Shore Track and Field Officials Association, Inc.

Rules and liability governing track and field competitors

Each coach must sign this document prior to the meet reflecting that he/she has read and understands all the statements pertaining to the rules and regulations governing competition and athletes. The NJSIAA and Shore Conference requires sports officials to enforce the sportsmanship rules for coaches and contestants. Acts meant to demean opposing players, teams, spectators, and officials are not in the highest ideals of interscholastic education and will not be tolerated. Let this contest reflect mutual respect.

1. All NJSIAA and Shore Conference rules governing sportsmanship will be **strictly** enforced. Coaches and team captains shall inform all participants of the rules and their consequences.

2. Coaches certify that all contestants are properly equipped in uniform in compliance with the NFHS, NJSIAA, and Shore Conference rules. Any questions regarding legality must be resolved before the start of the meet.

3. **JAVELINS**: must be carried in a container when not in use, are to be carried vertically until entering the throwing area, and must meet required IAAF specifications.

4. **POLEVAULT**: All pads and landing mats must meet specifications and measurements required by an NFHS rules, each vaulters weight shall be at or below that manufactures/re conditioners poll rating, and each coach must attest to the test of a pole to the weight of the athlete using it.

Schools:_____ vs _____

Name of vaulter	Ath wgt.	Pole rating	Name of vaulter	Ath wgt.	Pole rating
1._____			1._____		
2._____			2._____		
3._____			3._____		
4._____			4._____		
5._____			5._____		

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Coach's Signature Date Coach's Signature Date