



ROCK CHALK JAYHAWK
BOB TIMMONS CLASSIC
// 2020 KANSAS CROSS COUNTRY

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2020 BOB TIMMONS CLASSIC
Lawrence, Kansas

Date: Saturday, September 19, 2020

Location: Rim Rock Farm Cross Country Course

Meet Director: Milan Donley

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Due to the COVID-19 virus there will be a designated parking area for each team. Please use the designated parking area as your team's home base. We ask teams to keep separated during arrival, warm ups and post-race cool down.

Coaches and staff, please wear a mask at all times once arriving to Rim Rock Farm. Coaches are requested to follow social distancing protocols at all times.

Athletes must wear mask at all times except the following times:

- during warm up time (actual running)
- once the race has begun

COVID-19 TESTING PROTOCOLS

All student athletes and staff that are traveling must adhere to the following testing schedule:

- 72 hours before date of travel: PCR test
- 24 hours before date of travel: Antigen test
- All test results must be sent to: Jeffrey Bord, jtboard@ku.edu

Race Schedule

9:00 a.m. // Men's University - 6K Race (8:40 scratch deadline)

10:00 a.m. // Women's University - 5K Race (9:40 scratch deadline)

Entry Fee

\$125.00 per team or \$20.00 per individual. Men's and women's teams from the same school are considered separate teams. MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Kansas Athletics, Inc.

Entry Information

Entry deadline is 5:00 p.m., on Monday, September 14, 2020.

Coaches will make all entries online at www.directathletics.com. You can get your username, password, and instructions for online entry at www.directathletics.com. Please only contact support@directathletics.com with online entry questions.

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Unattached entries are allowed but must produce verification of two (2) negative COVID-19 tests. One the week of the Bob Timmons meet, the second within 24 hours of the start of the meet.

Packet Pick-Up

Packet pick-up will be located in the clerking area located near the finish area from 7:30 a.m. – 8:00 a.m., on Saturday, September 19.

Declarations

All coaches will be required to report scratches to meet management tent located at the near the finish line 20 minutes before the start of that gender's race. Any athlete not scratched who did not start or finish the race will be listed in the results as a DNF. This is a new policy approved by all three NCAA divisional cross country / track and field committees in June 2019. Any athlete scratched and did not start will not be listed in the meet results.

Bib Numbers/Chips

All participants must wear their bib number on the front of their jersey. The timing chip will be located on the bib number.

Facilities

There are NO PETS allowed on the course. Rim Rock Farm is located 15 miles north of Lawrence. A map to the farm can be found at the KUAthletics.com on the cross country page. We suggest arriving dressed; no locker facilities are available.

Trainers

Teams must provide their own trainers at the finish. Kansas Athletics will have a medical doctor on site available for emergencies.

Course

Maps can be downloaded at KUAthletics.com on the cross country page. The courses are mowed, well-marked and monitored. A lead vehicle will be used in each race. You may preview the course on Friday, September 18 from 9 a.m., until 6 p.m.

Spectator Admission

The University of Kansas has determined there will be no spectators at athletic events in the month of September. Please inform your athletes, parents and fans they will not be allowed on the Rim Rock property to watch the competition.

Finish Line Area and Scoring Information

Each team is asked to have a medical representative at the finish area to assist with their team members as needed.

The finish area will not be fenced, allowing athletes to exit away from the finish area as quickly as possible.

We ask athletes not needing medical attention to go directly to their team area, please do not linger or wait for teammates to finish.



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Coaches are asked to social distance during entire event. Please do not approach the finish area and allow the athletes to come to you after they finish.

Timing

This year's meet will be timed by Prime Time Timing Company

- 1) Races will utilize chipped bibs. Turn in unused bibs no later than 20 minutes prior to the start of the race to the clerking area.
- 2) You may enter 12 runners, but only the top seven finishers will figure in team scoring.
- 3) All participants must cross the finish line.
- 4) All participants' bib numbers will be recorded at the finish line.

- Unofficial results will be posted after each race
- Protests must be made 15 minutes after each race
- Official results will be available 30 minutes after the conclusion of the meet
- Official results will be posted on www.KUAthletics.com

Rules

A list of course rules are available on the cross country home page at KUAthletics.com. Rules must be followed for the safety of athletes.

Hotel Accommodations

We recommend the following local hotels that actively support our department:

- Double Tree // 785-841-7077
- Best Western Plus // 785-330-8009
- Country Inn & Suites // 785-764-1307

Questions

Contact Milan Donley in the KU track & field office at 785-864-7971 or mdonley@ku.edu. If you wish to have additional entries, please contact Milan.