

2018 Northeast Sectional Wrestling Tournament Challenge Match Information and Schedule

Sectional Tournament Managers

- 1) Before the end of the Sectional Tournament, the Tournament Manager shall identify the 3rd and 4th placement matches (and participants) that could not be wrestled due to the NFHS 5 match per day limitation rule. The bout sheets for these matches shall be collected.
- 2) Refer to the ***OHSAA Sixth Match Placement Policy for One-Day Sectional Tournaments*** to determine the District Tournament pairing assignment for the prospective 3rd and 4th place wrestlers at the Sectional Tournament - see Page 1, Item No. 1 (a through c) and Item No. 2 (a through c).
- 3) Survey the coaches and involved wrestlers (ideally together) of the prospective 3rd and 4th place match in each affected weight class to inform them that the prospective 4th place wrestler can challenge the prospective 3rd place wrestler to determine placement on the District Tournament Bracket.
- 4) Determine if a Challenge Match will or will not be conducted (refer to the **Implementation Plan** set forth on page 2, Provision 1 (a through c) of the ***OHSAA Sixth Match Placement Policy for One-Day Sectional Tournaments***).
- 5) Fill in the requisite information on the ***Coaches Waiver: 6th Match Challenge Decision*** form and require both coaches and both wrestlers of the prospective Challenge Match to sign the form (note: the acceptance waiver is on the top half of the form and the declination waiver is on the bottom half of the form – one form per coach).
- 6) If a Challenge Match(es) is to be conducted, e-mail a copy of the bout sheet(s) and the signed Coach's Waiver (keep the original for your records) to Ryan Peters, Challenge Match Tournament Manager, Beachwood High School, by Sunday morning, February 25 (12:00 p.m.).

Challenge Match Tournament Manager

Ryan Peters, District Director of Athletics, Beachwood City Schools

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Challenge Matches

Challenge Matches from the one-day Sectional Tournaments in Divisions I, II and III will be held at Beachwood High School (wrestling room) on **Monday, February 26, 2018**.

- **Check-In:** 4:30 p.m.
 - All OHSAA Skin Authorization forms appropriately signed and dated must be presented at check-in.

- **Weigh-In:** 5:00 p.m.
 - The Head Official assigned to the Challenge Match site shall preside over the weigh-ins.
 - Weigh-ins shall be conducted according to the NFHS Wrestling Rules.
 - A five-pound weight allowance (scratch plus five) will be implemented at weigh-ins.
 - The weigh-ins shall begin with the lowest weight class (e.g., 106 lbs.) and end at the completion of the highest weight class (e.g., 285 lbs.).
- **Wrestling:** 6:00 p.m.
 - Wrestling will follow the order of weight classes beginning with Division III and ending with Division I (e.g., 106 DIII, 106 DII, 106 DI, etc.).

Challenge Match Manager and NEDAB Responsibilities

- The Manager will report all Challenge Match results to the Baumspage staff at support@baumspage.com immediately following the conclusion of the last match wrestled.
- The Manager will collect the requisite payment information from the two assigned Challenge Match officials and forward the information to the NEDAB. The NEDAB is responsible for paying the officials.
 - The officials base fee is \$85.00 per official (0-14 matches) plus \$5.00 per match in excess of 14 matches (15 and above).
 - If Challenge Matches were scheduled and forfeits or no shows lead to “0” matches being wrestled, the officials will be paid the base fee of \$85.00.
 - The mat official will use an assistant official for each match
- The Challenge Match Manager will hire security (preferably one police officer) for the Challenge Match site.
 - The Challenge Match Manager will collect the requisite payment information from the security personnel and forward the information to the NEDAB. The NEDAB is responsible for payment.
 - The security personnel fee is to be no more than \$175.00.
- The Challenge Match Manager will be paid a fee of \$100.00 plus \$5.00 per match.
- The Challenge Match school site will receive a \$300.00 facility stipend.
- Admission to the Challenge Matches if free of charge.

<p>District Pairings Will be Posted at: www.baumspage.com</p>

2018 Northeast Sectional Wrestling Challenge Match Form

Coach's Acceptance Waiver: 6th Match Challenge Decision

Division: _____ Sectional: _____ Weight Class: _____

Wrestler: _____ School _____

_____ **We agree** to participate in the Challenge Match at Beachwood on Monday, February 27th and will be there for weigh-ins at 5:00 PM,

Head Coach: _____ Wrestler: _____

Signature

Signature

Date: _____

2018 Northeast Sectional Wrestling Challenge Match Form

Coach's Declination Waiver: 6th Match Challenge Decision

Division: _____ Sectional: _____ Weight Class: _____

Wrestler: _____ School _____

_____ **We do not agree** to participate in the Challenge Match at Beachwood on Monday, February 27th and will accept the placement on the district bracket based on NFHS Rules.

Head Coach: _____ Wrestler: _____

Signature

Signature

Date: _____