



**2011 CHAMPIONSHIPS
Mountain Biking-Entry Form
July 24, 2011
Rope Mill Park, Woodstock GA**

- Sanctioned by the State of Georgia
- BRAND NEW COURSE
- Professionally operated event
- T-shirts to all participants
- Online Registration
- Gold, Silver, and Bronze Medals for each Division
- Juniors Results contribute valuable points to the Georgia Scholastic Olympiad



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2011 Georgia Games Championships
Mountain Bike Race General Information
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Georgia State Games – Developed to promote “grassroots” amateur sports and an improved quality of life, the Georgia State Games attracts athletes from a variety of backgrounds, ages and skill levels. Each year the Georgia Games continues to develop programs that fit the athletic and lifestyle needs of the Georgia public. As a member of the National Congress of State Games (NCSG), which is a community based, multi-sport member of the United States Olympic Committee (USOC), the Georgia Games is committed to enhance and promote participation in amateur sports.

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About the Georgia Games Championships – The Georgia Games Championships is a sports festival created for Georgia’s amateur athletes. Patterned after the Summer Olympics, the 2008 Championships will consist of 35 sports providing Georgia’s amateur athletes, of all ages and skill levels, a meaningful opportunity to participate in a true amateur sport competition.

Who Can Compete – All residents of Georgia who have lived in the state for at least 30 days prior to the date of competition for their sport are eligible if they meet the requirements specified by that sport. Georgia residents attending school or serving in the military in other states are also eligible. Residents of South Carolina and Tennessee are invited to participate as well.

How To Enter – To enter any Georgia Games Championships competition, an official entry form must be completed. Entry forms may be obtained by visiting our web site www.georgiagames.org or by calling 770-528-3580. Participants are encouraged to note deadlines and register early for all competitions. A signed agreement, release and waiver of liability and payment of an entry fee is required in order to compete. All participants will receive an official Georgia Games Championships commemorative T-shirt.

Weather – Sports using outdoor venues are weather dependent. Competitions will be conducted unless the sport event coordinator, facility management and Georgia Games officials determine that weather conditions are potentially dangerous or if the playing surface would incur significant damage. No refunds will be given if events are canceled due to inclement weather.

Refund Policy – REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN UNDER THE FOLOWING CIRCUMSTANCES **ONLY**:

- **Entry received after maximum numbers of teams or individuals are bracketed.**
- **Insufficient number of teams or individuals entered.**
- **Entry received from a non-qualified athlete.**

Insurance – *Insurance is the responsibility of each participant.* In some instances, the National Governing Body (NGB), which sanctions an event, may have secondary coverage. Medical aid will be available in the event of an emergency, injury or illness. Preparation for competition, such as taping, will not be provided.

Governing Body Registration/Membership – NGB registration requirements vary between sports. Please check your sport event information for details.

Number of Sports Entered - You may enter as many sports as you wish, as long as the events are not held at conflicting times. It is the athlete’s responsibility to make sure there are no schedule conflicts in the sports he/she enters.

Gate – Due to severe budget cutbacks and the economy, a modest spectator gate fee will be charged for some events.

Awards – Gold, silver and bronze medals will be awarded to the first three places. With the inclusion of out-of-state athletes, no Georgian will be displaced for a medal. See your Event Director with any questions regarding this information. The Georgia Games Sportsmanship Award will be presented to the male and female in each sport who best exemplifies the positive attributes of a model competitor. Additionally, one male and one female athlete from the pool of Sportsmanship Award winners will be nominated for the State Games Athlete of the Year Award.

Organizers – The Georgia Sports Foundation and the Georgia Games staff, assisted by thousands of volunteers, carry out the various tasks associated with the execution of the 2006 Georgia Games Championships.

For More Information Contact the Georgia Games: PO Box 2043, Kennesaw, GA 30156-9100





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Georgia Games Scholastic Sports Olympiad

Fundamental Principle: To provide a fun, competitive atmosphere where the Olympic Ideals of the founder of the modern day Olympics, Pierre De Coubertin's, "A Celebration of Life through Sports" is a positive attribute that should be encouraged across all youths, all skill levels, all ethnicities and all geographic areas of the state.

What is the Scholastic Sports Olympiad? Its a statewide scholastic sports and fitness competition!

Ask yourself: Is your school the most athletic and physical fitness oriented & spirited?

How can you help your school claim bragging rights for ALL sports and not just a few?

- Earn your school points via: 1) final standings, 2) participation points, 3) sportsmanship points & 4) distance traveled.
- Schools win the right for a sports development grants by placing 1st, 2nd or 3rd in their classification.

Over 40 sports being offered!

Archery	Diving	Rugby-HS	Taekwondo
Badminton	Equestrian	Shooting-BB Gun	Tennis-USTA
Billiards	Golf	Shooting-Air Rifle	Tennis-HS
Baseball	In-Line Skating	Shooting-Shot Gun	Track & Field
Basketball-Boy's	Judo	Soccer-Boys	Ultimate Frisbee
Basketball-Girl's	Lacrosse-Boys	Soccer-Girls	Volleyball-Indoor
Billiards	Lacrosse-Girls	Softball-HS	Volleyball-Outdoor
BMX Cycling	Racquetball	Swimming-Open Water:	Weightlifting-Olympic
Bowling	Road Race: 5K & 10K	1K, 3K, 5K	Weightlifting-Power
Boxing	Roller Hockey	Swimming-Youth	Wrestling-Folk,
Cycling-Criterium & Road Race	Rowing	Table Tennis	Free / Greco

Categories 1A through 5A High Schools and Middle Schools each have their own division.

Eligible Participants:

Anyone who attends and competes from your school can earn points towards the Olympiad!

Every athlete receives a Sports Festival t-shirt just for competing!

Individuals and teams receive Gold, Silver or Bronze medals for winning their respective sports, divisions or events. Thousands of medals are up for grabs!

The majority of the events are in the summer. Visit our website for complete details on scoring, schedules and more!

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Remember, you do not have to be the best to earn points for your school. You just have to compete!