

Breakfast of Champions

THANKS Food Bank Benefit

Thursday May 6, 2021 at 6:30 am PDT

USATF Track and Field

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What it takes to compete
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ERIN TAYLOR-TALCOTT
World-Class Athlete, Coach, Professional Speaker



We are pleased to present USA Track and Field Champions for the Month of May Erin Taylor-Talcott

Erin Taylor World Class Athlete, Coach – Competed in the 50k race walk World Event



Erin Taylor-Talcott was the first woman to compete with the men's race walk when the 50k race walk opened from being a men's only event to a blind gender event. She attended Central Washington University before transferring to Rutgers University her sophomore year.

Taylor-Talcott currently volunteers at local high school track and field and cross-country practices. Erin Taylor-Talcott became the first woman worldwide to compete in an international 50 kilometer (31.1. miles) race walk with the men. Through her life of athletics, Erin has seen ups and downs, successes and frustrations and has learned how to persevere. She has fought against adversity to come back stronger than ever, setting national and world records and rewriting the history books.

Live Stream Event Thursday May 6, 2021 6:30 am PDT Benefit the Bellingham Food Bank.

Opening remarks by our Mayor
Your host and moderator Mic Brisbois
with special Guest Mike Zone Bellingham Front Runners
to benefit the Bellingham Food Bank
Register at: [SammamishRunning.com](https://www.sammamishrunning.com)



- Broke Dawn Sowell's 28-year-old outdoor 200m collegiate record (22.02)
- Fourth American, ninth woman in history to run 22.02 or faster before turning 23 years old
- Signed professionally with Nike in June 2017
- Fifth woman in school history to win four national titles
- Kyra Jefferson is the daughter of Thomas Jefferson and Michele Watkins. She started competing in track and field when she was six years old, starting out in the heptathlon and then transitioning to sprints when she was thirteen. Jefferson competed in the USATF Junior Outdoor Championships.

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*Erin Taylor
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