



JAMAICA ATHLETICS ADMINISTRATIVE ASSOCIATION

Established in 1932

June 22, 2021

Dear Athletes & Coaches:

Re: Entry Requirements for JAAA National Championships 2021

Having reviewed the entries for the National Championships, we remind you of the following important guidelines of the JAAA.

1. The best available athlete must be selected following a Championships or Trials.
2. Once Age Groups are in place (Under 18, Under 20, 20+), all competitors ought to perform within their age group for consideration for selection within that age group.
3. Athletes who wish to compete at a higher Age Group must meet the Qualifying Performance for that age group in order to compete in the Championships and are advised that failure to make the higher age group selection criteria will not result in their being considered for selection in the lower age group. In addition, the athlete must write to the Honorary Secretary of the JAAA (athleticsja@cwjamaica.com), before the start of the Competition, of their desire and intent to compete only in the Higher Age Group category, especially for events in which the weight of the implement or the height of the hurdles are different.
4. The Selection Committee will consider performances of the lower age group athletes if the performances meet the standard of the higher age group category.

We also suggest that you check the published Performance List to verify that you are entered in the correct age category and events and if there are discrepancies that you should immediately submit the changes to queries@jaaa.org.jm.

No queries received after 9:00pm on June 23, 2021 will be processed.

Please note as well that the Entry Fee per athlete for U18 & U20 Events is \$500 and the 20+ Events is \$1,000.

In addition, Order of Events has been modified as follows:

- Triple Jump Women – Saturday June 26th at 4:45 PM
- 5000M Men – Thursday, June 24th at 4:30 PM
- Javelin Women & Pole Vault Men have been removed due to lack of Entries.

Sincerely,

Garth Gayle, JP
President