



The 2015 Club Challenge

USATF Mid-Atlantic clubs can compete for cash awards in the 2015 Grand Prix Circuit. Simply identify your club affiliation on your 2015 membership form and USATF will track and tabulate the race results. Teams will be comprised of the five fastest (age graded) 2015 USATF Mid-Atlantic members, at least one of whom must be female.

Circuit races in 2015:

- *Haddonfield Adrenaline Run 5K – March 21
- *Caesar Rodney Half-Marathon – March 22
- Valley Forge Revolutionary 5 Mile Run – April 19
- Blue Cross Broad Street Run 10 Mile – May 3
- Moorestown Rotary Coffee 8K - June 6
- Delaware Distance Classic 15K – October 11
- Penn Medicine Radnor Run 5 Miles – October 25
- Cooper Norcross Run The Bridge 10K – November 1
- **Rothman Institute 8K – Nov. 21, Philadelphia Marathon & Half Marathon – Nov. 22

RULES:

- ❖ Any 2015 USATF Mid-Atlantic Association Club is eligible to field a team.
- ❖ Runners identify their club team affiliation when they submit their individual USATF membership for 2015.
- ❖ *Unattached* runners who have already registered for 2015 should notify USATF Mid-Atlantic in writing if they wish to be affiliated with a club (email: doreencoubs@aol.com)
- ❖ USATF rules concerning club changes will be observed – a 90-day waiting period is required!
- ❖ Team scoring will be based on 5 runners from the same club finishing the race.
- ❖ Each team must include at least one female (all 5 scoring runners may be female). Team scores will be calculated for the best 7 events in 2015 (lowest score/s is dropped).
- ❖ ****Due to the proximity of the races on March 21 and 22, results from these races will be scored as a single “event”. The best five club WMA scores between these two races will be counted for a single team score. If a club runner completes both of these races his/her (one) best score will be used.***
- ❖ *****A club's best scores across the 3 Grand Prix races held on November 21 and 22 may be used by the club to score 5, 10 or 15 members. If a club runner completes two of these races only his/her (one) best score will be used.***
- ❖ Team members must obtain Mid-Atlantic membership **before** a race to be scored in that race.
- ❖ Team scores will be determined by adding the scoring members' age-graded percentages. We use the current World Masters Athletics tables to determine those percentages.
- ❖ Year end cash awards will be: 1st \$1,000, 2nd \$700, 3rd \$500, 4th \$300, 5th \$200, 6th \$100, 7th \$75, 8th \$50, 9th \$50, 10th \$50.
- ❖ The USATF Club Challenge is a separate competition not affiliated with the host race's team competition. See the LDR/Grand Prix pages on our web site: www.mausatf.org for more information.