3000m Run   | Youth (11-14) | F/M | Final |
| 12:10pm | 800m Run    | HS            | F/M | Final |
| 12:30pm | 800m Run    | Youth (7-14)  | F/M | Final |
| 1:00pm  | 200m Dash   | HS            | F/M | Final |
| 1:10pm  | 200m Dash   | Youth (4-14)  | F/M | Final |

