

2012 NCS/OS/LES SCHWAB TIRES GIRLS' WRESTLING CHAMPIONSHIPS PRESENTED BY FARMERS

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TO: WRESTLING COACHES, PRINCIPALS, ATHLETIC DIRECTORS, LEAGUE
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COMMITTEE, MEDIA, and NCS/OS STAFF.

FROM: BRI NIEMI, ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER

DATE: NOVEMBER 2011



* * * IMPORTANT GIRLS' WRESTLING INFORMATION * * *

FRIDAY, JANUARY 13, 2012

DUE: FORM A (List of Recommended Officials – from the Officials' Association).

FRIDAY, JANUARY 20, 2012

DUE: FORM B (Coaches' Rankings of Officials – see page 6 of this bulletin).

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 4, 2012

Final date for each school to determine its entries to the NCS/OS/Les Schwab Tires Girls' Wrestling Championships.

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2012 – SEEDING MEETING

North Coast Section Office
12925 Alcosta Blvd., Suite 8
San Ramon, 94583

8:30 – 9:45 a.m. – A representative from each league or individual coach will submit entries from their league/school.

10:00 a.m. – Coaches present will seed each bracket (max of 8 seeds). Brackets will be available Monday, February 6, 2012.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10 and/or SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11, 2012

Tournament Director: Mike Malone, Pittsburg HS
Pittsburg High School
250 School Street
Pittsburg, 94565



QUALIFYING ENTRIES TO THE NCS/OS/LES SCHWAB TIRES CHAMPIONSHIPS

The NCS/OS/Les Schwab Tires Girls' Wrestling Championships is an all-comers tournament. There is no requirement of a qualifying tournament in league competition unless the league chooses to do so. Only one entry per weight class, per school is allowed. Girls may wrestle in their league's respective student wrestling championship following the regional qualifier. Girls are not allowed to participate in the NCS/Les Schwab Tires Boys' Wrestling Championships.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 24 and SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2012

State CIF Wrestling Invitational

Lemoore High School
101 East Bush Street
Lemoore, 93245

The top four (4) placers in each weight class from the NCS/OS/Les Schwab Tires Wrestling Championships will qualify for the State CIF Invitational. State CIF Invitational Bulletins will be available in the coaches' packet at the NCS/OS/Les Schwab Tires Wrestling Championships. Information regarding the State CIF Wrestling Invitational may also be found here: www.cifstate.org.

REGISTRATION/SEEDING CARDS

Tournament Entries

Each school's wrestling coach must submit their school's tournament entries using the approved entry form at the seeding meeting. Only one entry per weight class, per school is allowed.

INDIVIDUAL COACHES MUST COMPLETE A REGISTRATION CARD FOR EACH ATHLETE ENTERED AND MUST PRESENT, OR HAVE A LEAGUE REPRESENTATIVE PRESENT, THE COMPLETED FORM AT THE SEEDING MEETING. FAILURE TO COMPLETE THIS PROCESS WILL ELIMINATE YOUR SCHOOL'S ENTRIES FROM THE SECTION TOURNAMENT.

NOTE: Brackets will NOT be reseeded due to the deletion of an entrant unless the deleted entrant is a seeded wrestler, with the exception of the last seed (no bracket will have more than eight seeded wrestlers).

THERE WILL BE NO WALK-UP REGISTRATION ALLOWED AT THIS EVENT AND WRESTLERS WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO CHANGE WEIGHT CLASSES IF THEY DO NOT MAKE WEIGHT

SEEDING

The following criteria will be used to seed the top wrestlers in each weight class:

1. Overall record (all wins and losses) and number of section losses (losses vs. section competition)
2. Head-to-Head (list significant wins and losses; include opponent's name and weight class)
3. Section losses
4. Tournament record this year (list tournaments-places-names, etc.)

WEIGHT CLASSES FOR 2012 NCS/OS/LES SCHWAB TIRES GIRLS' WRESTLING CHAMPIONSHIPS

98 103 108 114 118 122 126 132 138 146 154 165 189 235

NOTE: Due to the January 15 growth allowance, there will be an additional 2 lb. allowance granted to all wrestlers. Any additional weight allowance information will be posted to the NCS website (wrestling homepage).

PROCEDURE FOR SEEDING MEETING

1. Each school shall bring their school's entries to the seeding meeting on Sunday, February 5, 2012. From 8:30 a.m. to 9:45 a.m. either a representative from each league or an individual coach will submit entries from their league/school with all required materials (completed entry cards)
2. Coaches will meet with tournament personnel to seed the top wrestlers.
3. An attempt will be made to avoid inter-league competition, if possible.
4. Coaches are welcome to attend the meeting. Only certified school coaches who have entries and choose to attend the NCS/OS girls' wrestling seeding meeting will be allowed to participate in the seeding of the tournament. Only one vote from each school is allowed.
5. A maximum of eight wrestlers will be seeded. No exceptions.
6. No bracket may be larger than a 40-person bracket per weight class.
7. If more than 40 entries are received, each league will receive two entries.
8. NCS staff will post all brackets on the NCS website. Brackets may not be available until Monday, February 6, 2012.

TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR

Mike Malone, Pittsburg H.S., teammaddog01@yahoo.com, 925-783-9175

SCHEDULE - NCS/OS/LES SCHWAB TIRES DOUBLE ELIMINATION GIRLS' WRESTLING TOURNAMENT

The schedule of events for Friday and Saturday will not be determined until the number of participants is established in the seeding meeting. A time schedule will be posted on Sunday, February 5, 2012.

The order of the weight classes during the finals will be announced prior to the start of the tournament. Awards (individual and team) following the conclusion of all matches (1st – 8th).

CONSOLATION MATCHES

All consolation matches (this includes the match for fifth and seventh place) will be 1-2-2 minutes in length.

OVERTIME TIES

The winner of an overtime match that ends in a tie shall be determined according to the criteria listed in the NFHS Rule Book.

MEET RULES COMMITTEE & PROTESTS

A three-person Meet Rule and Protest committee will consist of the Tournament Director, Head Official and a third person selected by the NCS Wrestling Management Committee. This committee will be the final authority on matters of a technical nature and hear all protests at the NCS Wrestling Championships. Coaches only may protest errors in recording points or match results and non-judgment errors in the application of rules. Coaches shall inform the official scorer and the referee of their intent to protest the bout before the bout sheet is removed from the scorer's table. The referee will note this intent to protest the bout on the bout sheet and shall notify the opposing wrestler not to leave the area until the matter is settled. These protests should be filed with the tournament committee, citing the rule, article and section, within a 15-minute period after the bout. On matters of judgment, the Referee shall have full control of the match, and his/her decisions shall be final. Judgment decisions by the referee shall not be questioned. If a coach does question such decisions, he/she will be penalized for misconduct. (National Federation Rule 6, Section 6, Article 6).

SCORING

Individual placement points shall be awarded as soon as earned. Placement points already earned will be deducted in case of forfeit (other than injury or disqualification). Points for team scoring will be awarded as follows.

1. 2-team advancement points shall be scored for each match won in the championship bracket except for the final first place match. If a wrestler receives a bye in the first round, he/she will be awarded 2 advancement points for that round if he/she wins his/her next match. No points are awarded for the bye if the wrestler loses his/her next match.
2. 1-team advancement point will be scored for each match won in the consolation elimination except for the final third, fifth and seventh place matches. A wrestler who has a bye in the consolation round will receive 1 advancement point provided he/she wins his/her next round match.
3. 2 additional points will be scored for each match won by default, disqualification, fall or forfeit throughout the tournament.
4. 1 additional point will be scored for each match won by a major decision and 1 and one-half additional points scored for each match won by a technical fall.
5. In a tournament scoring 8 places, winners of each championship quarterfinal shall be awarded 3 place points, the winner of each championship semi-final shall be awarded 9 additional place points and the winner of each final shall be awarded 4 additional points. All winners who reach the quarterfinal consolation shall be awarded 1 place point. The winner of each of the quarter-final consolation match shall receive 2 additional points. The winner of the consolation semifinals shall receive 4 additional place points. The winner of third place and the winner of fifth place shall receive 2 additional place points. The winner of seventh place shall receive an additional place point.

AWARDS

Medals will be awarded to first, second, third, fourth, fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth places in each of the weight classes. A plaque and pennant will be awarded to the winning team. Pennants will be awarded to the second and third place team. Each first and second place winners must report to the victory stand area at the conclusion of the final match. Coaches are requested to instruct their athletes to cooperate with officials by reporting to the victory stand immediately following the final match. **Each contestant must report in her school's warm-ups to receive her medal (no hats please).**

PICTURES

Media with proper NCS media credentials will be allowed to take pictures on the arena floor. Video-taping and pictures by friends and relatives may be taken anywhere on the second level. Following the championship matches an awards ceremony will be conducted for each weight class. Spectators will be allowed on the arena floor in the marked area to take pictures. No person will be allowed on the main floor without proper credentials during competition times.

SOUVENIRS

Schools may purchase NCS wrestling apparel at the championship site, NCS office or online at www.cifnsc.org. Coaches may use check, cash, credit card, school purchase order, requisition form and school billing to purchase souvenirs. See the souvenir order form in the back of this packet for more information.

ADMISSION

ADULTS.....\$9.00 STUDENTS/CHILDREN/SENIORS.....\$6.00

Following the conclusion of Session I the gym will be cleared.

PRESS AND PUBLICITY

Members of the news media desiring credentials for their reporters covering NCS/OS/Les Schwab Tires Wrestling Championships should send their requests to Bri Niemi (bnieni@cifnsc.org). Please allow time for credentials to be mailed. Only working press will be allowed access to the competition area. No video recorders will be allowed in the competition area.

REGISTRATION

Coaches will check in and receive tournament packets (brackets, weigh-in cards, wrist bands and other information) at the registration desk. Head and Assistant Coach's floor passes (wristbands) will be distributed with the Registration packets and will be used for admittance to the tournament. Schools with one or two participating wrestlers will be allowed a maximum of two coaches. Schools with three or more wrestlers participating in the NCS/OS/Les Schwab Tires Wrestling Championships will also be allowed a third and fourth wristband if listed on the Certification of Authorized Personnel Form but must pay for the fourth wristband. Participants will have their hand stamped during the morning weigh-in period.

COACHING

Coaches will be allowed on the floor to coach only. When not coaching all coaches are requested to exit the main floor mat area. When waiting to coach coaches must wait outside of the competition area. If you do not have an assistant and two of your wrestlers are wrestling at the same time, you may request that one of them change a match time. Requests should be made to the announcer.

TABLE/TOURNAMENT WORKERS

Coaches are asked to forward names and contact information of table and tournament workers to Bri Niemi (bniemi@cifncs.org) by Wednesday, January 18, 2012.

DRESSING QUARTERS

No dressing quarters will be provided during the tournament.

APPEARANCE

The meet referee will conduct the weigh-ins and check conformance to appearance as required by National Federation Rule 4, Section 2, Articles 1,2 and 3, pages 14 and 15. Each wrestler MUST be accompanied by her certified coach.

SUBSTITUTIONS

No substitutions are allowed for injured wrestlers.

TEAM BENCHES

Only team personnel will be permitted in the restricted mat area. Two coaches per mat only. Coaches are to remain in the chairs unless approaching the table. The coach may move toward the mat only during a charged TIMEOUT or at the end of the match (National Federation Rule 7, Section 5, Article 1,2,3,4,5 and 6, Page 37).

HEADQUARTERS HOTEL – HAMPTON INN & SUITES

The 2012 NCS headquarters hotel is the Pittsburg Hampton Inn & Suites, located at 1201 California Ave., Pittsburg, CA 94565. Room rates are \$79.00/night and based on availability. To reserve your room, please call 1-925-473-1300 and ask for the Group Rate Code "NCS Wrestling Championship 2012." The hotel is located approximately a half mile from the school.

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WRESTLING CERTIFICATION OF AUTHORIZED PERSONNEL

CIF/NCS Bylaws

506 WHO MAY COACH

- A. All public school teams must be coached by a person who meets the requirements of the California Education Code and the California Code of Regulations Title V.
- B. A non-public school coach shall be considered a member of the school's staff. A non-public school coach must be certified by the governing board or highest school administrator as competent to coach. This certification must take place on an annual basis for each sport coached by that individual. Certification is required for coaches whether in paid or unpaid status.

508 OUT-OF-STATE COACHING CERTIFICATION

Teams of affiliated C.I.F. member schools (located outside of California) must be coached by staff members certified in their own state.

509 PENALTY FOR NON-CERTIFICATION AND IMPROPER COMPENSATION

Any team or individual, coached by an uncertified person, or by any person receiving any part of the salary for coaching from other than school funds without the approval of the school's governing board, is ineligible under California Interscholastic Federation rules.

HEAD AND ASSISTANT COACHES ADMISSION

Head and Assistant Coach's floor passes (wristbands) will be distributed with the Registration packets and will be used for admittance on both days of the tournament. 1-2 wrestlers = 2 coaches passes; 3-9 wrestlers = 4 coaches passes (4th is paid for); 10+ wrestlers = 5 coaches passes (4th and 5th are paid for).

School _____

Head Coach's Name _____ HM # () _____ WK # ()

Head Coach's Address _____

City _____

Drivers License Number _____

Assistant Coach's Name _____ HM # () _____ WK # ()

Assistant Coach's Name _____ HM # () _____ WK # ()

Assistant Coach's Name* _____ HM # () _____ WK # ()

Assistant Coach's Name* _____ HM # () _____ WK # ()

**Must be purchased at the regular adult price.*

I hereby assert and verify that the person(s) named above is/are employed

by _____ High School and meets the requirements of the above bylaw as of this date.

Signature of Principal Date

Print Name

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NORTH COAST SECTION/OAKLAND SECTION/LES SCHWAB TIRES WRESTLING CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES OFFICIALS NOMINATIONS: FORM B

(For use by Coaches)

Coaches' Name _____

School _____

Home Phone _____

Best Time to Contact _____

Cell Phone _____

Best Time to Contact _____

Coaches will rank order the officials nominated by the officials' association servicing their school for the NCS/OS/Les Schwab Tires Wrestling Championships. The list of officials may be found on the NCS Wrestling Home Page. Please send a copy of this confidential list to the NCS Office, 5 Crow Canyon Court, Suite 209, San Ramon, California 94583 or FAX to (925) 263-2120 **on or before Friday, January 20, 2012.**

ORDER AS RANKED BY THE COACH

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NCS Order FORM WRESTLING

(Payment must accompany all orders)

DEADLINE TO ORDER: MARCH 6, 2012
THERE IS NO DEADLINE FOR ORDERING PATCHES

Description	Sizes					Unit Price	Unit Total	Shipping	Shipping Total	TOTAL
	S	M	L	XL	XXL(add \$2.00)					
T-Shirt						\$17.00		\$3.50each		
Sweatshirt (Hooded)						\$33.00		\$4.80 each		
Long Sleeve T-Shirt						\$20.00		\$3.50each		
Patch, Sport (sport/year: _____)						\$17.00		\$1.50each		
Patch, Scholar (sport/year: _____)						\$17.00		\$1.50each		
Patch, Scholastic (sport/year: _____)						\$17.00		\$1.50each		
"NEW" Cinch Sacks						\$10.00		\$1.50 each		
NCS Hat (circle color: Black, Navy, Tan, Grey, Red)						\$17.00		\$1.50each		
NCS Visor (circle color: Black, Navy, Grey, Red)						\$13.00		\$1.50each		
Program (sport: _____) (not available in Tennis, Golf, Badminton)						\$3.00		\$1.50each		
Polar Tec Vest (circle color: Black, Grey)										
Polo Shirts (circle color: Tan, Navy, Black, Green)						\$48.00		\$3.50each		
Windshirts (circle color: Tan, Navy, Black, Green)						\$28.00		\$3.50each		
						\$48.00		\$3.50each		
									Tax (INCLUDED)	
									TOTAL	

Merchandise subject to availability. All prices subject to change without notice.
***Shipping and Handling charges on TEAM orders shall not exceed actual shipping charges plus 1.5%.**

When filling out credit card orders please complete all of the following. Credit Cards will be processed the day the merchandise is shipped.

Method of Payment (circle one) Cash, Check, VISA, MASTERCARD, DISCOVER			
	Name on card	Expiration Date	Card Number
			Zip Code

Home phone		
	Date	Authorized Signature if using P.O. or school requisition

Receipt:
Name:
Payment method:
Sport/location:



Address label (Please Print)
NAME:
ADDRESS:

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