

**2024 Firelands Conference Wrestling Tournament**  
**South Central High School**  
**Saturday, February 17<sup>th</sup>**

- Schedule:
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| Team Arrival:              | 7:30-7:45 am   |
| Weigh-ins by team:         | 8:00 am (Boys Locker Room)                                   |
| Coaches Seed Meeting:      | Immediately following weigh-ins (Room 21; Biology Classroom) |
| Doors open for Spectators: | 9:00 am  |
| Wrestling Begins:          | 10:00 am   |
| Parade of Champions:       | 30 minutes after Consolation Semi-Finals                     |
- Line-Ups: Online Entry Window opens on Baumspage at 8:00 AM on Saturday, February 10. Entry window closes promptly at 7:00 PM on Thursday, February 15 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 [rictwining@gmail.com](mailto:rictwining@gmail.com)
- Rules: Included is a copy of the rules and seeding criteria per the Firelands Conference Manual and adopted by the coaches.
- Admissions: Gates open at 9:00 am  
All tickets will be \$8.00  
Firelands Conference Passes will be accepted
- Seating: Wrestlers will be seated on the stage bleachers; fans will be seated on SC home bleachers.
- Concessions: Concessions will be open all day. **Coaches- please inform parents that no electronic cooking devices (crock pots, etc.) or coolers will be permitted.**
- Hospitality: Media Center/Library- For coaches, administrators, bus drivers, and event staff
- Locker Room: Locker rooms are limited, but available. Please inform wrestlers to lock up all valuable items!
- Bus Parking: All busses should park in the parking lot between the high school and K-8 building.
- Awards: Medals will be awarded for the top four places in each weight class.  
Firelands Conference Wrestling Champion t-shirt to each individual champ in each weight class  
Championship team will receive 14 medals and a plate for their trophy.  
Two outstanding wrestler plaques will be awarded; one to the lower weights (106-144#) and one to the upper weights (150-285#).  
Coaches vote for Firelands Conference Coach of the Year.

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### Firelands Conference Wrestling Championships Regulations

- A. The conference wrestling tournament will be held two weeks prior to the individual state sectional tournament.
- B. The seeding meeting for the conference will be held on the morning, and prior to the start of the tournament.
- C. Weigh In will be at 8 am with wrestling beginning at 10 am. Finals to be a half hour after the completion of the preliminaries.
- D. The tournament will be an 8 man bracket with 4 placement scoring. There will be two Most Valuable Wrestlers awards, one wrestler from 106#-145#, and one wrestler from 152#-285#. Each coach will vote for 2 wrestlers in each group with the first choice receiving 3 points and the second choice receiving one point.
- E. 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 (1<sup>st</sup> or 2<sup>nd</sup>) in the same weight class
  - 6. Conference placer (1<sup>st</sup> of 2<sup>nd</sup>) 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.
- F. Seeds
  - 1. 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> seeds must accept the seeds, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> seeds can go in the open draw if desired.
  - 2. Byes will be randomly drawn.
- G. The host school is responsible for hiring 3 officials.
- H. Awards
  - 1. Each weight class will award the following medals: 1<sup>st</sup> place-gold, 2<sup>nd</sup> place-silver, 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> place-bronze
  - 2. The championship team will receive 14 gold medals and a championship plaque or plate.
  - 3. There will be 2 outstanding wrestler plaques awarded – one for the lower weight classes (106#-144#) and one for the upper weight classes (150#-285#).