



3rd European Deaf Athletics Junior Championships Karlsruhe / Germany 2016

Technical Regulations

The athletics competitions will be conducted in accordance to the rules and regulations of the IAAF (issue 2016-2017)

01. TECHNICAL COMMITTEE

The technical committee will be composed of the EDSO Technical Official for Athletics, one EDSO Representative and three members who will be appointed by the Organizing Committee:

1. Dietmar Marschner , EDSO Technical Director
2. Ota Pansky , EDSO Representative
3. Thomas Göpfert , Competitive employees
4. Elke Maassen , Chief referee for track and field
5. Mastin Lenz , Provincial Director of Sports Karlsruhe / Germany
6. Petra Brandt , Public relations
7. Daniel Haffke , Representative of the Deaf Committee

02. PROTEST COMMITTEE

The protest committee will be composed of the EDSO Technical Officer for Athletics and three members who will be appointed by the Organizing Committee:

1. Dietmar Marschner , EDSO Technical Director
2. Elke Maassen , Chief referee for track and field
3. Ernst Speck , referee for track and field and IAAF

03. COMPETITION VENUE

The Athletics competitions will take place at the in Beiertheimer Stadium in Karlsruhe / Germany. The stadium provides 8 synthetic lanes, each set up with photo finish equipment.



04. TRAINING VENUE

The training venue is the same as the competition venue.

Date	Track	Discus throw	Javlin throw
24.08.2016	9.00 – 20.00		

Separate training

Warm up will take place at the main stadium. If it rains the Hall will be used for the warm up. The shot put, discus throw and javelin throw will be in the training stadium.

When you turn up to collect your Official Accreditation Pass, you will need to apply for any training equipment that you would like to use for training sessions. Your Official Accreditation Pass will be taken from you in exchange for the training equipment. After your training, you will need to return the equipment so that your Accreditation Pass will be returned to you.

Training may take place at the competition stadium if there aren't any competitions or other events taking place. Occasionally training will take place next to the competition stadium. Training will be between 09.00a.m. to 20.00p.m. During competitions, warm-up will not be permitted on the competitions track. There will be a small warm-up area in the hall.

There will be a special start-light system at all track events during the competitions. There will be a two-hour (2 hours) training session in the presence of the Official Starters. This will be an opportunity for all athletes and team managers to become familiar with the special start-light system. This will take place on 24st August from 09.00am to 11.00am.

05. EQUIPMENT

05.1. The Organizing Committee will provide equipment and implements for the competition as well as for warm-up and training. All equipment and implements used during competitions will comply with the IAAF Rules and Regulations.

05.2. The use of own equipment is not permitted.

05.3. Implements and other equipment provided were chosen by the Organizing Committee from types generally available:

Men:

Shot Put (U23) - 7.00kg, (U20) - 6.00kg, (U18) - 5.00kg (Nelko)
Discus Throw (U23) - 2.00kg, (U20) - 1.75kg, (U18) - 1.50kg (Obol/Nordic)
Javelin Throw (U23 / U20) - 800g, (U18) - 700g (Nelko Sandvic Master)

Women:

Shot Put (U23 / U20) - 4.00kg, (U18) - 3.00kg (Nelko)
Discus Throw 1.00kg (Obol/Nordic)
Javelin Throw (U23 / U20) - 600g, (U18) - 500g (Nordic Diana/Nordic Star)



06. EVENTS

The 3rd European Deaf Athletics Junior Championships comprises the following 82 events 14 for men U23 (1994 - 1996), 14 for women U23 (1994 - 1996) 14 for men U20 (1997/1998), 14 for women U20 (1997/1998) and 13 for men U18 (1999/2000), 13 for women U18 (1999/2000):

Men:

100m, 200m, 400m, 800m, 1500m, U23 / U20 - 5000m, U18 - 3000m, 110m hurdles, high jump, long jump, shot put, discus throw, javelin throw
U23 / U20 - 4 x 100m relay, 4 x 400m relay, U18 - Medley relay (100m, 200m, 300m, 400m)

Women:

100m, 200m, 400m, 800m, 1500m, 3000m, 100m hurdles, high jump, long jump, shot put, discus throw, javelin throw
U23 / U20 - 4 x 100m relay, 4 x 400m relay, U18 - Medley relay (100m, 200m, 300m, 400m)

07. SCHEDULE

The present schedule for the 3 Day Competition refers to the actual number of participants entered on 25th August 2014 and may be subject to alterations. The final schedule for the competitions will be issued shortly before the start of the competitions.

08. COMPETITIONS REGULATIONS

08.1. The Athletics competitions will be conducted in accordance with the Rules and Regulations of the IAAF from 2016-2017. In case of disagreement in the interpretation of the Rules and Regulations, the English text shall prevail. Unforeseen incidents not covered by the Rules and Regulations shall be dealt with as follows:

- Cases of a general nature will be resolved in accordance with EDSO guidelines.
- Technical questions shall be resolved according to the technical regulations and statements. If there isn't any specification, the IAAF compendium, issue 2016-2017 shall be consulted. All requests may be posed at the technical meeting.

08.2. Participation

Only athletes who comply with the EDSO guidelines are entitled to take part in the athletics competitions of the European Championships.

08.2.1. Individual Events: each national association may enter three (3) athletes for each event.

08.2.2. Relays: each national association may enter one (1) team for each relay race. Relay teams may be composed of up to six (6) athletes. Once the team has started in a competition, only two (2) substitutes may take part in subsequent heats or finals. Substitutes only may be taken from the list of athletes entered for the athletics competition, whether for the relays or for any other athletics event.

An athlete who has taken part in one round and subsequently has been substituted by another cannot form part of that team again.



Team running order must be officially declared at the Tournament Centre, 2 hours before to the start of the first round. Then the running order cannot be changed. Athlete substitutions (max. 2) may be made after this time, up to Call Room time.

08.3. Entries

08.3.1. Preliminary entries with an indication of the probable number of athletes in each sport and event had to be submitted to EDSO representative, Ota Pansky by 25th August 2015 at the latest.

08.3.2. The final entries with the names of each athlete indicating sport and event entered must be submitted to EDSO representative, Ota Pansky no later than 25th July 2016. Entries may be sent by fax or e-mail followed by the original official entry form.

08.3.3. No changes or additional entries will be accepted after 25th July 2016.

08.3.4. A fine of 20 Euro is levied on each non-starting athlete with the exception of those presenting a doctor's declaration that he/she should not be allowed to start.

08.4. Confirmation of Entries

08.4.1. One day prior to the beginning of the competitions the athlete's intention to compete must be confirmed by himself or by the team manager. This system is to avoid unnecessary heats and qualifying rounds. The tournament Centre is located at stadium.

The athlete's registration office is located in the tournament Centre. Athletes or team officials must ensure that the officials at the tournament Centre confirm or delete each of their entries correctly.

The tournament Centre will open on Wednesday, 25th August 2016 for the team managers to confirm the athletes for the first day of competition.

08.4.2. The names of the competitors who will be competing must be reported to the technical committee at the technical meeting.

08.4.3. Only competitors entered by name as in the list of 25th July 2016, and only in the events listed (with the exception of relays as noted in 8.2.2.), may be included on this form.

08.5. Cancellation

In case an athlete fails to sign off from an event after confirmation or does not compete in all rounds of an event for which s/he has qualified, s/he may not be permitted to compete in any other event on that day of the competitions, including relays (please carefully note the wording of IAAF Rule 142.4).

08.6. Call Room Procedures

In addition to confirming their entries, all athletes are required to report to the Call Room prior to their event.

In the Call Room athletes are supposed to demonstrate that their unitary sports clothing and that numbers, shoes and other equipment comply with the competition rules.

Athletes will proceed to the start of their event from the Call Room accompanied by a CALL ROOM MARSHAL. Athletes who proceed to an event not accompanied by a marshal may not be allowed to start.



The closing call entry times at the CALL ROOM are:

High Jump,	40minutes
Discus throw, Javelin throw	50minutes
Long Jump, Shot Put	40minutes
Hurdles and Relays	35minutes
Other Track Events	25minutes

If an athlete is already or likely to be competing in another event at the designated marshalling time, the athlete or team manager must inform the Call Room of this prior to the designated marshalling time.

Please read IAAF Rule 144.2d for your better understanding.

08.7. Qualification for Finals - Track Events

Rules for progression and qualifying rounds will be based on the IAAF 2014-2015 regulations. However, based on final numbers of athletes entered; the rules of conduct may remain subject to alteration directed by technical official.

Rule 166: Seedings, Draws and Qualification in Track Events

100 m, 200 m

25.07.2016

Event	provided entries	number of heats 1. round	qualified after place/time
100 m (U23)	m –	2	3 2
100 m (U20)	m –	2	3 2
100 m (U18)	m –	2	3 2
100 m (U23)	w –	2	3 2
100 m (U20)	w –	2	3 2
100 m (U18)	w –	2	3 2
200 m (U23)	m –	2	3 2
200 m (U20)	m –	2	3 2
200 m (U18)	m –	2	3 2
200 m (U23)	w –	2	3 2
200 m (U20)	w –	2	3 2
200 m (U18)	w –	2	3 2
400 m (U23)	m –		Best time
400 m (U20)	m –		Best time
400 m (U18)	m –		Best time
400 m (U23)	w –		Best time
400 m (U20)	w –		Best time
400 m (U18)	w –		Best time



08.8. Qualification for Finals - Field Events

Qualifying rounds may be held in some field events, depending on the final number of competitors. This is subject to the discretion of the organizing committee.

If qualifying rounds are required in field events, a benchmark shall be set and all athletes who achieve the benchmark shall proceed to the final. Benchmarks are to be set at the technical meeting.

If no athletes or fewer than the required number of athletes, achieve the pre-set qualifying standard, the group of finalists shall be expanded to twelve (12) by adding athletes according to their performances in the qualifying competition. If there is a tie for last place it is subject to the technical official's discretion to allow for more than 12 competitors for the final. In the final all competitors will have three (3) Heats to qualify. The eight (8) competitors with the best qualification results will have three (3) more Heats. All six (6) performances will be considered as a part of the competition.

08.9. Starting Height

The technical official establishes the starting height and heightening for both the qualifying rounds and the final. Details will be supplied at the technical meeting. The starting height and heightening for High Jump will be announced at the technical meeting.

9. COMPETITION RULES AND REGULATIONS

9.1. Judges

The athletics competitions of the 3rd European championships will be supervised by certificated officials of the Germany Athletics Federation.

9.2. Protests

Protests concerning the result and procedure of an event must first have to be submitted to the judges according to IAAF regulations. Objection at the competition's judge have to be submitted by writing on the respective protest form within 30 minutes after the decision of the judge (together with a fee of 50 Euro).

9.3. Sports Clothing

Each registered athlete shall wear the sportswear of the national federation they are designated to represent for the competitions. No impermissible advertising may be worn.

9.4. Spikes

Shoes for track events should be equipped with 9mm maximum spikes of needle or pyramid type. For field events the heel spike length shall not exceed 9mm except in the high jump and javelin where it shall not exceed 12mm.



9.5. Starting Numbers

Three competition bib numbers will be issued to competitors. These must be worn on the front and back of your sportswear firmly attached (with not less than 4 pins) thus the entire number and sponsorship information can be easily read. Competitors in the High Jump may wear only one competition number during the event. No part of the number shall be hidden under the uniform. One bib number has to worn on the track suit.

The competition management may put IAAF rule 143.8 into force, which renders an athlete liable to disqualification if s/he tampers with the competition number in any way.

9.6. Post Event Procedures

At the end of each event (including field events and heats and semi-finals) athletes must report immediately to the post event Control Centre located at the just after the finish line.

Doping controls may be carried out. If athletes have other events or duties (such as interviews or presentations) they should sign the acknowledgement and ask **their** companion to wait.

9.7. Medal Ceremonies

The medal ceremony will be held at an appropriate moment following the competition in a given event. Athletes taking part in the victory ceremony have to wear shoes (without spikes) and a full track suit in the colours of their national association. Team Managers are requested to assist in ensuring athletes are readily available and correctly dressed. **It is prohibited to bring any flags to the victory ceremony.**

9.8. Hearing Aids

The use of hearing aids or external cochlear implant aids is strictly forbidden during the competition.

10. TECHNICAL MEETING

The first Athletics technical meeting will be held at a hotel “Radisson Bu (Berlin)” on 24th August 2016, at 18:00 hrs. Each participating national association may be represented by two (2) officials, of whom at least one must be deaf and, if necessary, an interpreter **will be provided.**