



### **Mission and Vision**

The Shocker Track Club Youth Team operates under the auspices of the Shocker Track Club Board of Directors. Separate indoor and outdoor seasons provide opportunities for multiple months of training. Support is also provided for high school athletes interested in competing at the collegiate level. Meetings can be scheduled with parents/athletes to discuss the collegiate eligibility and recruiting process.

The Mission of the Shocker Track Club Youth Team is to provide opportunities for youth to train and develop in track and field, from an introductory level to high-level competition, under the framework of USATF guidelines.

### **Parents**

Parents are important to the success of the athlete and the track club's activities. We thus ask the parents to observe the following:

- Maintain a positive attitude and pay all fees in a timely manner.
- Understand that once an athlete is at a given facility, they are under the supervision/jurisdiction/guidelines of the STC Youth Team management and coaching staff.
- Remain in the seating area at practices and meets.
- Ask questions of STC Youth management and coaches at an appropriate time and in an appropriate manner.
- Consider volunteering or joining our Open or Masters Teams!



# **Shocker Track Club**

[www.ShockerTrackClub.com](http://www.ShockerTrackClub.com)

## **Youth Team**

*General Program Information Only  
Contact us for Complete Details*

**Ages 7 through 18**  
**#STCFamily**



# LEADERSHIP

## Program Management

The Shocker Track Club Youth Team is a USATF Member Club managed by a Director, with assistance from the Youth Operations Director and Head Event Coaches. They are responsible for planning and leading all activities, including: team organization, training activities for athletes and coaches, overall training template, oversight of membership activities, and co-direction of any STC Youth home meets. STC is the only local youth track club that provides nearly year-round coaching in every event with connections to NCAA D1 & NAIA universities.

## The Indoor Training Program

The Indoor Program training begins on April 2, 2026, lasting through July 23, 2026. Coaching for Youth athletes **ages 7 through 18** in every practice is provided.

## Registration Fees

The Joiner Registration Fee is \$150 for the first month of participation. ***Additional fees of \$30 for participating in each additional month may be combined to increase the initial Joiner Registration Fee.*** See the Youth Operations Director for complete and specific information. The Registration Joiner Fee includes two STC team t-shirts, and a gear-bag

## Staying Informed

Weekly newsletters are issued to parents of registered children.



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# YOUTH PROGRAMS

## Coaches

All STC Youth Coaches AND Leaders are USATF members, have passed the USATF/NCSI background check, and completed the USOC SafeSport training. All Coaches have competition experience, with some having NCAA, NAIA, and post-collegiate experience. Some are USATF Level 1 and/or Level 2 Certified. Coaches “deliver” proven practice and workout strategies developed through various experiences, research, and collaboration with universities and professional organizations.

## Practices

Track & Field practices are held on the Wichita State University campus in multiple facilities that we rent for our use. Three to four practices are typically scheduled weekly between October and February, with optional practices available for detail work.

## Track Meets

Participating in Track Meets is optional and at the expense of parents unless stated otherwise. Some travel is required. At least four meets are intended for all ages of youth athletes. A complete list of Track Meets will be published when complete. A USATF membership is REQUIRED for athletes competing in June and July meets.

## STC MISSION

The Shocker Track Club (STC) is a 501(C)(3) organization that facilitates Wichita area Track and Field activities and supports Wichita State and Friends University Track & Field programs

