

Application to Host MITCA Team State Championships

Date: May 23rd 2015

Which division would you most like to host? 1

Is this the same division as your school? -Yes- Division 1

School Name	<u>MACOMB DAKOTA HIGH SCHOOL</u>	
Address	<u>21051 21 Mile Road, Macomb, MI 48044</u>	
Contact Person	<u>Mike Timpa-Head Track and Field Coach</u>	
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What is your experience in hosting big meets in the past (conferences, regionals, state, invites etc.)

2005-current-Dakota Invitational-A varsity meet which also includes junior varsity and freshman only
Races (10-20 teams)

2006-current-Spring Break Classic- An early season freshman-sophomore meet. (6-14 teams)

2002-current (6 teams) -MAC Conference Meet

Have you ever attended a MITCA Team State Championships in the past? yes

If yes, which year(s)-2002, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014

Have you ever attended the meet as a spectator? Yes

DAKOTA TRACK FACILITY

8 Lanes

1 PV pits (Possibly a 2nd with a raised runway)

2 Long Jump Pits

2 High Jump Pits

Restrooms Male 3 Female 3

120 Hurdles-Plus Hurdles may be brought from nearby middle school

Seating Capacity 5000

PA System- Yes

Lights-Yes

Distance to Nearest Shelter 200 Yards

Concession Stand-yes

MACOMB DAKOTA HIGH SCHOOL MACOMB, MICHIGAN

WHY DAKOTA HIGH SCHOOL?

Dakota High School which opened in 1995 is part of the Chippewa Valley School District which serves more than 16, 000 students in grades K-12. Dakota High School is currently the largest high school in the state housing close to 2900 students.

Dakota High School's Athletic Facility is one of the newest and largest in the Metro Detroit Area. The stadium was built in 2003 and went through a million dollar renovation in the summer of 2014 with the replacement of the track and athletic field. The stadium has a capacity of over 5000.

Also the Dakota High School complex also includes a middle school with its own track that is within 300 meters of the high school track.

WHY MACOMB?

Macomb Township has been one of the fastest growing communities in the state over the past 10 years. Just 20 miles north of Detroit, Macomb Township is within close proximity to many of the largest schools in the state. The Township borders Hall Road (59) which offers a large selection of eating and shopping selections. It is also located minutes off the I-94 freeway and easy reach from I-75 via the 59 freeway.

Hotels and Motels within 5 miles

Concorde Inn Clinton Township

44315 Gratiot Avenue
Clinton Township, MI 48036
(586) 493-7300

Hampton Inn and Suites

45725 Marketplace Blvd.
Chesterfield, MI 48051
(586) 948-2300

Holiday Inn Express & Suites

45805 Marketplace Blvd.
Chesterfield, MI 48051
(877) 410-6681

Towneplace Suites by Marriott

14800 Lakeside Circle
Sterling Heights, MI 48313
(586) 566-0900

Several other Hotels are available within 10 miles of the school.

DIRECTIONS-DAKOTA HIGH SCHOOL
21051 21 Mile Road, Macomb, MI 48054

From North/West (Flint/Pontiac)

I-75 to M-59 E (exit 77A). M-59E toward Utica to Heydenreich. Make a U-turn and turn right onto Heydenreich for 1.0 miles to 21 Mile Road. Turn right on 21 mile road for .3 of a mile to the school which will be on the left.

From West (Lansing)

I-96 East to 1696. I-696 East to I-94. I-94 east to 21 Mile Road (Exit 241). Turn Left onto 21 Mile Road 3.6 miles the school will be on the right.

From Detroit

I-94 East to 21 Mile Road (Exit 241). Turn Left onto 21 Mile Road for 3.6 miles the school will be on the right.