



MASSACHUSETTS INTERSCHOLASTIC  
ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION



# MIAA CROSS COUNTRY & TRACK COMMITTEE MEETING

Tuesday, January 18, 2022 @ 10:00 A.M

## AGENDA

1. Call to Order
2. Welcome & Attendance
3. Minutes of Previous Meeting – October 20, 2021
4. Board Of Directors Working Group Feedback Request

The 2022 Indoor Track season and tournament were discussed in relation to the MIAA Board of Directors Working Group feedback request. Updates were provided from many districts, spanning several regions of Massachusetts (North, South, Central, West). The sport of indoor track continues to move forward despite the challenges faced with COVID-19. The committee recommended no modifications to the sport and no changes to the tournament structure or season timeline.

5. 2022 Cross Country Format

A review of the 2021 Cross Country tournament was provided to the committee. The first-statewide cross country tournament witnessed many successes, including great attendance on the final weekend due to seasonably, warm weather.

A cross country sub-committee provided feedback regarding future sites for the Divisional State Qualifying Meets and Divisional State Championship Meet. Sites such as Fort Devens, Gardner, Stanley Park, Wrentham, Northfield and Franklin Park were discussed. Ten factors were also discussed and will be taken into consideration when selecting future courses.

Finally, there was a recommendation to call the first weekend the Divisional State Qualifier Meet and the final weekend the Divisional State Championship. In addition, potential rotations were discussed regarding the state qualifying meets and state championship meet. Final locations and rotations will be determined at the next committee meeting when the format is finalized.

6. Outdoor Track Format

The 2022 Outdoor Track Tournament format was updated for submission to the Tournament Management Committee. Qualifying standards and the Order of Events were finalized, while the SuperMax seeding and entry process for SuperMax athletes were finalized.

Motion: Additional Qualifier - All athletes entered using SuperMax qualification will be seeded according to where their qualifying performances place them within the overall field of qualifiers in their respective events. Coaches must notify the State Tournament Director via email of any athlete using the SuperMax qualifier and MUST enter the SuperMax qualifier in Direct Athletics by Sunday, May 29th at 11:59 pm. Absolutely no late entries will be accepted. APPROVED 13-0-0 (J. Chisum/F. Doyle)

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