



# Track & Field News

## Three Meets on the Horizon for Track and Field

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The BYU men's and women's track teams will compete in three meets this weekend. BYU Photo/Mark Philbrick

PROVO, Utah (April 8, 2009) – Splitting between three meets this weekend, the BYU track and field teams will travel to Ogden and Arizona to compete at the Weber State Invitational, Mesa Classic and Arizona State Invitational beginning on Friday.

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