

**46th ANNUAL EDISON INVITATIONAL WRESTLING TOURNAMENT**  
**Sponsored by Jim's Pizza Box of Milan 419-499-4166**  
**Saturday, December 5, 2009 – 10:00 AM**

**TEAMS PARTICIPATING:** Tiffin Calvert - Edison - Firelands - Garfield Heights  
Hopewell-Loudon - Monroeville - Margareta - Norwalk - Berea - Western Reserve

1. **ONLINE ENTRY INSTRUCTIONS:** Please follow the enclosed instructions for entering your wrestlers online. Please include any extra wrestlers. The extra wrestlers should be entered in order of priority. We will enter as many extra wrestlers as we can. It is important that you are aware of the online entry start and end deadline.  
**Online Entry will open on Saturday, November 28<sup>th</sup> at 8:00 AM.**  
**Online Entry will close on Thursday, December 3<sup>rd</sup> at 8:00 PM.**  
The seed nominations based on the stated seeding criteria will be posted at [www.baumspage.com/wr/edison/seeds.htm](http://www.baumspage.com/wr/edison/seeds.htm) by 9:00 PM, Thursday, December 3. Any challenges to the posted seeds based on head-to-head or other relevant reasons should be e-mailed to Tournament Director Terry Young ([terry@baumspage.com](mailto:terry@baumspage.com)) by Noon, Friday, December 4. The final seed nomination list will be updated and posted again by 2:00 PM on Friday, December 4.
2. **COACHES MEETING:** Will be held on Saturday, December 5th at 9:00 A.M. A coach must be present at the meeting to represent his team. If no one is at the meeting then we will proceed accordingly without their input. To make the meeting run as smooth and fast as possible, **all coaches must be in the meeting at 9:00 A.M.**  
The seeding criteria based on last year's season statistics are as follows: State Placement (at the same weight different weight), District Placement Top 6 (same weight, different weight), Champion at the Edison Invite (at the same weight, different weight), Sectional Placement Top 4 (same weight, different weight), and Junior High State Placer. Last year's high school record will be considered last. Placement on the bracket for non-seeded wrestlers will be randomly computer generated. Any wrestler meeting the Junior High State Placer criteria must have their information emailed to Terry Young due to the fact that the computer will only honor the first four seeding criteria.
3. **WEIGH-INS:** Will be held in the locker room from 8:00 A.M. until the last 285 pound wrestler weighs in. Please wait in the gym until your weight class is called to the locker room. Hair and nails will be checked then. Weigh-ins will be conducted by officials Larren Wikel and Dean Wikel. You must bring your Alpha Master Roster to weigh-ins! Please note the copy of the weigh-in procedure on attached page. Wrestling will start at 10:00 A.M. with finals beginning as soon as possible after the final preliminary match. There will be a coaches meeting before the finals to go over finals match-ups, MVW considerations, and other pertinent information.
4. **OFFICIALS:** for the tournament are Joel Waters, Dan Jaksetic, John Jaksetic, Hans Larsen, Dean Wikel, and Larren Wikel.
5. **ADMISSION:** for the tournament is:

	<u>ADULTS</u>	<u>STUDENTS</u>
(for all day)	\$8.00	\$6.00
(for each session)	\$6.00	\$5.00

Enclosed are 6 passes for your stat persons. Anything over six will be charged admission.
6. **LOCKER ROOMS:** Locker rooms are small. Please check the locker rooms from time to time and inform me of any problems. Lockers will be marked for each school. Please stay in these marked lockers. We will not be responsible for any lost or stolen items. Bring your own locks and please have your wrestlers clean up after themselves.
7. **A TROPHY:** will be presented to the championship team and runner-up team. Plaques will go to the individual with the most pins in the least amount of time and the most valuable wrestler, to be voted on by the coaches. Plaques will be presented to the top 4 in each weight class, and a t-shirt will also be given to the 1st place wrestler. The pin plaque can go to anyone in the championship bracket or the consolation bracket.
8. **ENTRY FEE:** The \$175.00 entry fee must be paid at the seeding meeting on Saturday if it has not been paid.
9. **AREAS:** The team area will be on the balcony side of the gym. Spectators will be on the south side. Cheerleaders and mat maids must stay behind the ropes. T-shirts will be for sale in the cafeteria. Your cooperation is requested in keeping all food and beverages out of the gym - also please do not bring any glass bottles. **No team meals please.**

Sincerely,  
David Hermes - Head Wrestling Coach

# WEIGH-INS

1. All contestants at the same weight must be in the locker room at the time their weight class begins to weigh in. Do not forget to bring your Alpha Master Roster! No longer are you allowed to come in late and weigh in behind the 285 lb. class. The only exception is a wrestler that has a note from their principal due to an SAT or ACT exam.
2. If a contestant fails to make weight on one of the designated scales, he/she can immediately step off and back on that scale, one time. They are also allowed to step on any other scale in that room, one time. They are not allowed to wait and try after the 285 lb. class. If a varsity wrestler does not make weight, the extra wrestler can be entered as a scoring wrestler.
3. Once weigh-ins start, all weight loss or gain must stop by all contestants whether they are in the gym or the locker room. Please let your kids know this prior to getting to the high school.
4. Reminder – weigh-ins start at 8:00 AM and are over after the last 285 pound wrestler weighs in, SO DON'T BE LATE. Please be at the school by 7:30 A.M.

**PLEASE NOTE: This year we will run the tournament on a 10 man pool bracket. Each weight will wrestle for 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup>, and 5th place and team score will be kept by using 1<sup>st</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> place scoring. Awards will only be given to 1st place through 4th place; however, the 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> place finishers should show up at the award podium for introduction.**