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**Class 2A IAHSAA Sectional Wrestling Meet**

**February 2nd, 2019**

**12:00 p.m.**

**TEAMS:** Albia East Marshall

Eddyville – Blakesburg - Freemont South Tama Grinnell Williamsburg

**TIMELINE:** **10:00 a.m. DOORS OPEN TO SPECTATORS**

**10:00 a.m. Weigh-Ins in WHS wrestling room.**

-Seeding Meeting in WHS Media Center after weigh-ins.

**12:00 p.m. First Round Begins.**

**-Second Round:** Semifinals and First-Round Consolation

**-Third Round:** Championship Finals, Consolations

**-Fourth Round:** Fifth Place Matches

**-Fifth Round:** Consolation Finals when needed.

**Awards will be presented when wrestling is completed.**

**ENTRIES: As on Trackwrestling:**

**Line-ups by 6:00 PM on Thursday, January 31st**

**6:01 PM on January 31st until 11:00 PM Friday, Feb 1st you**

**can enter any head to head / pertinent information for seeding**

**Beginning at 11:50 on Saturday, February 2nd ,**

**information released to public**

**\*VERY IMPORTANT!!**: A coach may make changes to his entry form, or add a wrestler to the entry form, as long as he does so BEFORE the weigh-ins begin. Two wrestlers may be entered in each weight class. However, only one wrestler may compete in each class. **If two wrestlers** **are listed for a weight class, the final selection as to who will compete must be made by the** **conclusion of weigh-ins, as per NFHS rule 4-5-6 and 10-2-1.\***

**PAIRINGS, BRACKETS, & SEEDING:** Pairings for Class 2A sectional tournaments will be conducted under the supervision of the Tournament Manager, or his/her designee. The rules provide for seeding, if coaches are in general agreement that seeding for a particular weight class should take place. The tournament manager will determine the starting time for the seeding meeting. If no seeding takes place, the wrestlers will be placed on the bracket by random draw.

**All seeding shall be done according to Rule 10.3 of the current NFHS Wrestling**

**Rule Book.** The tournament management, and/or the head coaches as a group, should establish criteria for seeding prior to commencing the actual seeding meeting. There is no mandatory criterion for determining seed positions or the number of wrestlers to seed. Consideration should be given to following when determining seed placement:

• Varsity competition only;

• Records against common opponents *(byes do not count as a win)*;

• Returning sectional, district, state champion or runner-up in the same weight class;

• Seeding only winning records;

• Seeding only those wrestlers who have wrestled a minimum number of matches;

• Exceptional record against acknowledged strong opposition;

• Best overall record.

**A seeded wrestler shall have the same opportunity for a bye as any other contestant, or byes may be placed by mutual consent.**

**DRESSING ROOMS:** - Each Team will have their own assigned dressing area

-The two locker room areas in the new gym will be open

for coaches and wrestlers during competition and

not assigned to any one team.

**CHEERLEADERS:** Each school participating in a sectional or district wrestling tournament is allowed a **maximum of 6 cheerleaders**, if they are wearing a BONA-FIDE SCHOOL ISSUED OR APPROVED CHEERLEADING uniform ***(NO T-shirts and shorts)*** and one chaperone to be admitted free-of-charge. Additional information for cheerleaders is provided on the IHSAA web site under the “Wrestling” heading.

**CHEER ROOM:** Will be in the New gym area.

**VALUABLES:** Each school is responsible for their valuables.

**AWARDS:** In sectional & district competition, individuals placing 1st – 3rd in their respective weight classes will be awarded medals. Individual champions will also receive the IHSAA wall chart for their weight class. Wrestlers participating in the awards ceremonies are to wear only school-issued attire.

**HOSPITALITY ROOM:** Classroom in the new gym

**ADMISSION:** $6.00 for students and adults.

**COMPLIMENTARY ADMISSIONS:** The following people receive complimentary admission to sectional and district tournaments:

1. The participating wrestlers from each school whom actually weigh-in, the head coach(es), two assistant coaches, and two team managers.

2. A maximum of six cheerleaders per participating school, if in uniform, and their chaperone.

3. Any superintendent, principal, and athletic director, of participating schools who present their current IHSAA identification card and sign in, and their respective spouses. No family members of an administrator or coach are admitted free unless they qualify in one of the other categories.

4. Any current, or former, IHSAA Board of Control member presenting a lifetime pass, and their respective spouse*.*

5. Any member of the host school’s Board of Education and spouse.

6. Bona fide members of the press, radio, and television media attending in the capacity of reporter and/or photographer. ***(This does not include representative of*** ***a school paper, yearbook, etc.)***

7. One team bus driver for each participating school.

**ADDITIONAL**

**INFORMATION:**

Concessions will be available throughout the day

Coaches, please check the locker rooms often and especially before you leave. Teams should bring their own towels.

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