

# Midview Local School District

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TO: All Northeast Division I Sectional Wrestling Coaches and Athletic Directors

FROM: Dan May, Director of Athletics, Midview Local Schools

RE: Information regarding the sectional at Midview High School on Saturday, February 26

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I hope you are enjoying a great winter sports season. The purpose of this memo is to provide you with information for the upcoming Division I Sectional Wrestling Tournament. This year, the Division I Sectional Wrestling Tournament will once again be held at Midview High School, 38199 Capel Road, Grafton OH 44044. **(One Day Only)** *Note: This information is subject to change at any time.*

### **PARTICIPATING TEAMS:**

The following schools have been assigned to this year's Sectional Tournament: ***Amherst Steele, Avon, Avon Lake, Elyria, Fremont Ross, Lorain, Midview, North Ridgeville and St. John Jesuit (9 teams)***

### **WRESTLING SCHEDULE**

**Saturday, February 26, 2022** – Wrestling will begin at 10 AM on three mats. Doors will open for fans at 9 AM (Please tell fans not to arrive prior to this as we will not open the doors until 9 AM.)

- Championship First Round and Championship Quarterfinals will be wrestled (no first round of consolation, as only 9 teams are present). The rest is subject to change based on the number of participants.
- Wrestling will continue with the championship semifinals on two mats, and consolation wrestling on one mat (consolation second round and consolation quarterfinals). When either championship or consolation matches are done, the other will be completed on all three mats.
- Consolation semifinals will begin after the completion of the previous joint round on all three mats. The projected end time is around 3 PM.
- The Parade of Champions will begin 45 minutes after the conclusion of the consolation semifinals on 3 mats. **NOTE: We may be forced to clear the gym of spectators prior to the finals.** Place matches will be wrestled during the final session. All awards will be given upon the completion of the 285-pound weight class. The top six place winners in each weight class will be recognized on the awards podium. We anticipate the tournament ending around 5/5:30 PM.

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### WEIGH INS & SKIN CHECK SCHEDULE:

Weigh-ins and skin checks will begin promptly at 8 AM on Saturday, February 26, in the Midview Auxiliary Gym. The three certified scales will open at 7:15 AM for wrestlers to check their weight. Coaches will not be permitted in the skin check/weigh-in area once weigh-ins begin. Prior to arriving at skin checks/weigh-ins, make sure all wrestlers are **properly groomed** and present the proper physician's skin release form (if applicable), as well as special equipment (i.e. hair covering, mouth guards, padding, special taping, bracing etc.) and any other special equipment at the time of skin checks. Wrestlers should have their nails cut prior to weigh-ins. Any evidence of ringworm, or any other contagious skin diseases, on any wrestler at any time during the tournament will prohibit that wrestler from competing in the tournament. **The physician hired by the Director of the Sectional Wrestling Tournament will make the final decision on any wrestler's physical status, including any skin rashes/diseases that could prohibit participation in the tournament. A doctor, trainer and our head official will supervise weigh-ins and check all wrestlers' skin and nails.**

We will weigh-in by weight class (106, 113, 120, etc.) according to the regulations and guidelines established by the OHSAA and NFHS. **Any wrestler attempting to weigh in after their weight class and team has been called will be denied the opportunity to weigh in and will be scratched from the tournament. No wrestler will be allowed to exit the official weigh in area (for any reason)** once his weight class begins the weigh-in process. Official weigh-ins conclude for a weight class when the last wrestler in that class steps off the scale. Weigh-ins are then closed for that weight class. Wrestlers must check in for the weight class in which they have been entered or will be disqualified from the tournament.

If your team has a problem getting to weigh-ins at the designated start time it is the coach's responsibility to call or text the tournament Athletic Director at 740-438-3013 to inform them of the cause of the delay.

### PLACEMENT/AWARDS/SCORING:

Wrestlers placing first through fourth qualify for the Division I District Tournament at Perrysburg High School. Fifth place finishers will be designated as the Alternate. Overall, the Sectional Tournament will be scored to sixth place per NFHS rules.

### TEAM REGISTRATION:

We need your team registered no later than Thursday, February 25, by 7 PM. You can begin entering your rosters on Sunday, January 16! You must register your team online by visiting [www.baumpage.com](http://www.baumpage.com). **If your registration is not entered by this date and time, your team may be precluded from being entered and the school can be fined up to \$150 for a late fee.**

Included in these attachments are instruction of how to enter your team and record on Baumpage.com. If you fail to meet the roster submittal deadline your school may be **subject to \$150 fine.**

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### VERY IMPORTANT FORMS NEEDED PRIOR TO WEIGH INS:

\*\*\*The following forms must be scanned and emailed to the tournament director **one week** prior to the Sectional Tournament. Wrestlers and teams will not be permitted to weigh in unless these forms are turned in!!!

- A. **Weight Certification Alpha Master Report** of all participants.
- B. **Sectional Wrestling Pass List** (attached to this letter)

These forms should be emailed to Dan May at [dmay@midviewk12.org](mailto:dmay@midviewk12.org).

### COACHES MEETING & SEEDING CRITERIA:

The Coaches Meeting – and seeding meeting - for the Sectional Tournament will be held in Room 405 fifteen (15) minutes after the completion of weigh-ins on Saturday. During this time a coach may object to a seed based on criteria and each team will have one vote on the objection.

**Once the entries are locked on Thursday night, there can be no alterations to the lineup! Please be mindful of what you enter! There is no changing of weight classes after Thursday!**

### Seeding for the Sectional will be based on the following criteria

1. A returning State Placer
2. A returning District Placer
3. Current Record .500 or better (minimum of 12 matches)
4. Coaches may submit request to add wrestler with winning record but less than 12 matches by emailing supporting documentation to [dmay@midviewk12.org](mailto:dmay@midviewk12.org) at least 24 hours before seed meeting.

Up to 8 wrestlers per weight class may be seeded. The NE Sectionals seed by criteria only. Wrestlers will be listed on the seed nomination form based on the above criteria. Final seeding will be completed at coaches meeting.

### TEAM PASSES:

Upon arrival at Midview High School on Saturday, each team will be required to sign in using their **Sectional Wrestling Pass List** (included in the attachments). The tournament “entry form” will be used for coaches check in. Wrestlers & coaches will be required to sign in upon arrival. **Only the names listed on the sectional wrestling pass list will be permitted to enter for free.** All coaches are required to be on the form. Everyone else will have to purchase a ticket.

### HOSPITALITY ROOM:

The hospitality room will be located outside of the gym area. The Hospitality room is for Coaches, Officials and tournament personnel only. We would ask that you help us to patrol this. All coaches on the entry form will be issued a wristband for the room. Anyone without a wristband will not be granted entrance.

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### COACHES PUPIL ACTIVITY PERMITS:

All coaches must have valid and current ODE Pupil Activity Permits in order to coach at the OHSAA Sectional, District and State Tournaments

### **\*\*\*COACHES DRESS CODE: (FOR SECTIONALS, DISTRICTS & STATES)**

The wearing of jeans, t-shirts, sweat suits and warm-up suits (top or bottom), head wear and similar apparel are not considered suitable attire for coaches during the OHSAA Sectional, District or State Wrestling Tournaments and, therefore, are prohibited. Coaches who are inappropriately dressed will not be allowed on the competition floor. (as per OHSAA individual wrestling tournament regulation 27).

### ADMISSION FEE:

We are still waiting on details from the OHSAA on ticket prices and policies when it comes to one's ability to stay all day or us having to clear before the finals. Once we learn more we will share with the group. All tickets will be digital and through HomeTown Ticketing.

### BUSES:

**BUSES SHOULD PARK IN THE DESIGNATED AREA ON THE EAST SIDE OF THE SCHOOL.** They can drop off at the main entrance then proceed to their place of rest until the Tournament is complete. **[MAP ATTACHED]**

If you need to get in touch with me for any reason, please do not hesitate to contact me via email at [dmay@midviewk12.org](mailto:dmay@midviewk12.org), at my office **440-748-5390** or on my cell phone (Preferred) at **740-438-3013**.

I look forward to a fun and successful Division I Sectional tournament. Have a great end to your season!