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**37TH ANNUAL GREAT SOUTHWEST
TRACK & FIELD CLASSIC**

May 31st, June 1st & 2nd 2012

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CONGRATULATIONS!

You have been invited to the 37th Annual Great Southwest Track & Field Classic, where you will compete with best athletes in the United States!

Having been recognized as one of the top track and field athletes in the United States, it's my pleasure to extend this invitation to you, to compete in the 37th Annual Great Southwest Track & Field Classic at the University of New Mexico Track & Field Stadium, in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Meet invitations are extended to the best athletes in the Southwest, therefore, the athletic invitation process requires that you respond to your invitation quickly. The instructions in this packet will guide you through the steps in confirming your acceptance, your registration online, and the filling out of your necessary forms.

The 37th Annual Great Southwest Track & Field Classic will be held on Thursday, May 31 through Saturday, June 2.

Again, congratulations! Being selected to compete in this prestigious event is an honor, and we look forward to your participation. Now, get ready to compete with the best in the United States!

Best Regards,
John Haaland
Operations Committee, General Chair



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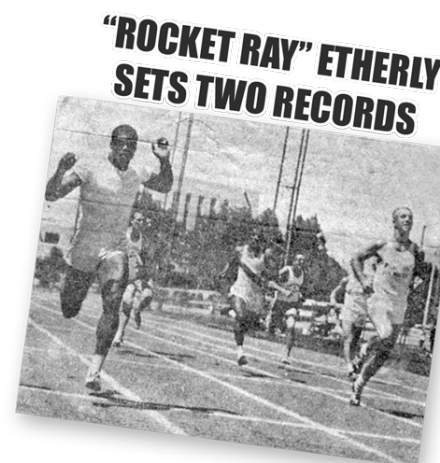
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www.ProViewNetworks.com

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Confirmation of Acceptance of Invitation

As an invited athlete, your primary responsibility is to confirm your participation by contacting your State Selection Chair by phone, fax or e-mail as soon as possible. The deadline for confirmation is Friday, May 25, 2012, at midnight., Mountain Daylight Time. If for some reason you are unable to compete after you have confirmed, you must contact the Invitations Committee immediately. Failure to do so will keep another deserving athlete from competing. *Forms will only be accepted from athletes approved by the State Selection Chair.*

ILLINOIS STATE HOTEL INFORMATION

Sheraton Albuquerque, Airport Hotel

2910 Yale Blvd. SE., Albuquerque, New Mexico 87106

PH: (505)843-7000

www.sheratonalbuquerqueairport.com

2012 GREAT SOUTHWEST TRACK AND FIELD CLASSIC SELECTION COMMITTEE

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2012 GREAT SOUTHWEST TRACK AND FIELD CLASSIC OPERATIONS COMMITTEE

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Meet Director

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Decathlon/Heptathlon Chair

Clyde Volz*

* Members serving on the Selection Committee. Their respective contact information located on top of page.

2012 SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, May 30

7:00 p.m.– 9:00 p.m.

Registration at Meet Headquarters, Sheraton Airport Hotel for all combined events.

THURSDAY, May 31

9:00 a.m.

Boys' Decathlon - UNM Track Stadium (100, LJ, SP, HJ,400)

9:15 a.m.

Girls' Decathlon - UNM Track Stadium (100, DIS, PV, JAV,400)

10:00 a.m.

Heptathlon - UNM Track Stadium (100HH, HJ, SP,200)

FRIDAY, June 1

8:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Mandatory Athlete's Registration at Meet Headquarters, Sheraton Airport Hotel.

Athletes official entry into meet, receive competition numbers and state jersey.

9:00 a.m.

Boys' Decathlon - UNM Track Stadium (110HH, DIS, PV, JAV,1500)

9:15 a.m.

Girls' Decathlon - UNM Track Stadium (100HH, LJ, SP, HJ,1500)

11:00 a.m.

Heptathlon - UNM Track Stadium (LJ, JAV,800)

2:00 p.m.

*** Hammer Throw Boys – Girls will follow Approximate time 3:30 ***

5:30 p.m. – 7:45 p.m.

Practice Session for Saturday's Athletes

7:45 p.m.

2000 Meter Steeplechase - Girls & Boys following

8:00 p.m.

4x200 Meter Relay - Girls & Boys following

8:25 p.m.

4x800 Meter Relay - Girls & Boys following

8:55 p.m.

Shuttle Hurdle Relay - Girls & Boys following

9:15 p.m.

Coach's Scratch Meeting at the Sheraton Hotel

Saturday, June 2

8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Mandatory Athlete's Registration at Meet Headquarters, Sheraton Airport Hotel

Athletes official entry into meet, receive competition numbers and state jersey

Field Events

11:00 Pole Vault	Girls - "B" Flight
11:30 Javelin Throw	Boys
1:00 Pole Vault	Girls - "A" Flight
1:30 Javelin Throw	Girls
2:00 Long Jump	Boys
2:00 Long Jump	Girls
3:00 Shot Put	Girls
3:00 Discus Throw	Boys
4:00 Pole Vault	Boys - "B" Flight
4:30 High Jump	Boys
4:30 High Jump	Girls
6:00 Shot Put	Boys
6:00 Discus Throw	Girls
6:00 Triple Jump	Girls
6:00 Triple Jump	Boys
6:30 Pole Vault	Boys - "A" Flight

Track Events

2:00 4 x100 Meter Relay	Age Group
2:15 100 Meter Dash (Girls & Boys)	Special Olympics
2:30 100 Meter Dash (Girls & Boys)	Mid-School
2:45 4 x200 Meter Relay	Girls & Boys
3:05 4 x 800 Meter Relay	Girls
3:30 4 x 800 Meter Relay	Boys
3:55 100 Meter Hurdles	Girls
4:10 110 Meter Hurdles	Boys

4:25 p.m. OPENING CEREMONIES

5:00 100 Meter Dash	Girls
5:25 100 Meter Dash	Boys
5:40 100 Meter Dash	Girls ELITE
5:45 100 Meter Dash	Boys ELITE
5:50 1500 Meter Run	Girls
6:00 1500 Meter Run	Boys
6:10 4 x100 Meter Relay	Girls
6:15 4 x100 Meter Relay	Boys
6:25 400 Meter Dash	Girls
6:40 400 Meter Dash	Boys
6:55 300 Meter Intermediate Hurdles	Girls
7:10 300 Meter Intermediate Hurdles	Boys
7:25 800 Meter Run	Girls
7:35 800 Meter Run	Boys
7:50 200 Meter Dash	Girls
8:05 200 Meter Dash	Boys
8:20 200 Meter Dash	Girls ELITE
8:25 200 Meter Dash	Boys ELITE
8:35 3200 Meter Run	Girls
8:50 3200 Meter Run	Boys

9:05 p.m. AWARDS

9:15 4 x400 Meter Relay	Girls
9:30 4 x400 Meter Relay	Boys

**DJ DANCE AND ATHLETE PARTY &
COACHES, OFFICIALS, & VIP SOCIAL**
10:30 p.m. - 2:00 a.m.
Meet headquarters (Sheraton Airport Hotel)

Outstanding Performance Awards
following the 3200 Meter Run

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FORMS OVERVIEW

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LIABILITY WAIVER FORM

A parent or guardian must sign the appropriate Liability Waiver Form and forward it to your State Selection Chair as soon as possible.

You may confirm your Invitation acceptance by phone, Fax, or E-mail, however, **the Liability Waiver form must be signed by a parent or guardian and forwarded to your State Selection Chair in order to compete**, and you are required to bring a signed copy to Meet Check-in.

Athletes who show up for the meet without a signature will NOT be allowed to participate.

NO STAY, NO COMPETE FORM

The Sheraton Airport Hotel is the exclusive designated headquarters for the 37th Annual Great Southwest Track & Field Classic. Athlete's must complete the "No Stay, No Compete" Form in order to participate in the meet. ***No Stay, No Compete applies to all designated hotels by the GSWT&FC***

TRAVEL INFORMATION FORM

All travelers are encouraged to make arrangements with the Transportation Committee by submitting their information to the Committee contact listed on the form. You may submit the form by U.S. Mail, or E-mail.

**YOU MUST BRING COPIES OF ALL COMPLETED AND SIGNED
FORMS WITH YOU TO THE MEET CHECK-IN AS WELL AS**

<http://www.GreatSouthwestClassic.com>

ATHLETE ACCEPTANCE FORM / MEDICAL RELEASE AND LIABILITY WAIVERFORM

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I definitely accept your invitation
Please reserve a lane/ entry in my events

I will **not** be able to accept your invitation.
Please invite another athlete from our state.

Name: _____ Date of Birth _____ Grade _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State _____ ZIP _____

E-mail: _____ Phone: _____ Fax: _____

High School: _____ School Phone: _____

Coach's Name: _____ Coach's Phone: _____

Coach's Fax: _____ Coach's E-mail: _____

Best Events		
Event	Career Time/ Mark	Titles/Records/Championships
1. _____	_____	_____
2. _____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____

Southwest Classic Team Jerseys (Circle your STATE COLOR and your size)

AZ (RED)	IL (COLUMBIA BLUE)	OK (MAROON)	KS (WHITE)
CA (GRAY)	LO (BROWN)	TX (ORANGE)	Out-of-State (BLACK)
CO (FOREST GREEN)	NM (YELLOW)	UT (ROYAL)	
FL (VEGAS GOLD)	NV (BLUE)	MO (PURPLE)	

Size: Sm Med. LG XL XL XXL Other: _____

Medical Release and Liability Waiver

In consideration of my entry being accepted, and with the agreement of the undersigned, I herewith authorize all responsible officials of the Great Southwest Track and Field Classic, its sponsors or directors, acting on my behalf, to approve any and all medical treatment to my person as in circumstance of emergency to my life, health and physical welfare as might be necessary, prudent and appropriate, under the direct administration of a licensed physician, during the period of my participation in events and activities directly related to said Great Southwest Track and Field Classic, and do further agree to hold harmless the above mentioned officials, sponsors, and directors for any and all damages, which may be sustained or suffered by me as a result of circumstances not reasonably within their power of control.

(Participant's Signature)

(Date)

(Parent or Guardian's Signature)

(Date)

**You are Required to Return this Form to Your Decathlon / Heptathlon Chair
And Bring a signed copy of this form to the Meet, also.**

DECATHLON / HEPTATHLON ACCEPTANCE FORM / MEDICAL RELEASE AND LIABILITY WAIVER FORM

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2. _____	_____	_____
3. _____	_____	_____
4. _____	_____	_____
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(Date)

(Parent or Guardian's Signature)

(Date)



Requirements:

- Mail, email or fax this form to your Decathlon / Heptathlon Chair
- Mail or email this form to Clyde Volz (info to the right)
- Bring signed copy of this form to the meet

..... P.O.C.
..... **Clyde Volz**
..... 3610 W. Sahuaro
..... Phoenix, AZ 85029
..... Phone: (602)938-0092
..... email: covolz@cox.net

"NO STAY, NO COMPETE" FORM

EVERYONE IS RESPONSIBLE FOR MAKING THEIR OWN RESERVATIONS INCLUDING ATHLETES, COACHES, PARENTS AND OFFICIALS. ALL ARE REQUIRED TO CALL THE HOTEL TO MAKE RESERVATIONS TO INSURE YOU RECEIVE THE GSW CLASSIC SPECIAL RATES. PLEASE MAKE RESERVATIONS ONLY AT YOUR STATE'S DESIGNATED HOTEL. (SEE PAGE 14).

YOU ARE REQUIRED TO BRING THIS FORM WITH YOU TO CHECK-IN AT THE DESIGNATED HEADQUARTERS: THE SHERATON AIRPORT HOTEL

The Great Southwest Track and Field Classic is the premier amateur track and field event for the USA.

In order to meet the demands of producing this high-caliber meet, it's imperative that the local organizers develop partnerships with businesses in the community. Part of these partnerships involves the hotel community.

The Great Southwest Track and Field Classic organizers have established a relationship with the Sheraton Airport Hotel as the exclusive hotel for the meet. Because of this relationship, we have instituted a "No Stay at Other Local Hotels, No Compete" policy for the Great Southwest Classic. What this means is that you must stay at the Designated Headquarter hotel in order to compete in the meet.

Each of the designated Albuquerque Hotels offers deluxe accommodations at an extremely reasonable rate, close proximity to the airport and interstate access. There are also restaurants either within walking distance or a short shuttle ride away.

I agree and understand the The Great Southwest Track and Field Classic's "No Stay at Other Local Hotels, No Compete" policy. If I don't make my accommodations with the Sheraton Airport Hotel or other designated hotels, I will forfeit my entrance fee and will not be allowed to compete in the 2012 Great Southwest Track and Field Classic.

Signed _____ Date: _____
Athlete

Signed _____ Date: _____
Parent/Guardian

TRAVEL INFORMATION FORM

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Return this form by U.S. Mail, or E-mail to Travel Committee Contact:

Athlete _____ Coach _____ Parent _____ Official _____ (Check)

Name: _____ School: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____

There will be _____ individuals in my group.

Cell Phone _____ (optional)

My arrival:

My Departure:

Date: _____

Date: _____

Time: _____

Time: _____

Airline: _____

Airline: _____

Flight#: _____

Flight#: _____

DO NOT SEND UNLESS YOU NEED TRANSPORTATION!

The Great Southwest Track and Field Classic Transportation Committee will provide transportation for you from the Albuquerque Airport to the designated hotels for check in. We will also provide transportation to and from UNM Track and Field Stadium.

_____ I will **not** need transportation to the Sheraton Airport Hotel.

_____ I will need transportation to the Sheraton Airport Hotel

_____ I am bringing **Pole Vaults** or **Javelins** (Please circle one)



Requirements:

- Mail or email to travel contact, Bob Morrell (info to right)
- Be sure to clarify which hotel you will be staying

Bob Morrell

168 Brannan Rd.

Tijeras, NM 87059

Phone: (505) 281-0993

Mobile: (505) 401-3042

E-mail: bobm2540@aol.com

ONLINE REGISTRATION

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HOW TO REGISTER ONLINE:

Once you have accepted your invitation to compete in the Great Southwest Track and Field Classic, you will register and pay your fees online.

1. Go to <http://www.directathletics.com/meets/track/24219.html>
2. If you have never registered before, click on: "New Users Click Here" located at the bottom of the "Login" dialogue box, which you'll find at the left of the page.
3. Once the new page has loaded, click on: "Create an Athlete Account" link.
4. Fill out all information on the form, then follow the steps.
5. Go to "Meets" and locate "37th Great Southwestern Track and Field Classic Athlete payment," then double click on the link.
6. When the Meet information page opens, create your new Athlete Account.
7. Follow all steps from that point on.

REGISTRATION DEADLINES

- Registration deadline is midnight (MDT) Thursday May 31, 2012. Registration fee is \$60.00 plus processing fee.
- All walk ups registrations the registration fee will be \$70.00 plus a processing fee of \$5.55.
- Athletes who have not been invited and register will not be allowed to compete and will forfeit all registration and processing fees.
- All registration fees are non-refundable.
- **NO CHECK WILL BE ACCEPTED UNLESS SCHOOL-ISSUED**

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GSW CLASSIC MEET CHECK-IN

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CHECK-IN TIME & INFORMATION

- It is mandatory that all invited athletes check in at check-in headquarters, Sheraton Airport Hotel, prior to 12:00 p.m., June 2, 2012. (see page 14 for hotel information)
- Athletes who do not check in at the meet headquarters, Sheraton Airport Hotel, will be dropped and replaced with alternate athletes.
- There is a \$50.00 non-refundable registration fee, and a signed Liability Waiver Form must be on file.
- The registration packet includes meet instructions, a competition number, and a state team jersey.

► **ABSOLUTELY NO athlete registration will be conducted at the UNM track facility** ◀

TRANSPORTATION INFO & SCHEDULE FROM AIRPORT AND HOTEL:

- The Great Southwest Track & Field Classic Transportation Committee will provide travel from the Albuquerque International Airport to Sheraton Airport Hotel and designated hotels (see page 14)
- Refer to the enclosed airport map for directions.
- If there is no shuttle at the airport when you arrive call:
Bob Morrell (505) 401-3042
Jerry Vigil (505) 269-6917

Shuttle Schedule:

Wednesday, May 30, 2012-2:00 p.m to Midnight
 Thursday, May 31, 2012-6:30 AM to Midnight
 Friday, June 1, 2012-6:30 AM to Midnight
 Saturday, June 2, 6:30 AM to 2:00 AM

Shuttle from the Sheraton Airport Hotel to the airport 6:30 AM - 1:00 PM



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**Each state is assigned a designated hotel.
Please make your reservations at your state's respective hotel.**

▣ MEET HEADQUARTERS: SHERATON ALBUQUERQUE AIRPORT HOTEL ▣

AZ ▣ CA ▣ IL ▣ LA ▣ NM ▣ TX & OUT-OF-REGION STATES

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UTAH ▣ FLORIDA

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Albuquerque, NM 87106

PH: (505) 765-1000

COLORADO

Courtyard Marriot

1920 Yale Blvd. SE

Albuquerque, New Mexico 87106

(505) 843-6600

OKLAHOMA ▣ NEVADA

Holiday Inn Select Hotel and Suites

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KANSAS ▣ MISSOURI

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SEE MAPS ON LAST PAGE FOR THE LOCATION EACH HOTEL

HOTEL RULES AND PROCEDURES

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HOTEL RULES AND PROCEDURES

The management of the Sheraton Airport Hotel welcomes the Great Southwest Classic athletes to the City of Albuquerque for this important competition. The Sheraton Airport Hotel's hospitality is extended also to your coaches, officials, and families.

We appreciate your best behavior and conduct. Your conduct will reflect on the athletes who will follow in subsequent years. Have fun and respect others. Adults will be on the premises as supervisors / advisors.

All of the GSW Classic hotel selections offers deluxe accommodations at an extremely reasonable rates, close proximity to the airport and interstate access. There are also restaurants either within walking distance or a short shuttle ride away.

SPECIAL ROOM RATES ARE ON A SPACE AVAILABILITY BASIS.

- Room rates are \$90.00 + tax per night
- To receive your special rate, state that you are with the Great Southwest Classic.
- Deadline for special rates is May 29, 2012.
- Up to four athletes may share one room at \$22.50 each, plus tax.
- Everyone is responsible for making their own reservations (athletes, coaches, parents, officials)
- It is required that you **call** the hotel to make your reservations

Make Your Hotel Reservations NOW!

See hotel page (page 14 and state info page (pg. 3) for more details and specific hotel information for your state.

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RULES AND INSTRUCTIONS

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ON BEHALF OF THE CHAIRMEN AND COMMITTEE MEMBERS OF THE SOUTHWEST CLASSIC ASSOCIATION, WE CONGRATULATE YOU ON BEING INVITED AS A FINALIST FOR THE 37TH ANNUAL GREAT SOUTHWEST TRACK & FIELD CLASSIC.

MEET LOCATION

University of New Mexico Track & Field Stadium, Albuquerque, NM.

REVIEW THE CHECK-IN SCHEDULE

Field Events: Report to your event 30 minutes before event start time.

Track Events: Report to the south end of the seats 20 minutes before the event.

BE ON TIME FOR THESE IMPORTANT ITEMS:		
✓ Check-in	✓ Spotlight Introduction	✓ Final Warm-up Period

INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE MEET STARTER

The number of false starts allowed will follow the USATF rules. One false start by an individual will result in disqualification. Decathlon/Heptathlon will also follow USATF rules. All other events will be governed by National Federation Rules.

THREE ATTEMPTS FOR EACH ATHLETE IN THE SHOT PUT, DISCUS, JAVELIN, HAMMER, LONG JUMP, TRIPLE JUMP.

After the first three attempts, the order of athletes for the last three attempts in each event will be set by the lowest mark to the highest mark. The last three attempts will be for only the top eight individuals. All distances and heights will be reported in metric to be compliant without Hy-Tek Meet Management System.

MEET RESULTS ON THE WEB PAGE

After each event is completed, the results will be entered into the computer and will be placed on the Great Southwest Classic web page: www.GreatSouthWest.com In addition, results are posted on the national web page of high school track Dystat: www.espn-rise.com.

CHECKLIST

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CHECK LIST

Athletes within the Great Southwest Region:

Must be invited by your State Selection Chairman.

Athletes outside the Great Southwest Region:

Must be invited by the Boy's or Girl's National Chairman.

ALL ATHLETES:

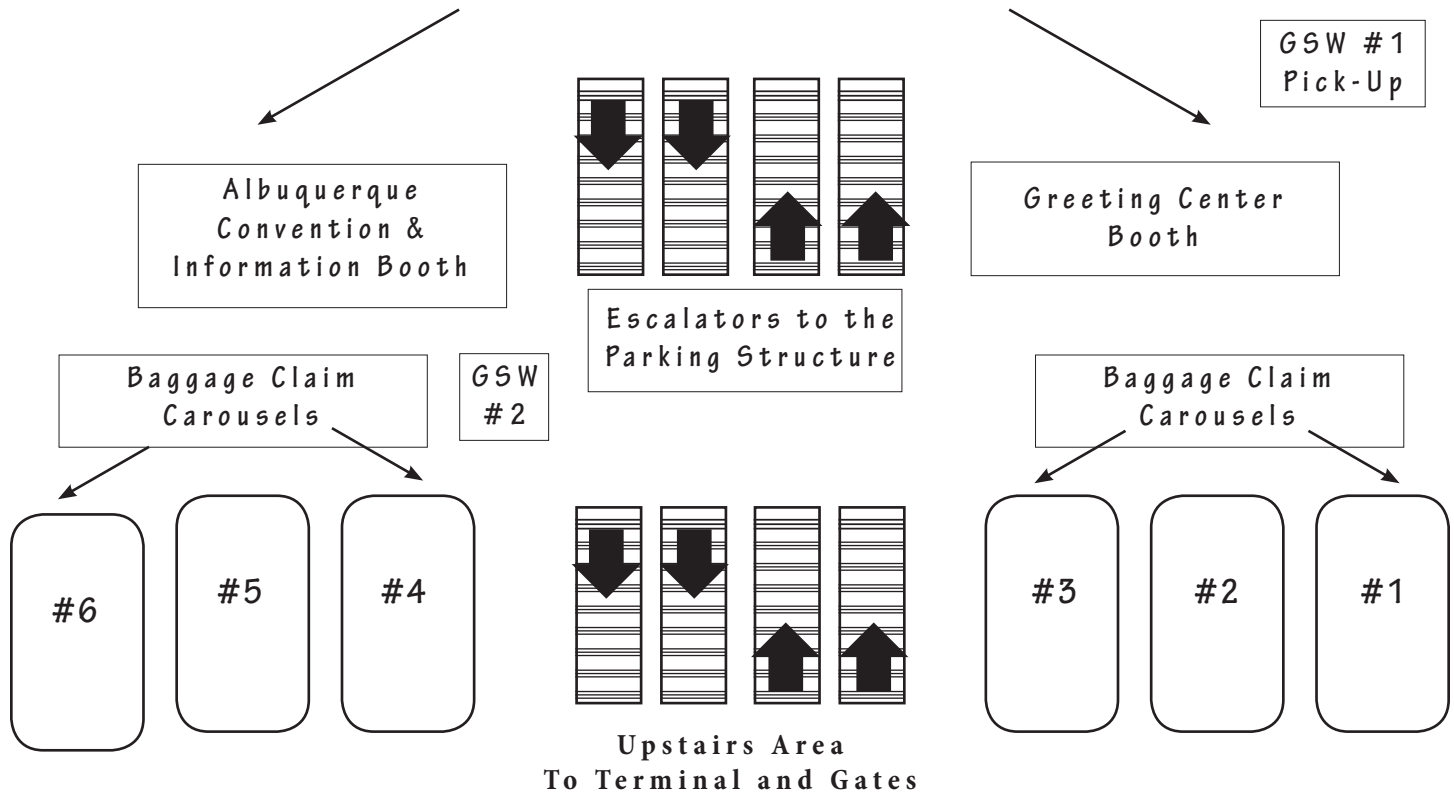
- After accepting the invitation, register online at: www.directathletics.com/meets.track/24219.html
- Walk up registration will be available with \$70.00 registration fee with processing fee of \$5.50
- Make your reservations at the Sheraton Airport Hotel by May 30.
Inform the Hotel that you are with the GSWT&FC to receive your special group rate of \$90.00 plus tax. Up to four athletes may share a room at \$22.50 plus tax, each.
- COMPLETE ALL OF YOUR FORMS:**
 - Return the appropriate Athlete Acceptance/Medical Release Form ASAP to your state Chairman or National Chairman.
 - Return your Travel Information Form to your Travel Committee contact, Bob Morrell
 - Bring your "No Stay, No Compete" Form with you to Meet Check-in.
- DECATHLON / HEPTATHLON ATHLETES:**
 - Use the Decathlon / Heptathlon Athlete Acceptance/Medical Release Form.

In order to compete you are required to bring a copy of your signed and dated athlete acceptance/medical release and liability waiver form to meet check-in. NO EXCEPTIONS

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ALBUQUERQUE INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT PICK-UP AREAS

Pick-Up and Loading Street



- Look for Shuttle Vans at GSW #1
- Vans will have "Great Southwest" logo on the side of the vehicle
- Vans run every half-hour
- Possible Greeter at GSW 2

- 1 Sheraton Albuquerque, Airport Hotel**
2910 Yale Blvd. SE.,
Albuquerque, NM 87106
PH: (505)843-7000
- 2 Hilton Garden Inn**
2601 Yale Blve. SE
Albuquerque, NM 87106
PH: (505) 765-1000
- 3 Courtyard Marriot**
1920 Yale Blvd. SE
Albuquerque, NM 87106
(505) 843-6600
- 4 Holiday Inn Select Hotel & Suites**
1501 Sunport Place SE
Albuquerque, NM 87106
(505) 944-2222
- 5 Hyatt Place Airport**
1400 Sunport SE
Albuquerque, NM 87106
(505) 242-5300
- 6 UNM Track & Field**

