

NORTH OF ENGLAND ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

INTER-COUNTY TRACK AND FIELD CHAMPIONSHIP RULES AND ORGANISATION

Notes:

1. There will be a common format for Men's and Women's Championships.
2. The Championship arrangements are administered by the NoEAA T&FC in consultation with the County District Associations who meet annually to discuss the fixture.

NoEAA Inter County Championships

1. Programme of events

In all events, each competing County, or group of Counties, may select one competitor, irrespective of standard.

Men

Senior Men: 100m, 200m, 400m, 800m, 1500m, 3000m, 110mH, 400mH, 3000mSC, 5km Walk, Medley Relay
HJ, PV, LJ, TJ, SP,DT, HT, JT

U17 Men: 100m, 200m, 400m, 800m, 1500m, 3000m, 100mH, 400mH, 1500mSC, 3km Walk, Medley Relay
HJ, PV, LJ, TJ, SP,DT, HT, JT

U15 Boys: 100m, 200m, 400m, 800m, 1500m, 80mH, 2.5km Walk, Medley Relay
HJ, LJ, SP, DT, JT

Women

Senior Women: 100m, 200m, 400m, 800m, 1500m, 3000m, 100mH, 400mH, 5km Walk, Medley Relay
HJ, PV, LJ, TJ, SP,DT, HT, JT

U17 Women: 100m, 200m, 300m, 800m, 1500m, 3000m, 80mH, 300mH, 3km Walk, Medley Relay. HJ, PV, LJ, TJ, SP,DT, HT, JT

U15 Girls: 100m, 200m, 800m, 1500m, 75mH, 2.5km Walk, 4x100m
HJ, LJ, SP, DT, JT

2. Rules:

- * There are no entry standards. However, the minimum take-off board for Senior TJ is 11m (men) and 9m (women).
- * U15 and U17 athletes may only compete within their own UKA age-group.
- * All athletes must have an individual county qualification (UKA rule 9) and *not* have represented or competed in the championships of another English county in that calendar year.
- * Where events are run in lanes and there are more than 8 competitors, two heats will be run. Overall placings will be decided on times.
- * In Field Events, all competitors will have 4 trials (Excluding Pole Vault & High Jump)

3. Scoring: 10,9,8,7,6,5,4,3,2,1 points for 1st, 2nd,...8th in each event

4. Trophies: Perpetual trophies for U15, U17, Senior and aggregate performance; plus additional 'handicap' trophies.

Named trophies are as follows:

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| Senior Women: | Phyllis Pope Trophy |
| U17 Women: | Bertha Crowther Trophy |
| U15 Girls: | Lincoln Trophy |
| Aggregate: | Margaret Oakley Trophy |
| Women's handicap*: | Phyllis & Percy Pope Trophy |
| Men's handicap*: | Ken Oakley Trophy |

*The '*handicap*' score is obtained by dividing the *aggregate* score by the county population in millions

(see table below)

Further information

1. Counties: Participating counties, competition numbers and population (in millions as at mid 1990s).

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| Cheshire | 1 | 0.96 M | Lancashire(/IoM) | 6 | 1.46 M |
| Cumbria | 2 | 0.49 M | Lincolnshire | 7 | 0.59 M |
| Derbyshire | 3 | 0.93 M | Merseyside | 8 | 1.44 M |
| Gtr Manchester | 4 | 2.51 M | North East | 9 | 2.59 M |
| Humberside | 5 | 0.86 M | Yorkshire | 10 | 4.10 M |