**2021 ONTARIO OPEN**

***Sanctioned by the Ontario Amateur Wrestling Association, the***

***Provincial Sport Organization for Wrestling as recognized by***

***the Ministry of Heritage, Sport, Tourism and Culture Industries***

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# **Non-Ontario participants welcome!**

**Location:**  **HOLIDAY INN AND CONFERENCE CENTRE**

 **Burlington, Ontario (see hotel information at end)**

# **Date: U-19 Division: Saturday, November 27, 2021**

 **Junior/Senior (combined) Division:** **Sunday, November 28, 2021**

**COVID-19 Guidelines**

**All Participants must show proof of vaccination (athletes, coaches, officials) prior to entry. (This is a facility requirement). No spectators will be allowed in the venue. Everyone must wear a mask, athletes can remove their mask as they step on the mat for their match, and must put the mask back on after the match.**

**Weight Classes**:

**Junior and Senior Combined (athletes born 2003 and before):**

Men’s Freestyle (FS): 54, 57, 61, 65, 70, 74, 79, 86, 92, 97, 125 (in kilograms)

Women (WW): 46, 50, 53, 55, 57, 59, 62, 65, 68, 72, 76, 82

*Note: Athletes born 2004 may compete in the Junior/Senior Combined competition with a WCL Medical Certificate (Get the Certificate* [***HERE***](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1luG_7YgiTbVJxuLE1q0fmfU0C0f3a2si/view?usp=sharing)*) confirming the athlete has been examined and is able to compete against athletes older than them, and a parental authorization waiver (Click* [*HERE*](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1nIwRATBfPRVrHHxOZH3E4w7K6Pk8yOBO/edit?usp=sharing&ouid=113936031082378211348&rtpof=true&sd=true) *to get the waiver), as well as proof of age.*

**U19 Division - athletes born 2004 to 2007**

Men’s Freestyle (FS): 40-44, 48, 52, 56, 60, 65, 70, 76, 85, 98, 120 kg

Women (WW): 38-40, 44, 48, 52, 56, 60, 64, 69, 74, 79, 84 kg

*Note: Athletes born after 2007 cannot compete.*

**Schedule**

**Saturday November 27, 2021**

8:00 am – 8:30 Weight Verification for athletes selected (RED DOTS)

8:30 am Coaches Meeting

9:00 am Session One begins with the following weight classes:

Men: 44, 48, 52, 56, 60, 65 kg

Women: 40, 44, 48, 52, 56, 60 kg.

12:00 pm Lunch Break and Cleaning

1:00 pm Session Two begins with the following weight classes:

 Men: 70, 76, 85, 98, 120 kg.

 Women: 64, 69, 74, 79, 84 kg.

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9:00 am Session One begins with the following weight classes:

 Men: 54, 57, 61, 65, 70 kg.

 Women: 46, 50, 53, 55, 57, 59 kg.

12:00 pm Lunch Break and Cleaning

1:00 pm Session Two begins with the following weight classes:

 Men: 74, 79, 86, 92, 97, 125 kg

 Women: 62, 65, 68, 72, 76, 82 kg

**NOTE: Due to COVID Restrictions, only athletes competing in the session and accredited coaches will be allowed in the venue. NO SPECTATORS ARE ALLOWED IN THE VENUE AT ANY TIME.**

**Pre-Registration:** Pre-register through Trackwrestling.com by Monday November 22, 2021 using the following link:

 [**http://www.trackwrestling.com/registration/TW\_Register.jsp?tournamentGroupId=196949132**](http://www.trackwrestling.com/registration/TW_Register.jsp?tournamentGroupId=196949132)

 Registrations received after November 22, 2021 will be $20.00 extra.

 REGISTRATIONS WILL CLOSE THURSDAY NOVEMBER 25th AT 5:00 pm

 Submit Scratches to admin@oawa.ca

Scratches after November 25th will be charged $20.00

**ENTRY FEE**: $50.00 if registered by Nov. 22, 2021

 $70.00 if registered after Nov. 22, 2021

**Eligibility:** Please note that the following OAWA Eligibility Rule will be in effect:

* Participants must show proof of current membership in the OAWA.

or:

* Participants must show proof of current membership in a WCL recognized Provincial/Territorial Sport Organization (PTSO) and show proof of residency in that Province/Territory.

or:

* Participants must show proof of current membership in U.S.A. Wrestling and show proof of residency in the United States.

or:

* Participants must show proof of current membership in a United World Wrestling recognized National Sport Organization.

**Draw Format:** Athletes will be placed in an 8-Wrestler Double-elimination Bracket draw. Full weight classes will be closed. Any weight classes with five or fewer athletes will wrestle a round-robin. The event will use TrackWrestling.

**Weight Verification**:

 Athletes selected for weight verification (RED DOTS) must weigh-in when noted. Athletes must be within 1 Kg. of their assigned weight. Athletes missing weight will be eliminated from the competition. No refunds for athletes missing weight.

**HOTEL INFORMATION:**

**Holiday Inn Burlington Hotel and Conference Centre**

**3063 South Service Road**

**Burlington, Ontario L7N 3E9**

**T 905.639.4443 Ask for the Wrestling Rate.**

**Other Information**

**Coaches:** Coaches must be minimum NCCP Competition/Introduction Certified to Coach.

Coaching Passes will be distributed - only accredited coaches will be allowed in the venue.

Coaches please register through Track Wrestling as a Coach (see above) by **November 25, 2021**

**Ontario Athlete Assistance Program:**

* This event will be used as part of the OAWA Selection process for the 2021-2022 Ontario Athlete Assistance Program (carding).
* Athletes who show proof they competed in the Wrestling Canada Lutte National Carding event may miss the event without penalty, but cannot earn placing points from this event.

**Rules:** Current Wrestling Canada Lutte rules

**Awards:** Custom OAWA Medals for top 3

**FOR FURTHER EVENT INFORMATION, CONTACT THE O.A.W.A.:**

**(905)577-5188 or** **admin@oawa.ca**