

Manchester International - 18 August 2021 Manchester Regional Arena

Overview

British Athletics have accepted an invitation from England Athletics for a GB & NI U18 & U20 Team to compete at the annual Manchester International Match on Wednesday 18th August, from midday to 9pm with a finishing banquet.

British Athletics recognise the importance in developing the U18 & U20 age group and are delighted to be able to give athletes further competition opportunities in 2021.

Event Details

England Athletics are working through the timetable and events but may have to restrict long throws (TBC).

The provisional list of men and women disciplines are as follows:

Track events: 100m, 200m, 400m, 800m, 3000m steeplechase, 3000m, 100/110mH, 400mH, 4x100 relay, 4x400 relay, mixed 3000m race walk, mile,

Field events: mixed hammer mixed discus, mixed javelin TBC, mixed shot, mixed Long Jump, mixed triple jump, high jump, pole vault

British Athletics staff will support the team on the day. Accommodation will be provided after the event for team members.

Note: Please note junior implements will be used except in the hurdle events.

Eligibility

To be considered for selection, athletes must satisfy the following:

- be eligible to compete for GB&NI (i.e. full British passport holder);
- U20 Selection be born in 2002, 2003.
- U18 Selection be born in 2004, 2005.
- sign the British Athletics Team Members Agreement ("TMA) and abide by its terms and conditions. Any athlete failing to do so prior to the first date of competition will result in their selection being withdrawn. The current version of the TMA can be found online at http://www.uka.org.uk/performance/british-athletics-teams-information/

Selection Process

It is British Athletics' intention to select the best possible athletes; those who are fit and in form. For the purpose of selecting, the panel will forecast ahead to the 2022 World Junior Championships and will also be select developing 4x100m relay teams.

The team selection will be held on **Thursday 29th July 2021.** The teams will be announced as soon as possible after the meeting.

Appeals

There shall be no right of appeal to the selection of the GB&NI Teams made by the Panel.

<u>Amendment</u>

British Athletics reserves the right to amend this Selection Guidance at its sole discretion and will make any amended version publicly available (including the date on which any amendment was made) at www.uka.org.uk