1, 2, & 3A JR. High State Championships

January 29th & 30th Sevier Valley Center 100 South 500 West Richfield, Utah

Registration

Wrestlers must pre-register for the tournament on www.trackwrestling.com. Cost is \$15. The registration deadline is Midnight (MST) January 26th, 2010. All seeding criteria and any changes need to be completed by noted deadline. All satellite weigh-in locations will be set up to enter successful weigh-ins on trackwrestling. No changes will be made at the coaches meeting. All payments for wrestlers will be made through trackwrestling. No USA card required for this tournament.

Weigh-ins

Satellite weigh-ins will be allowed in the following locations on Thursday Jan 28th at 7 pm; Box Elder, Heber City, North Summit, Delta, North Sanpete, Salina, Cedar City, Roosevelt, Enterprise, Price and Monticello. No weigh-ins will be held Fri morning at the Sevier Valley Center. Representatives will be present at each weigh station to verify that the weight was made. Hair, nails, and hygiene will be checked at weigh-in.

Divisions:

Middle School 5th & 6th graders

Weights: 60, 65, 70, 73, 76, 80, 83, 86, 90, 93, 96, 100, 104, 108, 112, 119, 125, 135, 145, 165, 180, 210, 210+

Jr. High 7th 8th & 9th graders

Weights: 67, 70, 73, 76, 80, 83, 86, 90, 93, 96, 100, 104, 108, 112, 116, 120, 124, 128, 132, 138, 145, 155, 170, 190, 210, 210+

Seeding

A minimum of 4 or ½ the bracket will be seeded in each weight class. All remaining wrestlers will be randomly drawn in. Seeding criteria is as follows;

- 1) Last years state placing
- 2) Advanced tournament placing
- 3) Season Record
- 4) Tie Breaker (2008 State placing)

Only tournaments that post advanced division results will be counted toward seeding so that information can be verified. Results can be easily posted at www.utahwrestling.org.

Friday at Noon a coaches meeting will be held for each division. Brackets will be preset by criteria, with the meeting held only for major errors or oversights.

Tournament Format

Friday: Round 1 will begin at 4 pm till complete.

Saturday: Round 2 will begin at 8 am. Championship Round will begin at 6 pm.

This tournament is for 5th-9th grade wrestlers only. All high school rules and regulations will be enforced. Items that we will be looking for is; wrestlers must have singlet, wrestling shoes, headgear, and mouthpiece for braces.

The tournament is of course, double elimination. Rounds are 1 minute 30 seconds each. They will be wrestled on 12 mats. Six for the Jr. High, and six for the Middle School division.

Matches will be scheduled by bout # through trackwrestling. All bout #'s will be posted on bracket sheets located on the upper deck. Each clock will show current bout # being wrestled.

Wrestlers in smaller brackets will wrestle their first rounds along with the rest of the larger brackets. The only reason a wrestler should have his weight pass in the round without wrestling is if he/she has been beaten out of the tournament, he/she has a bye, or he/she is in the finals.

The finals will be held Saturday at 6 pm. There will be a short break at this time to set up for the Championship round. Champion bios will be restricted to weight, Team/School, and participants Name.

The finals will begin with a parade of Champions, followed by the first four matches. The matches will be wrestled on four full-sized mats, two matches from each division at a time. After each four matches, the medals for those matches will be awarded. We will continue this cycle of four and four until the finals are finished.

After the finals, there will be a short break while the final team scores are tabulated, and then those awards will be given out.

Awards Individual Awards

The separate divisions are for individual placing only. Wrestlers will be placed 1st- 6th in each weight and awarded a custom medal. Champions will receive a T-shirt and a custom made bracket of their weight class.

Team Awards

The Middle School and Jr. High divisions will be combined for team awards. Team points will be calculated based on the highest placer in each or the 49 weights to give one overall state championship in each of the three classifications (1A, 2A, 3A). Schools or teams will only receive team points from your highest placing wrestler per weight class. Points for the highest placer in each weight class are as follows: 1st- 16, 2nd- 12, 3rd- 9, 4th- 7, 5th- 5, 6th- 3.

Other Tournament Information

Admission cost is \$5 for adults and \$3 for kids, with children under 3, free per day for tournament spectators. Concessions will be available through the Sevier Valley Center. State championship T-shirts, hoodies, hats, and beenies will also be available for purchase.