

ENTRY PROCESSING AND GUIDELINES

A. Entry Forms: Every competitor in the FRSE must qualify for entry under these rules and must submit a completed Sports Entry Form with appropriate Entry Fees, by the Entry Deadline. A waiver of liability must be completed by every participant prior to the event, which can be accomplished at registration/check-in.

B. Entry Forms: All Entry Forms and Entry Fees must be completed online. Any substantiating data required that needs to be sent can be emailed or sent via the USPS.

The address for FRSE is:
First Responder Sporting Events
P.O. Box 620442
Orlando, Florida 32862
Email: info@FRSEports.org

The FRSE Web Site for On-Line entries is: <https://www.firstrespondergames.com>

C. ENTRY DEADLINE: The Entry Deadline will be determined by the host and posted on the website. The deadline will be approximately 30 days prior to the first full day of competition. Entries accepted after the Deadline date shall be specifically approved on an individual basis by the FRSE. A 25% late fee (based on entry fee only) may be assessed. Look at the website for exact date of entry deadline.

D. ENTRY PROCESSING: The FRSE office screens all Event Entries for completeness, accuracy and eligibility including:

1. Entrants for team events must represent eligible agencies
2. Entrant must have been certified 30 days prior to the first day of the FRSE. Academy Time: If an agency hires an individual but requires successful completion of an academy curriculum prior to swearing in, the competitor may use the first day of the academy for the sworn in date.
3. Entrant must be at least 18 years of age as of the first day of the FRSE event.
4. All required fees have been paid.

If all requirements have not been met, the FRSE will attempt to gain compliance from the entrants with the information provided. If the entrant cannot be contacted from the information provided, the registration will not be processed.

E. ENTRY INFORMATION: Once the entry forms are screened, the entries (or transfers) and the data into their automated systems, which will allow for the individual sport coordinators to contact individual participants as needed.

F. BRACKETING: Some events need to be bracketed prior to the start of the Games. This may be necessary because of the number of entries, facility limitations, official scheduling, or other necessities for running a smooth event. If pre-event bracketing is necessary, the FRSE will distribute or publish the brackets no later than 10 days before the first day of the FRSE. All Bracketing will use approved FRSE Bracketing Forms. Seeding is mandatory for the top three (3) finishers from the previous year. First and fourth place finishers should be seeded in one half of the bracket with second and third place finishers seeded in the other half of the bracket. If a seed does not enter, or has changed age groups or categories, the lower seeded teams move up in seed. If an agency has two (2) or more entries entered in one sport, they are to be separated when the brackets are drawn.

G. SCHEDULING: Some scheduling will be accomplished while the brackets are completed. Schedules, especially start times, for all sports, must be finalized 2 weeks prior to the first day of the FRSE.

H. CONFIRMATION NOTIFICATIONS: The FRSE shall mail or email each registrant a confirmation mailing.

This will be an entry notification. This entry notification will be sent acknowledging receipt of the entries that the registrant submitted. This will occur within 48 hours of submission to the FRSE. It is the responsibility of the registrant to confirm the location of the rules of sport, special equipment or clothing, schedule of a required captain or participant meeting, and a reminder of the check-in procedures. The registrant should also be aware of when and where his/her first competition is scheduled. For events with more than 3 team members, the team captain should check the website at least 10 days prior to the start of the games. All of this information can be found on the individual sports pages for each event

Start times, for all sports must be posted on the website 10 days prior to the first day of the FRSE. If changes are made at the last minute, every attempt will be made via phone or email to the participant with the information submitted at registration.