

**DISTRICT XI TRACK AND FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS**  
*Presented by St. Luke's University Health Network*  
**2018**

**DATES, LOCATION, AND TIME OF DISTRICT CHAMPIONSHIP**

<b>May 15, 2018</b>	<b>3:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Whitehall High School</b>	<b>"AA" &amp; "AAA" Boys/Girls</b>
100M Dash	AA Girls, AAA Girls Prelims		3:00 PM
100M Dash	AA Boys, AAA Boys Prelims		3:15 PM
3200M Relay	AA Girls, AAA Girls Final		3:30 PM
3200M Relay	AA Boys, AAA Boys Final		4:00 PM
100M Hurdles	AA Girls, AAA Girls Prelims		4:30 PM
110M Hurdles	AA Boys, AAA Boys Prelims		4:50 PM
200M Dash	AA Girls, AAA Girls Prelims		6:00 PM
200M Dash	AA Boys, AAA Boys Prelims		6:20 PM
300M Hurdles	AA Girls, AAA Girls Final		6:45 PM
300M Hurdles	AA Boys, AAA Boys Final		7:00 PM
3200M	AA Girls, AAA Girls Final		7:15 PM
3200M	AA Boys, AAA Boys Final		7:50 PM

<b>FIELD EVENTS</b>	<b>All Finals</b>	
Long Jump	AA Girls	2:30 PM
Discus	AA Girls	3:00 PM
Javelin	AAA Boys	3:00 PM
High Jump	AA Boys	3:00 PM
Pole Vault	AA Boys	3:00 PM
Long Jump	AAA Girls	4:00 PM
Shot Put	AAA Boys	4:30 PM
Javelin	AAA Girls	5:00 PM
Discus	AA Boys	5:00 PM
High Jump	AAA Boys	5:00 PM
Pole Vault	AA Girls	5:00 PM
Triple Jump	AA Boys	5:30 PM
Shot Put	AA Girls	6:00 PM
Triple Jump	AAA Boys	7:00 PM

<b>May 16, 2018</b>	<b>3:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Whitehall High School</b>	<b>"AA" &amp; "AAA" Boys/Girls</b>
100M Hurdles	AA Girls, AAA Girls Final		3:00 PM
110M Hurdles	AA Boys, AAA Boys Final		3:10 PM
100M Dash	AA Girls, AAA Girls Final		3:20 PM
100M Dash	AA Boys, AAA Boys Final		3:30 PM
1600M	AA Girls, AAA Girls Final		3:40 PM
1600M	AA Boys, AAA Boys Final		4:00 PM
400M	AA Girls, AAA Girls Final		4:15 PM
400M	AA Boys, AAA Boys Final		4:40 PM
400M Relay	AA Girls, AAA Girls Final		5:30 PM
400M Relay	AA Boys, AAA Boys Final		5:55 PM
800M	AA Girls, AAA Girls Final		6:15 PM
800M	AA Boys, AAA Boys Final		6:45 PM
200M Dash	AA Girls, AAA Girls Final		7:15 PM
200M Dash	AA Boys, AAA Boys Final		7:20 PM
1600M Relay	AA Girls, AAA Girls Final		7:30 PM
1600M Relay	AA Boys, AAA Boys Final		8:00 PM

## FIELD EVENTS- FINALS

Long Jump	AA Boys	2:30 PM
Discus	AAA Girls	3:00 PM
Javelin	AA Boys	3:00 PM
Pole Vault	AAA Boys	3:00 PM
High Jump	AA Girls	3:00 PM
Long Jump	AAA Boys	4:00 PM
Shot Put	AA Boys	4:30 PM
Discus	AAA Boys	5:00 PM
Javelin	AA Girls	5:00 PM
Pole Vault	AAA Girls	5:00 PM
High Jump	AAA Girls	5:00 PM
Triple Jump	AA Girls	5:30 PM
Shot Put	AAA Girls	6:00 PM
Triple Jump	AAA Girls	7:00 PM

NOTE: THE TIMES FOR THE EVENTS ARE APPROXIMATE AND CAN BE CHANGED BY THE MEET MANAGEMENT.

## DISTRICT COMMITTEE PERSON IN CHARGE OF CHAMPIONSHIP

*Mr. Robert Hartman, District Committee*

*610-437-5081 ext. 1816          610-704-0185*

*Mr. Glenn R. Rissmiller, Meet Manager*

*610-916-0543, Home          610-392-5107, Cell*

**ELIGIBILITY TO COMPETE IN TRACK AND FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS:** As in the past, fastest **24** competitors (up to and including the 800m) will be eligible to compete. In all other running events, relay events, and all field events, the best **16** will be eligible to compete. This pertains to each of the four divisions: "AA" boys, "AA" girls, "AAA" boys, and "AAA" girls. **3** qualifiers will be added to the 100m and 100/110m High Hurdles on nine lane tracks.

## METHOD OF SEEDING:

*\*Please note that this is a non-scratch meet.\**

Times and/or distance.

- The seeding meeting will be held at Whitehall High School on May 12, 2018 beginning at 11:00am. A general meeting will be held in the Auditorium before the seeding process.
- Seeding will be done by the games committee with the assistance of the coaches in their own group meeting using the metric system for running events and English standard for field events. F.A.T times will be the standard. All hand-held times will be rounded to the nearest 1/10 of a second (0.01) and .24 seconds will be added. Distances less than one hundred feet (100') should have results to the nearest shorter quarter in (1/4"). All distances more than one hundred feet (100') should have results to the nearest inch (1").
- Schools must submit ALL of their athletes electronically using the designated web-based software provided by District XI. Failure to use the seeding software could prohibit athletes from competing.
- The specific number of qualifiers for each event in the meet can be obtained from the Competition Guide.
- Only times and distances achieved in a meet after **March 23, 2018** and officiated by a PIAA Official (Starter or referee) will qualify for the District XI Meet.*
- There will be no entries after the meeting is closed unless approved by the games committee.

**FINANCES:** Reimbursement and expenses will be paid in accordance with District XI Policy.

**ASSIGNMENT OF OFFICIALS:** Meet Manager will assign in conjunction with PIAA Track and Field Chapters in District XI

**SPORTSMANSHIP STATEMENT:** PIAA requires all registered sports' officials to enforce the sportsmanship rules for coaches and contestants. Actions meant to demean opposing contestants, teams, spectators and officials are not in the highest ideals of interscholastic education and will not be tolerated. Let all contests reflect mutual respect. Coaches will certify prior to the contest that teams are legally equipped according to the rules of that contest.

**TICKET PRICES:**     *Student/Sr. Citizens -- \$3.00          Adults-- \$6.00*

**CUT-OFF DATE FOR ENTRIES:** Friday, May 12 at 9:00 a.m. Adjustments may be made based on inclement weather for league championship meets.

**AWARDS:** *No team champions.* Top four in each of the four divisions (“AAA” boys, “AAA” girls, “AA” boys, “AA” girls) will receive medals. There will be only two calls for awards. The recipient shall report on the first call.

### **RULES AND REGULATIONS**

- A. Contestants must stay in designated areas during the running of the meet.
- B. No coach or competitor, not involved in the event being run, will be allowed on the track, in the field, or at the finish line
  - o Exception: Pole vault coaches will be given a pass for admission to the infield coach’s box prior to the competition. One pole vault pass will be issued for each competing school and may not be transferred. Coaches must vacate the coaching box upon completion of their vaulter’s competition. No other coaches will be permitted on the infield. There will be no other coaching boxes on the infield.
- C. All competitors must report to the bullpen no later than the second call. The event will start with third call.
- D. Protest forms will be available at the tent. Protests must be completed on this form.
- E. ***Important: ONLY STRAIGHT 1/4” spikes will be allowed on the track and runaway surfaces.***
- F. The weigh-in for all shots, discuses, and javelins will be from 1:30 to 2:30. It is the responsibility of each school district to have their implements ready to weigh-in at the appropriate time.
- G. All Pole Vaulters will be weighed in between 1:30 to 2:30.
- H. **NATIONAL FEDERATION RULES** will be used to run the meet.
- I. In District XI qualifying meets to the PIAA Track and Field Championships, not more than three (3) contestants from a given school shall be allowed to enter an individual event. In a relay race, only one Team per school may be entered.
- J. Relay team members must be recorded prior to the end of the meet.

### **FACILITY INFORMATION:**

- A. The stadium refreshment stand will be open during the course of the meet.
- B. There will be two locker rooms available for the use of the competitors in the field house.
- C. Starting blocks will be provided by site. Only this style may be used on the track surface.
- D. Souvenir T-shirts will again be sold during the course of the meet. You may purchase them at the main gate area.
- E. District XI Programs finalizing the linear and listing the new metric records will be on sale.
- F. There will be trainers available for the track and field contestants. They will be located on the infield.

### **PIAA CHAMPIONSHIP INFORMATION:**

- A. Athletes who qualify for the states are expected to attend and compete in the state finals. *If an athlete who qualifies will not compete in one or more events at the state meet, we must be informed on the second day of the district meet in writing by notifying tournament chairman/ manager.*
- B. Each school for the state meet is responsible for submitting payment to the PIAA for all lodging and meals package by registration **Thursday, May 24, 2018**. Alternate financing plans will not be available through the District.
- C. District XI’s 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> place finishers qualify for the PIAA Championship, with the exception of D. below (Pole Vault)
- D. In addition to the PIAA standards, for a Pole Vault participant to advance to the PIAA Track and Field Championships, they shall clear a height equal to or greater than the following minimum standards, in a PIAA District qualifying meet:
  1. AA Girls – 9’0”
  2. AAA Girls – 9’6”
  3. AA Boys – 11’6”
  4. AAA Boys – 12’3”