

Dear Athletes, Parents, and High School Track Fans,

We are thrilled to welcome you to Northern California's premier Distance event, Dublin Distance Fiesta! Since it's inception this Invitational has gained in momentum and has absolutely earned the State and National Class attention that it deserves. Meet organizer, Chris Williams has done a phenomenal job constructing a meet for distance runners of all levels. You'll enjoy every second of the day, whether it's the fast races, the endless personal bests coming out of every single heat, or the great soundtrack that is blasting through the speakers. Dublin Distance Fiesta is the best way to kick start our track season into high gear!

We brought our entire distance squad to Dublin last year, for the first time in a few years, and it was an excellent experience for our whole group. Dublin Distance Fiesta provides such a great competitive environment for all the athletes, regardless of ability. It felt like every other race we had boys and girls coming back into the stands with winning t-shirts, new PRs, and huge smiles.

There is no better place to introduce a new track and field athlete to distance running and racing. The parade of properly seeded heats provides a tangible and competitive race environment for everyone. Furthermore, for those fledgling athletes looking to get better they have the opportunity to see some of the best 1600m, 800m, & 3200m boys and girls in the State compete. What a great experience to be able to compete in the same meet with some of California and the Country's finest!

On that note, and because of Chris' tireless efforts, this meet as developed into an excellent venue for elite athletes to flex their winter training muscles. Finish in the Top 3 of the 3200m and athletes earn their Golden Ticket into the prestigious night meet of Arcadia Invitational. What an amazing early season opportunity for our young elites! Truly a reflection on what this meet has become and what it is doing for our Northern California Track athletes!

Cheers and Good Luck!
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