



Pacific Association of USA Track & Field Coaches Committee Annual Committee Meeting Minutes Sacramento City College – 4 February, 2017

***Your Pacific Association of USATF orchestrates coaching education schools and clinics throughout the season, and serves as a resource to Northern California and Nevada coaches.
For further information refer to the association website: www.pasuatf.org and click on coaches***

Pacific Association Level 1 Schools

The Pacific Association's Level 1 School is completed for the season having education 57 coaches while offering 6 scholarships. There was discussion of hosting an association Level 1 in the Sacramento area mid-August, in addition to the 14-15 January, 2018 (*MLK weekend*) at Chabot College. Details will be posted on the association coaches page.

National Level 2 School

The 2017 Level 2 School will be 17-22 July at CSU Fullerton, Southern California. Application should open early March. The Pacific Foundation will offer two partial scholarships for the school. Check the Coaches Committee page mid-February.

SafeSport Training

USATF has joined the United States Olympic Committee (USOC) to implement the SafeSport program. The goal of SafeSport is to provide a safe environment in our sport at all levels, but particularly for athletes who are ages 18 and under. The SafeSport program includes athlete protection policies, guidelines, codes of conduct, a background screening program, education and training, and a reporting process for any SafeSport concerns within our sport.

All Officials and Youth Club Coaches and Volunteers will need to complete the SafeSport Program. You may complete the SafeSport training on line (*with quizzes interspersed through training*). For more information on the USOC SafeSport Training course, refer to: <http://safesport.org/>

Once completed the training is valid until 31 Dec, 2020

The following 90min training sessions will be provided free of charge:

Sun, 12 February (3:30-5:00pm) during Official's Clinic at Serra HS, San Mateo

Sat, 18 February (12:20-2:00pm) after Youth Spring Meeting at Logan HS in Cafeteria

Upcoming Youth-HS events (<https://www.pasuatf.org/youth/>)

Sat, 18 February: 10:00am-12:00noon - Youth Committee Spring Meeting at Logan HS in cafeteria

10-11 June: Pacific Association Championships, site TBA

22-24 June: USA Junior national at Sac State (*in conjunction with Open Champs*)

23-25 June: Pacific Association JO Qualifier (*to region 14 meet*), site TBA

8-9 July: Region 14 JO Qualifier, (*to National JO's*) site TBA

25-31 July: Junior Olympic Championships in Laurence, Kansas

(athlete must not turn 19 year of age before last day of competition)

4-6 August: Diversity Relays at So. Lake Tahoe Middle School (*1968 Olympic Trials track*)

AeroJav implementation for Youth 11-12 Age Group: Duncan Atwood spoke to the implementation of the Finnflyer or AeroJav for the 11-12 age group this season. Discounted implements with instructional videos available at www.pocketvideos.com

Save the date

Sat, 5 August: Tentative date for the Second Annual HOKA ONE ONE Endurance Clinic at Sacramento City College...*additional info to follow!*