

FULL LIST OF USATF PACIFIC CLINICS needs updating cost, intended for, Prerequisites.

General Requirements:

- Minimum Attendance: 3
- Ideal Attendance: 5-10
- Maximum Attendance: 30 for Introductory Classes

TRACK and FIELD

- INTRODUCTION TO T & F OFFICIATING TECHNIQUES: [Overview of Track and Field]

Introduction to T&F Officiating (all day): Morning: Philosophy, safety, preparation, track events including introduction to clerking, starting, umpiring, marshal, finish line, lap counting
Afternoon: Field Events Throws, horizontal jumps, vertical jumps and review for new officials and certification

No Prerequisite, intended for new officials or those with less than one year's experience, need to attend both.

Cost: \$35 includes current USATF, NCAA and NFHS rulebooks

Advanced Basic Track Officiating , Advanced Basic Field Officiating: (3 hours each, one morning and one afternoon) [Case Book discussions] Split into Track and Field, one morning and one afternoon. Track more details for Clerking, Umpire, Marshal, and Finish Line including Lap Counting. Field more details for Throws, Horizontal Jumps, and Vertical Jumps

Outside Activities: Assuming good weather, there will be both a morning and afternoon facilities walk through.

Prerequisite: Level 1 Introduction or one year's experience, intended for those with some experience, only need to attend area of interest.

Cost; \$8

- THROWS:

Introduction to Throws Officiating: (3 hours) Basic details of each officiating position, what is required, safety. Needed equipment, paperwork, basic rules, and open ring.

Outside Activities: Depending on weather, very likely, bring appropriate clothes.

Prerequisite: Level II Introduction for Field or one years experience in throws.

Cost: \$13

Intermediate Throws Officiating: (3 hours for advancement to National level) Advanced case studies, running event with 4 or more crew members, scoring, crew evaluations, working with meet management Do we want this to displace head of event or complement it? Latest rule interpretations Basic Case Studies

Prerequisite: Level I Throws, intended as an intermediate course for those wanting to run a large meet event.

Cost: \$8

Advanced Throws Officiating: I (3 hours for advancement to Masters) Proper layout and set up of throwing venues, advanced Case Studies for the seasoned official

Prerequisite: Level II Throws or equivalent

Cost: \$8

- HORIZONTAL JUMPS:

Introduction to Horizontal Jumps Officiating: (3 Hours) Introduction including running an event with 1 official up to 3 officials. [Introduction safety, paper work, needed equipment, basic rules, open pit]

Outside Activities: Depending on weather, very likely, bring appropriate clothes.

Prerequisite: Level II Introduction for Field Events or one years experience in horizontal jumps

Intermediate Horizontal Jumps Officiating: (3 hours for advancement to National Level)

Running an event with 4 or more officials including Nationals and other championship meets. [Safety Review, scoring, knowing all positions, evaluation procedures, working with meet management, proper pit preparation] Basic Case studies,

Prerequisite: Level I Horizontal Jumps, intended as an intermediate course for those wanting to run a large meet event.

Advanced Horizontal Jumps Officiating: (3 hours) Proper venue set up, plasticine and other measurement techniques, Advanced Case studies for the seasoned official who wants to learn all the details.

Prerequisite: Level II horizontal jumps or equivalent

- VERTICAL JUMPS {High and Pole Vault}: May want to split these into High Jump and Pole Vault with two levels each at least at Levels II and III

Introduction to Vertical Jumps: (three hours) Introduction including running an event with 1 official up to 3 officials. [Basic Safety, paper work, needed equipment, basic rules, excused athlete]

Outside Activities: Depending on weather, very likely, bring appropriate clothes.

Prerequisite: Level II Introduction to Field Officiating

Intermediate Vertical Jumps Officiating: (3 hours) Running an event with 4 or more officials including Nationals and other championship meets. [Safety review, scoring, knowing all positions, evaluation procedures, working with meet management basic pit set up] basic case studies

Outside Activities: Depending on weather, very likely, bring appropriate clothes.

Prerequisite: Introduction to Vertical Jumps Officiating. For the intermediate official wanting to learn to run the event at a large meet.

Intermediate High Jump Officiating:

Advanced High Jump Officiating: (3 hours) pit set up details, advance case studies for the seasoned official who wants to learn all the details.

Prerequisite: Intermediate Vertical Jumps Officiating

Intermediate Pole Vault Officiating

Advance Pole Vault Officiating: (3 hours) pit set up details, advance case studies for the seasoned official who wants to learn all the details.

Prerequisite: Intermediate Vertical Jumps Officiating

- SAFETY: (3 hours) Overview of T&F safety for all venues, Checklists
Prerequisite: Level II Introduction to Track or Field, for all officials to increase their safety awareness but particularly for management officials, i.e. heads of events and referees
- MARSHALING (2 Hours) Duties, Responsibilities, Authority

Outside Activities: Depending on weather, very likely, bring appropriate clothes.
Prerequisite: Level II Introduction to Track and to Field and Safety and some field experience.

- **STARTING:**

Introduction to Starting Ia: (3 hours) {from National Training Com. : for starter working high school, junior colleges, small college meets} Introduction to Starting, Basic Skills and variations for each, Voice commands, control, timing, practice including XC

Outside Activities: Depending on weather, very likely, bring appropriate clothes.

Prerequisite: Level II Introduction to Track

Starting Practicum Ib: (3 hours) Actual practice or starting assignments at all comers or dual meet.

Outside Activities: Depending on weather, very likely, bring appropriate clothes.

Prerequisite: Level Ia Starting

Intermediate Starting: (6 hours) For starters at collegiate and national level

Outside Activities: Depending on weather, very likely, bring appropriate clothes.

Prerequisite: Ready for National Level Starter designation, three years of starting experience.

Advanced Starting : (6 Hours) for starter at international and major meet level and or Head starter.

Outside Activities: Depending on weather, very likely, bring appropriate clothes

Prerequisite: Ready for Master Level Starter designation or 5 years of starting experience.

- **CLERK OF COURSE**

Introduction to Clerking: (3 hours) Small meets, duties, paper work, uniform rules

Prerequisite: Prerequisite: Level II Introduction to Track Officiating

Intermediate Clerking: (3 hours) Major meets, Seeding, Reseeding, uniform compliance rules

Prerequisite: Introduction to Clerking

Head Clerk: (3 hours): Discuss how to utilize the resources you have, problem areas, responsibilities to Meet Management.

- **UMPIRING**

Introduction to Umpiring: (3 hours) Introduction to Umpiring, Basic rules and skills

Outside Activities: Depending on weather, very likely, bring appropriate clothes.

Prerequisite: Level II Introduction to Track Officiating

Intermediate Umpiring: Case Studies (3 hours) Discussion of where Umpires should be for the best view. Information that needs to be captured and the proper method of reporting it.

Prerequisite: Introduction to Umpiring, intended for those with several years' experience who want to refine their skills and/or before become head umpire.

Head Umpire:

- **WIND GAUGE OPERATOR**

Prerequisite: Introduction to Track and Field Officiating

- **FINISH LINE/LAP COUNTING (3 Hours)**

Prerequisite: Advanced Basic Track Officiating

- HEAD OF EVENT: (3 hours) Duties, Paperwork , Records, Assignments, Personnel skills
Prerequisite: Intermediate clinic in one or more Field events Intended for those ready to become National Level officials for the first time.
- TECHNOLOGY:

FieldLynx: (Electronic Field Measurement)

Level I: Introduction to FieldLynx for Throws or Horizontal Jumps (3 hours)
Prerequisite: Level II equivalent of Throws, Horizontal Jumps or Vertical jumps

Level II: Introduction to FieldLynx for Vertical Jumps (3 Hours)
Prerequisite: Level I FieldLynx and Level II Vertical Jumps

Level III Advanced FieldLynx: Setting up and troubleshooting FieldLynx (3 hours)
Prerequisite: Level II Field Lynx, Intended for those who want to become lead group leader in this area.

LaserLynx:

Level I: Introduction to LaserLynx, use when set up (3 Hours)
Outside Activities: Depending on weather, very likely, bring appropriate clothes.
Prerequisite: Throws Level II

Level II Intermediate LaserLynx Officiating Set up of LaserLynx (3 hours)
Prerequisite: Level I LaserLynx, familiar with system operation, intended for those at National level

Level III Advanced LaserLynx Officiating: Trouble Shooting LaserLynx (3 hours)
Prerequisite: Level II LaserLynx, intended for those at Master Level

Horizontal Jump Electronic Measurement Options:

Introduction to Horizontal Jump Electronic Measurement (2 hours)
Outside Activities: Depending on weather, very likely, bring appropriate clothes.
Prerequisite: Intermediate Horizontal Jumps intended for those with several years experience in jumps and probably at least national level.

Meet Manager: Using Hy-Tek's Meet Manager or Let *the Computer Do It All!*

Introduction to Hy-Tek (3 hours) or Introduction to Meet Manager Programs
Prerequisite: Clerking Level II

Intermediate Hy-Tek: (3 Hours) Intermediate use of Program, learn and use all the program options beyond the basics.
Prerequisite: Meet Manager Level I and familiarity with program

FinishLynx:

Level I Introduction to FinishLynx Operation: (3 hours)
Prerequisite: Timing/Lap Counting

Level II Intermediate FinishLynx Operations: (3 hours) Setup, alignment and troubleshooting FinishLynx Operation including zero test.
Prerequisite: Introduction to FinishLynx, or familiarity with system operation

Chip Timing: for both track and road

Level I Introduction to Chip Timing (3 hours)

Prerequisite: Timing/Lap Counting

Level II Setup, and troubleshooting Chip Timing, Net Timing (3 hours)

Prerequisite: Chip Timing Level I, familiarity with system operation

New Technologies:

- YOUTH:

Introduction to Youth Meet Officiating (3 hours) [Comparing high school, youth rules when needed]

Prerequisite: Level I Introduction to T&F Officiating

- REFEREE:

Track (6 hours): Duties, Records, Problem solving and options, Case Studies

Prerequisite: National Level in most of track specialties

Field (6 hours): Duties, Records, Problem solving and options, Case Studies

Prerequisite: National Level in most of field specialties

Combined (3 hours if previously had Track and Field Referee): Duties, Problem solving and options, Case Studies

Prerequisite: National Level in combined events

Race Walk (3 hours if previously had Track Referee) Duties, Case Studies of likely incidents, Problem Solving and options development

Prerequisite: National Level in Race Walking

Long Distance Running/Cross Country (3 hours) Duties, Case Studies of likely incidents, Problem Solving and options development

Prerequisite: National Level in LDR Officiating

Master Referee (6 Hours) Expectations, Paperwork, Problem solving and options, Case Studies

Prerequisite: National Level Referee

- WEIGHTS and MEASURES: (6 hours) Duties, Implement Specifications, Types of and how to use various measuring equipment, in morning and how to set up room and hands on practicum of using and measuring implements in afternoon.

Prerequisite: Introduction to Throws and some throws experience

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- MEET MANAGEMENT: [emphasis on Official's Coordinator]

Level I for Officials Coordinator (3 Hours)

Prerequisite: National Level Official

Level II for Coaches and Small Meet Directors (3 Hours)

Prerequisite: Some experience in meet management

Level III for Major Meets, League Championship and above. (6 hours)
Prerequisite: Level III Meet Management

- TECHNICAL MANAGER (3 hours plus field training) Duties, methods,
Prerequisite: National Level Field Official

LDR:

Level I: (3 Hours) Introduction to Road Racing and XC Officiating Including Rule changes
Prerequisite: None

Level II: (3 Hours) Intermediate Road Racing and XC Officiating, including Case Studies, Paperwork, lead official's responsibilities including Rule Changes
Prerequisite: Level I LDR and at least a year's LDR experience or equivalent.

Level III: (3 hours) LDR Referee including Rule Changes, Case studies, and duties.
Prerequisite: Level II LDR at least National Level Official preferably in LDR

- WALKING: {Suggested on National level – “a practical race walk judging clinic using full speed video on a large screen using elite level walkers walking at race speed, where Masters and IAAF level judges as instructors}

Level I (3 hours) Introduction to Race Walking
Prerequisite: None

Level II: Race Walk Judging (Practicum) Hands on Judging under guidance of RW judge.
Outside Activities: Depending on weather, very likely, bring appropriate clothes.
Prerequisite: Level I Race Walking

Level III: Race Walking Referee including Case studies and duties (3 hours)
Prerequisite: Level II Race Walking and National Level Race Walk Official

- ANNUAL RULE UPDATE/CHANGES:(3 hours) Discuss annual rule changes and their interpretation for all 5 rulebooks, High School, NCAA, USATF, IAAF and WMA, answer questions on rule interpretations
Prerequisite: Certified, open to all officials
- COMBINED EVENTS(3 hours)
Types of Combined Events, Rule differences versus normal events, Difference in Timing, Scoring, Tie Breaking
Prerequisite: Level I Introduction to T&F Officiating
- MENTORING

Level I (3 hours) Introduction of Mentoring for New Officials
Prerequisite: Three Years Experience

Level II (3 hours) Upgrading, Mentoring of heads of events and officials wanting upgrading
Prerequisite: National Level and Level I Introduction to Mentoring

Level III Mentoring Referees (3 hours)

Prerequisite: Referee for at least 3 years

- RECERTIFICATION

T&F

Association Level (3 hours) Rules Update and Association Review and discussion, photo and paperwork update

Prerequisite: Certified in Past at Association Level or RW Official

National Level (3 hours) Rules Update and National Review and discussion, photo and paperwork update

Prerequisite: Currently Certified at Association Level but want to upgrade or Certified in Past at National Level

Master Level (3 hours) Rules Update and Masters Review and discussion, photo and paperwork update

Prerequisite: Currently Certified at National Level but want to upgrade or Certified in Past at Master Level

LDR All Levels together (3 hours) Rules Update, Separate Reviews and Discussion, photo and paperwork update

Prerequisite: same at T&F

RW All Level together (3 hours) Rules Update, Separate Reviews and Discussion, photo and paperwork update

Prerequisite: All must take both Association level T&F Review and their current or upgrade level RW Review.