

Pricing Structure

Please note that it is the policy of the Patriot Pole Vault Club to allow ANYONE and EVERYONE to vault with us regardless of their ability to afford it.

If you are experiencing financial difficulties and cannot afford the membership dues or practice session fees, please talk to us – we will work out a satisfactory solution to everyone’s benefit.

We run practices year-round at numerous locations and we have divided the year into three seasons:

- The “**Winter**” season runs from mid-November until mid-March and is comprised of only indoor practices
- The “**Scholastic**” season mimics the scholastic outdoor season and runs from mid-March until mid June and is comprised of outdoor practices 6 days per week and indoor practices at least 1 day per week
- The “**Summer/Fall**” season runs from mid-June until mid-November and is comprised of of outdoor practices 6 days per week and indoor practices 1 day per week

You can choose to pay per practice or sign up for one of our package plans to save some cash. The pay as you go costs is \$25 per practice regardless of the season or location except for the Scholastic Spring Season. Registration for a package gives you unlimited practices during that time period. The **Indoor Packages** cover all of our indoor practices (at 360 Gymnastics) during the given season. Similarly the **Outdoor Packages** cover all of our outdoor practices (at Westborough High School or Ludlow High School) during the given season.

Note: During the **Scholastic** season ALL **outdoor** practices are free of charge. Patriot Pole Vault Club makes its facilities and staff available to support schools with and without proper pole vault coaching and equipment.

We are more than willing to discuss installment plans or pro-rate package prices for athletes wishing to join midway through a season.

Annual Membership Dues: \$30 from January 1, 2012 to December 31, 2012

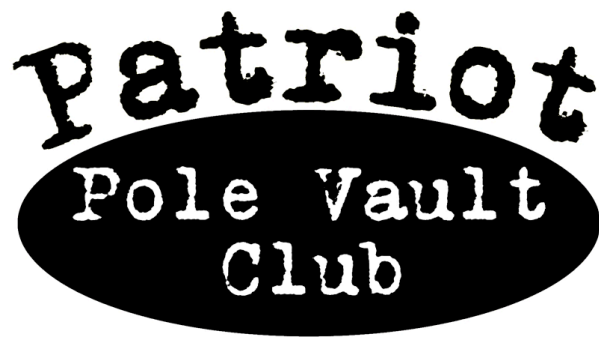
Select your practice payment type:

Pay As You Go Practice Fees: \$25 per practice

or

Package Deals for Savings:

Season	2011 - 2012 Dates	Indoor Packages	Outdoor Packages
Winter	Sunday, December 11 - Sunday, March 18 (14 weeks)	\$200 (\$100 pro-rated for current 2012 season)	n/a
Scholastic	Monday, March 19 - Sunday June 10 (12 weeks)	\$200	ALL PRACTICES FREE
Summer/Fall	Monday June 11 - Saturday, November 10 (22 weeks)	\$200	\$300
Full Indoor & Outdoor Package	All indoor and outdoor practices December 11th, 2011 - November 10th 2012		\$800



FAQ & Information

Where Does the Money Go?

All of the Patriot Pole Vault Club coaches volunteer their time and have full time jobs in order to support their coaching habits :-)

All collected monies go directly into sponsoring and putting on pole vault specific events, promoting the vault throughout New England, renting facilities, travel costs and buying and maintaining equipment for the club such as:

- An inventory of over 300 poles (\$200 to \$700 per pole)
- A landing system for use at our indoor practices and our special events (\$10,000+)
- Maintenance and upgrades on all of our mats at all of our facilities including new top pads (~\$1500 per set) and weather covers (~\$1500 per set)
- A portable runway to be used at indoor practices and special events (~\$1000)
- Video systems for instantaneous technical feedback and watching of instructional videos which includes digital video & still cameras, a Tivo digital recording systems, televisions, VCRs & DVD players
- Tape, tips, bungee cords, pole racks, pole bags, training devices etc.

Rest assured your membership dues will be put to good use :-)

How Do I Communicate With the Club and How Does the Club Communicate With Me?

You can contact us in two ways. You may e-mail us at polevault@patriotpv.com or you may call us at 774-276-1617 and one of our coaches will get back to you as soon as possible to answer your questions. Please note that we all have full time jobs so during the day e-mail is the best way to reach us. After 3:00 calling is much more doable...

Our main method of communication with you is via e-mail. We use Constant Contact to maintain our ever-growing mailing list and to facilitate sending out our announcements and newsletters. You can sign up for our mailing list on our website (<http://www.patriotpv.com/>).

We maintain a calendar and schedule on our website that is updated daily and as changes occur. Additionally, we also communicate via social networks. We have our own facebook page, twitter feed and YouTube channel.

We highly encourage you to check your e-mail and our website on a regular basis for schedule changes, event announcements and other club news.



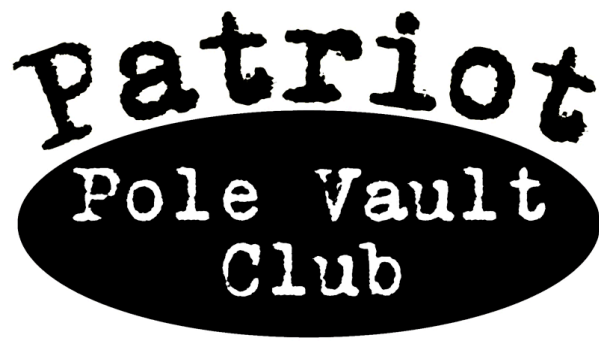
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<http://www.twitter.com/patriotpv>



<http://www.youtube.com/patriotpv>



Information & Consent Form

Athlete's Name

Athlete's E-Mail Address

Athlete's USATF #

Pole Vault Experience & PR

Athlete's Height and Weight

Age & Birthday

School & Grade

Other Athletic Activities/Hobbies

Parent/Guardian's Names (if athlete is under 18)

Parent/Guardian's E-Mail Address

Address

City, State, Zip

Home Phone #

Athlete's Cell Phone #

Parent's Work Phone #

Emergency Contact - Name & Phone #

Please list any medical concerns (illnesses, allergies, previous or pre-existing injuries etc.)

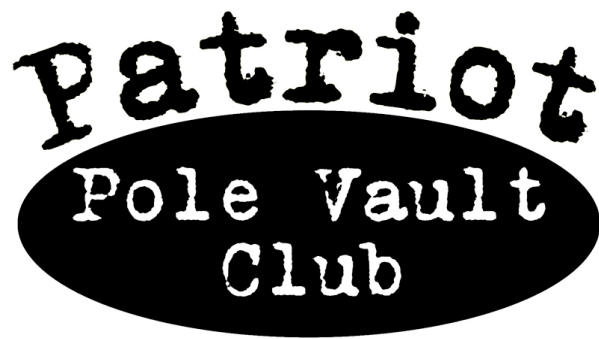
I hereby grant permission for myself/my child to attend Patriot Pole Vault Club practices and events. I verify that I/my child has had a physical exam in the past year and is capable to participate in the activities related to pole vaulting. I agree to indemnify, hold harmless and defend Douglas Lang, Ignacio Arguello, Christopher Combs, Ingrid Gustafson, Ken Petersen, any other associated coach, our mentoring staff, Westborough High School or any other pole vault practice or competition facility used by the Patriot Pole Vault Club, their agents, employees and sponsors from any and all liability for injury to myself or my child as well as any damage caused by myself and/or my child. I understand that track and field, and in particular pole vaulting, are potentially dangerous and could pose risk to injury during the course of instruction or competition. Sports by their very nature pose the continuous threat of injury that no type of equipment can ensure against or prevent. Should medical attention be necessary, I hereby authorize any physician or trainer selected by club personnel to conduct medical or surgical procedures.

Athlete's Name & Signature

Parent/Guardian's Name & Signature (if athlete is under 18)

Date

Date



Code of Conduct Form

- Vaulting and training at our facility can be done only with a coach present
- Athletes should arrive at practice with a positive attitude ready to listen, learn, work and have fun
- Athletes must be supportive and show respect to everyone - coaches, club members, other athletes, guests, spectators & officials
- Athletes must use appropriate language. Appropriate means 'acceptable to all'. Remember we do have some very young members...
- Athletes must not distract other athletes on the runway
- Athletes are expected to help take care of and put away all the equipment that they use - mats, poles, devices, apparatus etc.
- Poles cost a lot of money and must be taken care of - they must not be left on the ground nor are they to be used in a matter unrelated to pole vaulting
- The coaches and mentors are there to teach and supervise activities - they are NOT there to baby sit
- Athletes are responsible for their own safe and appropriate behavior
- The Patriot Pole Vault Club maintains a strict "Zero Tolerance" policy with regards to drug and tobacco use and consumption of alcohol. Any athlete caught using drugs, tobacco or alcohol at a Patriot Pole Vault event will be expelled immediately from the club
- Coaches and mentors have the authority to expel any athlete for any inappropriate behavior (fighting, drug/alcohol use etc.)
- If there are any other conduct problems :
 - First offense - the athlete will be asked to sit out the remainder of the practice or event
 - Second offense - the athlete will be sent home. A written warning will be issued and the athlete will be put on a period of probation for the rest of the year
 - Third offense - the athlete will be expelled from the club

Athlete's Name & Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian's Name & Signature (if under 18)

Date

Patriot Pole Vault Club

Photograph/Video/Web Site Release Form



Dear Parent/Guardian or Athlete,

On occasion, representatives from the Patriot Pole Vault Club wish to photograph, videotape and/or interview athletes in connection with the club. Providing video and photographs of vaulting is an extremely useful learning tool, and posting material on the internet is an excellent way to share information.

In order to release athlete photographs, video footage, comments and/or post on the club web site we need written permission. Please indicate your consent status below and complete the form

I, _____

parent/guardian of (if under 18) _____

(circle one of the following) **DO** or **DO NOT** give permission for myself/my child to be photographed, videotaped and/or interviewed by representatives from the Patriot Pole Vault Club for the purpose of promoting the sport of pole vaulting and the club on the internet and other forms of media. I authorize the use and reproduction of any and all photographs and/or videotapes taken of me/my child without compensation to me/my child. All of these photographs/video recordings/interviews shall be the property, solely and completely, of the Patriot Pole Vault Club. If I have any concerns with any media containing me/my child, I have the right to contact the Patriot Pole Vault Club about the use of the materials.

Athlete's Name & Signature

Date

Parent/Guardian's Name & Signature (if under 18)

Date



USATF Membership Application

New Member Renewal (from previous year – USATF Number _____)

Please print or type information

Last Name	First Name	Initial

Address

City	State	Zip Code

Sex M/F Age Today Date of Birth - - (MM-DD-YYYY – i.e.: 02-19-1958)

USA Citizen Yes No If no, country of Citizenship _____

Phone Number - -

Club No. Club Name Patriot Pole Vault Club

Email

(Your membership number will be emailed to you. Your email address will not be shared with anyone.)

Please check all appropriate sports codes here:

- Track Field Road Running/LDR Cross Country Ultra-Marathon Mountain/Trail Race Walking

Membership Category Codes

Please use the codes below – you may indicate one or more categories.

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|----------------------|----------------------------|
| AT: Athlete | PA: Parent |
| DA: Disabled Athlete | OF: Official |
| CH: Coach | OA: Official – Association |
| CD: Developmental | ON: Official – National |
| C1: Coach – Level 1 | OM: Official – Master |
| C2: Coach – Level 2 | AD: Administrator |
| C3: Coach – Level 3 | |

By signature below, I, a prospective member of USA Track & Field, agree to abide by the applicable USATF Bylaws, Operating Regulations, and Competition Rules for my level(s) and category(ies) of membership.

Signature (If an athlete is under age 18, parent or guardian must sign)

Date of Application

- - (MM-DD-YYYY)

Important information: Memberships are on a calendar year basis, and expire on December 31. However, if you join between November 1 and December 31 of the current year, the membership will be valid for the following year as well.

Youth members: New or lapsed memberships must submit a copy of birth certificate or other ID.

Check here if you do not wish your address used as part of a direct mail list.

Membership Fees & Registration Options

OPTION 1

JOIN ONLINE AT
www.usatf.org/membership

You will receive your new Membership # – Instantly!!

Have your previous membership # and password ready as they will be needed for the renewal process

MAIL TO YOUR LOCAL ASSOCIATION
Mail the completed application and appropriate membership fees to your local Association. Mailing addresses can be found at www.usatf.org/associations

OPTION 2

Adult Membership (19 yrs & over)	\$ _____
\$ 30.00 (1-year)	\$ 80.00 (3-years)
\$ 55.00 (2-years)	\$ 100.00 (4-years)
Youth Membership (18 yrs & under)	
\$ 20.00 x _____ =	\$ _____
# of membership years	
CONTRIBUTIONS (TAX DEDUCTIBLE)	\$ _____
Please direct my contribution to <input type="checkbox"/> LDR <input type="checkbox"/> Youth	
<input type="checkbox"/> Masters T & F <input type="checkbox"/> RW <input type="checkbox"/> Association Programs	
<input type="checkbox"/> Unrestricted	
TOTAL	\$ _____

Please make checks payable to USATF.