

RGVCA MEET OF CHAMPIONS 2025 TRACK AND FIELD INVITATIONAL

Important Changes have been made and are highlighted in green. Please ensure to review packet in its entirety

PLEASE DISTRIBUTE TO: HEAD TRACK AND FIELD COACHES

Due to UIL mandates that milesplit.com online system be used for all District, Area and Regional Meets, RGVCA has ensured to followed this mandate and begin using this online meet management system.

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The Rio Grande Valley Coaches Association is a non-profit organization whose mission is to fund scholarships for Valley Athletes, organize the EAST verses WEST ALL-STAR Football Game, and host the Annual Rio Grande Valley Meet of Champions. We also provide death benefits to families of athletes and coaches that pass away. As an organization, we raise money at several events, such as those listed, throughout the year including the membership dues of about 600 Valley Coaches.

Our 47th Annual "RGVCA Meet of Champions" is March 21 & 22, 2025. Your support for an ad in our "RGVCA Meet of Champions" program has been very meaningful and we want to let you know that the coaches and athletes of the Rio Grande Valley appreciate your contributions in helping our "Meet" be a great success. We encourage that you promote and recognize your track teams by purchasing an ad in this year's program.

An advertisement of half a page will be \$50.00 for each Track and Field Team photo or \$100 for both Boys' and Girls' Teams photos to be placed on the same page. Due to print preparations, photos are due no later than March 6, 2024

RGVCA

1000 Charger Lane Brownsville, TX 78520

(Checks payable to RGVCA)

Reminder: Email team photos and ads to the following address: alfredo.carrillo@psjaisd.us and cecilia@copyriteweslaco.com



RIO GRANDE VALLEY COACHES ASSOCIATION



To: Athletic Coordinators & Boys and Girls Track & Field Coaches

From: JC Ramirez, President RGVCA

Date: February 1, 2025

Subject: Meet of Champions 2025

The following is the information for the RGVCA Meet of Champions. The Meet is scheduled for Friday-Saturday, March 21 and 22, 2025. As voted and approved by RGVCA Member Head Track & Field Coaches the meet will be as follows:

- The prelims will host the top 32 performers of every event except the 3200m, 1600m and 800m.
- THE TOP 32 PER EVENT WILL BE COMPILED AND POSTED BY MARCH 13, 2025.
- The 3200m, 1600m and 800m will be a final event of two heats on Saturday.
- All other running event finals will consist of the preliminary heat winners and the next top 4 times.
- All horizontal field event participants will have 3 attempts in the preliminary round and the top 8 will advance to the finals.
- All vertical events, the top 8 finishers will advance to the finals.
- We are asking that if your athlete is a top 32 finisher in an event and will not compete in the Meet of Champions to inform Coach JC Ramirez no later than Tuesday March 18. All those that qualify must submit their entries by Thursday March 20, 2025 at 7:00 pm. An invoice for all participants will be sent to each qualifier's school. The Preliminary Meets for the Girls will be held at Weslaco's Bobby Lackey Stadium, and the Preliminary Meet for the Boys will be held at Boggus Stadium in Harlingen,TX on Friday March 21. The Finals will be held at Bobby Lackey Stadium in Weslaco on Saturday, March 22, 2025.

Fees for the Meet of Champions are as follow:

- \$10 per Athlete per Event
- \$40 per Relay

All Head Track Coaches must be a member of the RGVCA to be able to participate in the Meet of Champions.

Please remember to submit the paperwork to pay entry fees ASAP. Please make checks payable to RGVCA and mail it to:

RGVCA 1000 Charger Lane Brownsville, TX 78520 (Checks payable to RGVCA)

If you have any questions, please feel free to give me a call at (956) 455-0639 or contact one of your RGVCA Directors.

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Israel Gracia Sub-4A Director Santa Maria HS Contained in this packet are the invoices for the boy's and girl's Track and Field teams for the RGVCA as well as the meet schedule of events of both prelims and finals. We have included 2 separate invoices given the format of the meet. We recommend that the program invoice be submitted prior to March 7, 2025. The payment for the entries will be submitted after the 32 top athletes per event are finalized on the 13th of March. We understand that this may cause a delay on payments, but we ask that payments be submitted in a timely manner based on the qualification timeline. The entry fees are very important to the association and the financing of the meet. They will allow us to have money to pay bills and to run-off a professional track and field meet

Please forward this information to your boys and girl's coaches, along with the preliminary qualification information and the set deadlines. Reminder: Email team photos and ads to the following address jcjrramirez@bisd.us and cecilia@copyriteweslaco.com

The Meet will be held on Friday and Saturday March 21 and 22, 2025. The Preliminary Meets for the Girls will be held at Weslaco's Bobby Lackey Stadium, and the Preliminary Meet for the Boys will be held at Boggus Stadium in Harlingen, TX on Friday March 21. The Finals will be held at Bobby Lackey Stadium in Weslaco on Saturday, March 22, 2025.

The order/time of events, worker assignments, and any other changes for meet will be sent ASAP to your athletic director and or athletic coordinators.

We appreciate all your help and cooperation with our Association. If you have, any questions please feel free to give me a call at (956) 455 0639

Thank You,

J.C. Ramirez



Rio Grande Valley Coaches Association



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Brownsville Veterans Memorial HS
1000 Charger Lane
Brownsville, TX 78520 (956)
574-5600

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Efrain Ambriz Schedule Events for the RGVCA Meet of Champions:

Harlingen HS

Heat and Seed Confirmation Wednesday March 19th @ 7:00 pm

Neil Schuster
Will be done online at the following web addresses: www.milesplit.com
32-6A Director

Los Fresnos HS Meet Schedule

Carlos Uresti Prelims: Friday March 21, 2025

Brownsville Porter HS

Top 22 per ground appears 800m, 1600m, 8, 2200m.

Stadium

Top 32 per event except 800m, 1600m & 3200m

Marcelino De La
Fuente

Girls Prelims
Top 32 per event except 800m, 1600m & 3200m

Weslaco Bobby Lackey
Stedium

Fuente
31-5A Director
Sharyland Pioneer HS
Field Events
Running Events
Stadium
2:30 pm
5:30 pm

Israel Gonzalez III
32-5A Director
Harlingen South HS

Finals: Saturday March 22, 2025
Bobby Lackey Stadium - Weslaco, Texas

Joe Marichalar Field Events 12:00 pm Pole Vault

Sub-4A Director
Santa Rosa HS

2:00 pm All other Field Events

Israel Gracia Running Events 5:30 pm (3200 M. Run)

Sub-4A Director Santa Maria HS

Please be advised that those that are assigned to work both prelims and finals the workers must bring their own implements, equipment and helpers, and should report 30 minutes before the start of the meet.

The worker assignments are for the Friday Prelims and the Saturday Finals at each respective competition site.

Reminder: Email team photos and ads to the following address: alfredo.carrillo@psjaisd.us and cecilia@copyriteweslaco.com



RGVCA Meet of Champions WORKER ASSIGNMENTS BOYS PRELIMS @ Boggus Stadium in Harlingen, Tx

March 21, 2025

MEET DIRECTOR(s): Patrick Shelby / J.C. Ramirez
GAMES COMMITTEE: RGVCA Board of Directors

STARTERS:

ANNOUNCER: Harlingen CISD

CLERK OF COURSE: Harlingen CISD

FINISH JUDGE: Harlingen CISD

Hy-Tek Operator: Harlingen CISD

Timers: N/A

Pickers: N/A

Curve Judges: La Villa (2)

Mercedes (2) Porter (2)

Hurdles: Harlingen CISD

Hurdle Engineers: Harlingen CISD

Field Event Referee: Harlingen CISD

FIELD EVENTS

	<u>Pit # 1 / Ring #1</u>	<u> Pit # 2 / Ring #2</u>				
Shot Put:	Harlingen CISD	Harlingen CISD				
Discus:	Harlingen CISD	Harlingen CISD				

Pole Vault: Los Fresnos

High Jump: La Feria

Long Jump:Harlingen CISDHarlingen CISDTriple Jump:Harlingen CISDHarlingen CISD

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- Heat and Seed Confirmation Wednesday March 19th @ 7:00 pm
- Online Heat & Seed will be available at: www.milesplit.com
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RGVCA Meet of Champions SCHEDULE OF EVENTS ELIMS @ Boggus Stadium in Harlinge

BOYS PRELIMS @ Boggus Stadium in Harlingen, Tx March 21, 2025

Prelims Qualifications: Top 32 athletes for each event compiled by March 13th

3 attempts for all horizontal events; top 8 qualify for finals on Saturday, marks will not carry over to finals The remaining top 8 for all vertical events will qualify for finals on Saturday, heights will not carry over

2:30 pm	Preliminary Field Events	Judge(s)
	Pole Vault	Los Fresnos
	High Jump	La Feria
	Long Jump (Flight 1 / Pit #1)	Harlingen CISD
	Long Jump (Flight 2 / Pit #2)	Harlingen CISD
	Shot Put (Flight 1 / Ring #1)	Harlingen CISD
	Shot Put (Flight 2 / Ring #2)	Harlingen CISD
Triple Jump will follow Long Jump		Judge(s)
	Triple Jump (Flight 1 / Pit #1)	Harlingen CISD
	Triple Jump (Flight 2 / Pit #2)	Harlingen CISD
Discus	s will follow Shot	Judge(s)
	Discus (Flight 1 / Ring #1)	Harlingen
	Discus (Flight 2 / Ring #2)	Harlingen

Top 32 Athletes or Relays will be seeded in heat leader preliminary running events. The heat winners and the next 4 fastest times will qualify for the finals on Saturday

4:30 pm Preliminary Running Events

4 x 100 Meter Relay

110 Meter Hurdles

100 Meters

4 x 200 Meter Relay

400 Meter Dash

300 Meter Hurdles

200 Meter Dash

4 x 400 Meter Relay

Top 32 Athletes for the 3200, 1600, and 800 Meter Runs will run in a Final Race of 2 heats per events

<u>Please be advised that those that are assigned to work both prelims and finals the workers must bring their own implements, equipment and helpers, and should report 30 minutes before the start of the meet.</u>

^{*}Prelims marks will not carry over to finals. Meet Records will stand.



RGVCA Meet of Champions WORKER ASSIGNMENTS GIRLS PRELIMS @ WESLACO BOBBY LACKEY STADIUM March 21, 2025

MEET DIRECTOR (s): Carlos Uresti/ Jose Ramirez

GAMES COMMITTEE: RGVCA Directors

STARTERS:

ANNOUNCER: Weslaco

CLERK OF COURSE: Weslaco

FINISH JUDGE: Weslaco

Hy-Tek Operator: Weslaco

Timers: N/A

Pickers: N/A

Curve Judges: Roma(2)

Port Isabel (2) Rio Grande HS(2)

Hurdles: Weslaco High

Hurdle Engineers: Weslaco High

Field Event Referee: RGVCA Directors

FIELD EVENTS

Shot Put: Weslaco ISD PSJA Southwest
Discus: Weslaco ISD McMemorial

Pole Vault: Weslaco HS
High Jump: San Benito
Long Jump: Santa Maria
Triple Jump: Santa Rosa

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- Heat and Seed Confirmation Wednesday March 19th @ 7:00 pm
- Online Heat & Seed will be available at: www.milesplit.com
- Reminder: Email team photos and ads to the following address:
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Prelims Qualifications: (Top 32 athletes for each event compiled by March 13th

3 attempts for all horizontal events; top 8 qualify for finals on Saturday, marks will not carry over to finals. The remaining top 8 for all vertical events will qualify for finals on Saturday, heights will not carry over

2:30 pm	Preliminary Field Events	Judge (s)
	Pole Vault	Weslaco
	High Jump	San Benito
	Long Jump (Flight 1 / Pit #1)	Santa Maria
	Long Jump (Flight 2 / Pit #2)	Santa Maria
	Shot Put (Flight 1 / Ring #1)	PSJA SW
	Shot Put (Flight 2 / Ring #2)	PSJA SW
Triple Jump will follow Long Jump		Judge(s)
	Triple Jump (Flight 1 / Pit #1)	Santa Rosa
	Triple Jump (Flight 2 / Pit #2)	Santa Rosa
Discus will follow Shot		Judge (s)
	Discus (Flight 1 / Ring #1)	McMemorial
	Discus (Flight 2 / Ring #2)	McMemorial

Top 32 Athletes or Relays will be seeded in heat leader preliminary running events. The heat winners and the next 4 fastest times will qualify for the finals on Saturday

5:30 pm Preliminary Running Events

4 x 100 Meter Relay

110 Meter Hurdles

100 Meters

4 x 200 Meter Relay

400 Meter Dash

300 Meter Hurdles

200 Meter Dash

4 x 400 Meter Relay

Top 32 Athletes for the 3200, 1600, and 800 Meter Runs will run in a Final Race of 2 heats per events

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RGVCA Meet of Champions WORKER ASSIGNMENTS

Finals
Weslaco, Tx
March 22, 2025

MEET DIRECTOR (s): RGVCA Directors
GAMES COMMITTEE: RGVCA Directors

STARTERS: Armando Gomez, Sam Kalifa

ANNOUNCER: Carlos Vela

CLERK OF COURSE: Tencha Lancaster
FINISH JUDGE: Benny Martinez

Hy-Tek Operator: Weslaco ISD

Timers: N/A

Pickers: N/A

Curve Judges: Brownsville Vets (2)

PSJA (2)

Mission (2)

Hurdles: Weslaco ISD

Hurdle Engineers: Weslaco ISD

Field Event Referee: Weslaco ISD

FIELD EVENTS

	<u>GIRLS</u>	BOYS
Shot Put:	La Joya	La Joya
Discus:	Sharyland	Sharyland
Pole Vault:	Weslaco	Weslaco
High Jump:	МсНі	McHi
Long Jump:	Pioneer	Pioneer
Triple Jump:	Edcouch Elsa	Edcouch Elsa

<u>Please be advised that those that are assigned to work both prelims and finals the workers must bring their own implements, equipment and helpers, and should report 30 minutes before the start of the meet.</u>



RGVCA Meet of Champions 2025 TRACK & FIELD INVITATIONAL Saturday March 22, 2025 BOYS AND GIRLS – FINALS – Bobby Lackey STADIUM

Finals Qualifications: Eight Athletes or eight relay teams per event from preliminary round for all events except 3200m, 1600m and 800m; top 32 for distance events will compete in two heats per event

Field Event Finals

12:00 pm	Event Judge(s)						
	Pole Vault	Weslaco					
	Boys Followed by Girls						
2:00 pm	Discus	Sharyland (Girls)					
	High Jump	McHi (Girls)					
	Long Jump	Pioneer (Girls)					
	Shot Put	La Joya HS (Boys)					
	Triple Jump	Edcouch Elsa (Boys)					
3:30 pm	Discus	Sharyland (Boys)					
_	High Jump	McHi (Boys)					
	Long Jump	Pioneer (Boys)					
	Shot Put	La Joya HS(Girls)					
	Triple Jump	Edcouch Elsa (Girls)					
	Running Event F	Finals					
5:30 pm	5:30 pm Opening Ceremonies – Presentation of Colors						
5:35 pm	3200m Run Girls 2 Heats Followed by Boys 2 Heats						
6:15 pm Presentation of Field Event Awards							
6:30 pm	<u>Presentation</u>	on of Honorees					
6:45 pm	4 x 100 Meter Relay	Girls Followed by the Boys					
6:55 pm	800m Run	Girls 2 Heats Followed by Boys 2 Heats					
7:15 pm	100 Meter Hurdles	Girls					
7:20 pm	110 Meter Hurdles	Boys					
7:25 pm	100 Meter Wheelchair Division	Girls Followed by the Boys					
	100 Meter Dash	Girls Followed by the Boys					
7:40 pm	4 x 200 Meter Relay	Girls Followed by the Boys					
= = 0	400 Meter Wheelchair Division	Girls Followed by the Boys					
7:50 pm	400 Meter Dash	Girls Followed by the Boys					
8:00 pm	300 Meter Hurdles	Girls Followed by the Boys					
8:15 pm	200 Meter Dash 1600m Run	Girls Followed by the Boys					
8:25 pm 8:55 pm	4 x 400 Meter Relay	Girls 2 Heats Followed by Boys 2 Heats Girls Followed by the Boys					
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PRESENTATION OF ALL RUNNING EVENTS AWARDS WILL BE MADE IMMEDIATELY AFTER EACH RACE. THE TOP 6 PLACES IN EACH RUNNING EVENT WILL BE ESCORTED TO THE AWARDS STAND IMMEDIATELY FOLLOWING THE CONCLUSION OF EACH RACE.

Form W-9 (Rev. March 2024) Department of the Treasury Internal Revenue Service

Request for Taxpayer Identification Number and Certification

Go to www.irs.gov/FormW9 for instructions and the latest information.

Give form to the requester. Do not send to the IRS.

Belo	 re you begin. For guidance related to the purpose of Form W-9, see Purpose of Form, below. Name of entity/individual, An entry is required. (For a sole proprietor or disregarded entity, enter the owner's nentity's name on line 2.) 	ame o	on line	1, and	enter tr	e bu	sine	ess/dis	regarded	
Print or type, See Specific Instructions on page 3.	Rio Grande Valley Coaches Association									
	 Business name/disregarded entity name, if different from above. 									
						Exemptions (codes apply only to certain entities, not individuals; see instructions on page 3); Exempt payee code (if any) Exemption from Foreign Account Tax Compliance Act (FATCA) reporting code (if any)				
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	Brownsville, TX 78520									
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Section references are to the Internal Revenue Code unless otherwise noted.

Future developments. For the latest information about developments related to Form W-9 and its instructions, such as legislation enacted after they were published, go to www.irs.gow/FormW9.

What's New

Line 3a has been modified to clarify how a disregarded entity completes this line. An LLC that is a disregarded entity should check the appropriate box for the tax classification of its owner. Otherwise, it should check the "LLC" box and enter its appropriate tax classification.

New line 3b has been added to this form. A flow-through entity is required to complete this line to indicate that it has direct or indirect foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries when it provides the Form W-9 to another flow-through entity in which it has an ownership interest. This change is intended to provide a flow-through entity with information regarding the status of its indirect foreign partners, owners, or beneficiaries, so that it can satisfy any applicable reporting requirements. For example, a partnership that has any indirect foreign partners may be required to complete Schedules K-2 and K-3. See the Partnership Instructions for Schedules K-2 and K-3 (Form 1065).

Purpose of Form

An individual or entity (Form W-9 requester) who is required to file an information return with the IRS is giving you this form because they