

NEW

800 METER RUN AND 1600 METER RUN SECTION AND LANE ASSIGNMENTS

6-Lane Track

<i>No. of Entries</i>	<i>No. of Sections*</i>	<i>No. in Each Section</i>
1 to 17	1	1 to 17
18 to 24	2	9 to 12
25 to 36	3	8 to 12

*Depends on local facilities and width of lanes. The number in each section and the number of sections is flexible depending upon the local situation.

8-Lane Track

No. of Entries	No. of Sections*	No. in Each Section
1 to 23	1	1 to 23
24 to 32	2	12 to 16
33 to 48	3	11 to 16

*Depends on local facilities and width of lanes. The number in each section and the number of sections is flexible depending upon the local situation.

When you have determined how many sections are needed and how many runners will be in each section, divide the runners into sections by putting the slowest group of runners in Section 1 and the fastest group of runners in the last section. For example: If you have 24 entries and a 6-lane track, you will have two sections of 12 runners in each section. The slowest group of 12 will go in Section 1 and the fastest group of 12 runners will go in Section 2.

Within each section, keep the cards in order according to the fastest time in the section first to the slowest time last. Number the cards in a section by putting "1" on the top center of the fastest time, "2" on the next fastest time, etc., until all cards have been assigned a number in order from fastest to slowest in a section.

The fastest runners to the slowest runners in a section are assigned to Alleys and Positions within each section. Following is a chart showing what is meant by Alleys and Positions:

Lane 1		Lane 2		Lane 3		Lane 4		Lane 5		Lane 6	
				Pos. 1		Pos. 2		Pos. 1		Pos. 2	
				Pos. 1		Pos. 2		Pos. 1		Pos. 3	
Pos. 1		Pos. 2		Pos. 3							
Alley 1				Alley 2				Alley 3			

The fastest runners to the slowest runners in a section are assigned to Alleys and Positions within each section according to the following example:

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Lane 1	Lane 2	Lane 3	Lane 4	Lane 5	Lane 6		
				7	4	1	
		8	5	2	16	13	10
9	6	17	14	11	25	22	19
18	15	26	23	20	34	31	28
27	24	35	32	29			
36	33						
Alley 1			Alley 2			Alley 3	

Type section sheet as follows: (6 lane track)

Alley/Pos.	Sect. 1
1-1	Claudia Kaufman (9)
1-2	Brenda Kingery (6)
1-3	Sally Asmus (3)
2-1	Julie Cochran (8)
2-2	Leslie King (5)
2-3	Sheri Strohl (2)
3-1	Maggie Farley (7)
3-2	Alison Smith (4)
3-3	Maja Hansen (1)

8- Lane Track										
Lane 1	Lane 2	Lane 3	Lane 4	Lane 5	Lane 6	Lane 7	Lane 8			
						9	5	1		
				10	6	2	21	17	13	
		11	7	3	22	18	14	33	29	25
12	8	4	23	19	15	34	30	26		
24	20	16	35	31	27					
36	32	28								
Alley 1			Alley 2			Alley 3		Alley 4		

Be sure to fill all lanes in the fastest section.