#### **DIRECTOR OF OPERATIONS**

### PROGRAM TIMELINE



### Overview

- Annual Timeline
  - July June

Questions / Input



# July

- Competition schedule
- Booking hotels (as schedule is finalized)
  - Conference / NCAA may be done earlier
- Gear arrival / inventory
- Organize roster (across all platforms)
  - Contact info from incoming SA's
- Update team handbook / policy



# July (Cont.)

- Invitation for home meets
- Begin contact with officials
- Cross Country
  - Headshots
  - Plan pre-season camp
  - Soft gear hand out
  - Schedule buses/flights/hotels
- Compliance Forms / Cleared
- Finalize on-campus housing



# August

- Continue booking hotels
  - Begin processing contracts
  - Begin creating rooming list due date calendar
- Cross Country
  - Physicals
  - Compliance/cleared to come to campus
  - Pre-Season camp
  - Shorts travel roster (flights)
  - Vacation period checks / meals
- Welcome email (important dates)

# August (Cont.)

- Move in / orientation
- First team meeting
  - Get flight info
- Life skills (plan development)
- Late-signee shoe order
- Managers
  - Process contracts
  - Create schedule



# August (Cont.)

- Schedule track buses
  - Schedule permitting
- Order bag tags
- Gear issue
- General clean up
  - Office
  - Computer Files
- Begin planning for home meet (XC)



## September

- Continue hotels & contracts
- Nike order (next season)
- Home XC meet planning
- Home TRK meet invitations & officials
  - Second round / follow up
- XC team travel
  - (rooming list, itinerary, per diem, etc.)
- Register for convention



#### October

- XC team travel
- TRK flights
- Nike order for next season
- TRK head shots
- Marketable athletes photo shoot / media day
- Initial scholarship approval forms
- High School meet invitations



#### November

- XC team travel
- TRK flights
- Update TFRRS
- Cash advances
- Nike footwear & bags order
- Plan pre-break dinner / meeting
- Thanksgiving baskets
- NLI (info & graphics)



## November (Cont.)

- Plan pre-season camp
  - Meals / per diem / activities
- Schedule indoor facility
  - Intercession / spring
- Reserve dorm rooms for next school year
- Order NCAA XC gifts
- High School meet info
  - Mile Split, social media blast



#### December

- USTFCCCA Convention
- Pre-season camp planning
- Finalizing updates
  - TFRRS
  - Shorts
  - Teamworks
  - Direct Athletics
- Collect indoor meet information



# January

- Pre-Season camp
- Issue competition gear
- TRK team travel
- TRK flights
- Home meet planning
- Post home meet information
  - Send to coaches
- Coordinate external travel
  - Media, administration
- Put meets on Direct Athletics

## February

- TRK team travel & TRK flights
- Home meet planning
  - Inventory / order home meet equipment
- Order senior awards
- USATF Officials recert. (as needed)
- Budget meetings
- Hotels for home meet staff
- Reserve recruit hotels (next season home FB weekends)



#### March

- TRK team travel
- Home meet planning
- Spring break
  - Meals / per diem
- Order Indoor NCAA gifts
- Budget meetings



## April

- TRK team travel
- Home meet planning
- Senior recognition
- Early signing
- Begin awards banquet planning



# May

- TRK team travel
- Athletics graduation ceremony
- Gear return
- USATF memberships
  - Coaches and athletes for USA's
- End of year awards banquet
- Order Outdoor NCAA gifts



### June

- TRK team travel
- Recruiting exam





# Questions?

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