

2017-2018 New England Division Schedule

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| Division events | |
| Division Qualifiers | |
| NACs | |
| Region 3 events | |
| Region 3 Boston | |

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| Sat/Sun 10/7-8 6W Open and Vet | BFC |
| Sat 10/7 2:30 pm Vet 4:00 pm | M/W Sabre M/W Sabre |
| Sun 10/8 8:30 am 8:30 am Vet 1:00 pm 1:00 pm Vet | M/W Foil M/W Epee M/W Epee M/W Foil |
| Oct 7-8 Cadet/Junior | RJCC Long Island |
| <i>10/13-16 NAC Div 1/2/Cadet/Wheelchair – Anaheim, CA</i> | |
| Oct 21-22 D1A | ROC New Jersey |
| Sat/Sun 10/21-22 | |
| Sun 10/29 D and Under | Ocean State |
| 11:00 am 11:00 am | M Epee W Epee |
| Oct 27-29 Y10/12/14/Cadet | SYC/RCC Rochester |
| Nov 4-5 DV1A/DV2 | ROC New York |
| Sat Nov 4 Collegiate meet | Big One Smith |
| Sun Nov 5 | |
| Sat Nov 11 6W Vet Combined | Worcester FC |
| 1:00 pm 2:00 pm 3:00 pm | Sabre Epee Foil |
| <i>11/10-13 NAC Junior/Cadet/Y14 Kansas City, MO</i> | |

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| Sun 11/19 U17 JO Qualifiers | BFC Preregister Askfred.net |
| Sun 11/19 8:00 am 1:00 pm 1:00 pm | M/W Foil M/W Epee M/W Sabre |
| Nov 18-19 Junior/Cadet | RJCC New Jersey |
| Saturday 11/25 Turkey Open | BFC |
| 8:30 am 12:00 pm 3:30 pm | M/W Epee M/W Foil M/W Sabre |
| November 24-26 Y10/12/14 | SYC New Jersey |
| Sat Dec 2 | |
| Sun Dec 3 | Brandeis College Meet |
| <i>12/8-11 NAC Div 1/2/Vet Portland, OR</i> | |
| Dec 9-10 Junior/Cadet | RJCC New Jersey |
| Dec 16-17 Y10/12/14 | RYC New Jersey |
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| Sun 12/17 U20 JO Qualifiers | BFC Preregister Askfred.net |
| Sun 12/17 8:00 am 1:00 pm 1:00 pm | M/W Foil M/W Epee M/W Sabr |
| Dec 30-31 DV1A/DV2 | ROC New Jersey |

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| Sat/Sun 12/30-31 JO qual makeup if required due to weather. Times TBD | |
| Mon 1/1/2018 Jack Norton Hangover Mixed Open | BFC |
| 8:00 am 12:00 pm 3:00 pm | Foil Epee Sabre |
| <i>1/5-8 NAC Div 1/Junior/Sr Team/Wlch – Virginia Beach, VA</i> | |
| Sat/Sun 1/6-7 E and Under | Worcester FC |
| Sat 1/6 3:00 pm | M/W Sabre |
| Sun 1/7 9:00 am 1:00 pm | M/W Foil M/W Epee |
| Jan 6-7 Y10/12/14 | RYC New Jersey |
| January 13-14 D1A/D2/Vet | ROC New Jersey |
| January 13-15 Y10/12/14/Cadet | SYC Maryland |
| January 20-21 Junior/Cadet | RJCC New York |
| Sat/Sun Jan 27-28 | |
| February 2-4 D1A/D2 | ROC New Jersey |
| Sun Feb 4 Tom Gorman Beanpot Open | BFC |
| 8:30 am 12:00 pm 1:00 pm | M/W Foil M/W Epee M/W Sabre |
| Feb 10-12 Y10/12/14 Jr/Cdt | RJCC/RYC New York |
| Sat Feb 10 | |
| Sun Feb 11 HS State Champs | TBD |

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| <i>2/16-19 Junior Olympics Memphis, TN</i> | |
| Sat Feb 24 Collegiate meet | Mt Holyoke NE Champs |
| Sun Feb 25 | |
| March 2-4 D1A/D2/Vet | ROC Boston FC |
| Sat/Sun 3/10-11 NCAA Regionals | Brandeis University |
| <i>3/9-12 NAC Div III/Y14/12/10 Y14 team Baltimore, MD</i> | |
| March 17-18 D1A/D2/RJCC | ROC/RJCC Rochester |
| March 24-25 Y10/12/14 | RYC New Jersey |
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| Sat/Sun 3/24-25 Div II/III/Vet Qualifiers | BFC Preregister Askfred.net |
| Sat 3/24 2:30 pm | M/W Sabre |
| Sun 3/25 8:30 am 1:00 pm | M/W Foil M/W Epee |
| March 31-April 1 Passover/Easter | |
| April 7-8 Junior/Cadet | RJCC Boston FC |
| All QUALIFYING events are for New England Division members ONLY. You must be a U.S. citizen or a Permanent Resident and age eligible to compete. | |
| Sat/Sun 4/14-15 Y14 qualifiers | BFC Preregister Askfred.net |
| Sat 4/14 2:30 pm | M/W Sabre |
| Sun 4/15 8:30 am 1:00 pm | M/W Foil M/W Epee |
| <i>4/20-23 NAC D1/D2/D3 Wher/ Vet/Vet team Richmond, VA</i> | |

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| April 21-22 Y10/12/14 | RYC New Jersey |
| April 21-22 | |
| April 28-29 D1A/D2 | ROC Long Island |
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| Sat/Sun 4/28-29 Y10/Y12 Division Championships | BFC |
| Sat 4/28 Y10 2:30 pm 2:30 pm 2:30 pm | M/W Foil M/W Epee M/W Sabre |
| Sun 4/29 Y12 8:30 am 1:00 pm 1:00 pm | M/W Foil M/W Epee M/W Sabre |
| May 4-5 Y10/12/14 | SYC Long Island |
| Sat/Sun 5/4-5 Events TBD | WFC |
| Sat 5/12 E and Under 2:30 pm 2:30 pm 2:30 pm | BFC M/W Foil M/W Epee M/W Sabre |
| Sun 5/13 C and Under 8:00 am 1:00 am 4:00 pm | BFC M/W Foil M/W Epee M/W Sabre |
| Sat/Sun 19-20 | |
| Sat/Sun 5/26-27 Memorial Day | |
| Sat/Sun June 2-3 | |

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| Sat/Sun 6/9-10 Division Champs | BFC TBD |
| Sat/Sun 6/16-17 Probable Date | Pomme de Terre |
| <i>June 28 – July 7 Summer Nationals – St Louis, MO</i> | |
| Bay State Games Non sanctioned event | TBD |

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Times noted are CLOSE of registration. Fencing begins as soon after close as possible. You should be at the venue no later than 30 minutes before close.

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Division Championship Events are for NEW ENGLAND division members ONLY. You must be age eligible, national point standings do not count if you are below stated age requirements.

All competitive events require USFA competitive membership; high school membership is not accepted.

Competitive Attire and Gear: Fencers are responsible bringing their own gear and for knowing and following all USFA uniform and equipment rules. **DO NOT EXPECT HOST CLUBS TO OUTFIT YOU IF YOU DO NOT HAVE, OR FORGOT EQUIPMENT.**

Event Fees: Events are \$25 on askFRED and \$50 for walk-ins. Special events (e.g. Qualifiers, Round Robin, Pomme de Terre, etc.) have different fees and deadlines.

If traveling to a club for the first time, PLEASE leave early and allow yourself enough time to find the venue. Don't assume Mapquest, GPS, or website directions will be correct.

NATIONAL POLICY FOR USE OF CONDUCTIVE FOIL BIBS. Starting August 1, 2012 Foil bibs are required for all fencing tournaments.

Low Turnout: Except for qualifiers, events with fewer than six preregistered entries will not be held. Those preregistered will be notified of event cancellation via askfred.

Combining Events: When men's and women's events are to start at the same time or within 30 minutes of each other, the meets may be combined at the discretion of the meet managers if either event has less than six entries. Events "D" and higher may be mixed when less than 10 fencers of either gender have registered.

Fencing Multiple Events: This will not be accommodated. A fencer not present at the start of pools and for each DE will be awarded a black card. If the fencer was present at the start of pools but fails to be on the strip when called, he will be issued a red card.

Fence! We want to encourage as many fencers as possible to compete. It is good for you; it is good for the division, especially for qualifiers. Usually, 25% of the fencers qualify. So even if you are an automatic, you are helping your fellow Division members by showing up.

Age Restrictions:

NAC/JO tournaments

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| Y10 | 2007-2010 |
| Y12 | 2005-2008 |
| Y14 | 2003-2006 |
| U17 (Cadet) | 2001-2004 |
| U20 (Jr) | 1998-2004 |
| Vet | 1978 or earlier |
| Div I-III | 2004 or earlier |

Age Restrictions:

Summer Nationals/July Challenge

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| Y10 | 2007-2010 |
| Y12 | 2005-2008 |
| Y14 | 2003-2006 |
| U16 (Cadet) | 2002-2005 |
| U19 (Jr) | 1999-2005 |
| Vet | 1978 or earlier |
| Div I-III | 2004 or earlier |

Further age criteria and exceptions may be found at:
<http://usfencing.org>