

4th Annual Indiana Frosh-Soph State Wrestling Championships

February 29th - March 1st 2020

This tournament is for ALL Freshman and Sophomores who DID NOT PLACE in the IHSAA State Championships. This includes wrestlers who competed at Varsity, Junior Varsity and Freshman levels during the High School season.



New for 2020 ... Girls Division ... We will include brackets at all Qualifiers ... 10 NWCA Weight Classes. We will import the top 5 Placers at all 3 Qualifiers into the Girls Frosh-Soph State Championships.

• **North and South District Qualifiers:** Whichever Bracket is Required based on Participants, placing 8, but including top 12 for Qualification.

North Qualifier - Portage South Qualifier - Mater Dei

• State Championships: 32-Man, 64-Man or 128-Man NCAA Full Wrestle-back Brackets. New this year, we will use brackets that include placement of ALL TOP 12 WRESTLERS!

Automatic Frosh-Soph State Qualifiers ... any Indiana Freshman or Sophomore wrestler who qualifies for an IHSAA Semi-State is automatically qualified for Frosh-Soph State and will be imported into the State Final Tournament. **They are not permitted in the North or South Qualifiers.**

Historically for those qualifying for Semi-State, but not State, this would include:

- 184 (38 subsequent State Qualifiers) Sophomores
- 80 (16 subsequent State Qualifiers) Freshmen.

Non IHSAA Semi-State Qualifying Wrestlers from any location in Indiana may attend either the North, South or Central Qualifier without restriction.

North and South Qualifiers:

February 16th, the Sunday following local Semi-State Championships
Doors Open 8:00 a.m. CST Proceed directly to Scales for Weigh-In's ...
Weigh-In's CLOSE at 9:30 CST. Singlet and shoes (4 pound total allowance)
Weight Class changes will be permitted with no fee. Wrestling begins at 10:00 a.m. CST.

District Locations:

- Southern Qualifier ... Mater Dei (Semi-State Sunday)
- Northern Qualifier ... Portage Fieldhouse (Semi-State Sunday)
- Central Qualifier ... We have a "last-chance" qualifier on the following

Sunday (February 23rd) at the Indy Nationals tournament at the University of Indianapolis. We already have a High School Division, and thanks to the software technology of TrackWrestling, we can separate and export Indiana High School Freshman and Sophomore results from this event into the Frosh-Soph State Championships. This will be limited to the top 8 Indiana Frosh-Soph finishers per weight class. As an example, an Indiana Frosh-Soph wrestler might finish 15th in a weight class, but if he/she is in the top 8 of Indiana Frosh-Soph wrestlers, that wrestler will qualify.

State Championships (FULL WRESTLEBACKS)

Southport High School, Indianapolis

Saturday, February 29th (Wrestle to Top 12 on Saturday) Sunday, March 1st thru Placement (Top 12)

State Seeding Criteria Order:

- IHSAA State Qualifier (Non-Placers) Level 1
 IHSAA Semi-State Go-Round Qualifiers Level 2
- IHSAA Semi-State Qualifiers Level 3
- Placement Order at the 3 Qualifier Tournaments (top 8 Placers) Levels 4-11
- 9-12 Qualifiers at Districts (Random Placement)

SEEDING FOR THE GIRLS EVENT WILL BE 1 THRU 5 BASED ON QUAL'S PLACEMENT

State Saturday:

Doors Open at 8:00 a.m. EST... Proceed to Scales Weigh-in's CLOSE at 9:30 a.m. EST Wrestling Starts at 10:00 a.m. EST

GIRLS FROSH-SOPH STATE WEIGH-INS @ NOON EST IN THE SOUTHPORT WRESTLING ROOM. WEIGH-IN'S WILL CLOSE AT 1:00 P.M. MATCHES WILL COMMENCE AT 2:00 P.M. AND CONTINUE UNTIL THE FINALS ARE COMPLETE SATURDAY EVENING.

For the State Event, you may change weight-classes from your qualifying weight. There is no restriction and your seeding criteria goes with you. We will wrestle down to the top 12 Wrestlers on Saturday. Weigh-outs Saturday upon completion of each Weight-Class. (additional plus 2 allowance will be granted, so plus 6). If you miss weight on Weigh-out, you will have another chance Sunday morning. In each of the past years all 2nd day qualifiers made weight on weigh-outs.

State Sunday:

Doors Open at 9:30 a.m. on Sunday. For those who miss weight on the Saturday evening Weigh-out, we will have a weigh-in at 9:30 a.m. (plus 6 allowance... same as weigh-outs) Wrestling Starts at 11:00 a.m. Sunday with the Podium Round, followed by the Semifinals, and then wrestling until completion.