

Important News regarding 3rd Covid Meeting at Morpeth, covering Event Regulations, including NO SPECTATORS PERMITTED TO ATTEND, DUE TO CURRENT LOCKDOWN REGULATIONS IN NORTH EAST OF ENGLAND.

From Keith Willshire Event Director on behalf of NECAA

As you should all be aware of by now, the North East of England has been put into a local lockdown.

We have been in constant contact with England Athletics and they have said that “ Given the positive feedback , compliance and experiences with the first two events” we are okay to carry on with the third event at King Edward School, Morpeth on Sunday 27th September.

However, we need to remind everyone that there will be NO spectators allowed into this event, each competitor will be allowed ONE companion with them.

Warm up for the endurance runners (800M and 3000M) will be on the astro turf pitches outside the track area.

No competitor will be allowed to register for their event and enter the playing field area until one hour before their events proposed start time.

There will be a holding area (adjacent to the 200M start) which ALL athletes MUST report to before they can enter the actual track.

Hurdlers and sprinters will be able to warm up on the track but must enter by the holding area and use the sanitising station provided.

It would be extremely helpful, if athletes could leave the School as soon as their event has completed.

Competitors should bring their own throwing equipment where possible.

Anyone in the playing field area MUST comply to the COVID 19 regulations regarding social distancing and use of sanitising stations provided, and follow the instructions of the Officials.

Anyone not complying to these rules may be asked to leave the venue immediately.

Timetables/start lists will be on www.necaa.info early next week