



# NATIONAL MASTERS NEWS



The official world and U.S. publication for Masters track & field, long distance running and race walking.

November 19, 1987

Carl Mosely  
23607 Via Ebano  
Valencia CA 91355

Dear Carl:

Just a short note to thank you for the outstanding job you did in getting so many TAC officials to our masters track & field meet at Cal-State LA, November 14.

More than 20 officials showed up, and were responsible for a smooth-running event. We would have been lost without them.

Starter Eugene Stemm and recall starter Al Pina, in particular, did a very professional job.

Again, my thanks. Hope we can do it again next year.

Sincerely,

Al Sheahen  
Meet Director

cc: Herman Reininga  
cc: TAC Office



# The Athletics Congress of the USA

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATION - TRACK and FIELD OFFICIALS ASSOCIATION

Nov 8 1987

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THE FOLLOWING TAC OFFICIALS HAVE ACCEPTED  
THE ASSIGNMENT TO OFFICIATE AT YOUR MEET  
AT USLA ON SAT NOV 14:

Chairman of Officials  
Herman Reininga  
(805) 269-1268

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Youth Athletics  
(714) 646-8743

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Peter Clentzos  
Instructional, Chairman

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STARTER - EUGENE STEMM (714) 893-4136

TIMER-FINISH (11:00AM)

MARY BARJIAN  
RON BATTLE  
JAMES BENTLEY  
ASHLEY BURCH  
EDWIN DANIELS  
LEON FORMAN  
HAL GIES  
HOWARD KINCH  
SHARON KUTHE  
AL MINTURN  
LEROY STEWART  
ELAINE WARD  
ROBERT STAPETON

LJ/TJ (1:00PM)

DICK M'QUARRIE  
HERB NIEBERGALL  
AL PINA

PV (12:00 NOON)

FRED + MADELEINE ARMKLD  
DUKE BUNIFF  
BARRY DARIN

HJ (2:00PM)

NATHAN BURLINGHAM  
JOHN LILYGREN  
A.M. WARE

HAM/SP/JAV/DIS (9:30AM)

CHIP ARMSTRONG  
WILLIAM HOLLOWAY

97 ASSIGNMENTS SENT  
25 YES  
61 NO  
11 NOT RETURNED

I HAVE ASKED LEON FORMAN TO BE IN  
CHARGE OF THE FINISH LINE AND AL PINA  
TO BE IN CHARGE OF THE FIELD EVENT OFFICIALS  
GOOD LUCK WITH YOUR MEET

(Call Moseley)

P.S. I WOULD SUGGEST CONTACTING THE STARTER BEFORE  
THE MEET TO DETERMINE THE STARTER'S FEE

(Call Moseley)

Ralph Ayala, starter  
\$ 75.

Carl Mosley

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September 26, 1987

Carl Mosley  
23607 Via Ebano  
Valencia CA 91355

Dear Carl:

Christel Miller, the Officials' Chairperson of the SCA/TAC Masters Track & Field Committee, asked me to send you the enclosed check for \$55 to reimburse you for your mailing costs to secure officials for our meet at Cal-State L.A. on November 14, 1987.

Also enclosed is a copy of the meet schedule. As you'll notice, we're starting at 9:30 a.m. with the Hammer Throw. Cal-State won't permit any running events to take place while the Hammer is going on, so that's the reason why the hammer is scheduled before everything else.

The first running event is set for 11:00 a.m., but then there's a lull until 12 noon when the walkers compete. The other field events also begin at noon.

We need at least five timers for the 400-hurdles at 11:00 a.m. For the other running events, we need at least eight timers for the 8-lane events, since all lanes will be filled for most races, and we must get a time for each finisher, since the meet is being run on an age-graded basis.

We ran a similar meet last year at Birmingham High. Herm Reininga and his wife headed up the officials' crew. It was a very interesting meet; a bit different from the usual masters meet. Enclosed is a clipping about it.

Please call me or Christel if you have any questions.

Thank you,

Al Sheahen

cc: Christel Miller





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August 30, 1986

Herman Reininga  
Officials' Chairman

Dear Herman:

Thank you for organizing the officiating for our 1st Annual Age-Handicapping Meet at Birmingham High in Van Nuys on August 23.

The meet went rather well, I thought, and the athletes seemed pleased with the professional manner in which you and your excellent crew handled the proceedings.

We only had 72 signups, which, for a new type of meet and considering the time of year, and considering that we had no discus, hammer or javelin, was probably pretty good.

We'll probably do it again next year -- adding the throwing events -- and change the time of year, so as to attract about 200 people.

Enclosed, for your information, is a copy of the results and a brief comment about the meet.

Please thank all your officials for me for donating their time and energy to make the meet successful.

If you have any suggestions for me, as a meet director, to improve things for next year, please let me know. I was a bit concerned about the officials getting enough to eat and drink, but I hope Christel Miller took care of all that. Let me know if it was not okay.

Regards,

Al Sheahen  
Meet director

cc: TAC



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July 27, 1986

Dear Herman:

Here's a copy of the entry form/schedule for our 1st annual NMN Age-Handicapping Meet on August 23. The field events begin at 4 p.m. The running events start at 5:15 p.m.

Can I count on officials, or should I get some kids or athletes to help time? How about a starter? Will you call me and let me know the status? Is it traditional to hold an advance meeting, or do the officials just show up and do their job?

Thanks,

Al Sheahan





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May 24, 1986

Herman Reininga  
Officials' Chairman  
5980 Valley Sage Rd  
Acton CA 93510

Dear Herman:

Enclosed is the entry form for our meet at Birmingham High on Saturday, August 23, 1986.

I have mailed a sanction application form to Fred Barton, and he will notify you shortly that the sanction has been approved.

I'm writing this just to give you advance notice of the meet, and to ask you to advise the officials that we'll be needing them at the event.

Some officials may be working an open meet at Northridge earlier in the day, so they might want to work our meet, as well. Birmingham is only a few miles from Northridge.

The meet begins at 4 p.m., as we discussed on the phone recently, with the pole vault. The running events begin at 5:15 p.m.

The meet is unusual, in that it will be an age-handicapping meet. In otherwords, the oldest runner gets a head start, and whoever gets to the finish line first is the winner. It should be fun, but it will take a sharp eye to pick the winners in what should be some close contests.

Please let me know if there is any one else (regional officials, starters, etc.) that I should contact. I'd like this to be a well-run meet.

Thanks,

Al Sheahen

