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The 2nd Berg/Seeger Track & Field Classic is set to take place at the Texas School for the Deaf in Austin, Texas on April 17-18, 2008. This classic is open to all Deaf HS athletes, including schools for the Deaf and mainstream schools. The purpose for this classic is to promote interest in track and field among high schools, mainstream and schools for the Deaf. Please note that there will be prelims and a few events going on Friday evening starting at 6PM.

Texas School for the Deaf graciously provides housing and track/field facilities usage. Meals will be served starting dinner on Friday, 3 meals on Saturday, and breakfast on Sunday. Your school will be responsible for transportation and chaperone. Details on cost per person will be forthcoming.

The USA Deaflympics Team will look for any qualified athletes for the USA Team going to 21st Deaflympics in Taipei. So, all best Prep athletes who are interested to compete at the Deaflympics should attend the 2nd Berg/Seeger Classic!

USA Deaf Track and Field (USADTF) anticipates larger turnout this year. The Berg/Seeger Classic will help the USA Deaflympics Track and Field Coaches to find some qualified athletes.

Awards will be presented to top 3 finishers as well as top teams in both boys and girls groups. Top athlete awards will be voted and honored. Enclosed are sheets showing what events will be taken place, and form that coaches will need to fill out. Also, a copy of the Berg/Seeger Classic By-Laws is attached for your review.

For additional information in regards to housing, meals, etc., and meet information, please contact Jesse Bailey, the chairperson at jesse.bailey@tsd.state.tx.us. Please confirm your intention to attend by **March 1st**.

Good luck and see you all at the 2nd Berg/Seeger Classic at the Texas School for the Deaf, Austin, Texas on April 17-18, 2009! Check for information at www.usadtf.org

Sincerely,

Thomas Withrow, President
USA Deaf Track and Field

Jesse Bailey, Chairperson
2nd Berg/Seeger Classic



Events that will be taken place are:

<u>Boys</u>	<u>Girls</u>
100m	100m
200m	200m
400m	400m
800m	800m
1600m	1600m
3200m	3200m
110m Hurdle	100m Hurdle
300m Hurdle	300m Hurdle
Long Jump	Long Jump
Triple Jump	Triple Jump
High Jump	High Jump
Pole Vault	Pole Vault
Shot Put	Shot Put
Discus	Discus
*Javelin	*Javelin
4 x 100m	4 x 100m
4 x 200m	4 x 200m
4 x 400m	4 x 400m
4 x 800m	4 x 800m

*Not allowed in the state of Texas

- Awards:**
- Top 3 finishers each event will be awarded medals – Gold, Silver and Bronze, respectively.
 - Top Team overall points from each boys and girls will be awarded a plaque.
 - Top Male Athlete and Top Female Athlete will be honored.
- Entries:**
- Each school may submit up to 3 athletes per event.
 - Each athlete may compete up to 4 events, including relay events.
- Fee:**
- \$20.00 per person, including coaches and staff
- Points Classification:**
- Every individual regarding number of athletes per team is entitled to contribute team points based on the awarding place below.
 - 1st – 10 points
 - 2nd – 8 points
 - 3rd – 6 points
 - 4th – 4 points
 - 5th – 2 points
 - 6th – 1 point

