





How to Run Track Without Having a Track

By MITCH WILLIAMS, TGCA TRACK & FIELD COMMITTEE CHAIR, WHITNEY HIGH SCHOOL

I was raised on a good sized farm in the Texas Panhandle where we raised wheat and milo and about 100 head of cattle. I watched my father do ingenious things with duct tape and bailing wire. If he could dream it, he could build it. I have seen my daughter, who is 4'10" tall, do incredible things. The other night I watched her get a roll of paper towels down from a 7' shelf by using the handle of the Swiffer. When I played football in high school, if there was snow on the ground we went and practiced in the county barn.

Everyday Coaches throughout the state deal with a similar situation. Not all of us are blessed with "state of the art" facilities, enough athletes, or even enough help. I have been fortunate to coach with some great coaches in my career, and I have watched them do the best with what they have. Isn't that what a coach does? Help kids to do their best despite the disadvantages that they encounter? I have watched athletes flipping tires and pushing vehicles instead of doing power cleans and squats. Necessity is the mother of invention, and sometimes our needs lead coaches to invent new and exciting training methods. Coaches came up with the idea of using bungee cords



and parachutes to supplement their workouts to help athletes achieve their goals.

We don't have a track, but we have a state champion pole vaulter. Last year I had three long jumpers that could go 18' and my sprint relay ran a 48. Our shot putter threw over 34. Yes, I know these aren't the greatest marks. I have 1 assistant, and as far as our facilities go, our track is in dire need of replacement. So how do we remedy the problem? We do what any other coach in the state does. We get out the measuring wheel and measure paths, and we mow grass. We run on the grass a lot. You see our track is across town, so if we want to run during our athletic period we run on the

grass. We might run on the practice field, or we may just run in the pasture, even when we go to the track we still run on the grass to prevent shin splints. We run in the gym, we run hurdles down the school halls, anywhere that we can find the available space. Being at a small 3A school, we also have to share athletes. We run after school from 3 to 3:45 and then let our dual sport athletes go to their other sport. My coaching staff is great about cooperation.

No, we may not be as good as we could be if I had some of those athletes for the entire practice. They may not be as good as they could be either, but I also know that If I make them choose, I may not have them at all. Let me also state that my administration is great. They do everything they can to help me. They are willing to listen to new ideas and they give me everything possible within the budget. If it is for the kids, they try and find a way to get it. So how do we run track without a track? We follow the example set forth by the US Marines: "We adapt, We overcome, and We improvise". Good Luck this season and remember that familiar redneck phrase "Git R Done".

Conference LA Basketball

The Texas Girls Coaches Association is proud to congratulate member coaches who secured 2010 State Championships at the UIL Girls Basketball Tournament.

Congratulations!

Conference 1A Div. I - Leland Bearden, Smyer HS Conference 1A Div. II - Andy Snider, Neches HS

Conference 1A All-State Team

Athlete	Grade	School	Coach
Morgan Willett	Senior	ARCHER CITY HIGH SCHOOL	Jeff S Pirkle
Lexus Mack	Senior	CAYUGA HIGH SCHOOL	Terry A Short
Cheree Kiser	Junior	ERA HIGH SCHOOL	Steven Campbell
Chesney Neely	Junior	GOLDTHWAITE HIGH SCHOOL	Wayne Johnson
Madison Mclain	Sophomore	GRUVER HIGH SCHOOL	Rod Been
Mattie Yanke	Senior	GRUVER HIGH SCHOOL	Rod Been
Ashleigh Simmons	Senior	HAWKINS HIGH SCHOOL	Quiana Rutherford
Sierra Honea	Junior	IRION COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL	Billy Whyburn
Jasmine Guy	Junior	ITASCA HIGH SCHOOL	Clinton Wallace
Brittney Jefferson	Senior	LEGGETT HIGH SCHOOL	Terri Barlow
Malory Johnson	Senior	LOCKNEY HIGH SCHOOL	Lisa Schumacher
Katie Brown	Junior	LOUISE HIGH SCHOOL	Bryan Branch
Kimber Koonsman	Senior	MERIDIAN HIGH SCHOOL	Griffin Fields
Shaina Felderhoff	Senior	MUENSTER HIGH SCHOOL	Jason E Atcheson
Taylor Klement	Junior	MUENSTER HIGH SCHOOL	Jason E Atcheson
Dianna Patton	Senior	NECHES HIGH SCHOOL	Andy Snider
Roddricka Patton	Sophomore	NECHES HIGH SCHOOL	Andy Snider
Paulette Williams	Junior	NUECES CANYON HIGH SCHOOL	Brandy Sweeten
Stormy Williams	Senior	NUECES CANYON HIGH SCHOOL	Brandy Sweeten
Jesse Daniel	Senior	SMYER HIGH SCHOOL	Leland Bearden
Haley Fowler	Sophomore	SMYER HIGH SCHOOL	Leland Bearden
Zakia Winegeart	Junior	STRAWN HIGH SCHOOL	Joe Crabb
Danielle Logan	Sophomore	SUDAN HIGH SCHOOL	Jason Cooper
Lacee Logan	Senior	SUDAN HIGH SCHOOL	Jason Cooper
Anitria Flowers	Sophomore	SUNDOWN HIGH SCHOOL	Brian Legan
Kyra Helm	Junior	TAHOKA HIGH SCHOOL	Stephen E Fancher
Callie Ferguson	Junior	TEXLINE HIGH SCHOOL	Donavan Ferguson
McKinley Meyer	Senior	TOLAR HIGH SCHOOL	Brent Kilpatrick
LaChrista Nash	Senior	WELLINGTON HIGH SCHOOL	Dane Richardson
Skyler Warrick	Senior	WELLINGTON HIGH SCHOOL	Dane Richardson

Conference 1A Division I State Champions Smyer High School



Conference 1A Division II State Champions Neches High School



Conference Basketbal

Conference 2A State Champions **Brock High School**

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Conference 2A - Skip Townsend, Brock HS



Conference 2A All-State Team

Athlete	Grade	School
Kamy Cole	Sophomore	BROCK HIGH SCHOOL
Kenisha Harris	Senior	BROCK HIGH SCHOOL
Paige Parliament	Junior	BROCK HIGH SCHOOL
Jaryn Koenig	Senior	CISCO HIGH SCHOOL
Tresta Donahoo	Senior	EARLY HIGH SCHOOL
Megan Aleman	Senior	FLOYDADA HIGH SCHOOL
Joey Bailey	Junior	GUNTER HIGH SCHOOL
Chloe Smith	Senior	HEMPSTEAD HIGH SCHOOL
Cara Finstad	Senior	HICO HIGH SCHOOL
Melanie Beeler	Senior	IDALOU HIGH SCHOOL
Danielle Patrick	Senior	IDALOU HIGH SCHOOL
Lilly Taylor	Senior	JIM NED HIGH SCHOOL
Allison Carrigan	Sophomore	LEON HIGH SCHOOL
Ashley Shuldham	Junior	LEON HIGH SCHOOL
Jasmine Armstead	Senior	MARLIN HIGH SCHOOL

Coach Skip Townsend Skip Townsend Skip Townsend Ron Berry Derric King Mark Styles **Bruce Keatts** Ricky McCown Larry Holder Jack Cheek Jack Cheek Jimmy Avery Johnie Foley Johnie Foley Bennie Huitt

Athlete Termeka Canada Senior Rachel Urbanczyk Senior Amber Makeever Mandy Makeever Senior Tara Dunn Haylee Oliver Haley Burton **Brittany Scaff** Morgan Ashmore Shambrail Woods Senior Hillari Adam Sally Higgins Karli Kellermeier **Brittany Carter** Brea Draper

Grade Senior Junior Junior Senior Senior Senior Senior Senior Senior Sophomore WINNSBORO HIGH SCHOOL

School NIXON SMILEY HIGH SCHOOL PANHANDLE HIGH SCHOOL PEASTER HIGH SCHOOL PEASTER HIGH SCHOOL POTH HIGH SCHOOL SAN SABA HIGH SCHOOL SHALLOWATER HIGH SCHOOL SHALLOWATER HIGH SCHOOL Sophomore SPEARMAN HIGH SCHOOL TRINITY HIGH SCHOOL WALL HIGH SCHOOL WALL HIGH SCHOOL WALL HIGH SCHOOL WINNSBORO HIGH SCHOOL

Coach Jeff Van Auken Kurt Richardson Mark I Makeever Mark L Makeever Peggy Hosek Tony Taylor Chuck Darden Chuck Darden Junior Ashmore Jozette Jenkins Jeremy Williams Jeremy Williams Jeremy Williams **Buddy Hawkins Buddy Hawkins**

Conference Basketball

Conference 3A State Champions **Texarkana Liberty-Eylau High School**

The Texas Girls Coaches Association is proud to congratulate member coaches who secured 2010 State Championships at the UIL Girls Basketball Tournament. Congratulations!

Conference 3A - Robert Cochran, Texarkana Liberty-Eylau HS



Conference 3A All-State Team

Grade Senior Senior Senior Senior Senior Junior Senior Senior Junior Senior Senior

School

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Coach

Tri Danley Tri Danley Tri Danlev Steve Schmidt **Austin Durrett** Brad Blalock Frederic Griffin Grea Gav Mike Cavender Kristen Belshaw Dan Marshall Trent Hilliard Trent Hilliard Lee Essman Lee Essman

Athlete

Keira Phipps Senior Desiree Scott Junior Paige Blair Senior Desiree Kina Junior Skylar Robertson Senior Bianca Stevenson Senior Imani Wright Freshman Kourtney Bevers Kiara Wright Senior Reagan Miller Junior Raynisha Washington Senior Shauna McClure Senior Shaniqua Dogins Junior Jill Schuessler Senior Lea Watson Junior

Grade School

KENNEDALE HIGH SCHOOL KENNEDALE HIGH SCHOOL LEVELLAND HIGH SCHOOL LEVELLAND HIGH SCHOOL LIBERTY EYLAU HIGH SCHOOL LIBERTY EYLAU HIGH SCHOOL LIBERTY EYLAU HIGH SCHOOL Sophomore LIBERTY HILL HIGH SCHOOL PITTSBURG HIGH SCHOOL SANGER HIGH SCHOOL SILSBEE HIGH SCHOOL SPLENDORA HIGH SCHOOL WHARTON HIGH SCHOOL WHITESBORO HIGH SCHOOL WIMBERLEY HIGH SCHOOL

Coach

Vance Hughes Vance Hughes Terri White Terri White Robert Cochran Robert Cochran Robert Cochran Matthew Kirschner Debra Manley Jack Armstrong Jason Sanders Dianna S Archer Michelle Trotter Chris Arledge Shaun Miller

Conference Basketball

Conference 4A State Champions **Mansfield Timberview High School**

The Texas Girls Coaches Association is proud to congratulate member coaches who secured 2010 State Championships at the UIL Girls Basketball Tournament.

Congratulations!

Conference 4A - Candi Harvey, Mansfield Timberview HS



Conference 4A All-State Team

Athlete	Grade
Logan Mittie	Junior
Devan Price	Senior
Nicole Hampton	Junior
Kristina Higgins	Sophon
Jacqueline Chandler	Senior
Tiffany Moore	Senior
Tina Doughty	Senior
Jordyn Johnson	Senior
Kayla Thornton	Senior
Jessieka Palmer	Sophon
Olivia Figgs	Senior
Daylyn Harris	Junior
Lindsay Ansley	Senior
Natalie Ruud	Senior
Jasmine Patterson	Senior

School

ALEDO HIGH SCHOOL BAY CITY HIGH SCHOOL CANYON HIGH SCHOOL Sophomore CHAPIN HIGH SCHOOL CLEBURNE HIGH SCHOOL FRISCO HIGH SCHOOL GRANBURY HIGH SCHOOL HENDRICKSON HIGH SCHOOL IRVIN HIGH SCHOOL Sophomore LA MARQUE HIGH SCHOOL LIVINGSTON HIGH SCHOOL LIVINGSTON HIGH SCHOOL MARBLE FALLS HIGH SCHOOL MIDLOTHIAN HIGH SCHOOL PALO DURO HIGH SCHOOL

Coach

Rusty Johnson Sherby Wilkerson Joe Lombard Marlee Webb Mitzi Marquart Bob Rose Leta Andrews Tera W Hollywood Rita Minjarez Tawana Rhoads Pennee Hall Pennee Hall Stephanie Gamble Brooke Baughman AJ Johnson

Athlete Grade

Brianna Taylor Senior Taysia Taylor Senior Peyton Adamson Christian Cassity Senior Olivia Patterson Senior Meighan Simmons Senior Brianna Bledsoe Senior Tabatha Thurmond Senior Maegan Conwright Senior Keena Mays Senior Makenzie Robertson Senior Jackie Patterson Senior Brittanya Sterns Junior JTierra Brown Senior Renata Marquez Senior

School

PALO DURO HIGH SCHOOL RAY HIGH SCHOOL Sophomore ROCKWALL HIGH SCHOOL SPRINGTOWN HIGH SCHOOL STEELE HIGH SCHOOL STEELE HIGH SCHOOL STEPHENVILLE HIGH SCHOOL THE COLONY HIGH SCHOOL TIMBERVIEW HIGH SCHOOL TIMBERVIEW HIGH SCHOOL WACO MIDWAY HIGH SCHOOL WAKELAND HIGH SCHOOL WAXAHACHIE HIGH SCHOOL WEST MESQUITE HIGH SCHOOL Howard York WILLIS HIGH SCHOOL

Coach

AJ Johnson Roy DeLaPena Jill McDill Ken Thompson Kari Wallace Kari Wallace Alan Thorpe Jason Weese Candi Harvey Candi Harvey **Todd Monsey** Darilyn Krempin Lesli Priebe Kelly Savoy

Conference Basketball

Conference 5A State Champions **Houston Cy-Fair High School**

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> Conference 5A - Ann Roubique, Houston Cy-Fair HS



Conference 5A All-State Team

Athlete	Grade
Kelly Gramlich	Junior
Lauren McKinney	Senior
Ify Mora	Senior
Gia Ayers	Senior
BreAnna Dawkins	Senior
Diara Moore	Senior
Alexia Standish	Junior
Devin Griffin	Senior
Chiney Ogwumike	Senior
Cassie Peoples	Junior
Rachel Green	Junior
Kelli Willingham	Senior
Desiree Wylie	Senior
Crystal Atwood	Senior
Brianna Bogard	Junior

School

ANDERSON HIGH SCHOOL **BOWIE HIGH SCHOOL BOWIE HIGH SCHOOL BRYAN HIGH SCHOOL** CEDAR HILL HIGH SCHOOL CEDAR HILL HIGH SCHOOL **COLLEYVILLE HERITAGE HS** CORONADO HIGH SCHOOL CY-FAIR HIGH SCHOOL CY-FAIR HIGH SCHOOL DEL RIO HIGH SCHOOL DESOTO HIGH SCHOOL **ELLISON HIGH SCHOOL** GEORGETOWN HIGH SCHOOL GEORGETOWN HIGH SCHOOL

Coach

Katrina L Hall Wanda Talton Wanda Talton Elizabeth Jesurun Andrea Robinson Andrea Robinson Dianna L Sager Shirlene Hughes Ann Roubique Ann Roubique **Bric Turner** Larry Goad Sherry McKinnon Rhonda Farney Rhonda Farney

Athlete Grade Joslynn Benavides Senior

Kelsi Baker Senior Kristen Grant Senior Alexis Jones **Odyssey Sims** Senior Charlicia Harper Senior Chrishauna Parker Junior Natalie Ventress Junior Briesha Wynn Senior Adesuwa Ebomwonyi Junior Jacqueline Jeffcoat Senior Alexann Yancey Senior Krystle Henderson Senior Taylor Hooker Senior Amy Moody Senior

School

HARLINGEN SOUTH HS HORN HIGH SCHOOL LAMAR HIGH SCHOOL Sophomore MACARTHUR HIGH SCHOOL MACARTHUR HIGH SCHOOL MADISON HIGH SCHOOL NIMITZ HIGH SCHOOL NORTH CROWLEY HIGH SCHOOL Stephani Grav NORTH CROWLEY HIGH SCHOOL Stephani Gray PFLUGERVILLE HIGH SCHOOL PLANO WEST HIGH SCHOOL PLANO WEST HIGH SCHOOL SKYLINE HIGH SCHOOL SUMMIT HIGH SCHOOL SUMMIT HIGH SCHOOL

Coach

Dawn Engleman Christina Bradford Errin J Levels Suzie Oelschlegel Suzie Oelschlegel Tracy Hastings Debbie Jackson Nancy Walling Don Patterson Don Patterson Cassandra McCurdy Tammy Lusinger Tammy Lusinger



CONGRATULATIONS!

Basketball Coaches of the Year

1A-2A-3A: Leland Bearden, Smyer High School **4A-5A:** Candi Harvey, Timberview High School





Basketball Athletes of the Year

1A-2A-3A: Lacee Logan, Sudan High School, Coach Jason Cooper **4A-5A:** Chiney Ogwumike, Cy-Fair High School, Coach Ann Roubique

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Sessions & Running Events

8:00 a.m. Friday, May 14 - 1st Session: 3200-Meter Runs - 1A, 4A, 2A, 3A

6:00 p.m. Friday, May 14 - 2nd Session: 1A & 4A

8:00 a.m. Saturday, May 15 - 3rd Session: 3200-Meter Run- 5A

12:00 noon Saturday, May 15 - 3rd Session: 2A & 3A 6:00 p.m. Saturday, May 15 - 4th Session: 5A

Frida	y, May	14
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Track Events - 3200 Meter Run 8:00 a.m. Girls' 1A 3200-meter run

Field Events		8:20 a.m.	Boys' 1A 3200-meter run
9:00 a.m.	Girls': 1A Long Jump; 2A	8:40 a.m.	Girls' 4A 3200-meter run
3.00 a.m.	Pole Vault-e	9:00 a.m.	Boys' 4A 3200-meter run
	Boys': 1A Discus; 1A Long	9:20 a.m.	Girls' 2A 3200-meter run
	Jump; 2A Pole Vault-w	9:40 a.m.	Boys' 2A 3200-meter run
10:00 a.m.	Boys': 1A High Jump	10:00 a.m.	Girls' 3A 3200-meter run
10:30 a.m.	Girls': 1A Discus: 4A Long	10:20 a.m.	Boys' 3A 3200-meter run

10:30 a.m.	Girls': 1A Discus; 4A Long	10:20 a.m.	Boys' 3A 3200-meter run
	Jump Boys': 4A Long Jump	1A & 4A Trac	
12:00 noon	Girls': 4A Discus; 2A Long Jump; 1A Pole Vault-e Boys': 2A Long Jump; 1A Pole Vault-w	6:00 p.m. 6:10 p.m. 6:20 p.m.	ompete in order 1A, 4A) Girls' 400-meter relay Boys' 400-meter relay Girls' 800-meter run
12:10 p.m. 1:30 p.m.	Girls': 1A High Jump Girls': 3A Long Jump Boys': 4A Discus; 3A Long	6:30 p.m. 6:45 p.m.	Boys' 800-meter run Girls' 100-meter high hurdles
2:00 p.m.	Jump Boys': 4A High Jump	6:55 p.m.	Boys' 110-meter high hurdles
3:00 p.m.	Girls': 2A Discus; 4A Pole Vault; 1A Triple Jump Boys': 1A Triple Jump	7:05 p.m. 7:15 p.m. 7:25 p.m.	Girls' 100-meter dash Boys' 100-meter dash Girls' 800-meter relay
4:00 p.m.	Girls': 4A High Jump Boys': 1A Shot Put	7:35 p.m. 7:45 p.m.	Boys' 800-meter relay Girls' 400-meter dash
4:30 p.m.	Girls': 4A Triple Jump Boys': 2A Discus; 4A Triple Jump	7:55 p.m. 8:05 p.m.	Boys' 400-meter dash Girls' 300-meter low hurdles
5:00 p.m.	Girls': 1A Shot Put	8:15 p.m.	Boys' 300-meter intermediate hurdles
6:00 p.m.	Girls': 2A High Jump; 4A Shot Put Boys': 4A Pole Vault	8:25 p.m. 8:35 p.m.	Girls' 200-meter dash Boys' 200-meter dash
7:00 p.m.	Girls': 3A Triple Jump Boys': 4A Shot Put; 3A Triple Jump	8:45 p.m. 8:55 p.m. 9:05 p.m.	Girls' 1600-meter run Boys' 1600-meter run Girls' 1600-meter relay
8:00 p.m.	Boys': 2A High Jump	9:15 p.m.	Boys' 1600-meter relay

Saturday, May 15

Saturday, May 15		1125 piiiii	and doo meter relay
•	•	1:35 p.m.	Boys' 800-meter relay
Field Events		1:45 p.m.	Girls' 400-meter dash
9:00 a.m.	Girls': 3A Pole Vault	1:55 p.m.	Boys' 400-meter dash
	Boys': 3A Discus	2:05 p.m.	Girls' 300-meter low
10:00 a.m.	Girls': 2A Shot Put; 2A		hurdles
20100 0	Triple Jump	2:15 p.m.	Boys' 300-meter
	Boys': 3A High Jump; 2A		intermediate hurdles
	Triple Jump	2:25 p.m.	Girls' 200-meter dash
10:30 a.m.	Girls': 3A Discus	2:35 p.m.	Boys' 200-meter dash
11:00 a.m.	Boys': 2A Shot Put	2:45 p.m.	Girls' 1600-meter run
11:30 a.m.	Girls': 5A Long Jump	2:55 p.m.	Boys' 1600-meter run
22.00 0	Boys': 5A Long Jump	3:05 p.m.	Girls' 1600-meter relay
12:00 noon	Girls': 3A High Jump	3:15 p.m.	Boys' 1600-meter relay
	Boys': 3A Pole Vault		
1:00 p.m. Girls': 3A Shot Put		5A Track Eve	ents
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1:25 p.m.

6:00 p.m.	Girls' 400-meter relay
6:05 p.m.	Boys' 400-meter relay
6:10 p.m.	Girls' 800-meter run
6:15 p.m.	Boys' 800-meter run
6:25 p.m.	Girls' 100-meter high
	hurdles
6:30 p.m.	Boys' 110-meter high
	hurdles
6:35 p.m.	Girls' 100-meter dash
6:40 p.m.	Boys' 100-meter dash
6:45 p.m.	Girls' 800-meter relay
6:50 p.m.	Boys' 800-meter relay
6:55 p.m.	Girls' 400-meter dash
7:00 p.m.	Boys' 400-meter dash
7:10 p.m.	Girls' 300-meter low
	hurdles
7:15 p.m.	Boys' 300-meter
	intermediate hurdles
7:25 p.m.	Girls' 200-meter dash
7:30 p.m.	Boys' 200-meter dash

Girls' 800-meter relay

24 & 34 Track Events

2:00 p.m.

2:30 p.m. 3:00 p.m.

4:00 p.m.

5:00 p.m.

6:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m.

8:00 a.m.

8:20 a.m.

1:15 p.m.

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(Schools will co	mpete in the order 2A, 3A)
12:00 noon	Girls' 400-meter relay
12:10 p.m.	Boys' 400-meter relay
12:20 p.m.	Girls' 800-meter run
12:30 p.m.	Boys' 800-meter run
12:45 p.m.	Girls' 100-meter high
	hurdles
12:55 p.m.	Boys' 110-meter high
	hurdles
1:05 p.m.	Girls' 100-meter dash

Track Events - 3200 Meter Run

Boys': 3A Shot Put Girls': 5A Discus

Girls': 5A Pole Vault

Jump

Girls': 5A Triple Jump

Girls': 5A High Jump

Shot Put

Girls': 5A Shot Put

Boys': 5A High Jump

Boys': 5A Pole Vault; 5A

Girls' 5A 3200-meter run

Bovs' 5A 3200-meter run

Boys' 100-meter dash

Boys': 5A Discus; 5A Triple

7:35 p.m. Girls' 1600-meter run Boys' 1600-meter run 7:45 p.m.

7:55 p.m. Girls' 1600-meter relay Bovs' 1600-meter relay

8:05 p.m.



Track and Field Committee will meet May 13, 7:00 p.m., at the UIL Building, 1701 Manor Road. Track and Field All-State Committee will meet May 15 at 8:00 a.m. at the UIL Building, 1701 Manor Road. Sub-Varsity Committee will meet May 14 at 1:00 p.m. at the UIL Building, 1701 Manor Road.





Satellite Clinics

Houston Satellite Clinic, June 22nd and 23rd, Stratford High School El Paso Satellite Clinic, July 22nd and 23rd, Chapin High School

Registration and membership renewal is available on-line by going through the membership site. Printable forms, as well as the agendas, are available at our website, www.austintgca.com, on the main page, on the Summer Clinic page, and on the "Forms" page. You MUST be a member of TGCA to attend any of our clinics.



State Softball Tournament

Thursday, June 3rd - Saturday, June 5th, 2010 McCombs Field - University of Texas at Austin

Ticket Prices for the UIL State Softball Tournament:

Adult Session Ticket: \$10 Student Session Ticket: \$5 Coaches All-Tournament Ticket: \$45 All-Tournament Ticket: \$85













Photos of the Month - Softball

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TGCA SUMMER CLINIC

ARLINGTON CONVENTION CENTER
July 12-16, 2010

REGISTRATION FORMS

Printable registration forms for Summer Clinic and Membership renewal are located on-line at our website, www.austintgca.com, under the "Forms" category in the menu on the left-hand side of the page. Please be sure you select the correct form, "2010-11 Printable Membership Form". You can print the form out, complete it, and mail it with a check or credit card number to TGCA at 1603 Manor Road, Austin, TX, 78722-2536.

ON-LINE REGISTRATION

On-line registration for Summer Clinic and Membership renewal will be available beginning March 12, along with hotel reservation services. On-line registration is quick and simple. Just go to the TGCA website, www.austintgca. com, and if you are renewing your membership and registering for clinic, click on "Membership Site" in the menu on the left-hand side of the page. You will be required to log in. Follow the instructions from there.

If you are joining TGCA for the first time, we welcome you to the Association, and you will just need to click on the category entitled "Become a Member" in the menu on the left-hand side of the home web page, and follow the instructions from there. If you are already a member, DO NOT USE this category. You will make yourself a new member and give yourself a new membership number and we need you to keep the one you have always had.

In either case, you will need a credit card to complete the transaction, and please be sure you click on the appropriate box(es) at the very bottom of the page as to what you are paying for. Your transaction will not go completely through if you do not check the appropriate box(es).

ON-SITE REGISTRATION

On-site registration will be available beginning Tuesday, July 13, at 7:30 a.m., in the Arlington Convention Center.

HOTEL INFORMATION

Hotel on-line reservation services will be available on the TGCA website beginning March 12. Go to the TGCA website, www.austintgca.com, and click on "Summer Clinic" in the menu on the left-hand side of the page, then click on "Hotel Reservations" and follow the instructions. Following is a list of hotels we will be using for Summer Clinic in Arlington this year with their rates, but please remember that you cannot call these hotels directly and get the TGCA rates. If you need assistance or don't have access to a computer, reservations can be made by contacting Vanessa Ornelas with the Arlington Convention & Visitors Bureau at 817-704-7586.

HOTELS FOR SUMMER CLINIC

Crown Plaza Suites Arlington

700 Avenue H East King Suite/Double Suite -- \$99.00

La Quinta Arlington North

(Next to Six Flags) 825 North Watson Road Standard Double/Standard King --\$85.00 Extended Suites -- \$109.00

Wingate by Wyndham

1024 Brookhollow Plaza Drive Double Queens/King with sofa sleeper/King (1 bed) -- \$95.00

Holiday Inn

1311 Wet N Wild Way Standard King/Standard Double Queens -- \$109.00

Sheraton Arlington

1500 Convention Center Drive Single/Double/Triple/ Quad -- \$129.00

Hilton Arlington

2401 East Lamar Boulevard Standard King --\$104.00 Standard Double/King Deluxe --\$114.00



TGCA Career Victories

Members of the Texas Girls Coaches Association will be honored for career victories in cross country, volleyball, basketball, track & field, and softball.

 Coaches must be members of the Texas Girls Coaches Association in order to be honored

Only victories compiled in varsity girls' sports will be counted.

Coaches are responsible for sending their record to the TGCA office as soon as the career victory mark is passed. This record should include a chronological list of each school where you have coached varsity and the corresponding annual win/loss record.

Volleyball:

Coaches will receive certificates when they reach their 300th and 400th career victory, and plagues at the 500, 600, and more victory level. A

victory will consist of winning a scheduled match. Scrimmages do not

count.

Basketball:

Coaches will receive certificates when they reach their 300th and 400th career victory, and plaques at the 500, 600, and more victory level. A victory will consist of winning a scheduled match. Scrimmages do not count.

Track & Field and Cross-Country:

Coaches will receive certificates when they reach 300 or 400 point level. Plaques will be awarded at the 500, 600, and more point level. Points will be awarded on winning a track meet. Dual or triangular meets do not count.

Note: Cross Country and Track & Field points must be totaled separately.

Cross Country and Track & Field points are determined by the following system:

10 points for each year a varsity head coach

10 points for each district championship

1 point for each regional qualifier (relays: 2 points)

3 points for each state qualifier (relays: 6 points)

20 points for team regional championship (no individual points)

30 points for team state championship (no individual points)

Softball:

Coaches will receive certificates when they reach their 300th and 400th career victory, and plaques at the 500, 600, and more victory level. A victory will consist of winning a scheduled match. Scrimmages do not

count.

Deadline for submitting accomplishments is May 30

TSWA ALL-STATE NOMINATIONS

Coaches are asked to submit nominations for the Texas Sports Writers Association All-State Softball Team to Longview News-Journal Sports Editor Jack Stallard ASAP when your team's season has concluded.

Send nominations by e-mail to **jstallard@news-journal.com** or by fax to **903-757-3742**.

Please include:

Player(s) Position School

Classification of school (1A, 2A, 3A, 4A, 5A)
Any available statistics.

Players do not have to be seniors.

If a player played more than one position, please nominate the player at the position you believe she had the most impact.

Sub-Varsity Years of Service Recognition Award

(Adopted by the TGCA Board of Directors at the July 7, 2008, Meeting)

Sub-Varsity coaches with 5 and 10 years of service will be presented with a certificate at the General Business Meeting at Summer Clinic, and Sub-Varsity coaches with 15 and above years of service will be presented with a plaque at the Honor Awards Luncheon at Summer Clinic, as a Years of Service Recognition Award. Awards will be presented in five year increments. All Sub-Varsity coaches must be a member in good standing of the Texas Girls Coaches Association as of November 1 of the current school year to receive a Years of Service Award. The individual may coach multiple sports, but cannot be the head coach in volleyball, basketball, or softball. Sub-Varsity coaches meeting this criteria should submit their documentation to the TGCA office before June 1st of the qualifying year.

Important Date

LaQuinta - Official Hotel of TGCA

Coaches, teams and fans can recieve preferred rates through the LaQuinta toll-free central reservations number 1-800-531-5900. This rate will also apply to reservations made directly with



LaQuinta Hotels, as well as, via the internet at www.lq.com using the corporate/promotional code of TGCA. These rates are good for both business and leisure travel, seven days a week, for standard and king bedded room types coast to coast.

Other Hotel Information

Omni Southpark: 4140 Governor's Row **Austin, TX. 78744**

For reservations during the Volleyball State Tournament call: 1-800-THE-OMNI. Please refer to our "TGCA" code when making your reservation. Run of the House: Single Rate: \$99.00. Double Rate: \$109.00. Double Double Nonsmoking: Single Rate: \$99.00. Double Rate: \$109.00. Additional person charge: \$20.00.

Crowne Plaza Austin North Central 6121 North IH - 35 **Austin, TX. 78752**

For reservations:

1-877-2CROWNE (1-877-227-6963)

Please refer to TGCA to get your discounted rate of \$109.00 for single or double occupancy. Or you may reserve your rooms online by going to the home page of our website. Crowne Plaza will offer this rate year around for business or pleasure.

May

Sub-Varsity Coach of the Year nomination deadline* Track & Field: Regional meets. Softball: Bi-district deadline. 8 Softball: Area deadline 10 Golf: 12 noon deadline for Academic All-State nominations* 10 Track & Field: 12 noon deadline for All-State, All-Star, & Acad. All-State nominations* 10-11 Tennis: State Meet

10-11 Golf: State Meet, 1A, 2A, & 4A 13-14 Golf: State Meet, 3A, & 5A 14-15 Track & Field: State Meet

15 Softball: Regional quarterfinal deadline 22 Softball: Regional semi-final deadline 29 Softball: Regional playoff deadline

June

3-5 Softball: State Tournament 15 Legislative Council Athletic Committee Meeting (Austin)

July

12-16 TGCA Summer Clinic - Arlington 22

Athletics: Last day for summer strength/conditioning programs

TGCA News

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TGCA on the Web

*All nominations must

be made on-line.

Polls, as well as other current information, can be found on the TGCA Web site at: www.austintgca.com.

Did you move?

Please notify the TGCA office if your school, home address, telephone number or coaching assignment changes.

UIL eligibility / Sport rule questions

If you have any questions on eligibility or sport rule interpretations, contact the UIL at (512) 471-5883.

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