



# 2016 USATF South Carolina Junior Olympic Cross Country Association Championships



Saturday, November 12, 2016  
Grand Park Recreation Complex  
1011 Crabtree Lane, Myrtle Beach, 29577



<http://www.cityofmyrtlebeach.com/grandparkfields.html>

## Schedule & Age Divisions

Age Division	Distance	Female Start	Male Start
Course Walkthrough (self-led)		8:00 AM	8:00 AM
Open & Masters	5 km (3.11mi)	8:45 AM	8:45 AM
8 & Under (born 2008+)	2 km (1.24mi)	9:30 AM	10:00 AM
9-10 (born 2006-2007)	3 km (1.86mi)	10:30 AM	11:00 AM
11-12 (born 2004-2005)	3 km (1.86mi)	11:30 AM	12:00 PM
13-14 (born 2002-2003)	4 km (2.48mi)	12:40 PM	1:20 PM
15-16 (born 2000-2001), 17-18 (born 1998-1999)	5 km (3.11mi)	2:00 PM	2:45 PM

**Course Preview:** The course will open for preview on Friday, November 11th at 2:00 PM. The course will also be open for preview until 8:45 AM on Saturday, November 12th, at which time the Open/Masters division race will begin.

## Eligibility Requirements:

**Individuals:** Current USATF membership is required to compete. Proof of Birth (copy of birth certificate, passport, certified baptismal record, driver's license, or U.S. government identification) is required and must be submitted prior to registration and participation.

**Teams:** Only registered USATF member clubs may enter a team. All athletes representing the club must be affiliated with that club as part of their USATF membership. To enter a team, a club must complete the team entry/declaration process



during online registrations. Only athletes listed on the team declaration roster will be eligible to represent the club at the Association, Regional, or National championships.

Open/Masters: Subject to same rules as Junior Olympic participants; must be current, birthdate-verified USATF members.

*Note: USATF memberships purchased on or after November 1st are valid through 12/31/2017, whereas those purchased prior to November are valid through 12/31/2016. To verify date of birth, contact USATF SC Membership Chair Kenneth Funnie at [kfunnie@usatfsc.org](mailto:kfunnie@usatfsc.org).*

**Team Scoring:** Eight (8) athletes on the team entry/declaration form may be declared as scoring athletes. The top five (5) finishers among the declared runners will score. Clubs may enter multiple teams per age division. For purposes of team scoring, athletes in the 15-16 and 17-18 age divisions are combined into a single division.

**Competition Bib Numbers:** All competitors must wear their assigned bib numbers during competition, chest-high on the front of their jerseys. Bib numbers will be distributed to athletes.

**Event Results:** During competition, event results will be posted at the awards area and online at [timinginc.com](http://timinginc.com)

**Awards:** USATF Junior Olympic medals will be awarded to the top fifteen (15) individuals in each age division. Medals will be awarded to the top three (3) teams.

**Advancements:**

The top thirty (30) individuals and top five (5) teams in each age division at the Association Championship will advance to the Regional Championship, to be held on November 19th at Apalachee Regional Park in Tallahassee, FL.

Similarly, the top thirty (30) individuals and top five (5) teams in each age division at the Regional Championship will advance to the National Championship, to be held on December 10th at Veterans Park in Hoover, AL.

**Entries:** Junior Olympics entries must be completed by 11:59 PM on November 8, 2016. Only online entries will be accepted. Please visit [Athletic.net](http://Athletic.net) to enter. **Entry fees are \$10.00 per athlete.** Open/Masters entries are also \$10.00 per athlete, and will be conducted on-site; see [www.usatfsc.org](http://www.usatfsc.org) for details.

**Payments:** The online entry system accepts all major credit cards; however, USATF prefers VISA.

**Facility Rules:** The following items and activities are not permitted: Unleashed pets, alcoholic beverages, glass containers, loud music, profanity, barbecuing, and disrespect towards officials and athletes.

**Cleanliness:** Please bag all trash and otherwise leave the facility in as good condition as when you arrive.

**Parking:** Parking is free on-site at the facility.

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