



2026 LEGION NATIONALS ELIGIBILITY OF ENTRY PERFORMANCES

4.2.2 Eligibility of Entry Performances

Athlete performances will be pulled directly from the Athletics Canada (AC) ranking system (some exceptions apply). Only 2026 performances listed in the AC ranking system will be eligible for entry standard into the Championships (excluding Combined Events). If you have any questions regarding the ranking system, please contact results@athletics.ca.

The achievement of all performances must be recognized on the official AC performance ranking lists. These results must have been achieved at competitions listed on the AC or World Athletics Member Federation fixtures lists. All results must be achieved in conformity with World Athletics/AC rules. Wind readings and implement certification must always be recorded on results to guarantee their validity. In addition, the signature and contact details of the certified AC Official and or international equivalent may be required. It is the responsibility of the athlete to submit these results to AC (results@athletics.ca) prior to the entry deadline.

Wind – A legal performance for wind to be accepted on **outdoor** short track performances must be 2.0m/s or less.

Only Electronic Timing will be accepted for performances in races up to and including 400 metres. For throwing events, only metric implements must be used to qualify. Imperial to metric conversions will not be accepted. Indoor performances are not permitted. Performances achieved in mixed events (between male and female participants), for track events (under 5000m) held completely in the stadium, will not be accepted (World Athletics Rule 9). Results from regional high school meets will not be accepted unless sanctioned or recognized by an Athletics Canada member branch. **Entry standards must be from a sanctioned event**; to verify event sanctioning please contact you [provincial athletics branch](#).

Sanctioned Meet –

The purpose of sanctioning is to communicate to race participants, event partners and the general public that a designated event is being conducted in a fair, safe and responsible manner, in accordance with the rules and standards of the sport based on the nature of event being offered and where the event is registered as a competitive event, results achieved will be recognized by other national governing bodies for the sport and World Athletics. For more information: [Sanctioning and Labeling - Athletics Canada](#)

No further changes to performances will be allowed after the entry deadline.

Any “challenge” to the performances and athletes entered on the Championship Athlete Start Lists must be directed to egentes@legion.ca. The name and contact information of the individual making the “challenge” must be provided so they can be contacted directly.