

Super Section Tournaments

DATE: Feb. 7-8, 2014

SITES: South Super Section Tournament – Multiplex at Cramton Bowl, Montgomery; North Super Section Tournament – Bill Harris Arena at the CrossPlex, Birmingham

ENTRY FEE: \$100 per team or \$20 per individual (payable to the AHSAA) must be submitted at the team sign-in table at the participants' entry gate PRIOR to a team's or individual's first match in the tournament.

TEAM PARTY: See item 15, page 56.

ADMISSION: \$8 per day

COACHES' RESPONSIBILITY: Email team roster and picture (digital) to state tournament program coordinator Dennis Victory at dv@dennisvictory.com.

Schedule

Thursday (February 6)

Officials Meeting

Times

7:00-8:00 p.m.

Friday (February 7)

Weigh-Ins

7:00-9:00 a.m.

Coaches Meeting

9:00-9:45 a.m.

Championship Round of 32 (6A only) (6 Mats)

10:00 a.m.

(Rolling Schedule)

Consolation Round One (6A only) (6 mats)

Championship Round of 16 (6A, 5A, 4A-1A) (6 mats)

Consolation Round Two (6A only) (6 mats)

Consolation Round Three (6A) /One (5A, 4A-1A) (6 mats)

Championship Round of 8 (6A, 5A, 4A-1A)

** Breaks will be taken when appropriate.*

Saturday (February 8)

Weigh-Ins

Times

7:00-9:00 a.m.

Consolation Round Four (6A) /Two (5A, 4A-1A)
(6 mats)

9:30 a.m.

(Rolling Schedule)

Championship Round of 4 (6A, 5A, 4A-1A) (6 mats)

Consolation Round Quarters Finals (6A, 5A, 4A-1A) (6 mats)

Consolation Round Semis Finals (6A, 5A, 4A-1A) (6 mats)

5th/6th Places, 7th/8th Places (6A only) (6 mats)

Finals and Consolation Finals (6A, 5A, 4A-1A) (6 mats)

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1. The brackets for each **super section** tournament will be seeded by the criteria listed below using the NWCA Wrestling program.
2. To be seeded, a wrestler must have **participated in a minimum of nine (9) matches**, have a .500 record or have reached seeding criteria A, B or C.

Seeding criteria:

- A. Head-to head
 - B. Common opponent
 - C. Overall record (**Highest winning percentage in matches against in-state opponents from the same AHSAA wrestling classification – 6A, 5A, 4A-1A**).
 - D. Flip of a coin
3. If a seeded wrestler cannot compete for any reason, any wrestler(s) seeded lower will be moved up to fill in the bracket. No wrestler may move up a class after the brackets have been drawn.

Prior to the start of the **super section** meet, any wrestler submitted on the certification list may be used as a substitute in case of sickness or injury. If a substitute is used, the bracket for that weight class must be redrawn.

After submitting a **super section** entry, a substitution may be made only at the position where the injury or sickness occurs.
 4. If a non-seeded wrestler cannot compete for any reason and no substitute is available, that place in the bracket becomes a bye and the bracket for that weight class must be redrawn.
 5. Upon request, each coach must make available weigh-in charts, signed by a match official, for all wrestlers participating in the **super section** tournaments. Copies of score sheets may be used for dual meets and weigh-in charts can be used for tournaments.
 6. If a weight class in any division of a **super section** meet has more than eight entries, the meet must be held over a two-day period since no wrestler may compete in more than five matches (championship or consolation) in any one day (Rule 1- 2-2).
 7. Uniforms and weigh-in times will be in accordance with National Federation rules. Scheduled weigh-ins will be done by team by weight class. Weigh-in times will begin two hours prior to the first scheduled match of the tournament. Certified scales shall be used.
 8. If a wrestler is disqualified during the **super section** tournament for flagrant or unsportsmanlike conduct, that wrestler is eliminated from the **super section** and state tournament, all super section points are lost and no alternate will be used in the state tournament.
 9. Officials for super section tournaments will be assigned by the State Office.
 10. The first four places in each weight class of Classes 1A-4A and 5A and the first 8 places in each weight class of Class 6A will be scored. (Note: No wrestler

may participate in more than five matches in one day with a minimum of a 45-minute break between each match.)

11. In each Class 1A-4A and 5A **super section**, the top four finishers in each weight class will qualify for the state tournament in their division. In each Class 6A **super section**, the top eight finishers in each weight class will qualify for the state tournament in their division. No alternates need to be determined.
12. An entry fee of \$100 per team and \$20 for an individual shall be assessed to meet expenses of the **super section** tournament.
13. **Super section** tournament admission is \$8 per session.
14. Two coaches in a corner. Wrestlers will not be allowed to sit in the corner. No one will be sitting “matside” with the exception of cheerleaders or newspaper personnel/photographers. Cheerleaders are to sit on sides of mats as to not obstruct view from the bleachers.
15. Participating wrestlers and coaches, one manager per team and one scorer per team will be admitted through the Pass Gate. All other coaches, principals, superintendents and their spouses will be admitted upon presentation of proper professional cards honored by the AHSAA. A maximum of 12 varsity cheerleaders (in uniform) will be admitted for the sessions in which their team is participating.