



USA CLIMBING

# COLLEGIATE

2022 USA Climbing: Collegiate National Championships Informational Sheet  
Reach Climbing & Fitness | Bridgeport, PA | April 21st - 24th

## Schedule:

April 21st, 2022 | Bouldering Qualification Rounds

April 22nd, 2022 | Lead & Speed Qualification Rounds

April 23rd, 2022 | Bouldering & Lead Semi Finals & Speed Finals

April 24th, 2022 | Bouldering and Lead Finals

A more detailed schedule may be found on the event webpage [HERE](#).

## What days/session would I be competing in?:

- Competing in Bouldering Only:
  - Thursday 4/21: Bouldering Qualification in Wave 1 or Wave 2
  - Saturday 4/23: Bouldering Semi-Finals (if qualified)
  - Sunday 4/24: Bouldering Finals (if qualified)
- Competing in Bouldering/Speed:
  - Thursday 4/21: Bouldering Qualification in Wave 1 or Wave 2
  - Friday 4/22: Speed Qualification in Wave 1 or Wave 2
  - Saturday 4/23: Bouldering Semi-Finals (if qualified) and Speed Finals (if qualified)
  - Sunday 4/24: Bouldering Finals (if qualified)
- Competing in Bouldering/Lead:
  - Thursday 4/21: Bouldering Qualification in Wave 1 or Wave 2
  - Friday 4/22: Lead Qualification in Wave 1, Wave 2 or Wave 3
  - Saturday 4/23: Bouldering Semi-Finals (if qualified) and Lead/TR Semi-Finals (if qualified)
  - Sunday 4/24: Bouldering Finals (if qualified) and Lead/TR Finals (if qualified)
- Competing in Bouldering/Lead/Speed:
  - Thursday 4/21: Bouldering Qualification in Wave 1 or Wave 2
  - Friday 4/22: Lead Qualification in Wave 1 of Wave 2 Speed Qualification in Wave 2 or Wave 3

- Saturday 4/23: Bouldering and Lead Semi-Finals (if qualified) and Speed Finals (if qualified)
- Sunday 4/24: Bouldering Finals (if qualified) and Lead Finals (if qualified)
- Competing in Lead/Speed:
  - Friday 4/22: Lead Qualification in Wave 1 or Wave 2 and Speed Qualification in Wave 2 or Wave 3
  - Saturday 4/23: Lead Semi-Finals (if qualified) and Speed Finals (if qualified)
  - Sunday 4/24: Lead Finals (if qualified)
- Competing in Lead Only:
  - Friday 4/22: Lead Qualification in Wave 2 or Wave 3
  - Saturday 4/23: Lead Semi-Finals (if qualified)
  - Sunday 4/24: Lead Finals (if qualified)
- Competing in Speed Only:
  - Friday 4/22: Speed Qualification in Wave 1 or Wave 2
  - Saturday 4/23: Speed Finals (if qualified)

## Technical Meeting:

The virtual technical meeting will be held, Wednesday, 4/20/22 at 5:00pm ET.

- [Meeting Link](#)
- Meeting ID: 896 8165 4510
- Passcode: 839573

## Travel Information:

[Hotel Reservation Link](#) (Room blocks expire April 6th)

## COVID-19 Countermeasures:

In an effort to hold the safest event possible, ALL attendees of the 2022 USA Climbing Collegiate National Championship being held at Reach Climbing & Fitness April 21st - 24th, 2022 must adhere to the USAC COVID Countermeasures document posted on the USA Climbing website [HERE](#).

## Event Participation:

Eligibility:

- For Bouldering: In order to be eligible to compete in Bouldering, competitors must be ranked in the top 13 in their division in Bouldering

- For Lead/TR: In order to be eligible to compete in Lead/TR, competitors must be ranked in the top 13 in their division in Lead/TR.
- For Speed: Speed is open for the 2022 Collegiate National Championships. Competitors who want to compete in speed must have an active collegiate membership and register for speed at the 2022 Collegiate National Championship. “Speed only” competitors must email USA Climbing at [rachel@usaclimbing.org](mailto:rachel@usaclimbing.org) to be added to the invitation list for the Speed discipline.

#### Registration:

- The Normal Registration Period will open Tuesday March 29th at 12 PM MT and will close Tuesday, April 5th at 11:59 pm MT.
- The Extended Registration Period will open immediately following the Normal Registration Period and close Sunday, April 10<sup>th</sup> at 11:59 pm MT. Competitors are subject to a \$50 additional fee during the Extended Registration Period.
- A Late Registration Period will open immediately following the Extended Registration Period and close Tuesday, April 19<sup>th</sup> at 11:59 pm MT. Competitors are subject to a \$250 additional fee during the late registration period.

#### Spectators:

- Spectators will be welcome at the 2022 Collegiate Nationals. There will be no tickets required for spectators.

### Athlete Check-In:

All Competitors must check-in during their respective check-in times as outlined on the schedule. Competitors will receive their competition bibs at check-in and will be expected to wear them in the middle of their back throughout the competition.

### Format:

Collegiate National Championship competition shall follow the USA Climbing Rulebook (Sections 24, 7, 8, 9)The USA Climbing rulebook can be found [here](#).

### Results:

Results can be viewed during all rounds of competition on the USA Climbing website. Results will be made official following each round of competition on the USA Climbing website.

### World University Games 2022:

- The Lead, Boulder, and Speed U.S. Collegiate National Teams shall be composed of the three (3) highest ranked U.S. citizen athletes in the respective

Discipline's Collegiate National Team Ranking, and such members will be ordered (ranked) by such National Team Ranking.

- The Lead, Boulder, and Speed U.S. Collegiate National World Eligible shall be U.S. citizen athletes ranked in the top-10 of the respective Discipline's Collegiate National Team Ranking who are not members of the corresponding Collegiate National Team, and such members will be ordered (ranked) by such National Team Ranking.
- 2022 Collegiate National Teams for each individual discipline will be announced at the conclusion of each discipline's finals.
- 2022 Collegiate National Team meetings will be immediately following the award ceremony of finals. 2022 Collegiate National Team members and all finalists are invited to attend the National Team meeting.
- FISU World University Championships will be in Innsbruck, Austria JUNE 13 - 17, 2022. If you are interested in attending if you qualify, please bring this [Academic Eligibility Form](#) to Collegiate Nationals.

### Additional Topics:

- Competitors must present their rope for inspection when checking in for their wave. The rope must be between 9.5 and 10.1mm, a minimum of 40m in length and in good condition. A rope may be disqualified for excessive wear, visible damage, or any other condition deemed to present a potential safety risk. During the qualification round competitors will keep possession of their rope. IT IS THE COMPETITOR'S RESPONSIBILITY TO ENSURE THAT THEIR ROPE IS PROPERLY FLAKED AND READY FOR USE prior to an attempt on a Lead route. If a rope issue occurs during an attempt (for example, a knot in the rope), the belayer may pause or end the attempt; such an incident will NOT be considered a technical incident and will not be subject to appeal.
- If you have any questions, please email us at [rachel@usaclimbing.org](mailto:rachel@usaclimbing.org).