

2024 Ohio Cardinal Conference Wrestling Tournament

Madison Comprehensive High School

600 Esley Lane

Mansfield, OH 44905

WHEN: Saturday: February 17, 2024

TIME: Wrestling begins at 10:00am

WEIGHT-INS: 8:00am

Weigh-ins will be by team. Coaches, please report to the head table upon arrival to turn in your **Alpha Sheets**. Coaches, please verify your entry at this time and make any scratches.

Please drop off your wrestlers at the front entrance of the High School. Ask your bus drivers to park in front of the High School in the main parking lot.

TEAM ENTRY: **Please submit your line up on or before 10:00pm THURSDAY, February 15, 2024 on Baumspage.com. THIS WILL BE YOUR OFFICIAL ENTRY FOR YOUR WRESTLERS**, once the registration is closed you cannot move your wrestler up or down.

FORMAT: The OCC Wrestling tournament will utilize Baumspage.com POOL STYLE Format ONLY with DUAL MATCH team scoring.

SEEDING:

1. State Placer
2. District Placer
3. Conference Placer
4. Varsity Record
5. Head-to-Head

- A wrestler may be replaced if unable to participate because of injury or illness.
- The weight class will be redrawn if the 1st or 2nd seed does not participate in the tournament.
- A forfeit will result if an entered wrestler does not make weight during the specified weigh-in period. Any wrestler not making weight cannot be replaced. If the wrestler not making weight is a 1st or 2nd seed, the weight class will be redrawn.
- No seed can be declined or turned down.
- A maximum of four (4) wrestlers will be seeded in each weight class.
- All unseeded wrestlers will be randomly assigned to the remaining lines in the bracket.
- Wrestlers must have a minimum of varsity 5 matches and at least a .500 record to qualify for a seed.

The Pools will be labeled from top line through the bottom line as follows: the top line will be labeled (1), second line (2), third line (3) and so on until the bottom line (8) is reached. Seeded wrestlers will take the following lines:

- #1 Seed – Line 1
- #2 Seed – Line 8
- #3 Seed – Line 5
- #4 Seed – Line 4

For Pools with 6 or Less Wrestlers: Wrestlers will be seeded by Criteria. Wrestlers will be seeded 1-4. The highest seeds will wrestle later in the tournament to mimic a finals match up.

In the event that there are not four (4) seeded wrestlers, then all unseeded wrestlers will be randomly assigned. Forfeits will be placed on the line for those wrestlers not making weight at the time of weigh ins.

TEAM SCORING: Dual Format scoring is used for team scoring. Wrestlers with byes will be awarded 2 points if they win a match in their pool.

1st Place: 14 pts
2nd Place: 10 pts
3rd Place: 7 pts
4th Place: 4 pts

PLACEMENT: Top 4 Athletes Earn Team Points
Top 3 Athletes will Medal

FINAL ROUNDS: Consolation final matches (3rd-4th) will be wrestled immediately after the final preliminary match is complete. Mats may be reduced to allow all wrestlers to achieve the required 30-minute break.
The Championship Matches will begin Immediately after the consolation final round.
The Championship Matches will take place under the spotlights.
All awards will be awarded mat side after the match.

OCC AWARDS: Near the completion of the tournament the host school will be responsible for distributing one ballot to each member school to vote for “Coach of the Year and “Outstanding Wrestler” honors. Coaches/representatives must vote for participants from a school other than the school district they represent.

WEATHER: Your athletic director will be notified if there is any indication of inclement weather.

SPECTATORS: All spectators should enter the building through the front of the High School. There will be room available in the cafeteria for team food and team items. There will be no electrical service. Please leave the area as you found it. No smoking is allowed on the school grounds.
Tickets: Adults \$7 - Students: \$5

SPORTS MED: Madison’s Team trainer will be at the tournament all day. The Madison EMS will be notified and on call.

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