

MEMO TO: 4th Annual Tri-Waco Olympic & Sprint Competitor

SUBJECT: Confirmation Notice of Entry and Packet Pick-up for **the 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Tri-Waco Olympic & Sprint Triathlons.**

Welcome to the second Annual Tri-Waco Olympic & Sprint Triathlons, **Sunday, July 22, 2012**

Here are some important tips to make your racing experience safe, enjoyable and easy:

1. Be sure to have your **USA TRIATHLON LICENSE** with you at packet pick-up or be prepared to pay **\$12.00** for a one-day membership. **USAT also requires all competitors MUST pick up their own packet.** This is a USA Triathlon sanctioned event, **no exceptions!!**
2. Packet pick-up will be the at Hilton Waco **(254) 754-8484 or 800-HILTON**, 113 S. University Parks Drive on **Saturday ONLY**, July 21 **from 9 AM to 6 PM** . **There will be NO packet pick-up on race day.** Failure to pick up your packet by this last time **will result** in your disqualification.
3. There is **no required mandatory** bike inspection for this race.
4. **There will be a mandatory pre-race meeting for all competitors at 6:35AM on Sunday Morning, July 22<sup>nd</sup>.**
5. This is a very strenuous athletic event. Competitors should be adequately trained and conditioned to safely complete this event. If you are sick or have not sufficiently trained for this event, you should consider withdrawing and not competing. **There is a mandatory 4 1/2 hour cut off. Athletes failing to finish in that time will be removed from the course.**
7. The Olympic race will begin at **7:20 AM**. Sprint race will start at **7:00 AM** sharp! Wave starts will be posted at packet pick-up. **Wet Suits are NOT allowed!** The water temperature is 82-85 degrees. **Swim cut off for the Olympic event (1500 meters) is 1 hour from the start of the LAST Olympic wave and 30 minutes for the Sprint from the last Sprint wave start.**
8. Finally, have a good safe race. Let's race hard but friendly. Good sportsmanship is still the name of the game  
Yours In Sport,

Jack Weiss  
RACE DIRECTOR

