

Guide to New Jersey Scholastic State Championship - Qualifying Information

USA WRESTLING/NEW JERSEY

2008 KIDS JUNIOR OLYMPIC SCHOLASTIC REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

TOURNAMENT DATE	PRE-REGISTRATION - MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO APPLICABLE CLUB LISTED BELOW	WEIGH-INS INFO
<p align="center">SUNDAY January 20, 2008 8:00 AM</p>	<p align="center">TOMS RIVER Wrestling Club MAX ENTRIES: 400 55 Maple Street, Beachwood, NJ 08722 (mailing address only) <i>Directions:</i> Garden State Pkwy North/South Exit 82. Route 37 East, 7 traffic lights to Coolidge Ave. jughandle. Cross over Rt. 37, continue on Coolidge Ave. (North approx., 1 mile) to Raider Way; turn left; Toms River HS East is on left. <i>Tournament Director: John Corrigan (732) 286-9846</i></p>	<p align="center">SATURDAY January 19, 2008 11:00 AM – 2:00 PM WALK-INS ARE CASH ONLY</p>
<p align="center">SUNDAY January 27, 2008 9:00 AM</p>	<p align="center">RANDOLPH Wrestling Booster Club MAX ENTRIES: 425 PO Box 287, Mt. Freedom, NJ 07970 (mailing address only) <i>Directions:</i> From I-287 -Take Rt. 10 West for approximately 7.5 miles to Millbrook Avenue Exit. (just before 8th light). Take jughandle & turn LEFT onto Millbrook Ave. Follow approx. 1 1/2 miles to Randolph HS on right. <i>Tournament Director: Virginia Spaanstra (973) 361-3065</i></p>	<p align="center">FRIDAY January 25, 2008 6:00 - 8:00 PM WALK-INS ARE CASH ONLY</p>
<p align="center">SUNDAY January 27, 2008 Bantam / Midget / Junior Begin at 9:00 AM Intermediate/ HS Cadet Begin at 1:00 PM</p>	<p align="center">NORTHERN BURLINGTON Wrestling Club MAX ENTRIES: 400 54 Chesterfield-Jacobstown Rd., Wrightstown, NJ 08562 (mailing address only) <i>Directions: North Burlington HS</i> - From I-295: to Exit 52 (Columbus). Go 3 lights, make left at light, proceed onto Rt. 206 North for 2 miles, make right onto Mansfield Rd. East. (First Light) High School is on the left. From NJ Turnpike: to Exit 7, get onto Rt. 206 South, proceed for 2 miles, make left onto Mansfield Rd. East. High School is on the left. <i>Tournament Director: Bart Townsend (609) 758-1622 NO CALLS AFTER 9 PM</i></p>	<p align="center">SATURDAY January 26, 2008 4:00 - 6:00 PM WALK-INS ARE CASH ONLY</p>
<p align="center">SUNDAY February 3, 2008 9:00 AM</p>	<p align="center">UNION Wrestling Booster Club MAX ENTRIES: 600 935 Sheridan Street, Union, NJ 07083 (mailing address only) <i>Directions:</i> Traveling Parkway South, Exit 141, right on Vauxhall Rd. Go 5 lights, left on Stahuber Dr., left at HS. Traveling Parkway North, Exit 139B, follow ramp, right turn back under Pkwy, stay on street, bear right under bridge, Stuyvesant Ave. Go to center island with cannon on it, make left around cannon onto Elmwood Ave. Second light, left onto Morris Ave., go past 1 light, right at Administration Bldg. (Cooke Dr.) Football field and school on left. <i>Tournament Director: Angelo Zuena (908) 851-9289 NO CALLS AFTER 9 PM</i></p>	<p align="center">SATURDAY February 2, 2008 5:30 - 8:00 PM WALK-INS ARE CASH ONLY</p>
<p align="center">SUNDAY February 10, 2008 9:00 AM</p>	<p align="center">NORTH HUNTERDON Wrestling Club MAX ENTRIES: 500 6 Cider Mill Rd., Annandale, NJ 08801 (mailing address only) <i>Directions:</i> North Hunterdon HS (Near Clinton) Located 1 mile South of I-78 (Exit 17) on Rt. 31. Turn right onto Regional Road to first driveway on right. <i>Tournament Director: Mike Smolinsky (908) 730-8238 NO CALLS AFTER 9 PM</i> Email: north.wrestling@hotmail.com</p>	<p align="center">SATURDAY February 9, 2008 7:30 AM–10 AM WALK-INS ARE CASH ONLY</p>
<p align="center">SUNDAY February 17, 2008 9:00 AM Sharp</p>	<p align="center">LAKELAND Junior Wrestling MAX ENTRIES: 350 53 Burnside Place, Haskell, NJ 07420 (mailing address only) <i>Directions:</i> From I-287 North or South, take Exit 55. Follow signs for Wanaque, Rt. 511 North, travel North on Rt. 511 for 3.3 miles, make right onto Conklintown Road. Lakeland Regional High School is on right. <i>Tournament Director: James Patacco (973) 835-1312</i></p>	<p align="center">FRIDAY February 15, 2008 6:00 - 9:00 PM WALK-INS ARE CASH ONLY</p>
<p align="center">SUNDAY February 24, 2008 Bantam, Intermediate and HS Cadet Begin at 8:30 AM Midget/Junior Begin at 12:00 Noon</p>	<p align="center">HOWELL Wrestling Club MAX ENTRIES: 450 22 Bristlecone Drive, Howell, NJ 07731 (mailing address only) <i>Directions: From the North:</i> Garden State Parkway to Exit 98, Interstate 195. Take Interstate 195 West to Exit 31 (Rt. 524/Farmingdale). Take Rt. 524 toward Farmingdale to first traffic light (Rt. 524A). Left onto Rt. 524A and proceed directly to Howell High School. <i>From the East:</i> Interstate 195 West to Exit 31 (Rt. 524/Farmingdale). Take Rt. 524 toward Farmingdale to first traffic light (Rt. 524A). Left onto Rt. 524A and proceed directly to Howell HS. <i>From the West:</i> Interstate 195 East to Exit 31 (Rt. 524/Farmingdale). Take Rt. 524 toward Farmingdale to first traffic light (Rt. 524A). Left onto Rt. 524A and proceed directly to Howell HS. <i>Tournament Director: Harry Turner (732) 458-9618 email: heavyweight@optonline.net</i></p>	<p align="center">THURSDAY February 21, 2008 6:30 - 8:30 PM WALK-INS ARE CASH ONLY</p>
<p align="center">SUNDAY March 9, 2008 Bantam / Midget 8:00 AM SHARP SUNDAY March 9, 2008 Junior / Inter / HS Cadet 1:00 PM</p>	<p align="center">FAIR LAWN - FLAS Wrestling MAX ENTRIES: 375/SESSION PO Box 291, Fair Lawn, NJ 07410 (mailing address only) <i>Directions: From the South:</i> GSP North to Exit 160. Left at light onto Passaic Ave. Go 1/2 mile over bridge. Bear right onto Route 4 West. Merge onto Route 208 North. Exit Fair Lawn Ave West. Make a left at light onto Orchard St. Go to end. School is across Berdan Ave. <i>From the West:</i> Route 80 East to Exit 62 onto GSP North. Follow directions from above. <i>From the North:</i> GSP South to Exit 163 for Route 17. Merge onto Route 17 South. Go to Route 4 West. Merge onto Route 208 North. Exit Fair Lawn Ave West. Make a left at light onto Orchard St. Go to end. Fair Lawn High School is across Berdan Ave. <i>Tournament Director: Joe Yuskaitis (201) 220-3049 NO CALLS AFTER 10 PM</i> email: info@jcytournaments.com</p>	<p align="center">SATURDAY March 8, 2008 ALL DIVISIONS 4:00-8:00 PM WALK-INS ARE CASH ONLY</p>

RULES FOR 2008

1. Name of CLUB/TEAM/TOWN (Use only ONE on entry form) listed on entry form for qualifier is what will be used for State Tournament separation. There will be NO changing of the Club/Team/Town name once the qualifier has begun. NO EXCEPTIONS! It will be the responsibility of the parent/coach to ensure the correct Club/Team/Town is placed on the form. CLUB/TEAM/TOWN will be separated in first round of state competition, if possible.
2. In order to advance to State Championship Tournament, **wrestlers must place in the top three in one of the regional qualifying tournaments.** NEW THIS YEAR: Wrestlers do NOT have the option to leave the tournament early to try and place at a higher position at another qualifier.
3. **MANDATORY: HEADGEAR, ONE-PIECE COMPETITIVE SINGLET, AND PROTECTIVE MOUTHPIECES (FOR ANYONE WEARING BRACES) ARE MANDATORY.** Wrestlers will NOT BE PERMITTED to participate without the use of the items listed above. Two-piece uniforms will not be permitted. Wrestlers with braces MUST wear a protective mouthpiece.
4. **NEW JERSEY RESIDENTS ONLY.** Also, HS Cadets who have not completed their scholastic season **MUST** discuss entering a qualifier with their high school coaches.
5. **WRESTLERS MUST WRESTLE IN THEIR OWN AGE & SCHOOL DIVISIONS.** Intermediates may NOT be in High School. The High School Cadet Division includes eighth graders born in 1992 and HS Students born in 1992 or 1993. The Pre-Registered ENTRY FEE for a qualifier is \$30.00, Walk-ins \$40.00 (cash only). NEW THIS YEAR: THERE WILL BE NO ADVANCEMENT FEE TO THE STATE FINAL TOURNAMENT.
6. A WRESTLER MAY ENTER as many regional tournaments as he desires. However, once a wrestler qualifies for the state tournament (by placing in the top 3 in any qualifier), they cannot wrestle at any other regional tournament. Violation of this rule will result in automatic disqualification from the USA/NJ State Tournament. *EXCEPTION: If a wrestler is injured and is unable to compete in the medal round, they will be allowed to compete in another regional tournament provided they get the approval of the USA/NJ Kids Director, AND have medical documentation as to why the wrestler could not finish the qualifying tournament.
7. **SKIN DISEASE ALERT** – Parents MUST take responsibility to examine their wrestler. Refer to examination statement on the form (above the required signature on the registration form).
8. **WEIGH-INS: ALL WRESTLERS MUST present a 2008 USA WRESTLING MEMBERSHIP CARD at WEIGH-INS.** If you need a membership, enclose the additional \$35.00 fee with your entry form. This card is valid for many events sponsored by USA Wrestling / NJ. ALL WRESTLERS MUST WEAR A “ONE-PIECE COMPETITIVE SINGLET” FOR ALL WEIGH-INS. No weight allowance will be given.
9. **The STATE TOURNAMENT** will be held over 2 weekends:
At ELIZABETH Dunn Sports Center – March 15th for Intermediates, and March 16th for Bantams and HS Cadets.
At UNION - March 29th for Juniors, and March 30th for Midgets.
*****ALL SEEDING QUESTIONS/CHANGES MUST BE REFERRED TO THE HEAD TABLE PRIOR TO 8:00 AM ON THE DAY OF THE STATE CHAMPIONSHIP. ABSOLUTELY NO CHANGES WILL BE CONSIDERED AFTER THE 8:00 AM DEADLINE.**
10. **NEW: Time Periods at the State Final Championship for the Junior, Intermediate, and HS Cadet Divisions ONLY will be 1.5, 1.5, 1.5.** The Qualifier Time Periods will remain the same as listed on the next page.
11. At the State Tournament, there will be a designated coaches' area. Coaches should not take advantage of this privilege. If you do not have a wrestler coming up, please be considerate and return to the stands. In order to be granted access to the spot, one must possess a Coach's Pass AND Photo ID. Any coach with a valid 2008 USA Coach's Card will be given a Coach's Pass free of charge. All others can purchase a Coach's Pass for \$5.00. USA/NJ reserves the right to modify this policy if the crowd control becomes an issue.
12. **NO WEIGHT ALLOWANCE OR CHANGE OF WEIGHT CLASS for the state tournament.** The State Tournament is a double-elimination event. The top 8 wrestlers will receive medals and will also wrestle for 7th and 8th place. Satellite weigh-in sites will be available **ONLY on Friday evening** prior to each State Tournament weekend.
13. **ADMISSION for all non-entrants: Adults - \$5.00 Children - \$2.00** -Cafeterias open for breakfast & lunch at all sites.
14. **FOR INFORMATION** on all NJWF affiliated activities & last minute changes, check the USA Wrestling NJ Website: <http://www.usawnj.org>.
15. **ELIMINATION** - a wrestler who weighs-in or competes at a different weight than qualified at. The “heavyweight” divisions at qualifiers will be considered one weight class – heavyweight. At the State Finals the “heavyweight” qualifiers must weigh in as a “heavyweight”. Heavyweight participants at the state finals may then be paired up to three different heavyweight sections within the heavyweight division. Anyone who weighs-in, wrestles, or qualifies outside of the guidelines will be prohibited from wrestling in any USA NJ State Scholastic Qualifier and/or State Tournament for one full year from discovery date.

*****WEIGH-INS ARE AVAILABLE ONLY WHEN SPECIFIED AT EACH QUALIFIER LOCATION*****

WALK-INS (CASH ONLY) AVAILABLE ONLY WHERE SPECIFIED AND ONLY IF VACANCIES EXIST

2008 USA CARDS MUST BE PRESENTED OR PURCHASED AT WEIGH-IN

ONE-PIECE COMPETITIVE SINGLETs MUST BE WORN AT WEIGH-INS

YR BORN	DIVISION	WEIGHT CLASSES	TIME PERIODS (MINUTES)
1999-2001	BANTAM	40-45-50-55-60-65-70-75-80-85-HWT*	1-1-1
1997-1998	MIDGET	50-55-60-65-70-75-80-85-90-95-100-110-HWT*	1-1½-1½
1995-1996	JUNIOR	60-65-70-75-80-85-90-95-100-105-112-119-126-133-140-HWT*	1-1½-1½
1993-1994	INTERMEDIATE	70-75-80-85-90-95-100-105-112-119-126-133-140-150-160-170-180-HWT*	1-1½-1½
1992-1993	HS CADET	85-94-103-112-119-125-130-135-140-145-152-160-171-189-215-HWT(275)	1-1½-1½

*HWT Class will be split if too big a spread between wrestlers. Spread limit varies by age group. Splits at the State Tournament may not be the same splits as regional tournaments. ALL O.T. is 1-30-30-30. **Wrestlebacks: 1-1-1**

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REGISTRATION FORM

Complete entire form and return to Tournament Director
2008 USA MEMBERSHIP CARD MUST BE PRESENTED
or PURCHASED AT WEIGH-INS.

Make checks payable to the appropriate sponsor,
and mail to address listed for each location.

SEPARATION WILL BE BASED ON CATEGORY YOU CHOOSE TO REGISTER AS: CLUB / TEAM / TOWN – CHOOSE ONLY ONE

Name _____ Home Phone (____) _____ - _____

Street Address _____

City _____, State NJ Zip Code _____

Email Address _____ Cell Phone (____) _____ - _____

NAME OF CLUB / TEAM / TOWN (Choose ONLY one): _____

Date of Birth ____/____/____ 2008 USA Wrestling Card # _____

Division _____ Probable Weight Class _____ Grade _____

Wrestler's 2007-2008 Record: Circle One: HS Varsity / HS JV / HS Freshman / Recreation (8th Grade and under)

Record: Wins _____ Losses _____

2007 State Qualifier Results: PLACE FINISH: _____ AT QUALIFIER LOCATION: _____

2007 State Final Tournament Results: PLACE FINISH: _____ in Last Year's DIVISION: _____

Other Tournament finishes (this year/last year) _____

- Enclosed: \$30.00 for PRE-REGISTRATION Fee only. *WALK-IN (CASH ONLY) FEE \$40.00*.
I currently have my 2008 USA Wrestling Card AND WILL BRING IT TO WEIGH-IN. Register me for the tournament.
- Enclosed: \$65.00 for PRE-REGISTRATION Fee and 2008 USA Wrestling Membership Card.
WALK-IN (CASH ONLY) FEE \$75.00. Please have my 2008 USA Wrestling Card waiting for me at the weigh-in,
and register me for the tournament.

I agree to let my child wrestle in the 2008 USAW/NJ Kids Regional Scholastic Tournament. I do so at my own risk and of our own free will. I will not in any way hold liable the sponsors, tournament officials, the host school district, or referees for any injury or losses that I, or my child might receive directly or indirectly from traveling to or from, or competing therein. I certify that information given on this registration form is correct.

I understand that if my child has any suspicious skin markings, he may not be allowed to enter the tournament without a doctor's note stating the wrestler is free of any contagious skin conditions.

SIGNATURE OF PARENT / LEGAL GUARDIAN: _____ DATE: ____/____/____

DO NOT WRITE IN THIS BOX – FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY

WEIGHT CLASS

ACTUAL WEIGHT

DIVISION: B / M / J / I / C

USA WRESTLING / NEW JERSEY ROAD TRIP SUMMARY 2008

All dates listed below are tentative.

Please check the USA Website at www.themat.com

CONTACT

BOB DEUTSCH – KIDS/CADET DIRECTOR (856) 296-6680

Friday, January 11, 2008 – Saturday, January 12, 2008

MASON DIXON QUAD – Fall State Kids Scholastic Champion to represent NJ.
(Must qualify) Contact Bob Deutsch at (856) 296-6680

Friday, April 4, 2008 – Sunday, April 6, 2008

NORTHEAST REGIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS, BROCKPORT, NY – (Open)
Freestyle and Greco for Junior/Senior: Women: Freestyle. Juniors can qualify
for TEAM NJ above team totals by placing in top three in either style for
National Championships.

Friday, April 4, 2008 – Sunday, April 6, 2008

ASICS FOLKSTYLE NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS, CEDAR FALLS, IA (Open)
RULING: To enter this competition, entries must be made through NJ Kids Director
to be accepted by tournament. Tournament will not accept entries made directly
without going through NJ Kids State Chairman.

Thursday, April 10, 2008 – Sunday, April 13, 2008

FLA CADET NATIONALS, AKRON, OH – (Open)

Friday, May 30, 2008 – Sunday, June 1, 2008

NORTHEAST REGIONAL KIDS/CADET CHAMPIONSHIP, TBA, NY
(Open) School Boys, Novices and Midgets must compete to qualify for Freestyle and
Greco Nationals.

NEW: Cadet top three placements in each style qualify
above team totals for Nationals in Fargo, ND.

Wednesday, June 18, 2008 - Sunday, June 22, 2008

SCHOOL BOY NATIONAL DUALS TOURNAMENT, INDIANAPOLIS, IN
Must qualify at Peddle, Freestyle & Greco States.

Wednesday, June 25, 2008 – Sunday, June 29, 2008

CADET DUALS NATIONAL TOURNAMENT, KANSAS CITY, MO
Must qualify for TEAM NJ.

Friday, July 4, 2008 – Sunday, July 6, 2008

NATIONAL KIDS FREESTYLE GRECO/ROMAN CHAMPIONSHIP,
LOCATION TBA (Open) Kids age 8-14 RULING: Must enter through
NJ Kids Chairman for entry to be accepted at this competition. To qualify,
you must compete at NORTHEAST REGIONALS.

Sunday, July 20, 2008 – Saturday, July 26, 2008

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS AND ASICS TIGER NATIONAL
CHAMPIONSHIPS, FARGO, ND - Both styles to Freestyle and Greco-Roman.
Juniors can qualify at any regional tournaments, or compete in NJ tournaments
to qualify for TEAM NJ. Cadets must qualify in NJ tournaments.

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