

2023 Firelands Conference Championships

St. Paul High School – February 18, 2023

Entry window opens **8:00 AM, Sat. Feb. 12**. Closes precisely: **7:00 PM, Thur. Feb. 16**

Submit your intended roster early! Return anytime before the deadline to make changes!

The seed nominations based on the stated seeding criteria will be posted at www.baumspage.com by 8:00 PM, **Thursday February 16**, at which time all lineups will be locked.

Any challenges to the posted seeds should be e-mailed to Rick Twining (ricktwining@gmail.com) by 10 am, **Friday, February 17**. The final seed nomination list will be updated and posted by noon.

ALL SCRATCHES/SUBSTITUTIONS MUST BE MADE BY NO LATER THAN 8:30 PM FRIDAY NIGHT VIA EMAIL: RICKTWINING@GMAIL.COM.

SEEDING CRITERIA:

The criteria for seeding a wrestler are:

1. State placer in the same weight class
2. State placer up or down one weight class
3. State qualifier in the same weight class
4. State qualifier
5. Conference placer (1st or 2nd) in the same weight class
6. Conference placer (1st of 2nd) up or down one weight class
7. Four wrestlers will be seeded (.500 or better record with a 6 match minimum)
8. A coach has the right to challenge a seed, for any additional situations-head to head competitions, providing the majority of coaches support the challenge. This process will be completed by a vote of all head coaches.
9. All head coaches must vote.
10. A tie vote goes to the wrestler who had criteria.

Seeds

1. 1st and 2nd seeds must accept the seeds, 3rd and 4th seeds can go in the open draw if desired.
2. Byes will be randomly drawn.

1. **Entries must be submitted using the Online Entry Form at www.baumspage.com!**
 - a) Create your account early and enter your master alphabetic roster.
2. **Please note the following changes on baumspage.com!**
 - a) All User Accounts from 2021-2022 were retained, but the associations with the schools and teams were cleared.
 - b) After login, the coach will be able to add multiple teams/sports/genders to the same account!
3. Go to **www.baumspage.com** and click **Online Entries** or **Login** to access your account.
 - a) If you did not have an account last year, use **Apply** to create your account.
 - b) If you had an account last year, you can login using that e-mail address and password.
 - i) **Please note: Passwords are case-sensitive!**
 - ii) If you don't know your password, click the **Forget your password?** link to have a temporary password e-mailed to you.
4. Use **My Sports | Select Teams** to select your school from the drop-down list.
 - a) Click **Get available Teams**, select your team, and then click **Make me the Coach**.
 - b) If your school is not listed or somebody else has already claimed your team, use **My Tools |**

- Online Help** and submit the appropriate Help Request.
5. Use **My Sports | Wrestling | Modify Athletes** to enter your athletes on your alphabetic roster.
 - a) You may enter athletes one at a time by entering first name, last name, and grade, then **Add Athlete**.
 - i) Type all names in upper and lower case. *Please check all entries carefully!
 - b) Or you can import your complete roster by pasting them from an Excel file. Use one row per athlete: **First Name, Last Name, and Grade**. Highlight and paste into textbox, then click **Import Athletes**.
 6. Use **My Sports | Wrestling | Submit Rosters** to enter them in a tournament.
 - a) Select your team | click **Get Available Events** | Select an event | click **Get Roster**.
 - i) For each weight class, click on **None** and select the athlete from the drop-down list.
 - ii) If appropriate, enter seeding information as requested. Leave blank if not up for seed!
 - b) Click **Submit Roster** to save. Use **Get Printable Roster** to print a copy for your records.
 - c) If a name or grade is not correct or an athlete is missing, use **My Sports | Wrestling | Modify Athletes** to make the correction, then submit your entries again.
 7. **Event Rosters can only be submitted or corrected while the "Entry Window" is open!**
 - a) The window closes automatically **precisely at the time and date** listed.
 - b) **Submit Rosters** early and return to make changes **anytime before** the window closes.
 - c) Entries **cannot** be edited or submitted online **after the window closes**.
 8. **If there are any problems with the Online Form**, click the **Contact Us** link and submit a **Help Request**.
 - a) **Please allow up to 8 hours for a response! *Most responses will be in less than 4 hours.**
 - b) Call Gary Baumgartner at 513-424-6201 or Rick Twining at 440-724-1404 if you need immediate help.

2023 Firelands Conference Wrestling Tournament
St. Paul High School
Saturday February 18th

Schedule: Team Arrival: 7:30-7:45 am
Weigh-ins by team: 8:00 am
Doors open for spectators: 8:30 am
Coaches Seed Meeting: Immediately following weigh-ins
Wrestling Begins: 10:00 am
Parade of Champions: 30 min. after Cons Semi-finals

Line-ups: Online Entry Window opens on baumspage at 8:00 AM on *Saturday 2/11*.
Entry window closes promptly at 7:00 PM on *Thursday 2/16*, at which time all line-ups will be locked. Any substitutions after this time must be with a wrestler not already entered on your final roster.
Questions/concerns about online entry/seeding can be emailed to Rick Twining at ricktwining@gmail.com

Admission: Gates will open at 8:30 am
All tickets will be \$6.00

Concessions: Concessions will be open all day. **Please coaches inform your parents that no cooking electronic devices will be allowed to enter the building. No coolers will be permitted also.**

Coaches Room: We will have a coaches/hospitality room that will be open throughout the day.
Coaches, administrators, and bus drivers only please.

Locker Rooms: We have 2 locker rooms that will be used for the tournament. Please inform wrestlers to lock up all valuable items.

Bus Parking: We ask that all buses park in the Social Hall parking lot on the east side of Milan Avenue across from the Elementary School

Awards: Medals will be awarded for the top four in each weight class. Championship team will receive 14 medals and a plate for their plaque.
At the conclusion of the meet the coaches will vote for Most Valuable Wrestler for the upper and lower weight classes along with Coach of the Year.
There is NO trophy for the championship team.