

2019 OREGON MIDDLE SCHOOL GIRLS WRESTLING STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

This is an open Girls State tournament. There are no regional qualifiers.

TOURNAMENT DATE: Saturday, March 9th

ADMISSION: There will be a \$5 entry fee for spectators (under 6 are free). Coaches will be charged gate admission but will receive a free wristband to be on the floor during wrestling.

LOCATION: Woodburn High School (1785 N Front St Woodburn, OR)

WRESTLER REGISTRATION FEE: \$25 per wrestler, payable at weigh-ins (make checks payable to "Woodburn Wrestling"). School ID required.

WEIGH-INS: 4:00-7:00 PM Friday night March 8th @ Woodburn High School (gym located in back of school). OSAA rules for weigh-ins are in effect. Absolutely, no weight cutting at the facility and no leaving the weigh in area once you enter. Coaches, please make this clear to all your parents and wrestlers.

TOURNAMENT: Doors open on Saturday, March 9th at 8:00 AM and wrestling starts 9:00 AM. Wrestling will be on 8 mats in the large gym with a warm-up area and staging in the back gym.

WEIGHTS: 75, 85, 95, 102, 110, 117, 125, 140, 160, 220

These were the 2018 weight brackets, but the actual 2019 weight brackets may be adjusted based on number of participants this season. We will do our best to build 10 brackets that are competitive (ideally 16 wrestlers). Depending on turnout, there may be some larger brackets.

FORMAT: 16-person brackets. When the tournament is in progress, no changes will be made to avoid teammates or previous opponents. Top 6 placers at Girls State will receive medals. There will be 4 girls team trophies.

SEEDING CRITERIA: We will seed 1-4 in each bracket based on previous performance at state and regionals followed by season record. Head-to-head will not be considered.

COACHES PASSES: Coach's passes are free based on the number of participants from each middle school. These will be passed out at the coaches meeting on Saturday.

OFFICIALS: OSAA certified officials will be at the tournament.

OTHER INFO:

- Three, 1.5 minute rounds.
- Overtime will be 1 minute neutral "sudden death" with a 30 second "sudden death" double-overtime from the referee's position.
- Headgear is required.
- A technical fall will be 15 points.
- Only open to 6-8 graders. No exceptions.
- Coaches will be required to wear a coach's pass and only coaches are allowed in the corner. Please communicate this with parents and wrestlers.
- Concessions, t-shirts, and wrestling gear will be available for purchase.