



## DO YOU ENJOY TRACK & FIELD?

**THEN JOIN US AND BECOME A CERTIFIED OFFICIAL!**

*The USATF Mid-Atlantic Association's annual Penn Relays Officials Clinic will be conducted April 21-22 during the 121st running of the Penn Relays at the University of Pennsylvania's Franklin Field. You will receive hands-on instruction from USATF-certified officials who are experts in all disciplines of track and field. You can leave the clinic as a certified Apprentice official.*



**SIGN UP TODAY!**

**Space is limited.  
Applications are  
due by April 9, 2014.**

For more information,  
see reverse or visit  
[www.mausatf.org/officials/  
2015-Penn-Relays-Clinic.pdf](http://www.mausatf.org/officials/2015-Penn-Relays-Clinic.pdf)

***We are the nation's best track & field officials.***



## Officials Clinic at Penn Relays

The annual Officials Clinic at the Penn Relays on April 21-22 is an excellent way to get started in the world of track and field officiating. The clinic includes both classroom instruction and hands-on outside activities, followed by possible shadowing of veteran officials at the Relays. You will be able to complete your certification as a USATF official at the clinic. To enroll in the clinic, you must be a member of USATF and apply for certification as an Apprentice-level official by April 9.

### **STEP-BY-STEP INSTRUCTIONS**

- 1. Become a USATF member:** You may join USATF either [online](#) or through the [mail](#). Do this soon enough so that you can then apply for certification as an official by the April 9 clinic enrollment deadline.
- 2. Download application:** To apply for certification, download the [New Official Penn Relays Application Form](#) and complete the application in its entirety, including your USATF membership number.
- 3. Submit form and payment:** Mail the completed application form and a check or money order for the \$65 application fee to the address below. Remember, the deadline for applications is April 9.

### **AT THE CLINIC**

**Rules test:** On Tuesday, new applicants for certification will receive a USATF rulebook at no extra charge. On Wednesday, after completing the training, you may take the Apprentice-level test and complete your certification in your field of interest – track and field, long-distance running, or race walking.

**Attire:** Wear khaki pants or skirts (for women, no shorts) with brown belt, white button-down collared shirt with red or blue necktie (women can wear a scarf tie or a men's necktie of red or blue), white sneakers with white socks, and a blue blazer. **Please dress for the weather; the majority of the clinic is held outside.**

**Photos:** During the clinic we will take a photograph of each new official for your certification card.

**Notes:** The clinic covers a lot of information, so you are strongly encouraged to bring a notebook and take notes.

### **AFTER THE CLINIC**

If you renew your USATF membership each year, your certification as an official will remain active until the next Olympics in 2016. Also during that period, you may attend other officials clinics sponsored by Mid-Atlantic for free. Meanwhile, visit our website for postings of local meets and other information for officials. Also, visit the USATF website to learn about an array of [membership benefits](#), including secondary insurance.

### **ALREADY CERTIFIED?**

If you are a certified official and want to attend the clinic, please contact us by April 9.

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