

EUROPEAN YOUTH OLYMPIC TRIALS

1201. PROMOTION AND RIGHTS

- 1201.1. The European Athletic Association (hereinafter European Athletics) shall promote a European Youth Olympic Trials in 2014.
- 1201.2. All rights in and arising from the European Youth Olympic Trials are the exclusive property of European Athletics. These rights include but are not limited to rights of ownership, marketing, advertising, broadcasting, filming, televising and all or any other means of exploitation. No other entity may exercise any of these rights without the written consent of European Athletics.

1202. PROGRAMME

- 1202.1. The European Youth Olympic Trials shall be staged in 3 (three) consecutive days and in accordance with the applicable Competition, Advertising, Doping and other relevant Rules and Regulations of the International Association of Athletics Federations (IAAF).
- 1202.2. The programme shall comprise the following 18 (eighteen) events for Boys and 18 (eighteen) events for Girls:

Boys	- Running	100m, 200m, 400m, 800m, 1500m, 3000m, 110m hurdles, 400m hurdles, 2000m steeplechase
	- Walking	10.000m (track)
	- Jumps	High Jump, Pole Vault, Long Jump, Triple Jump
	- Throws	Shot put (5kg), Discus Throw (1.5kg), Hammer Throw (5kg), Javelin Throw (700g)
Girls	- Running	100m, 200m, 400m, 800m, 1500m, 3000m, 100m hurdles, 400m hurdles, 2000m steeplechase
	- Walking	5.000m (track)
	- Jumps	High Jump, Pole Vault, Long Jump, Triple Jump
	- Throws	Shot put (3kg), Discus Throw (1kg), Hammer Throw (3kg), Javelin Throw (500g)

1203. ENTRIES AND CONFIRMATION

- 1203.1. All European Athletics Member Federations in good standing shall be entitled to enter athletes in the European Youth Olympic Trials.
- 1203.2. No athlete may take part in the European Youth Olympic Trials unless entered by the European Athletics Member Federation which he/she is eligible to represent in accordance with the IAAF Rules.
- 1203.3. Only athletes aged 16 or 17 on 31 December in the year of the competition may compete in the European Youth Olympic Trials.

- 1203.3.1. Every athlete entered in the European Youth Olympic Trials shall produce official documentary evidence of his or her date of birth.
- 1203.4. Athletes to compete at the Youth Olympic Games will be selected on the basis of their performances achieved at the European Youth Olympic Trials.
- 1203.4.1. A maximum of one athlete per European Athletics Member Federation (except 1203.5.) can qualify for each of the 36 individual events of the Youth Olympic Games.
- 1203.4.2. If qualified athletes must be considered beyond finals they should be selected by best performance in the qualification rounds. In case of ties the best PB should be considered. Ties in sprints will be decided by the 1/1000th of a second. If a tie remains a draw must decide.
- 1203.4.3. The final number of qualification places for the Youth Olympic Games will be decided by IAAF. The IAAF will publish the number of positions available for each event by Area. This number will take into account the results achieved by athletes of these Areas during the three last World Youth Championships with a minimum of one athlete per Area.
- 1203.4.4. The continental relay teams competing at the Youth Olympic Games will be compiled from the winners of the 100 m, 200 m, 400m and 100m hurdles/110 m hurdles assuming that all athletes have been qualified in individual events.
- 1203.5. All European Athletics Member Federations will be invited to participate at the European Youth Olympic Trials, even those which do not have a NOC: Gibraltar (GIB). It is important to note however that athletes from those Member Federations will not be eligible for participation to the Youth Olympic Games.
- 1203.6. Each European Athletics Member Federation may enter up to 3 (three) athletes in each individual event of whom up to 2 (two) may participate at the European Youth Olympic Trials.
- 1203.7. The maximum number of events that an athlete can compete in is two individual events. If the two individual events are Track Events, only one of these two individual races may be longer than 200m.
- 1203.8. Preliminary Entries: Not later than 3 (three) months before the first day of the European Youth Olympic Trials, each European Athletics Member Federation shall send to European Athletics (usually via the teams' online entry system) a preliminary list of entries, indicating its anticipated numbers of athletes per event and the numbers of accompanying officials.
- 1203.9. Final Entries: Not later than 10 (ten) days before the first day of the European Youth Olympic Trials, each European Athletics Member Federation shall enter into the European Athletics Team Online Entry System a final list of its entries, plus the names of accompanying officials. No subsequent changes may be made thereto without the consent of European Athletics. Final Entry information shall be supplied in the manner to be prescribed by European Athletics (usually via the teams' online entry system) and

shall include such details as required by European Athletics, including the names and best performances of each athlete.

1203.10. Final Declarations: Confirmation of Final Entries and the Final Declaration of athletes to compete shall be made according to the procedures defined in the Team Manual.

1203.11. European Athletics may charge no-show cost for board/accommodation to any European Athletics Member Federation which, after having announced its participation, does not take part or attends the competition with a number of athletes and officials materially higher or lower than the number stated in the Preliminary Entry (1203.7. above). The latter applies only if the Preliminary Entry is more than 4 (four).

1204. APPLICATIONS TO STAGE THE EUROPEAN YOUTH OLYMPIC TRIALS

1204.1. European Athletics will, based on negotiations, appoint the organiser for the European Youth Olympic Trials.

1205. TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS OF THE VENUE

1205.1. The European Youth Olympic Trials shall be staged in a stadium and city which are appropriate to the event. European Athletics may establish criteria by which the suitability of a proposed venue may be decided. The city shall be of an appropriate size and standing and the stadium shall have modern facilities and be fully equipped in conformity with the respective IAAF rules.

1206. DOPING CONTROL

1206.1. Doping control shall be conducted in accordance with the respective IAAF Rules and Guidelines and shall be carried out under the supervision of the European Athletics Doping Control Delegate.

1207. THE ORGANISING CONTRACT

1207.1 Immediately after the decision of the European Athletics Council to appoint an organiser, the appointed European Athletics Member Federation and city shall enter into an organising contract with European Athletics, such contract to establish the respective rights and obligations of the parties in relation to the European Athletics Championships.

1208. THE RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF EUROPEAN ATHLETICS

1208.1. Notwithstanding the organising contract, European Athletics shall retain the overall care and responsibility of the European Youth Olympic Trials. In exercise of this role, the European Athletics Council shall:

1208.1.1. Decide the dates, venue and the organiser.

1208.1.2. Appoint Delegates and other persons (see 1212.3.).

1208.1.3. Approve the procedure for deciding the timetable of events.

1209. THE RIGHTS AND DUTIES OF IAAF

1209.1. Decide the number of qualification places for the Youth Olympic Games.

1209.2. Decide the distribution of free places (quotas) as a basis for the subventions to the European Athletics Member Federations.

1209.3. Decide about the support towards the cost of the organisation.

12010. THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE ORGANISER

12010.1. The organiser shall be responsible for organising and staging the European Youth Olympic Trials in accordance with the organising contract and in compliance with the Rules and Regulations and directions of European Athletics.

1211. FINANCIAL REGULATIONS

The Organiser

1211.1. The financial rights and obligations of the organiser shall be set out in the organising contract. Subject thereto, the organiser shall be responsible for all costs of organising and staging the European Youth Olympic Trials but may retain the income from the sale of admission tickets, approved local marketing and subventions and grants from national and/or local authorities.

1211.2. The organiser has to cover any additional cost for accommodation for the quota not covered by the IAAF contribution referred to in 1211.5.

1211.3. For the avoidance of doubt, the organiser shall be responsible for the costs of the following persons:

Delegates appointed by European Athletics (see 1212.3.); travel, accommodation and board at the event and at the site visits.

Staff and representatives of European Athletics specialist contractors and sponsors; according to the respective contracts.

1211.4. The organiser shall be responsible for all costs connected with the doping controls including all laboratory costs (also for tests requested for World or Area Records) but excluding tests specifically requested by Member Federations.

IAAF

1211.5. Based on the quotas referred to in 1209.2., IAAF pays a contribution to the costs of accommodation and board of participating athletes and official (limited to the number of competition days plus one). No contribution shall be made in respect of athletes representing the host European Athletics Member Federation.

1211.6. Based on the quotas referred to in 1209.2., IAAF pays a contribution to the travelling costs of participating athletes and official. No contribution shall be made in respect of athletes representing the host European Athletics Member Federation.

The Participating European Athletics Member Federations

1211.7. European Athletics Member Federations shall be responsible for all costs incurred as a result of their participation in the European Youth Olympic Trials which exceed any contributions made by or through IAAF, European Athletics and/or the organiser in.

1211.8. The final account for accommodation attributable to each Member Federation shall be based on the numbers declared in the Final Entries and this shall be paid in full, no allowance being made for subsequent any reduction in the actual numbers of athletes and/or officials.

1211.10. European Athletics Member Federations are responsible for taking out their own insurance to cover illness or injury to any member of their party when travelling to and from and during the European Youth Olympic Trials.

1212. THE EUROPEAN ATHLETICS OFFICIATING PERSONS

1212.1. The President and the CEO of European Athletics shall have the overall responsibility for the care and supervision of the European Youth Olympic Trials.

1212.2. European Athletics shall designate a member to be the Project Leader having the responsibility to coordinate European Athletics Officiating Persons and other staff members and to direct the operational management of the event in cooperation with the organiser.

1212.3. The European Athletics Council shall appoint the following Delegates and other persons to provide specialist advice and guidance to the organiser:

- 1 Delegate to supervise the organisational conduct
- 2 Technical Delegates
- 1 Medical & Doping Control Delegate;
- 7 International Technical Officials (ITOs), IAAF and/or Area Level;
- 5 International Race walking judges (Area Panel), 1 shall be the chief judge;
- 3 Jury of Appeal Members (1 Chair by European Athletics Council and two members to be appointed at the Technical Meeting)

1212.4. As soon as possible after the decision to appoint an organiser European Athletics shall inform the organiser as to the names and roles of the European Athletics Officiating Persons and the organiser shall cooperate with and follow the reasonable and proper directions of such persons.

1213. PROTOCOL, CEREMONIES, AWARDS

1213.1. All matters concerning protocol, ceremonies, awards and related matters shall be decided by European Athletics which may, from time to time, establish guidelines.

Opening and Closing Ceremonies:

1213.2. Subject to 1212.1, the organiser shall propose opening and closing ceremonies of styles and content appropriate to the venue. These may include ceremonies and/or celebrations held either inside or outside the stadium. Such proposals shall be subject to the approval of European Athletics and shall be appropriate to a European Youth Olympic Trials.

1213.3. Victory Ceremonies:

1213.3.1. The winner, second placed and third placed shall receive gold, silver and bronze medals respectively.

1213.3.2. During the ceremony, the athletes must wear their official team uniforms.

1213.3.3. European Athletics shall decide the medal presenters.

Diplomas:

1213.4. Diplomas (to be provided by the organiser) shall be presented to the first 8 (eight) placed athletes in each event but no ceremonies will be held.

Commemorative Souvenirs:

1213.5. The organiser shall present all participating athletes and officials with a suitable commemorative souvenir.

1214. INFORMATION, NAMES AND ABBREVIATIONS

1214.1. All information shall be printed, displayed or announced in English.

1214.2. The names and abbreviations of all European Athletics Member Federations shall, at all times, conform to those approved and decided by the IAAF.

1215. FINAL PROVISIONS

1215.1. All matters not provided for by these Regulations shall be decided by the European Athletics Council.

1215.2. These Regulations are drawn up in English.

1215.3. These Regulations may be amended by the European Athletics Council.