



2014 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA USATF GRAND PRIX  
**U.C. RIVERSIDE INVITATIONAL**  
At UCR Agricultural Operations Course

**Saturday, September 13, 2014**

**SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:** UC Riverside course is 85% flat with a few rolling hills, hard packed dirt with pre-competition watering to reduce dust.

7:30 a.m. **Women's 6K Invitational** 8:05 a.m. **Men's 8K Invitational**  
8:45 a.m. **Women's 5K Open Race** 9:15 a.m. **Men's 8K Open Race**

Note: New for 2014 participants may run in either race to score Grand Prix points. This is a change from 2012 and 2013. See Grand Prix Rules for further information.

<b>ENTRY FEES &amp; USATF MEMBERSHIP:</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Pre-Meet Entry Fee: \$25.00 per person or \$250.00 per gender</li></ul> Entry fees should be made payable to "Regents, UC" and may be sent to address below or paid before the race at the start/finish line:  Track and Field Office: Attention Nate Browne University of California, Riverside Athletics Riverside, California 92521  <b>NOTE: THERE IS <u>NO</u> RACE DAY REGISTRATION FOR THIS EVENT.</b>  All competitors, to qualify for Grand Prix points must be, at the time of the event, 2014 members of USA Track & Field. Athletes can register on-line at <a href="http://www.scausatf.org">www.scausatf.org</a> or purchase a USATF membership at the meet for the annual fee of \$30.00.
<b>ENTRY PROCEDURE:</b>	Pre-meet entry deadline is <b>Monday, September 8, 2014 at 5:00pm</b> . Email entries to Don Chadez at <a href="mailto:dchadez@aol.com">dchadez@aol.com</a> . See attached race flier for further details.
<b>DIRECTIONS, AWARDS, AND INFORMATION:</b>	Please see the attached meet flier.

Race #1 in the  
SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA USATF  
**2014 CROSS COUNTRY GRAND PRIX**

**\$4,000 in Grand Prix Prize Money\***

\* Prize Money will be paid three deep to Men's and Women's Open, Masters (40-49) and Masters (50+). Points will be awarded in Open, 40-49 and 50+ for places 1-25 in each of the six preliminary races, with the Championship being worth double (25 points for 1<sup>st</sup> through 1 point for 25<sup>th</sup> in races #1-#6 and 50 points for 1<sup>st</sup> through 2 points for 25<sup>th</sup> in the Championship). Athletes count their best two results from races #1-#6 along with the Championship result to determine their place in the grand prix. Ties are broken by the higher place in the Championship. Athletes must be current USATF members at the time of each race in order for that race to count toward the grand prix.

For details regarding the grand prix prize money payout, for further individual and team grand prix rules and for entry information for specific races, please visit [www.scausatf.org](http://www.scausatf.org) or contact the SCA/USATF Open Cross-Country Committee Chair, Mike Mahurin, at (310) 384-6974 or at [edvird@yahoo.com](mailto:edvird@yahoo.com).

# 2014 UC Riverside Cross Country Invite

## UCR's 34<sup>th</sup> CROSS COUNTRY INVITATIONAL



DATE: Saturday, September 13, 2014

SITE: UCR Agricultural Operations Course

RACE TIME: 7:30am: Women's 6000m Invitational  
8:05am: Men's 8000m Invitational  
8:45am: Women's 5000m Collegiate Open  
9:15am: Men's 8000m Collegiate Open  
9:45am: Awards to be presented

\*Each women's and men's team will have the option of entering a minimum of 5 / maximum of 9 athletes in the Women's 6000m Invitational / Men's 8000m Invitational. All remaining athletes on each team will run in the Women's 5000m Collegiate Open / Men's 8000m Collegiate Open. However, teams have the option of running their entire team in the Collegiate Opens\*

COURSE: The UC Riverside course is 85% flat with a few rolling hills, hard packed dirt with pre-competition watering to reduce dust. Run through the shade of 100yr old orange groves and eucalyptus trees.

ENTRY FEE: \$500 - Combined Team (men and women)  
\$250 - Per Gender (men only or women only)  
\$25 - Individual/unattached entry

Please make checks payable to: Regents, UC

Send checks to address below or pay before the race at the start/finish line:  
Track and Field Office: Attention Nate Browne  
University of California, Riverside Athletics  
Riverside, CA 92521

ENTRIES: ALL ENTRIES MUST BE RECEIVED BY 5PM MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 8<sup>th</sup>  
E-Mail entries to Don Chadez - [dchadez@aol.com](mailto:dchadez@aol.com)  
Individual entries must also be emailed. NO LATE ENTRIES ACCEPTED.

AWARDS: There will be six championship plaques awarded:

- Women's 6000m Invitational: Division I Champion (Division I NCAA Teams) & Collegiate/Club Division Champion (all non-Division I)
- Men's 8000m Invitational: Division I Champion (Division I NCAA Teams) & Collegiate/Club Division Champion (all non-Division I)
- Women's 5000m Collegiate Open: Open Champion (all teams with 5 athletes will be scored)
- Men's 8000m Collegiate Open: Open Champion (all teams with 5 athletes will be scored)

Male & Female winners of each race receive runner's watch!  
Top 20 finishers in the invitational and top 10 in the Open will receive a top finisher T-shirt!

CHECK-IN: Teams/Clubs: All teams must check-in and pick-up race numbers no later than 30 minutes before their event. Numbers will be available at 6:45am on race day at the check-in table adjacent to the finish chute. Please do not give an unused number to another athlete! Each number is pre-assigned to an individual by the timer. We will be glad to make changes at no charge.

Unattached Athletes: All unattached athletes must check-in and pick-up race numbers at the entry gate prior to entering the facility.

**TIMING/RESULTS:** FINISH LYNX by Flash Results West. Results (hard copies) will be posted/available after the awards presentation. Results are also available online at [www.gohighlanders.com](http://www.gohighlanders.com) and at [www.flashwest.com](http://www.flashwest.com)

**ADMISSION PRICE:** \$5 – General Admission - Visa, MasterCard, & American Express are accepted.  
**FREE** – Ages 3 and under, UCR undergrads

**DIRECTIONS/PARKING:**  
**Team Vans:** From the 215/60 freeway, exit Martin Luther King and go West. Turn left at the Canyon Crest traffic light and travel approximately 300 meters to the course entrance. Please check in with gate personnel upon arrival for instructions. E-mail Nate Browne ([nathan.browne@ucr.edu](mailto:nathan.browne@ucr.edu)) with your parking pass requests no later than September 8<sup>th</sup>. Limit 4 per institution. No passes will be mailed. Please include: School Name / Contact Phone Number // Number of Team Van Spots Needed

**Team Buses:** Please follow the above instructions and drop off the team at the course entrance. The bus will need to then turn around at the next street and return to Martin Luther King. Turn left and then right into UCR Lot 30.

**Spectators:** General Parking IS NOT available in the Agricultural Operations Area. From the 215/60 freeway, exit Martin Luther King and go West. Pass through the Canyon Crest traffic light and make a right into UCR Lot 30. Signs will direct you to the designated area of the parking lot and there will be a charge of \$5 per vehicle. General parking is not available adjacent to the entrance gate. Vehicles with disabled license plates or placards may follow the Team Van directions above and park at the course.

**FACILITIES:** Portable restrooms will be available at the start/finish area and team camp area. There are NO dressing or shower facilities on site. No concessions will be available.

**CONTACT INFO:** For further information, please visit our Visiting Team Guide located on our website at [www.gohighlanders.com](http://www.gohighlanders.com) or contact Nate Browne at [nathan.browne@ucr.edu](mailto:nathan.browne@ucr.edu) or Irv Ray at [irv.ray@ucr.edu](mailto:irv.ray@ucr.edu).

### PREFERRED HOTELS:

**Hyatt Place Riverside Downtown**  
 Contact – Donna Esparza  
[desparza@rimhospitality.com](mailto:desparza@rimhospitality.com)  
 Direct - (951) 321-3504  
 Hotel – (951) 321-3500

**Courtyard by Marriott Downtown/UCR**  
 Contact - Brittiney Ray  
[Brittiney.Ray@Marriott.com](mailto:Brittiney.Ray@Marriott.com)  
 Direct - 951 781 2844  
 Hotel - (800) 627-7468

**Embassy Suites Ontario Airport**  
 Contact – Daniel Astorga  
[dastorga@embassysuitesontarioairport.com](mailto:dastorga@embassysuitesontarioairport.com)  
 Hotel – (909) 605-0281 Ext. 4008

**Please consider the following restaurant partners when visiting UC Riverside:**

<u>Restaurant</u>	<u>POC</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Closest Address</u>
Bakers Drive Thru	Danielle Mitchell	909-888-1342	1300 W Blaine St Riverside, CA (951) 683-4649
Chick Fil A	Justin Beard	951-656-6503	2885 Canyon Springs Pkwy, Riverside, CA 92507
Farmer Boys	Daisy Alvarez	951-823-8505	3452 University Avenue, Riverside, CA 92501
Heroes Restaurant and Brewery	Geoff Neely	951-248-0722	3397 Mission Inn Ave, Riverside, CA 92501
Jason's Deli	Kenny Kummer	951-697-7666	2555 Canyon Springs Pkwy, Riverside, CA 92507
Old Spaghetti Factory	Mike Roll	951-784-4417	3191 Mission Inn Ave, Riverside, CA 92507

## 2014 UC Riverside Cross Country Invite – Team Entry Form

SCHOOL/CLUB:	
COACH:	PHONE:
FAX:	EMAIL:

**\*No more than 9 will be allowed to run in the Invite races; All remaining athletes will run in the Collegiate Opens\***  
**ENTRIES MUST BE TYPED!**

### Men

Please check:

- 8k Invite Only  
 8k Invite & 8k Open  
 8k Collegiate Open Only

### Women

Please check:

- 6k Invite Only  
 6k Invite & 5k Open  
 5k Collegiate Open Only

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Email entries @ [dchadez@aol.com](mailto:dchadez@aol.com)

**DEADLINE IS 5pm MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 8<sup>th</sup>!!!**

No Late Entries Accepted

## 2014 UC Riverside Cross Country Invite – Individual Entry Form

NAME:	PHONE:
FAX (If available):	EMAIL:

### **ENTRIES MUST BE TYPED!**

Due to the size of the meet, UNATTACHED athletes will be competing in the open races.  
Please check one:

- Women's 5k Collegiate Open @ 8:45am  
 Men's 8k Collegiate Open @ 9:15am

All individual entries will be labeled as unattached unless the athlete specifies what club/sponsor they are running for.

E-Mail to Don Chadez @ [dchadez@aol.com](mailto:dchadez@aol.com)

**DEADLINE IS 5pm MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 8<sup>th</sup>!!!**

**No Late Entries Accepted**