Southington

Kids Folkstyle Wrestling Tournament

Southington High School

(720 Pleasant St., Southington, CT) Sunday, January 4, 2009

ALL WRESTLERS WITH BRACES ON THEIR TEETH MUST HAVE PROTECTIVE MOUTH GUARDS

All wrestlers will be grouped by both age category and weight into **5-man brackets**. Each wrestler will wrestle one-another giving each wrestler a total of **4 matches (round-robin format)**. There are many advantages to doing this. Medals will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place wrestlers.

Pre-registration Information

Contact person- Dave Kanute Email d.kanute@cox.net

Age Groups-

Age Categories, Start Times & Period Length: A minimum of 20 minutes must be allowed between wrestlers matches, unless agreed upon by the coaches for a shorter time.

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Category	Year of Birth	SKIN Check-in	Start	Period	Paperwork
		Time	Time	Length	Color
Mighty Mites	2003-2004	7:45 – 8:30	9 AM	1-1-1	Pink
Bantam	2001-2002	7:45 - 8:30	9 AM	1-1-1	Yellow
Intermediates	1999-2000	7:45 - 8:30	9 AM	1-1-1	Blue
Novice	1997-1998	11:15 – 12:00	12:30	1.5-1-1	Green
			PM		
Middle School	1994-1996 &	11:15 – 12:00	12:30	1.5-1-1	White
	in the 7 th or		PM		
	8 th grade				

TECH FALLS will occur when a 12 point margin is achieved, this rule applies to all age groups

- □ Each Club's director or designated person for that club will check in with the Tournament Director, inform the Director of any known NO SHOW wrestlers and pay for their team's entry. Note: There are no refunds for no-shows – each club is responsible for full payment.
- ☐ All wrestlers must check in by the end of the Skin check-in time period to verify they do not have any contagious skin conditions. Wrestlers will not be admitted into the tournament if they are not checked in on time.

□ It is the responsibility of the Club Directors, or the designated person for that club, to check with the head person running the Skin check in area to see if any of their wrestlers have not checked in by 8:15am for the morning session and 11:45am for the afternoon session.

Notice:

<u>Head gear</u> Will be required for all age groups this is a USA Wrestling rule.

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Registration-

- > Pre-registration-
- o Only Sanctioned USA Clubs may submit tournament registrations
 - Wrestlers who are not attached to a sanctioned club are requested to contact the nearest <u>sanctioned club</u> to register with or the Tournament Director.
 - Out-of-state wrestlers may pre-register with the condition that they follow the same rules that USAWCT Clubs follow.
 - Out-of-state wrestlers must be part of a club that has signed an agreement to follow our tournament rules and the club has provided the State Membership Director a copy of their wrestlers USA cards. USAWCT and out of state clubs must register on line by clicking on the following link http://www.usawct.org/tourny/clubmanagement.php and completing the necessary information and submitting that information to Dave no later than 10 PM Friday January 2, 2009. There is no guideline on how early they may be sent.
 - The Tournament Director will reply to your email confirming receipt of your registration.
 - All registrations must be accompanied with a valid USA Wrestling card number for each listed wrestler.
 - Last-minute USA Wrestling cards &/or numbers may be acquired by contacting their Club Director, who must make arrangements with the Membership Director PRIOR to December 30th for this tournament.
 - Pre-registered wrestlers who do not show up for the tournament will be charged the full registration fee. The submitting club is responsible for this fee to be paid the morning of the tournament along with all the other registered wrestlers on the registration form.
 - **≻** Walk-ins
 - o Absolutely NO Walk-ins permitted.
 - > Registration Fee's
 - o \$16/wrestler with a \$27 family cap.
 - 1^{st} wrestler = \$16
 - 2^{nd} wrestler = \$11
 - 3rd & 4th and more do not get charged
 - > Spectator admission
 - \$3.00 admission fee / Free age 12 and under, or if you hold a current USA Coaches card.

Wrestlers are permitted to only register and wrestle in one (1) bracket regardless of staying within their own age group or not.

Any wrestler that violates the three (3) pound allowance will be disqualified and removed from that tournament, if the tournament director believes that this was a typo error, the wrestler can be re-bracketed. In addition, any wrestler disqualified as a result of violating the three (3) pound allowance will be reported to the State Chairman and that wrestler is to be identified (Flagged) on the web site and must be weighed in at every subsequent tournament to verify their weight.

✓ Weight challenges during a tournament are performed at the tournament director's discretion. When a wrestler's weight is challenged by another wrestler (Coach or Parent), then the challenging wrestler will also be weighed in.

Weight Classes

- ✓ Weight challenges during a tournament are performed at the tournament director's discretion.
- ✓ The tournament director must notify Dave Kanute <u>d.kanute@cox.net</u> within 2 days of any weight issues or challenges.
- ✓ When weighing-in, each wrestler must weigh-in wearing a competition singlet or shorts.

Directions-

From New Haven

- > Rt 91 to Rt 691 to Waterbury
- Take exit 4
- > Take a right at end of ramp onto Rt 322
- > Turn right at traffic light onto Rt 120
- ➤ Go 2.2 miles, bear right at Lewis Farms Store onto Belleview Ave
- > Turn right at stop sight onto Berlin St
- ➤ Go 0.06 miles to Pleasant St, turn left
- > School is on left approximately 1.3 miles

From Waterbury

- > Rt 84 East to Queen St. exit 32
- > Turn left at end of exit
- ➤ Go approximately 1 mile on Queen St to Flanders St
- > Turn left onto Flanders St.
- ➤ Go 1/2 mile to stop sign. School is on right corner

From Hartford

- > Rt 84 West to Queen St. exit 32
- > Turn Right at end of exit
- ➤ Go approximately 1 mile on Queen St to Flanders St
- > Turn left onto Flanders St.