

The meet is once again hosted/managed by ade sports and held at Waupun Sports Complex on Saturday, May 24th, 2025. (Note – Please do not contact Waupun School District regarding the event as we simply host it at this site. Waupun has nothing else to do with the managing/hosting of the event.)

There will be three divisions for all individual events – 6th grade, 7th grade and 8th grade. The relay events will remain as single divisions – All Grades Can Be Combined for relay teams.

Entry fee is \$11 for individual events and \$25 per relay team. (Please read all details below for registration process.)

While you consider entering this event – Please note, this is a track & field meet created for an opportunity for good, young, student athletes to gather at the same time. There is no governing body. The meet is what it is. There are some set standards/guidelines to qualify. What is printed is what/how individuals can qualify.

The interest in the meet has grown a lot since beginning in 2019. Many schools/teams/competitors/coaches/parents also means MANY "better ways to do things". This meet will never be able to accommodate everyone. To make it manageable, there needs to be procedures in place. Below are those procedures/standards. Interested parties need to figure out "the how, why, when" part of how the qualifying will take place for your student(s). From the different software used for meets, different hurdle heights and race distances, different weight of implements to age groups – too many different variables to accommodate everyone.

If someone/team wishes to qualify, they will need to work within these parameters.

We host what we feel is a very nice opportunity. Again, the opportunity is what it is. We hope everyone interested will look to qualify, but there are no annual modifications.

The below chart lists the quantity of qualifiers per grade for respective events listed in top row.

	Field Events LJ, TJ, HJ, SP,	100	100H 30	200	400	800	1600
	Discus		inches				
6th	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
7th	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
8th	15	20	20	20	20	15 – 1 heat	15 – 1 heat

POLE VAULT – Top 15 for each gender will be qualifiers and be run as an open/combined grade division as we traditionally have low numbers entered in pole vault.

SHOT PUT – Girls throw 6-pound shot puts. 6^{th} grade boys throw 6-pound shot puts. 7^{th} and 8^{th} boys throw 8-pound shot puts.

RELAYS

- ONLY one team per school will be accepted in any one relay event per gender.
- 400 Relays All boy teams with a 55.0 FAT or below qualify. All girl teams with a 1:00.0 FAT or below qualify. (Your team/school needs to have a qualifying FAT mark on Athletic.net the students who end up running for you can change but they will be seeded with the best FAT time.)
- 800 Relays Top 20 times per gender qualify.
- 1600 Relays Top 20 times per gender qualify.
- All Relays need to be the same gender no mixed entries.

IMPORTANT DEFINITIONS/TERMS:

- Top Performers List Performances can be view/watched on the ENTRIES list that appears by clicking on the <u>QUALIFIERS WATCH LIST</u> on adesports.com and clicking on the MS Track & Field link.
- Registration YOU MAY ONLY HAVE AN ATHLETE REGISTERED IN FOUR EVENTS, BUT ONE EVENT NEEDS TO BE A RELAY. Athletes are allowed only three individual event entries. You will need to register your athletes on athletic.net by Saturday, May 10th, 2025, at 8 p.m. This registration simply lets us know that IF your athlete's performance in a respective event qualifies them, that they want to be considered and will be participating in the meet upon qualifying. If an athlete is not registered, they will not be considered for qualifying in an event. Again, the performances that will be considered will be from the performances posted on athletic.net. NOTE/IMPORTANT When registering, the system will take credit card information. This card does not get charged until an athlete Qualifies on May 17/18th, and we have accepted them into the meet. This will happen on Saturday, May 17 and Sunday, May 18thth. Once the athlete is accepted as a qualifier, the card will be charged. FOR UNATTACHED ENTRIES You do not get charged but will receive an invoice to be paid upon your athlete qualifying on May 17/18th. Entry fee will be invoiced at \$11 per event qualified in.
- Qualifying Times In the 100, 100H, 200, 400, 400 relay and 800 relay You will qualify with your best FAT time. If you appear on the QUALIFIER WATCH LIST with a personal best time that is a converted handheld performance, this will not be used. We will use your best FAT mark.

 There will be NO CONVERSION of hand times to FAT used for qualifying.
- Qualifying All prospective participants/coaches/parents have until May 10th to complete the Registration portion. After May 10th at 8 p.m. there will be no more registration. However, performances that athletes achieve throughout the following week through May 17th and posted on athletic.net by 4 p.m., will be used on May 17/18th to qualify the athletes. Qualifying is when we look at all the performances from the Registered athletes in each respective event that can again be seen by looking at the QUALIFIERS WATCH LIST on adesports.com. If they are in the top performances (depending on the events see qualifying quantities at the top of this info letter) they will be ACCEPTED online and officially QUALIFIED/REGISTERED for the event on May 24th, 2025.
- Payment Once qualified on May 17/18th, your credit card will be charged. The entry fee is \$11 per event qualified and \$25 per relay team. If you choose to scratch after you have been accepted there will be NO REFUND available. Please make sure your athlete and the respective

family is planning to participate if qualified. If not, please do NOT register them and keep this spot open for other student athletes.

NOTE – Keep in mind that an athlete must be Registered in an event before they will ever appear on the QUALIFIERS WATCH LIST.

UNATTACED ATHLETES – If you Register as an UNATTACHED athlete, please note that it will appear unattached on the results as well. If you wish to have your team name/city listed, then you will need to work with your respective coach and have your child registered via the school account on athletic.net.

The **Qualifiers** list will be posted on this site by Sunday, May 18th, 2025 and it will be up to you to watch for this entry list.

If any qualifying athletes scratch/cancel, the next in line, qualifying athlete/coach/parent will be notified and can choose to participate at that time.

Any field event marks that tie for the last qualifying spot will also be entered in the meet.

An athlete may compete in a maximum of 4 events, including relays. Only 3 individual events are allowed. A maximum of 3 running or 3 field.

Relay teams need to wear uniform tops that are the same. This can be matching t-shirts if you are not wearing an issued uniform top.

Questions can be directed to adesportsevents@gmail.com