

2005 Junior Olympic Championships

Arlington, TX February 18-21, 2005

ENTRY DEADLINE
JANUARY 20, 2005

(For acknowledgement of entry, see reverse for procedure to follow.)

Please type or print all information. Read and complete *both* sides of this form.

Last Name _____ First Name _____ M.I. _____

Mailing Address to Confirm Entry _____

check box if new address

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone # (____) _____ FAX # (____) _____

US Citizen ___ yes ___ no e-mail address _____

If no, Permanent Resident # _____

Athlete must be US Citizen or Permanent Resident

Competition Club _____

"Competition Club" is the club which you are representing this season in USFA team and individual competitions. Club and school information is for *internal* use in seeding each competition and not for publication. This will not adversely affect NCAA eligibility, playing dates or any other conference restrictions.

Current School _____

Division Name _____

Birthdate ___/___/___ Male (M) ___ Female (W) ___

Method of Payment

Check or Money Order Enclosed

Payable to the USFA • \$25 charge for returned checks

Credit Card

Card # _____

VISA Mastercard AMEX Discover

Exp. Date _____

Cardholder _____

Signature _____

Classification: Foil _____ Epee _____ Saber _____
(class/year, e.g., C02)

Fee Summary

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|--|----------------|
| Registration Fee: <i>Nonrefundable</i> | \$30.00 |
| Event Fee(s): ___ x \$50 = (# of events entered) | |
| TOTAL AMOUNT DUE Registration Fee + Event Fee(s) | |

LATE ENTRIES (1/21-2/4): TRIPLE THE TOTAL AMOUNT DUE

Specify Qualifying path for each event entered:

A= Automatic Qualifier

D= Division Qualifier

P= Written Petition sent to USFA.

*An athlete may enter only one event per day

MAIL EARLY: POSTMARK IS NOT CONSIDERED, ONLY RECEIPT AT USFA OFFICE. TRIPLE THE TOTAL AMOUNT DUE FOR ENTRIES RECEIVED AFTER JANUARY 20, 2005. NO ENTRIES ACCEPTED AFTER FEBRUARY 4, 2005.

| Event | Feb. 18 | Feb. 19 | Feb. 20 | Feb. 21 |
|--------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| U20 Women's Epee | | | | |
| U20 Women's Foil | | | | |
| U20 Women's Sabre | | | | |
| U20 Men's Epee | | | | |
| U20 Men's Foil | | | | |
| U20 Men's Sabre | | | | |
| U17 Women's Epee | | | | |
| U17 Women's Foil | | | | |
| U17 Women's Sabre | | | | |
| U17 Men's Epee | | | | |
| U17 Men's Foil | | | | |
| U17 Men's Sabre | | | | |

Print Name _____ Birth Date if under 18 _____

All Participants MUST Read and Sign Each of the Following Statements
(for athletes under the age of 18, a parent or guardian must also sign)

WAIVER OF LIABILITY: Upon entering this tournament under the auspices of the USFA, I agree to abide by the current rules of the USFA. I enter this tournament at my own risk and release the USFA and its sponsors, referees, and tournament organizers from any liability. The undersigned certifies that the birth date of the individual is as stated on the entry form and that the individual is a current competitive member of the USFA for the 2004-2005 fencing season.

Fencer's Signature Date Signature of Parent or Guardian for Minor Date

DRUG TESTING: I understand that drug testing may be conducted for athletes who compete in this tournament and that detection of the use of a banned substance would be cause for suspension for a period of 3 months, 1 year or 2 years, based on substance detected. I will lose any national points earned. By registering for this tournament, I am consenting to be subject to drug testing if selected and its penalties if declared positive for a banned substance. If selected, I am aware that failure to comply with the drug test will be cause for the same penalties as for those who are positive for a banned substance. I KNOW THAT I MAY CALL THE USADA HOTLINE, 800-233-0393, FOR QUESTIONS ABOUT MEDICATIONS AND BANNED SUBSTANCES OR PRACTICES. I realize that there are **OVER-THE-COUNTER** medications that may contain banned substances and that it is my responsibility to ensure that I do not inadvertently take any medication that contains a banned substance.

Fencer's Signature Date Signature of Parent or Guardian for Minor Date

CONSENT FOR MEDICAL TREATMENT: This is to certify that on this date I, _____, give my consent to the USFA and its representative to obtain medical care from any licensed physician, hospital or clinic for the above named athlete for any injury or illness that may arise during activities associated with the USFA Junior Olympic Championships.

Fencer's Signature Date Signature of Parent or Guardian for Minor Date

If said athlete is covered by any insurance company, please complete the following (type or print legibly):

Name of Carrier Name of Policy Holder

Address of Carrier Policy Number

Important: MAIL EARLY. Postmarks are not considered - entry (fees and form) must arrive at the USFA National Office by the deadline date of Jan. 20, 2005. **Triple the total amount due** for entries received after January 20, 2005. No Entries accepted after Friday, Feb. 4, 2005. For refund of event fee(s), withdrawals must be reported in writing to the National Office by Monday, Feb.14, 2005. **Registration fees are nonrefundable.** Refunds processed 4-6 weeks after tournament.

Method of Payment. Make check or money order payable to the US Fencing Association. The entry form and payment must be mailed to: USFA JO ENTRIES, 1 Olympic Plaza, Colorado Springs, CO 80909-5774. If paying by credit card (see front of form), entry may be sent by fax to (719) 632-5737. Entry form and fees must be received by the stated deadline to be accepted. Entries received without payment will be returned. If you mail or fax multiple copies of an entry, you will be charged for each copy unless you specify "Duplicate".

Entry Receipt: You **MUST** include a self-addressed stamped postcard or a fax return sheet with your entry for confirmation of receipt of your entry. This will be the only acceptable proof of submission of timely entry (**PLEASE NOTE:** Fax machine transmission reports are not acceptable).

Eligibility: Every person competing in the Junior Olympic Championships must be a competitive USFA member with an expiration of 2005 or greater and be a US Citizen or Permanent Resident.

Age Rules for Junior Olympic Championships

| Category/Code | Junior/U20 | Cadet/U17 |
|---------------|------------|-----------|
| Birth years | 1985-1991 | 1988-1991 |

Athlete can fence their Division's JO qualifying competitions IF: 1) the fencer meets the age criteria for that category **OR** 2) the athlete is on the point standings for the next younger age bracket. For example, a fencer born in 1992 is eligible to compete in the Division's JO cadet (U-17) qualifying competition **IF** the fencer is on the Youth 14 point standings; a fencer born in 1992 is eligible to compete in the Division's JO junior (U20) qualifying competition **IF** the fencer is on the Under-17 point standings.



One Olympic Plaza
Colorado Springs, CO 80909
Fax: 1-719-632-5737

Fax Receipt Confirmation

To: _____ From: USFA

Fax: _____ Date: _____

Tournament: 2005 Junior Olympic Championships

Fencer: _____

Event (s): _____

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| <u>USFA DATE STAMP</u> |
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NEED TO RESUBMIT ENTRY:

YES _____ NO _____

MISSING: _____

*This is the only proof accepted by the National Office that shows your entry has been **received**. It must include the USFA date stamp.*