**TRACK REGISTRATION TIME**

Track athletes MUST register their attendance at the Championships at least 60 minutes before their event because: -

* This rule applies to all age groups and genders
* It allows the Seeders time to decide if Heats and Finals are needed for that event on the day or, it will be run as a straight Final;
* Allows the Seeders to appoint the number of Heats, allocate lanes and agree the qualifying conditions to the Final;
* Once the Heat details have been decided they will not be changed;
* The paperwork providing the start lists have to be printed and sent to various Chief Officials, e.g. Chief Starters Assistant, Track Referee, Photo Finish, Chief Timekeeper, Announcer, Presentation and the notice board. This takes time for volunteers to deliver the paperwork, by foot, for every event throughout the day;
* The Seeders will then be moving on to the next event;
* Each track athlete has to follow these rules each day because if not they will not be allowed to compete in their chosen event;
* Ideally register for all your events for each day;
* Good practice if competing at higher level meetings where registration can be timed to the minute;
* It allows time for the athlete to complete their warm-up before their race and report to the Start;
* Please allow time for travelling to the venue, parking the car/transport, walking from the car park to register and queuing to register. Registration will take place in the Notts AC clubroom (make sure you know where it is);
* Retain your numbers for any following events including any on the next day;
* READ the athletes’ information document.
* FIELD athletes report to your competition site 30 minutes before the start of your event.

**PLEASE NOTE** - Derbyshire intends to send Under 17 and Under 15 teams (both genders) to the Northern Inter-Counties in York on Saturday 27th May. The date clashes with the third Mini League match. **Only FIRST and SECOND,** in the offered events, will be invited to make up the County team.

Please leave completed forms in Presentation this weekend.