



# Doug Vander Linden Kids Classic

Sunday January 15, 2023

**Tournament Location: Burlington High School**

830 Cross Burlington, Kansas 66839

**Tournament Director: Michael Vander Linden**

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## ENTRIES

DEADLINE: January 8, 2023 or first 450 paid entries throughout the *Open, Novice, and Girls Divisions*.

FEE: \$20.00 per participant (non-refundable). Each participant must have a USA wrestling card.

REGISTER: Online at [www.trackwrestling.com](http://www.trackwrestling.com). Search for Doug Vander Linden Classic.

NOTE: Please contact Michael Vander Linden at [mvanderlinden@usd244ks.org](mailto:mvanderlinden@usd244ks.org) so we can send the weigh-in instructions to your Club Director before weigh-ins.

## SCHEDULE

Saturday: Weigh-In at Home Site by Bronze Certified Club Coach (Directions sent via email), OR  
4:00 pm: Weigh-In at Burlington High School Wrestling Addition (Enter NW Doors)  
Weigh-Ins **MUST be ENTERED on T.W. by 5:00 p.m.** or will be scratched with no refunds!  
NOTE: All wrestlers must weigh-in wearing a competition singlet!

Sunday: **NO SUNDAY WEIGH-IN!**

7:00 am: Doors open to Public

8:45 am: Coaches Meeting in Multimedia Room

9:30 am: Wrestling Begins!

## RULES

This is a sanctioned tournament with USA Wrestling. You may enter in ONE age group and ONE weight class!  
KSHSAA as modified by USA Wrestling-Kansas Kids rules. Certified Officials will be used.

Wrestlers must weigh-in. Please inform wrestlers and parents!!

### BOYS DIVISIONS

Age as of 8/31/2023. Please list weights for heavyweights.

6U and 14U are Open Only.

All Other Divisions Open & Novice

**6 & UNDER** - 37, 40, 43, 46, 49, 52, 55, 58, 61, 64, 67, 70, 73, 76, 80, 88, 95, 110, 125

**8 & UNDER** - 40, 43, 46, 49, 52, 55, 58, 61, 64, 67, 70, 73, 76, 80, 88, 95, 110, 125, 140

**10 & UNDER** - 52, 55, 58, 61, 64, 67, 70, 73, 76, 79, 82, 85, 90, 95, 100, 110, 120, 130, 150, 170

**12 & UNDER** - 60, 64, 68, 72, 76, 80, 84, 88, 92, 96, 100, 105, 110, 115, 120, 130, 140, 150, 165, 190, 215, 240

**14 & UNDER** - 70, 75, 80, 85, 90, 95, 100, 105, 110, 115, 120, 125, 130, 135, 140, 145, 150, 155, 160, 165, 175, 205, 235, 265

### GIRLS DIVISIONS

Age as of 8/31/2023. Please list weights for heavyweights.

All Divisions Are Open Only.

**6 & UNDER** - 35, 40, 45, 50, 55, 60, 65, 70, 80, 90, 110

**8 & UNDER** - 40, 45, 50, 55, 60, 65, 70, 80, 90, 110, 125

**10 & UNDER** - 50, 55, 60, 65, 70, 75, 80, 85, 90, 100, 110, 125, 140

**12 & UNDER** - 65, 70, 75, 80, 85, 90, 95, 100, 105, 110, 115, 120, 130, 140, 150, 165, 185

**14 & UNDER** - 72, 79, 85, 92, 97, 101, 105, 110, 115, 119, 127, 136, 145, 165, 185, 200

The Burlington Wrestling Club and Burlington High School will not be responsible for any injuries and/or lost or stolen property.

## BRACKETING

We will use round robin and 8-man double elimination brackets. **We reserve the right to combine weight**

**classes within an age group.** We prioritize quality of matches, keeping within the legal limit of combining weights. Please rate each wrestler by ability use the lettering system:

AA. State Placer

A. State Qualifier/Excellent (usually places 1st or 2nd)

B. Good (usually places 3rd or 4th)

C. Average

D. Novice/Below Average

AWARDS: Medals to 1st, 2nd, 3rd, & 4th places.

Fastest Pin Plaque in Each OPEN Age Division!

BREAKFAST: Full Breakfast Menu with serving starting at 7:30 a.m.

CONCESSIONS: Breakfast, pizza, lunch, and snack concessions offered throughout the day.

DRINKS & COOLERS: WILL NOT be allowed in the gym! PLEASE inform your wrestlers and their parents!

GATE: \$3 for All Ages 3 & Up! Coaches with USA Wrestling Card (must show) and Wrestlers admitted free!

## **Burlington MatCat Club Championships (Please Read)**

This has become a very popular feature of the Burlington MatCat Tournament, and we are going to continue it again at this year's tournament. We got the idea from Kid's Club Tournaments that are held in Wisconsin, where they have Club Championship competitions that all the clubs can compete for regardless of the size of their club. The idea is simple. Each club will designate **TWO** wrestlers in each **Open** Age Division that will score team points for their club. So, from your club you will designate TWO wrestlers in each of the age divisions: 6U, 8U Open, 10U Open, 12U Open, 14U, and 2 from the entire girls division. These wrestlers will earn team points for your club based on their placing in their respective brackets with 14 points for first, 10 for second, 7 for third and 4 for fourth. The top three clubs with the most points at the end of the tournament will win a trophy for your club. In case of a tie for one of the top three spots we will use the following tie breaker criteria: 1. Most Individual Champions 2. Most Pins 3. Most Wins 4. Fewest Losses. These criteria will apply only to the 10 wrestlers competing for the Club Championship.

**CLUB DIRECTORS: Please send an email to Michael Vander Linden at [mvanderlinden@usd244ks.org](mailto:mvanderlinden@usd244ks.org) with the Age, Weight and Name of Your Club Championship Wrestlers!!**

These wrestlers can be changed prior to or in the Coaches Meeting. However, after the Coaches Meeting, these designated wrestlers **cannot** be changed regardless of the situation! The trophies will be presented to the Club Coaches or Club Leader at the conclusion of the tournament.

The Club Championships applies to wrestlers in the Open Tournament Only!  
Minimum of 5 Open Wrestlers to Compete in Club Championships!!  
Wrestlers entered in the Novice Divisions cannot score team points!!