





Location:	Sparta High School Stadium : 475 West Spartan Drive Sparta, Michigan 49345
Location Details:	-No Sports drinks, food or gum on the sidelines No Tents in the Field Event area - only tents are allowed in Team Tent Area - No dogs are allowed in the stadium - Children of middle school age or under must be accompanied by a parent/guardian to enter the stadium and must be supervised at all times - No parking is allowed on the grass. Handicap spaces are located just south of the stadium entrance
Participating Schools:	Sparta (Host), Forest Hills Eastern, Belding, Comstock Park, East Grand Rapids, Grand Rapids Catholic Central, Grand Rapids Christian, Grand Rapids South Christian, Grand Rapids West Catholic, Grand Rapids West Michigan Aviation Academy, Kentwood Grand River Prep, Middleville Thornapple Kellogg, Wyoming Godwin Heights, Wyoming Kelloggsville and Wyoming Lee
Schedule: May 18, 2024	8:00am- Gates Open 8:15am- Implement Check- Left of Gate Entrance 8:45am- Coaches Meeting at 50 yard line 9:15am- Field Events Start (Boys Shot First, Girls Discus First) Dual Pits for Long Jump, High Jump and Pole Vault 10:15am- End of Open Pit Long Jump (Dual Pits) 10:30am- Long Jump Finals 10:45am- 4x800 Finals 11:10am- Prelim Events (100,110/100 Hurdles, 200) 12:55pm- National Anthem 1:00pm- Finals
Admission:	All Tickets are \$7 and must be purchased through GoFan ONLY. Validated tickets and passes will NOT be accepted at admission.  We will have a card reader at the ticket booth to take credit card at the gate.
Hospitality:	There will be a hospitality room provided for Event Workers and Coaches. Location marked on the map.
<u>Trainer:</u>	There will be two trainers on site along with our Team Doctor. NO CUPS WILL BE AVAILABLE - BRING WATER BOTTLES
Restricted	-Each team will be given bracelets for coaches to access the hospitality room and coaches boxes



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Areas:	-Coaches box will be in the infield between the 20 yard marks on the football fieldAthletes may be only in the infield if they are warming up for their event.
Jury of Appeals:	Mike Boerman- Meet Manager Mike Dykstra- EGR Girls Track and Field Coach Jackson Fox- Grand Rapids Catholic Central Boys Track and Field Coach 2 Officials
Implement Weigh In:	8:15am at Boosters Store located left of the front entrance
Entries:	All times, distances and heights shall have been achieved prior to <b>4:00 pm on Tuesday May 14th</b> . Times must be entered as FAT times to the hundredth (.00) or handheld equivalent, adjusted by +.24 Late entries will not be accepted
Entry Limitations:	One (1) relay team per school team. A maximum of three (3) individuals may be listed by a team on each individual event, no alternates and no substitutions. Only two (2) may compete: however, if three (3) or more entries by a school team in an event have equaled or bettered the times or distances listed for Division 2 Additional Qualifying Times/Distances during the current outdoor season, then all of those entries may enter and compete in that event
Team Tents:	East side of the stadium. See attached map for more details.  No tents may be set up outside of the Team Tent Area
Team Entrance and Arrival:	All teams must first enter through the front gates of Spartan Stadium.  There will be a gate open near the Team Tent area just for Coaches and Athletes to enter and exit the stadium.
Concessions:	Concessions will be available on the South end of the Stadium
Master of Eligibility:	Please send a copy of your Master Eligibility list to <a href="mailto:alison.johnston@spartaschools.org">alison.johnston@spartaschools.org</a> by the MHSAA Opt-Out Date May 16th.
Merchandise:	Apparel is going to be available and sold by EA Graphics in the SouthEast corner of the stadium
Call System:	We will be announcing the first call, second call and third/final call. Athletes that don't report to the clerk of the course or field event





	supervisor by the third and final call will be scratched from that event.
Wheelchair Events:	MHSAA Regional will include Wheelchair Track and Field category for wheelchair participants in four events -100m,200m,400m and Shot Put. Participants must meet all MHSAA eligibility requirements and be added to the MEL. They must have participated in these events during two regular season meets.
Locker Rooms:	Locker rooms will <u>not</u> be available. Bathrooms on the South end of the stadium.
Scoring:	See National Federation rule 2-I-2 (10-8-6-5-4-3-2-1)
Warm Up Area:	Additional Warm Up Area will be provided in the outfield of our baseball field.
Starting Blocks:	Traditional starting blocks will be provided. If you bring your own blocks, they must be approved by the meet manager or meet referee
<u>Spikes</u>	Only ½ inch or ½ pyramid spikes permitted.
Awards:	There will be a champion trophy provided for the winning boys and girls teams. Results will be announced as soon as possible. Team medal packets can be picked up following the conclusion of the event
<u>Uniform Rule</u>	A single manufacturer's logo/trademark/reference, no more than 2 ½ square inches. Additionally, the only head attire that may be worn during competition is a knit stocking cap, sweatband,ski band, the hood of a one piece suit or undergarment. No color restrictions
Bus Parking:	Will be available in our Bus drop off lot located on the map below.
<u>Finish Line</u>	Michiana Timing will be timing this event.



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- #1- Additional Warm Up Area
- #2- Team Tent Area
- #3- High Jump
- #4- Discus
- #5- Long Jump
- #6-Shot Put
- #7- Hospitality Room for Coaches and Event Workers
- #8- Implement Check
- #9- Bus Parking



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