

2012 SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA USATF GRAND PRIX SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATION CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIP

At Kenneth Hahn Park, Baldwin Hills (West LA)

Saturday, November 10, 2012

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS: All races conducted on a widely-acclaimed all-grass international style course.

For course maps and pictures, visit http://picasaweb.google.com/SCAUSATF/KennethHahnPark

9:00 a.m. Masters Men's & Women's 6K Race

9:45 a.m. Open Women's 6K Race 10:30 a.m. Open Men's 8K Race

ENTRY FEES	Pre-Meet Entry Fee: \$20 per person .
& USATF	Race Day Late Entry Fee: \$25 per person .
MEMBERSHIP:	All competitors must be 2012 members of USA Track & Field and show their membership card or on-line membership receipt at check-in. Athletes can register on-line at www.scausatf.org , or purchase a membership at the meet for the annual fee of \$30.00. USATF membership is not required for collegians wearing their school uniform.
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ENTRY PROCEDURE:	Pre-meet entry deadline is Monday, November 5, 2012 at 5:00pm . Email entries to Don Chadez at dchadez@aol.com . (Include <u>ages</u> for Masters race entries). Race day entries will close and all runners must check in 30 minutes before each race.
AWARDS & PRIZE MONEY:	Awards to Top 20 Open, Top 10 40-49, Top 10 50-59, Top 5 60-69 and Top 3 70+ competitors in Men's and Women's races. Prize money is awarded to three divisions: Open runners, Masters age 40-49, and Masters runners age 50+. Open Prize Money: 1st place: \$500, 2nd place: \$250, 3rd place: \$100 Masters 40-49 Prize Money: 1st place: \$225, 2nd place: \$100 3rd place: \$75 Masters 50+ Prize Money: 1st place: \$225, 2nd place: \$100 3rd place: \$75

DIRECTIONS TO KENNETH HAHN STATE PARK, Baldwin Hills

Exit the **10 Freeway** at **La Cienega Blvd**...South on La Cienega past Rodeo Road...the exit ramp to the Park entrance will be on your right. Tell the Gate Attendant you are there for the cross country race. Once past the gate, take the park drive all the way to the top to "**Janice's Green Valley**."

Race #5 in the SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA USATF 2012 CROSS COUNTRY GRAND PRIX

\$3,300 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 five races, with the Championship being worth double (25 points for 1st through 1 point for 25th in races #1-#4 and 50 points for 1st through 2 points for 25th in the Championship). Athletes count their best two results from races #1-#4 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. Masters athletes will be counted in the Open scoring, but must compete in the Open Championship if they wish to qualify for Open prize money.

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