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

February 1st & 2nd, 2012 Sevier Valley Center 100 South 800 West Richfield, Utah

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Registration

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.

Wrestlers must pre-register for the tournament on www.trackwrestling.com. Cost is \$15. The registration deadline is Midnight (MST) Tuesday January 29th, 2013. All seeding criteria and any changes need to be completed by this deadline. All satellite weigh-in will be through trackwrestling. You must choose a team affiliation based on the school you attend or the High School that your program feeds. No all-star teams or clubs will be allowed to compete for awards. **No** USA card required for this tournament.

Weigh-ins

Satellite weigh-ins will be allowed in the following locations on Thursday Jan 31st at 7 pm: Bear River, Cedar City@ Canyon View, St. George, Fillmore, Heber City, Monticello, North Summit, Price, Roosevelt, Nephi, Panguitch and Richfield. All wrestlers *MUST* attend a weigh-in. You may not call in your weight. The only alternative to Thursday night weigh-in at a designated weigh-in site is to weigh in from 11:00 – Noon at the Sevier Valley Center on Friday prior to the coaches meeting. Representatives will be present at each weigh station to verify that the weight was made. *THESE ARE THE ONLY WEIGH-IN SITES. DO NOT ASK TO ADD A WEIGH-IN SITE*.

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 (2009 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 3 pm.

Friday night we will wrestle all pigtail matches into 8 and 16 man brackets, one round of championship matches for every weight and a second round of Championship for all 32 man brackets. A weight class with only two wrestlers will not wrestle until the finals. The tournament is of course, double elimination. ALL 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 3:00 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 1_{st}- 6_{th} 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: 1_{st}- 16, 2_{nd}- 12, 3_{rd}- 9, 4_{th}- 7, 5_{th}- 5, 6_{th}- 3.

Other Tournament Information

Admission cost is \$6 for adults and \$4 for kids, with children under 3, *THIS FEE IS FOR THE ENTIRE TOURNAMENT*. Concessions will be available through the Sevier Valley Center. State championship T-shirts, hoodies, hats, and beanies will also be available for purchase.