Import Entries from a Semi-Colon Delimited File

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A semi-colon delimited format is available for importing entries, relays, rosters, and addresses. Semi-Colon Delimited Import was created as a courtesy to our users for importing entry/roster data into MM in a plain text file.

If you wish to use this feature, please note that HY-TEK does not support semi-colon delimited import other than the guidance provided below.

To import, click File / Import / Semi-Colon Delimited Rosters/Entries File. When importing using the semi-colon delimited format, if a mark is out of range and you answer "No" to use the mark, the athlete, team, and mark will be listed on the Exception Report. If an athlete's first name is missing, this too will be listed on the exception report. And thirdly, when importing, the last directory used for the import file will become the default directory for the next import.

There are five file types:

I = Information Record (25 fields separated by semi-colons)

D = Individual Entry Record (20 fields separated by semi-colons)

E = Individual Entry Record (15 fields separated by semi-colons)

Q = Relay Entry Record (15 or more fields separated by semi-colons)

R = Relay Entry Record (10 or more fields separated by semi-colons)

It is preferred that the D file type be used instead of the E file type and that the Q file type be used instead of the R file type. These newer D and Q file types contain more information.

Rules

- 1. If no information for a given field, leave it blank, but include the semi-colon.
- 2. Each record must be followed by a carriage return & line feed.
- 3. If at any point in a record, all remaining fields in the record are blank, it can be ended with a carriage return without all the extra semi-colons.
- 4. For each athlete there can be one information record. You create one E record or D record for each individual entry. The 2nd thru 10th fields of both the I, D and E record types are identical. One relay per relay entry record with up to 8 relay runner names.
- 5. The order of each record makes no difference.
- 6. For each I, D or E record for the same athlete, fields 2 through 8 must be the same.
- 7. The I record is optional and thus not required.

Data	Max			Notes for the I Record
1	I 1	Inf	ormatio	n Record
2	Last Name		20	(Required)
3	First Name		20	(Required)
4	Initial	1		
5	Gender	1	M =	- Male, F = Female (Required)
6	Birth Date		10	MM/DD/YYYY (Optional)
7	Team Code		4	4 character max; use UNA if unknown (Required)
8	Team Name		30	Use Unattached if unknown (Required)
9	Age	3	Option	al if birth date provided
10	School Year		2	(Optional)
11	Address line	1	30	0
12	Addr 2 / Pro	vince		30
13	City	30		
14	State	3	state	e code for USA, Canada, Australia, etc.
15	Zip	10		
16	Country		3 us	se country code, such as USA, GER, AUS
17	Citizen Cour	ntry	;	use country code, such as FRA, CAN, BRA
18	Home Phone	е	20	
19	Office Phone	Э	20	
20	Fax#	20)	

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21
       Shirt size
                                  S, M, L, XL, etc.
22
       Registration #
                                15
23
       Competitor #
                               5
24
       E-mail
                        30
25
       Disabled classification
                                   20
                                           If using two disabled classifications, then separate each code with a space, e.g.
F20 T20
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Example: I; Doe; John; P; M; 09/07/1947; USA; United States; ; ;3395 West Street; Suite 101; Sullivan; ME; 04664; USA; USA; 207-422-6243; ; ; XL; 49-345-6789;296;mm@active.com [Carriage Return]

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Data
                         Notes for the D Record
1
     D
            1
                  Individual Entry Record
2
     Last Name
                     20
                            (Required)
3
     First Name
                     20
                            (Required)
4
     Initial
               1
                      (Optional)
5
     Athlete Gender
                         1
                               M = Male, F = Female (Required)
6
     Birth Date
                    10
                           MM/DD/YYYY (Optional)
7
     Team Code
                      4
                           4 characters max; use UNA if unknown (Required)
8
     Team Name
                      30
                             Use Unattached if unknown (Required)
9
                    Age is optional if birth date provided
     Age
              3
10
                       2
                             (Optional)
       School Year
                              Examples: 100, 5000S, 10000W, SP, HJ, DEC
11
       Event Code
                       10
                             Time: hh:mm:ss.tt (1:23.44.55, 1:19.14, 58.83, 13.4h)
12
       Entry Mark
                      11
               Field Metric: 12.33, 1233;
               English: 12-10.25", 12', 121025
               Combined-event: 3020 (points)
13
       Event measure
                         1
                                M for Metric, E for English (Required)
14
       Event Division
                         2
                               A Division number; Optional; For JV, Varsity, Bantam, etc.
15
       Competitor #
                        5
                              Optional
16
       Finish Place
                       2
                             Place from prior round if an advancer (optional)
17
       Declaration Status
                                   D = Declared, S = Scratched, A = Alive, blank = Undeclared (optional)
                             1
18
       Entry Note
                      60
                             (Optional)
19
       Not in use
                     1
                           Leave blank
                          (Optional) Y=Is Alternate
20
       Alternate
                    1
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Example: D;Smith;Bob;;M;;PT;Park Tudor;;;800;2:05.0;M;;;;D;;;Y;

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Data
              Max
                        Notes for the E Record
                  Individual Entry Record
1
2
     Last Name
                     20
                            (Required)
3
     First Name
                     20
                            (Required)
4
     Initial
               1
                     (Optional)
5
     Athlete Gender
                               M = Male, F = Female (Required)
                        1
6
     Birth Date
                           MM/DD/YYYY (Optional)
                    10
7
     Team Code
                           4 characters max; use UNA if unknown (Required)
8
     Team Name
                      30
                             Use Unattached if unknown (Required)
9
     Age or Comp #
                       5
                               Age is optional if birth date provided; or enter comp#
10
                       2
                             (Optional)
       School Year
                              Examples: 100, 5000S, 10000W, SP, HJ, DEC
11
       Event Code
                       10
12
                      11
                             Time: hh:mm:ss.tt (1:23.44.55, 1:19.14, 58.83, 13.4h)
       Entry Mark
               Field: Metric: 12.33, 1233;
               English: 12-10.25", 12', 121025
               Combined-event: 3020 (points)
13
                                M for Metric, E for English (Required)
       Event measure
14
       Event Div or
                       2
                             A Division number; Optional; For JV, Varsity, Bantam, etc.
               Finish Place or can be the finish place from prior round of advancers
15
                          Optional Y=Is Alternate
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Example: E;Doe;John;P;M;09/07/1947;HURR;Hurricane High School;;;SP;21.23;M;[CRLF]

Notes for Individual Events:

- 1. One D or E record per individual entry; 4 entries for same athlete requires 4 D or E records.
- 2. For Open meets, birth date and age are not required.
- 3. For division meets with birth date ranges, birth date is required, but if division number is used, birth date is not required.
- 4. For division meets without birth date ranges, division number is required.
- 5. For age group meets, the age is required. However, if the birth date is entered, the age is not required.
- 6. For meets that are not division meets and where the entries are advancers going to the next higher level meet, the division slot in the E record can be used for the place finish in the prior round.
- 7. The competitor number can be entered in the I record or it can be included in the E record in place of the Age (this assumes you are not entering an age). The D record has a separate field for the comp#.

Event Codes

Running Events: Distance without commas, such as 100, 800, 3200, 10000, 1MILE, 2MILE, HMAR half

marathon, MAR

Note: For the 800 and longer, MM must have these events setup as Runs. If they are

setup as Dashes, they will not be imported.

Hurdle Events: Distance plus H, such as 80H, 400H.

Steeplechase Events: Distance plus S, such as 2000S, 3000S.

Race Walk Events: Distance plus W, such as 5000W, 20000W.

Field Events: HJ High Jump, PV Pole Vault, LJ Long Jump, TJ Triple Jump, SP Shot Put, DT Discus

HT Hammer, JT Javelin, WT Weight Throw, SWT Super Weight Throw

Combined-Events: DEC Decathlon, HEP Heptathlon, IPENT Indoor Pentathlon, OPENT Outdoor

Pentathlon, TRI Triathlon, WPENT Weight Pentathlon, BI Biathlon, TET Tetrathlon,

OCT Octathlon

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Note for the Q Record
    Data
              Max
                  Relay Entry Record
1
     Q
2
     Team Code
                           4 characters max; use UNA if unknown (Required)
                     4
3
     Team Name
                      30
                             Use Unattached if unknown (Required)
4
     Relay Letter
                      1
                            A, B, C, etc.
5
     Relay Gender
                       1
                             M = Male, F = Female, X = Mixed (Required)
6
     Relay Age
                    3
                          Required for age group meets
7
     Event Code
                     10
                            Examples: 400, 1600S, 3200D
8
      Entry Time
                     10
                            Time: hh:mm:ss.tt (44.55, 4:19.14)
9
     Event meas.
                      1
                            M for Metric, E for English (Required)
                               A Division number; Optional; For JV, Varsity, Bantam, etc.
10
       Event Division
                         2
                       2
11
       Finish Place
                             Place from prior round if an advancer (optional)
12
                                                   Declaration Status
                                                                                D = Declared, S = Scratched, A =
                                                   Alive, blank = Undeclared (optional)
13
       Entry Note
                      60
                             Optional
14
       Spare
                 For future use
15
       Spare
                 For future use
         == Runner number 1 ==
16
       R1 Last Name
                         20
17
       R1 First Name
                         20
18
       R1 Initial
19
       Athlete Gender
                          1
                                M = Male, F = Female (Required)
20
       Birth Date
                     10
                            MM/DD/YYYY (Optional)
21
       Age
               5
                     Age is optional if birth date provided
22
       School Year
                       2
                             Optional
23
                        5
                              Optional
       Competitor #
         == Runner number 2 ==
24
       R2 Last Name
                         20
                         20
25
       R2 First Name
26
       R2 Initial
27
       Athlete Gender
                          1
                                M = Male, F = Female (Required)
28
                            MM/DD/YYYY (Optional)
       Birth Date
                     10
                     Age is optional if birth date provided
29
               5
       Age
30
       School Year
                             Optional
31
       Competitor #
                        5
                              Optional
         == Runner end==
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Alternate 1 Optional Y=Is Alternate

== Continue same pattern for runners 3 through 8 ==

Example:

Q;HURR;Hurricanes;A;M;;1600;4:01.44;M;;;D;Altitude;;;
Doe;John;P;M;09/07/1977;;SR;189;Jackson;Jim;;M;;;JR;186;
Avery;Mark;A;M;10/20/1979;;SO;190;Lathrop;Terry;T;M;01/08/1980;;SR;199[CRLF]

Data Max Note for the R Record 1 R Relay Entry Record 2 Team Code 4 4 characters max; use UNA if unknown (Required) Use Unattached if unknown (Required) 3 Team Name 30 4 Relay Letter 1 A, B, C, etc. 5 Relay Gender M = Male, F = Female, X = Mixed (Required) Required for age group meets 6 Relay Age 3 7 Examples: 400, 1600S, 3200D **Event Code** 10 Time: hh:mm:ss.tt (44.55, 4:19.14) 8 Entry Time 10 9 Event meas. 1 M for Metric, E for English (Required) 10 A Division number; Optional; For JV, Varsity, Bantam, etc. Event Div or Finish Place or can be the finish place from prior round of advancers == Runner number 1 == 11 R1 Last Name 20 12 R1 First Name 20 13 R1 Initial 14 Athlete Gender 1 M = Male, F = Female (Required) 15 Birth Date 10 MM/DD/YYYY (Optional) 16 Age or Comp# 5 Age is optional if birth date provided; or enter competitor# 17 School Year 2 (Optional) == Runner number 2 == 18 20 R2 Last Name 19 R2 First Name 20 20 R2 Initial 21 1 M = Male, F = Female (Required) Athlete Gender 22 Birth Date 10 MM/DD/YYYY (Optional) 23 Age or Comp# 5 Age is optional if birth date provided; or enter competitor# 24 2 School Year (Optional) == Runner end== Optional Y=Is Alternate Alternate 1

== Continue same pattern for runners 3 through 8 ==

Example:

R;HURR;Hurricanes;A;M;;1600;4:01.44;M;;Doe;John;P;M;09/07/1977;;SR; Jackson;Jim;;M;;;JR;Avery;Mark;A;M:10/20/1979;;SO;Lathrop;Terry;T;M;01/08/1980;;SR[CRLF]

Notes for Relays:

- 1. For Open meets, relay age is not required.
- 2. For division meets, event division is required.
- 3. For age group meets, the age is required.
- 4. The competitor number can be entered in the I record or it can be included in the R record in place of the Age for each runner (this assumes you are not entering an age). The Q record has separate fields for the comp#'s.

Relay Event Codes

Regular relays: Just the distance without commas, such as 400 for 4x100, 1600 for 4x400, 4 for 4Mile

relay.

Sprint Medley relay: Distance plus S, such as 1600S.
Distance Medley relays: Distance plus D, such as 3200D.
Shuttle Hurdle relay: Distance plus H, such as 240H.