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EUROPEAN ATHLETICS U18 CHAMPIONSHIPS 5 - 8 JULY GYOR, HUNGARY







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BRITISH ATHLETICS TEAM

MEN

400m Ethan BROWN (Lloyd Cowan) Ben PATTISON (Dave Ragan)

800m <u>Max BURGIN (Brian Burgin)</u>

1500m <u>Kane ELLIOTT (William Sharp)</u> Jacques MAURICE (Andrew Henderson)

3000m <u>Thomas KEEN (Mark Vile)</u> <u>Rory LEONARD (Tony Leonard)</u>

2000m Steeplechase Ben THOMAS (Neil Thomas)

110m Hurdles <u>Sam BENNETT (Sam Surety)</u> Jordan RICKETTS (Anthony Pitt)

400m Hurdles Karl JOHNSON (Tony Jarrett)

High Jump <u>Dominic OGBECHIE (Marius Guei / Carol</u> <u>Jackson)</u>

Shot Put <u>George HYDE (Dave McKay)</u> <u>Lewis BYNG (Paul Bearman / Sandy</u> <u>Green)</u> Javelin <u>Max LAW (Sam Harrison)</u>

Decathlon Ollie THORNER (Alan Richardson) Jack TURNER (Kevin Skinner)

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WOMEN

100m <u>Amy HUNT (Joe McDonnell)</u> <u>Cassie-Ann PEMBERTON (Sharon Morris)</u>

400m Hannah FOSTER (Craig Andrew) Natasha HARRISON (Pete Torrance)

800m Keely HODGKINSON (Margaret Galvin)

1500m Emily WILLIAMS (Shane Smith)

3000m Charlotte ALEXANDER (Wayne Vinton) Kiara FRIZELLE (Chris Jones)

2000m Steeplechase Elise THORNER (Abi Tickner)

100m Hurdles Lucy-Jane MATTHEWS (Andrew Fisher) Marcia SEY (Lorna Boothe)

400m Hurdles Jasmine JOLLY (Peter Crook)

Shot Put Hannah MOLYNEAUX (Malcolm Fenton) Serena VINCENT (Bronwin Carter)





Triple Jump Lily HULLAND (Paco Mentesinos)

Pole Vault Jade SPENCER-SMITH (Ellie Spain)



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DID YOU KNOW?

- Max Burgin in the 800m and Dominic Ogbechie in the high jump go into the Championships as World U18 leaders.
- In the 2016 European Youth Championships, Great Britain & Northern Ireland topped the medal table with five golds amongst a total of 13.
- The golden five were: Jona Efoloko, 200m; George Mills, 800m; Jake Heyward, 1500m; Isabelle Boffey, 800m and Holly Mills, long jump.
- Ben Thomas, the 2000m steeplechaser, will celebrate his birthday during the Championships. He turns 17 on 7th July.
- Twins Ollie and Elise Thorner, who both attend Millfield School, will compete in the decathlon and 2000m steeple**chase** for the British team.

FACTS & STATS

- The first European Youth Championships were held in 2016 in Tbilisi, Georgia.
- Gyor in Hungary, the venue for this year's Championships, hosted the European Youth Olympic Festival in 2017. Athletics was one of eight sports with the Netherlands topping the medal table.
- Almost 1000 athletes from 48 member federations are expected at the Championships.
- The next edition of the Championships takes place in Rieti, Italy in 2020.
- A timetable can be found here.
- European Athletics U18 rankings 2018 can be found here.







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