

Evanston Red Devils

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To: A.D and Wrestling Coaches

From: Kay Fackrell – Athletic Director

Date: February 9, 2012

Re: 4A West Regional Wrestling Tournament

Evanston High School is pleased to host the 2012 *Regional Wrestling Tournament*. This year's tournament will be held on February 17th and 18th, 2012 in the Evanston High School Gymnasium. This packet of information will assist you in planning for the tournament competition.

SPONSOR

The tournament is under the direction of the WHSAA.

The tournament director is Kay Fackrell.

ROSTER INFORMATION AND TOURNAMENT PROGRAMS

The State needs a digital photo and your roster by Monday February 13th. **Please use WHSAA E25 to submit your roster for the tournament.**

If you would also e-mail Coach Nixon, tnixon@uinta1.com, the same roster and photo that would help us with creating a program and in making a tournament tee shirt for purchase.

2012 4A West Regional Wrestling Tournament Schedule

Friday February 17th, 2012

Weigh-ins	10:00am	Wrestling Room
Seeding meeting	10:30am	Media Center
First Round Championship	12:00 – 2:00	2 Mats
Championship Quarterfinals	2:00 – 4:00	2 Mats
Second Round Wrestlebacks	4:00 – 6:00	2 Mats
Third Round Wrestlebacks	6:00 – 7:30	2 Mats
Championship Semifinals	7:30 – 9:00	2 Mats

Saturday February 18th, 2012

Weigh-ins	8:00am	Wrestling Room
Consolation Semifinals	10:00 – 11:30	2 Mats
Championship and Consolation	11:30 – 1:00	2 Mats

Awards following Championship Finals matches.

Send your rosters, digital team photos and line up by Wednesday February 15th.

Entry into the regional tournament is accomplished by going to the WHSAA website and filling out the Wrestling Online Fill-In Form E-25 located at <http://www.whsaa.org/forms/E25/e25admin.asp>. This form is due Monday February 13th, 2012.

Teams:

EVN – Evanston
GRV - Green River
RSP - Rock Springs
RIV - Riverton
NCH - Casper Natrona
KWH - Casper Kelly Walsh

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State Tournament Picture

You need to send a team picture to the state at <http://www.whsaa.org/imageupload/login.asp>.

Seeding Meeting:

The seeding meeting will be held in the EHS Media Center. The seeding meeting will be run by Garth Wagstaff and Steve Moore. Please make a commitment to participate in a professional manner. Your cooperation will certainly enhance the quality of the tournament and make it much easier to conduct the meeting.

Criteria for Seeding Meeting:

WHSAA 7.16.71

1. Head to competition
2. Record against common opponents
3. Returning state placers at same weight (order of place)
4. Returning state placers at any weight (order of place)
5. Best overall record (minimum of ten varsity matches)
6. Coin flip
7. Wrestlers that are not seeded will be randomly drawn into the bracket.
8. Once seeding begins for each weight class, a wrestler may not be taken off the board for consideration.

WHSAA RULE 7.16.72

Regional qualifying tournaments will be conducted by the WHSAA with each school allowed to enter two wrestlers per weight class. Eight wrestlers will advance to the State Tournament from each Regional Tournament. The official entry deadline for the WHSAA Regional Tournament is the seeding meeting or completion of tournament weigh-ins whichever occurs first. If the seeding meeting is first, substitutions may be made up until the end of the weigh-ins under the following conditions:

1. If for injuries of illness, the substitution will be permitted only with a doctor's written excuse submitted to the tournament director.
2. If for disciplinary action, the substitution will be permitted only if the reasons are verified in writing by the school's administration to the tournament director. Wrestlers not making weight may be moved to replace an entered teammate or fill a team's unused entry slot. If a substitution is allowed, the substitute designated to replace his teammate will do so in the position of the original draw unless the substitute is replacing a "seeded" wrestler, whereby there shall be a re-seeding and re-drawing of the weight class. If a change in weight class is made for an entered participant, then the above shall apply; or if the change adds a participant to a weight class then that weight class shall be re-drawn.
3. If less than 8 competitors in the weight class, the possibility of taking more than 8 from the opposite region exists.
 - a. After all weights have been seeded in each region, the regional directors or designated persons will contact each other and exchange numbers in each weight class. Wherever a region has less than 8 wrestlers in a weight class, the opposite region shall wrestle to qualify any number of wrestlers available at that weight to reach a maximum of 16 wrestlers in each weight class. ALL of these matches would be non-team scoring matches.
 - b. A wrestler that has qualified for the state meet on day one of a regional and still has a match on day two, but does not make weight on day two, CAN NOT be replaced by a wrestler from the opposite region or from his own. A bye would represent him/her in the state bracket.

General Information

Parking:

Instruct your bus driver to unload your team at the Evanston High School gym entrance. Buses may be parked in the North Gym Parking lot.

Locker rooms:

Two locker rooms will be available for visiting wrestling teams (Boys Pool and Boys Varsity). Wrestlers should not leave ANY items in the locker rooms. Evanston High School and Uinta County School District #1 will not be responsible for lost or stolen items. You are responsible for your team's valuables.

Team Passes:

Each team will receive an envelope containing passes for the tournament upon arrival. The following passes will be issued:

- 28 wrestler's passes (we will stamp them)
- 3 manager passes
- 3 coach passes
- 3 spouse passes
- 1 bus driver pass

Please contact our office, Donna Bruce, if these do not meet your needs. This is consistent with the WHSAA guidelines. Any additional passes above allowed by the WHSAA will be charged to the school unless cleared by the tournament director, Kay Fackrell, prior to arrival.

Mat Layout:

Two mats on the gym floor with both sections of seating pulled out.

Sportsmanship:

Please model appropriate sportsmanship and expect your wrestlers to demonstrate exemplary behavior throughout the tournament. It is extremely important for coaches to provide supervision, pre-teach athletes regarding expectations, and monitor student-athlete behavior. We appreciate your commitment in this area.

Video Taping:

There are upper bleachers on both sides of the gym. There is room for filming from the balcony area. Please make arrangements to bring your own power supply for video cameras. Only media and coaching personnel will be allowed on the gym floor area. Please encourage your parents and fans to film and take pictures from the bleachers. They will not be allowed in the coaching areas at mat-side.

Hospitality:

A hospitality room will be provided for the **coaches, officials, bus drivers, and workers.** The hospitality room is provided as a courtesy of the School District and the generosity of the area businesses. This room is set up to accommodate coaches, bus drivers, tournament workers, and officials. Please refrain from using this area for family, friends, or student's i.e. managers, cheerleaders, wrestlers, trainers, video-tapers, etc. Use of hospitality room will require presentation of an authorized pass provided by the tournament director.

Brackets:

Brackets will be updated at the conclusion of each round of wrestling by weight class and will be posted around the track next to the concession area.

Awards:

All conference medals will be awarded to the 1st place winners in each weight class. The top 4 individuals in each weight class will receive medals. A regional conference championship plaque, 1st- 3rd place regional plates, and 4A West coach of the year awards will be given. The championship brackets will also be given to the Champion Wrestler in each weight class. Awards will be presented to wrestlers at the conclusion of the matches on Saturday. Awards will be presented mat-side immediately following medal matches. Team trophies and special awards will follow the individual awards.

Appearance During Tournament:

Please discourage your wrestlers from wearing T-shirts with inappropriate language, logos or designs, they will be asked to change.

Seating at Mat-Side:

Only 3 coaches will be allowed in the coaches' chairs. **ONLY COACHES, WRESTLERS, OFFICIALS, AND TOURNAMENT PERSONNEL WILL BE PERMITTED ON THE ARENA FLOOR. PARENTS & MANAGERS ARE NOT CONSIDERED COACHES OR TOURNAMENT WORKERS.** A statistician may be considered as one of allowed coaches in the coaches chairs. Please help us in maintaining this rule.

Weigh- ins:

Weigh-ins will be on Friday, February 17th, beginning at 10:00 am in the Wrestling Room in the High School. We will have 2 scales on hand and will have you weigh-in by weight class starting at 106. Please notify the tournament director of any scratches or changes by 10:00 so they can be changed prior to the seeding meeting. Weigh-in for Saturday's matches will begin promptly at 8:00 am in the same location. Tournament officials will be present to conduct weigh-ins.

Tournament Admission:

Friday Admission:

Adult Pass.....	\$4.00
Student Pass.....	\$3.00

Saturday Admission:

Adult Pass.....	\$6.00
Student Pass.....	\$4.00

Tournament Admission:

Adult Pass.....	\$9.00
Student Pass.....	\$6.00

Apparel:

Short Sleeves.....	\$10.00
Long Sleeves.....	\$15.00

Tee shirt orders for Regionals need to be turned in by February 3rd. Wrestlers names will be put on the back, please email the order and list of names including coaches, and managers to Todd Nixon at tnixon@uinta1.com.

Please send it in this format.

- 106- John Smith
- Trevor Short (list all kids at that weight)
- 113- Etc.

Please include the total quantity and sizes that you want (Small, Medium, Large, Extra Large, 2x Large). Collect the money and give to Coach Wagstaff.

This is the logo on the front of the shirts with a roster of all of the wrestlers, managers and coaches on the back of the shirt:



Regional T-Shirts

Please return order to coach by February 8th

Name _____
School _____

Short Sleeve \$10

ADULT S ___ M ___ L ___ XL ___ XXL ___
YOUTH XS ___ S ___ M ___ L ___

Long Sleeve \$15

ADULT S ___ M ___ L ___ XL ___ XXL ___
YOUTH XS ___ S ___ M ___ L ___

Paid _____

FRONT:



BACK:





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Coach of the Year Ballot

Coach: _____

School: _____

Signature: _____

