

# ***MARK YOUR CALENDARS TO COMPETE AT THE 2006 CAL STATE L.A. TWILIGHT OPEN***

***Third-Annual Cal State L.A. Twilight Open  
Wednesday, April 12, 2006 -- First event approx. 2:30 p.m.***

*This is the same week as the Mt. SAC Relays as well as the Pomona-Pitzer Invitational and Azusa Pacific's California Multis. We're the only traditional track and field meet in town on Wednesday, so be sure to take advantage of one more opportunity for your athletes to qualify for nationals.*

## ***Recent Cal State L.A. Home Meet Fields ...***

*Here's a sampling of the schools who have competed at Cal State L.A. in the last two years: USC, Michigan State, Wisconsin, Arizona, Cal State Northridge, Cal State Fullerton, Cal State L.A., Cal Lutheran, Whittier, Claremont-Mudd-Scripps, Caltech*

## ***For More Information ...***

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### **About Jesse Owens Track, Home of Cal State L.A. Track and Field**

In preparation for the 1984 Summer Olympics held in Los Angeles, Cal State L.A. was selected as one of six sites to construct a world-class training track. The groundbreaking ceremony was held on January 29, 1982.

The initial surface selected by the L.A. Organizing Committee for the track was "Recaflex S." This surface, known for its versatility, is hard enough to record fast times but still soft enough to allow for a regular training regiment.

The track officially was dedicated on May 22, 1983, during the L.A. Regional Championships of the ARCO Jesse Owens Games. Jesse Owens Track was the site of the 1985 and 1986 NCAA Track and Field Championships as well as the 2004 CCAA Conference Championships.