

USA MEMORY  CHAMPIONSHIP™

**2012 OFFICIAL APPLICATION**

**ALL THREE SECTIONS MUST BE COMPLETED**

**REQUIREMENTS:** *All USA Memory Championship competitors are required to be US Citizens and must be at least 12 years of age at the time of competition. Competitors under the age of 18 require the signature of a parent or legal guardian.*

**Section 1**

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

If you would like your middle name or nickname listed on printed material, enter below.

Middle Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail (one you check regularly. Very important.): \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Alt Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Timed for Speed Cards: Yes or No I will bring a Timer: Yes or No  
*please circle one* *please circle one*

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Employer (optional): \_\_\_\_\_

If Student, Grade: \_\_\_\_\_ School: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_

Enclosed is my entry fee of \$25. (No fee is needed if competitor is below the age of 18.)

*The USA Memory Championship (Memory Enterprises, LLC) reserves the right to restrict entry to the competition if the maximum number of entrants are already registered, or for any other reason, at the discretion of the USA Memory Championship Committee. In that event, registration fees paid will be refunded.*

*Please return complete Registration Package (all three sections) to:*

*USA Memory Championship  
c/o Karen Pinson, Executive Director  
310 Remington Road  
East Stroudsburg, PA 18301*

**Inquiries: karenpinson@verizon.net**

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## 2012 RELEASE AND AUTHORIZATION FORM

### Section 2

I \_\_\_\_\_ am hereby applying to be a competitor, also known as Mental

**Please print: First Name Last Name**

Athlete, in the USA Memory Championship. With my signature below, I certify that I am a citizen of the United States of America; I am eighteen years of age or older or, if under 18, I am signing on behalf of the competitor on line 1 as their legal parent or legal guardian; and I agree, without any compensation or payment to me:

- (1) to make myself available for interviews, photography and filming by press, media and film/video productions at the request of the USA Memory Championship (Memory Enterprises, LLC);
- (2) to allow my likeness, voice and photograph to be used in news broadcasts, documentary films, articles and in the marketing, advertising or promotion of USA Memory Championship (Memory Enterprises, LLC) in any and all media; (3) if requested by the USA Memory Championship (Memory Enterprises, LLC), to wear apparel designated by them during the USA Memory Championship and preliminary rounds, and during media or film/video coverage of or relating to the USA Memory Championship;
- (4) to refrain from wearing apparel that displays, or to otherwise display, logos or other identifying brands or marks of any other company or other organization, unless approved by the USA Memory Championship (Memory Enterprises, LLC) at least seven days prior to the event.; and (5) that neither I, nor any representative for me, will enter into any agreement or contract with any official sponsor of the USA Memory Championship (Memory Enterprises, LLC) without prior written consent of the USA Memory Championship (Memory Enterprises, LLC).

I further understand that the USA Memory Championship (Memory Enterprises, LLC) is the owner, organizer and official promoter of the USA Memory Championship, and I agree to not participate in any engagement, activity or event of any kind that utilizes or uses in any manner, way or form, the USA Memory Championship name or brand (collectively, "Events") without the prior approval of USA Memory Championship (Memory Enterprises, LLC).

I understand that the USA Memory Championship (Memory Enterprises, LLC) is granting me the right to compete and participate in the USA Memory Championship and its preliminaries and that the USA Memory Championship (Memory Enterprises, LLC) may revoke that right for any reason whatsoever and at any time at their discretion.

I understand and agree that the USA Memory Championship is a competition directed and judged by USA Memory Championship (Memory Enterprises, LLC) and their designees. I agree that any and all decisions, awards, prizes may and will be made solely by USA Memory Championship (Memory Enterprises, LLC), and any such decisions, awards or prizes may be changed or eliminated at any time and for any reason. I agree that USA Memory Championship (Memory Enterprises, LLC) shall have absolutely no liability for any harm, damages or claim arising from or relating to the USA Memory Championship, and I agree to indemnify and hold harmless the USA Memory Championship (Memory Enterprises, LLC), its owners, organizers, officers and employees from any and all damages or claims arising from or relating to the USA Memory Championship or my participation therein.

\_\_\_\_\_  
**SIGNATURE** of USA Memory Championship Participant (Memory Athlete)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
**SIGNATURE** of Legal Parent or Legal Guardian (if under 18 years of age)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
**PRINTED NAME** of Legal Parent or Legal Guardian

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*MENTAL ATHLETE BIOGRAPHY*

Section 3

First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Hometown: \_\_\_\_\_

Education: \_\_\_\_\_

Previous Memory Competitions: \_\_\_\_\_

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How did you find out about the USA Memory Championship? \_\_\_\_\_

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Why do you want to compete? \_\_\_\_\_

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How has having a good memory helped you in daily life? \_\_\_\_\_

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***MENTAL ATHLETE BIOGRAPHY [continued]***

**What is your favorite / most used memory technique? Why?** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Do you teach memory in any capacity? \_\_\_\_\_ Please explain:** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Why is Memory so important to you?** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Please tell us a little about your training regimen and training techniques.** \_\_\_\_\_

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**(Please use additional pages if needed.)**