

## DEVON SCHOOLS ATHLETICS COMBINED EVENTS TEAM 2023

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The English Schools Athletics Association Combined Events Championships are scheduled to be held on at Bedford on Saturday and Sunday 16<sup>th</sup>/17<sup>th</sup> September 2023.

Qualification for these championships will take place at the South West Schools Combined Events Championships at Yeovil on Saturday and Sunday 24<sup>th</sup>/25<sup>th</sup> June 2023.

Devon can enter four athletes in each age group in the South West Championships. Athletes can qualify for the ESAA Championships at Bedford either individually or as a team.

Unfortunately, we are unable to hold a county competition to aid selection of athletes to represent Devon this year. Therefore, supporting information from a PE teacher and/or club coach will be helpful for those who have not represented Devon before.

The events are:

Junior Girls Pentathlon: 75mH, Long Jump, High Jump, Shot & 800m.

Inter Girls Heptathlon: 80mH, 200m, Long Jump, High jump, Shot, Javelin & 800m.

Senior Girls Heptathlon: 100m Hurdles, 200m, Long Jump, High Jump, Shot, Javelin & 800m.

Junior Boys Pentathlon: 80m Hurdles, Long Jump, High Jump, Shot & 800m.

Inter Boys Octathlon: 100mH, 400m, Long Jump, High Jump, Shot, Discus, Javelin & 1500m.

Senior Boys Decathlon; 110mH, 100m, 400m, Long Jump, High Jump, Pole Vault, Shot, Discus, Javelin & 1500m.

If you wish to be considered to represent Devon at the South West Championships or, as a coach/teacher have athletes you wish to be considered, please let me know by email to [terryobrien9896@btinternet.com](mailto:terryobrien9896@btinternet.com) giving name, school, telephone number and date of birth.

Pentathlons for U15 and U17 age groups will be held at the Devon Open meeting at Plymouth on 21<sup>st</sup> May 2023. Athletes are strongly advised to take part in these events if possible.

Also, Somerset Schools are holding Open Combined Events Championships on 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> April. Details can be found on the Somerset Schools Athletics website.

All athletes wishing to be considered for selection must complete and send the attached form to me by 30<sup>th</sup> May 2023.

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