



The 2024 Grand

Prix Club Challenge

Mid-Atlantic USATF clubs can compete for cash awards in the 2024 Grand Prix Circuit. Simply identify your club affiliation on your individual 2024 membership form. MA-USATF will track participation and tabulate scoring from the race results.

Circuit races in 2024:

- Fireside Frostbite 5 Miler - February 17
- *Haddonfield Adrenaline 5K-March 16
- Valley Forge Revolutionary 5 Mile Run – April 21
- Blue Cross Broad Street Run 10 Mile – May 5
- *Yardley Memorial Main Street Mile - May 27
- Scott Coffee 8K - June 1
- Red Rose 5 Mile Run – June 1
- Main Line Run 5K - September 8
- Philadelphia Distance Run - Sept. 15
- *Delaware Distance Classic 15K - October 20
- *Cooper Norcross Run the Bridge 10K – November 3
- *Rothman Orthopedics 8K & Dietz & Watson Half Marathon* – Nov. 23, *AACR Philadelphia Marathon Nov. 24

RULES:

- ❖ Any 2024 USATF Mid-Atlantic Association Club is eligible to field a team.
- ❖ Runners identify their club team affiliation when they submit their annual individual USATF membership.
- ❖ *Unattached* runners who have already registered for 2024 should notify Mid-Atlantic USATF in writing if they wish to be affiliated with a club (membership@midatlantic.usatf.org)
- ❖ USATF rules concerning club affiliation changes will be observed – a 90-day waiting period is required. Any change to a member's club affiliation must be requested and processed by USATF Mid-Atlantic membership services, membership@midatlantic.usatf.org
- ❖ Team scoring will be based on up to 5 club members with the highest age-grade scores. For 4 or 5 runners to score, **at least** 1 must be female. (All scoring runners may be female.)
- ❖ Team scores will be calculated for the best **8 events** in 2024 (lowest score/s is dropped).
- ❖ **Composite Scoring for the 2 events held on June 1 permits clubs to score 2 teams. Composite team scores can be created from participants in both events.**
 - ❖ **Important for club composite scoring - a maximum of 5 individuals from any one event can be used to create the composite scores.**
- ❖ **Composite Scoring for the 3 events held on November 18 and 19 permits clubs to score 3 teams. Composite team scores can be created from participants in all 3 events.**
 - ❖ **Important for club composite scoring - a maximum of 5 individuals from any one event can be used to create the composite scores.**
 - ❖ **Individuals participating in more than one event may score for a team only once per composite score.**
- ❖ Team members must obtain Mid-Atlantic membership **BEFORE** a race to be scored in that race.

- ❖ Team scores will be determined by adding the scoring members' age-graded percentages. We use the 2020 World Masters Athletics tables to determine those percentages.
- ❖ Yearend cash awards: 1st \$1200, 2nd- \$900, 3rd- \$675, 4th- \$475, 5th - \$325, 6th - \$200, 7th- \$125, 8th- \$75, 9th- \$50, 10th- \$50.
- ❖ The USATF Club Challenge is a separate competition not affiliated with the host race's team competition. See the LDR/Grand Prix pages on our web site: www.mausaff.com for more information.

*Indicates Mid-Atlantic Championship Race

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