



2022 MHSAA WRESTLING TOURNAMENT

Tournament Plan – Key Points of Review

- The MHSAA Wrestling Tournament is conducted in four equal divisions by enrollment for team competitions, and four equal divisions by enrollment plus a fifth division for girls only for individual competitions.
- Tournament dates for individual competition are:
 - **February 12** for the Individual District
 - **February 19** for the Individual Regional
 - **February 20** for the Individual Girls Regional/Sectional
- Tournament dates for team competition are:
 - **February 9 (D1 & D3) & February 10 (D2 & D4)** for Team Districts
 - **February 16** for Team Regionals.
- On-site weigh-in procedures on the day of competition will be used.
- Wrestlers who fail to make weight for their entered weight may not be moved to another weight class at the Individual Districts, Individual Regionals or Individual Sectionals.
- For the Individual District tournament, a wrestler MUST have a varsity record (win, loss or forfeit) to be eligible to compete.
- Packets/materials should be provided to participating schools and officials in advance of the tournament.
- Managers hire officials at the District level. The MHSAA selection committee assigns officials for Regional, Sectional and Finals tournaments.
- Trophies and medals are shipped directly to managers from ESCO, Inc.
- Financial reports MUST be filed within **30** days at the end of the tournament.
- It is recommended that a physician (MD, DO, PA or NP) be on site to assist meet officials with skin inspections.



WRESTLING TOURNAMENT MANAGERS MANUAL (Alpha by topic, forms follow topics)

2022 MHSAA Individual District, Regional & Girls Regional/Sectional Team District & Regional Wrestling

ADMISSIONS – For District, Regional and Girls Regional/Sectional wrestling events (Team and Individual), digital ticketing will be sold via **GoFan**. Team or Individual Districts shall be **\$7.00** and Team and Individual Regionals/Sectionals shall be **\$9.00** for all persons.

Free admission is allowed to all wrestlers who weigh-in on the day of the tournament, two coaches and one manager for teams of six wrestlers or more at each MHSAA District, Regional or Sectional.

The policies of the local host site shall prevail with respect to pets/animals. In the absence of local host policy, animals or pets shall not be permitted to enter MHSAA tournament venues, including spectator and team areas. However, properly marked or documented service animals which are leashed or harnessed at all times may accompany spectators paying admission or attending with other approved team or school personnel. Individuals who bring service animals are asked to bring their own waste disposal bags and request special seating in advance of the event if this is needed.

APPLIANCES - The MHSAA discourages the use of electrical appliances by spectators at MHSAA tournaments. Local management shall include a statement in the host packet, which outlines the local policies regarding the use of appliances.

CHECKLIST - Equipment

- One match time clock per mat
- One visual time display per mat
- One injury time clock per mat
- One timer's signaling device per mat
- Two sets of red and green leg bands for each mat
- National Anthem reproduction equipment
 - It is required that the National Anthem be played prior to the start of each Tournament
- Disposable towels, disinfectant, disposable gloves, trash bags at each mat
- A minimum of three regulation size mats (28' circle is the minimum size required).
 - Team Tournament requires one or two mats
- A sufficient quantity of mat tape
- One "Head Table" for announcer and tournament clerical workers
- One table per mat
- One chair for each person to be seated at the tables
- A public-address system
- One awards presentation stand or area
- Chairs near mats for coaches of competing contestants
- Computer and knowledgeable operator (Individual Tournament)
- Copy machine & FAX capabilities

CHECKLIST - Supplies

- Pens, pencils and note paper
- Wall charts (MHSAA will supply)
- Felt marking pens or typing tape labels for wall charts
- Bracket sheets and/or programs (Provide free, one per team)

CHECKLIST - Personnel

- Digital Ticket scanners (Adults)
- Computer Operator (Individual Tournament)
- Wall chart - student personnel to post results (Individual Tournament)
- Announcer
- One runner per mat - Student (Individual Tournament)
- One match scorer per official (Adult)
- One match timer per official (Adult)
- Doctor available for the duration of the Tournament

CONCUSSION PROTOCOLS – “Any athlete who exhibits signs, symptoms, or behaviors consistent with a concussion (such as loss of consciousness, headache, dizziness, confusion, or balance problems) shall be immediately removed from the contest and shall not return to play until cleared by an appropriate health care professional.” The language above, which appears in all National Federation sports rule books, reflects a strengthening of rules regarding the safety of athletes suspected of having a concussion. This language reflects an increasing focus on safety and acknowledges that the vast majority of concussions do not involve a loss of consciousness. This protocol is intended to provide the mechanics to follow during the course of contests when an athlete sustains an apparent concussion.

1. The officials will have no role in determining concussion other than the obvious one where a player is either unconscious or apparently unconscious. Officials will merely point out to a coach that a player is apparently injured and advise that the player should be examined by a health care professional for an exact determination of the extent of injury.
2. If it is confirmed by the school’s designated health care professional that the student did not sustain a concussion, the head coach may so advise the officials during an appropriate stoppage of play and the athlete may reenter competition pursuant to the contest rules.
3. Otherwise, if competition continues while the athlete is withheld for an apparent concussion, that athlete may not be returned to competition that day but is subject to the return to play protocol.
 - a. The clearance may not be on the same date on which the athlete was removed from play.
 - b. Only an M.D., D.O., Physician’s Assistant or Nurse Practitioner may clear the individual to return to activity.
 - c. The clearance must be in writing and must be unconditional. It is not sufficient that the M.D., D.O., Physician’s Assistant or Nurse Practitioner has approved the student to begin a return-to-play progression. The medical examiner must approve the student’s return to unrestricted activity.
 - d. Individual schools, districts and leagues may have more stringent requirements and protocols including but not limited to mandatory periods of inactivity, screening and post-concussion testing prior to the written clearance for return to activity.
4. Following the contest, an Officials Report shall be filed with a removed player’s school and the MHSAA if the situation was brought to the officials’ attention.
5. Member schools are required to complete and submit the forms designated by the MHSAA to record and track head injury events in all levels of all sports.
6. In cases where an assigned MHSAA tournament physician (MD/DO/PA/NP) is present, his or her decision to not allow an athlete to return to activity may not be overruled.

Return to Activity & Post-Concussion Form -

<https://www.mhsaa.com/portals/0/documents/health%20safety/returntoplay.pdf>

CONTESTANT SEATING - Contestants may be seated near the mat, either in the bleachers or parallel to the mat, but in either case, no closer than ten feet. Please give special attention to this issue.

OPT OUT DUE DATE - The deadline for opting-out and delivering materials to the District Tournament Manager is **January 27 by 4:00 p.m.** The school's Master Eligibility List and Alpha Master Roster are due to both the Team and Individual District manager by **January 27.**

Late Materials – For a school that fails to submit their materials by **January 27** a **\$50** fee must be paid before the contestant or team will be allowed to participate. Weigh-in is the first act of participation for Team tournaments and the entry and seeding meeting is the first act of participation in the Individual District tournament. The \$50 fee is to be retained by the host manager. There are to be no late entries after the entry and seeding meeting (Individual District) and weigh-in period ends (Team tournaments).

FORFEITURE POLICIES - Individuals or teams which are defeated by an ineligible opponent or teams which allowed one or more ineligible students to participate do not advance in MHSAA tournaments. If placements in MHSAA tournaments are vacated as a result of an individual being ineligible or a team allowing one or more ineligible students to participate, other individuals or teams neither advance to those placements nor receive awards for those places.

FINANCIAL REPORT – Please refer to the updated Tournament Managers Financial form for details.

GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE - This committee of three consists of:

- Meet Manager or Designee
- Head Official (OIC at Final Tournament)
- Coaches Representative (one of three identified)

This committee may be convened to hear grievances based on tournament administration and MHSAA and National Federation Wrestling rules application (not an official's judgment).

- Wrestling matches will not be interrupted to convene the Grievance Committee for grievances based on rule application. A coach must follow Rule 6-6-6.
- Decisions rendered by the Grievance Committee, based on rule application, will not change the outcome of matches already wrestled. The committee's decisions will apply to all future matches.
- The procedure for filing grievances must include a coach reporting the grievance in writing to the Tournament Manager. The Manager will then render a decision on the grievance, dismiss the grievance, or convene the Grievance Committee.
- If the committee is convened, the referees and coaches involved in the grievance will be excused from serving on the committee. The committee will then be secluded from the tournament; they will collect necessary information and then render a decision.
- The Tournament Manager, or designee, will state the decision of the committee.

THIS DECISION IS FINAL AND MAY NOT BE REVERSED OR APPEALED!

HANDOUTS - Only information about MHSAA activities and competition may be distributed to the general public. Camp/Clinic or other materials may not be distributed without MHSAA approval.

HOST PACKET (COMPETING TEAMS AND OFFICIALS) - Managers shall supply each competing school and official with the following information (Regional, Girls Regional/Sectional and Final Managers must supply managers of qualifying tournaments with enough copies of this material to give to each qualifying team). Be brief and concise.

- Location of host school (provide map)
- Location of dressing facilities
- Locations of public restaurants
- Locations and telephone numbers of hotels and motels
- Host school building rules
- List of tournament referees and their ID numbers
- Team seating arrangement if any
- Parking arrangements for competing schools and referees
- Send a copy to the MHSAA

INJUNCTION/RESTRAINING ORDER - Managers are reminded of the following statement adopted by the Representative Council and which is in effect for all MHSAA tournaments: "In the interest of fairness to all participants, if an injunction or restraining order is served or presented at an MHSAA tournament site and such purports to require the eligibility of or participation by a student or team which a school and/or the MHSAA has ruled to be ineligible under

MHSAA regulations, the on-site tournament manager is to suspend the entire competition (team competition) or events in which that student is intending to participate (individual competition). If the meet or game has begun, it shall be completed.”

INSPECTION FOR COMMUNICABLE DISEASE - The MHSAA is keenly aware of the increase of various infections caused in part by impetigo or one of the many herpes virus strains which seem to thrive in the wrestling room or are carried by wrestlers.

In a responsible effort to control and reduce the chances of exposure of wrestlers to these infections, the MHSAA has adopted a procedure which shall be followed at all MHSAA Team and Individual Wrestling Tournaments. Prior to the weighing-in for each MHSAA tournament competition, each wrestler shall be inspected to evaluate whether there is evidence that a communicable disease or a condition which is suspiciously similar to a communicable disease is present or visible on any wrestler.

The person who inspects the wrestlers should be a meet appointed/approved physician (MD, DO, PA or NP) with experience in skin conditions (dermatology, for example) if at all possible. If no meet-appointed physician is available, the inspection of contestants is performed by the officials with assistance from athletic trainers, if needed and requested by the officials.

- No wrestler may weigh-in (step on the scales) until they have passed the communicable disease inspection and met the requirements of National Federation Rule 4-2-3.
- Coaches must be aware of their wrestlers' health conditions and are expected to advise the tournament manager, as outlined in the MHSAA Wrestling *PSTI* of any conditions which are suspicious.
- Physicians will be encouraged to participate with the inspection of wrestlers under the conditions of 1988 State of Michigan Public Act 30 which provides immunity for physicians who volunteer their services to schools.
- All skin inspections, whether done by a physician or official, must be done in the same manner for all wrestlers at a tournament site.

LOCKER ROOM PRIVACY POLICY - Using devices of any kind to capture or transmit images is strictly prohibited in locker rooms, dressing areas, training rooms, weigh-in rooms, showers, restrooms, or other areas where there is an expectation of privacy during MHSAA tournament events. Tournament managers or athletic directors that discover such use should move immediately to have the device removed and inform the head coach or athletic director of the identity and nature of the activity of the person involved.

MANAGER REPORTING/FORWARDING – District Managers must forward materials to the Regional Manager.

- District Managers will forward Alpha Masters and Master Eligibility of advancing teams or wrestlers to the Regional Managers.
- Team District & Regional Managers will also report results to the MHSAA immediately following the event.
- Individual District Managers will transmit District results to the Individual Regional Manager by **4 p.m. Monday, February 14.**
- Team and Individual Regional, Girls Region/Sectional Managers will forward advancing team or individual materials to the MHSAA.

MEDIA - Adequate arrangements should be made to take care of working press representatives at the tournaments.

MEDICAL EMERGENCY POLICY - Host school Tournament Managers should follow all local school district policies regarding medical emergencies for participating athletes, coaches, students and adult spectators for competition conducted in school facilities. It is advised that AED devices be readily available during tournament competition. In addition:

- Trainers are an allowed expense and encouraged but not required
- All MHSAA concussion protocols will be followed
- MHSAA tornado watches and warnings shall be followed
- MHSAA policy on managing heat and humidity shall be followed

When MHSAA tournament contests are conducted at non-school facilities, plans should be developed for the following needs and/or circumstances:

- Student, coach and spectator shelter for outdoor events
- Host facility emergency equipment such as AED's, fire escape, etc.

- Emergency communications, i.e. phone numbers and school administration contact.
- Coordination with facility management regarding evacuation, first aid, on-site responsibilities.
- Medical transport or first responder contact procedures.
- Proximity/directions of nearest medical facility.

MATSIDE RESTRICTIONS - National Federation wrestling rules restrict team members, other team personnel and spectators from being at mat side closer than ten (10) feet. Two coaches or non-participating contestants (rule: 2-2-2) may occupy chairs at one corner of a mat on which a team member is competing. By rule, these individuals must have completed the wrestling rules meeting for the current year. Tournament Managers shall enforce this rule to assure that there is compliance with this rule.

OFFICIALS ASSIGNMENTS - All District officials are hired by the District manager from the approved list of officials who complete a current rules meeting. All Regional, Sectional and Final officials are assigned by the MHSAA.

OFFICIALS FEES – Tournament managers pay officials at the District, Regional and Girls Regional / Sectional Tournaments according to the following schedule:

Individual Tournament

- District - **\$175.00**
- Regional - **\$153.00**
- Girls Regional/Sectional - **\$175.00**

The one assigned head official shall receive an additional **\$15** for conducting inspection, observing the weigh-in and serving on the Grievance Committee.

Team Tournament

- District - **\$55.00** per Dual
- Regional - **\$60.00** per Dual

Mileage will be paid to officials at the rate of \$.30/per mile beginning with the 51st mile (50-mile deductible). Minimum mileage is no longer paid. Tournament Managers will prepare a check for each official including the fee and total round-trip mileage and present that check to the official before competition begins. Figure mileage from home city to tournament city using a Michigan highway map.

MEDIA/MULTIMEDIA - Providing accommodations and services to the media covering MHSAA tournaments is the responsibility of the host tournament manager.

The tournament manager shall communicate the results of the draw and game results at the conclusion of each contest to the MHSAA and the local media outlets of the participating schools. Draw results shall include the dates, locations and starting times

News media representatives are encouraged to call managers in advance of the events they desire to cover, but it is not unusual for a working member of the media to show up unannounced. Your gate attendants should be alert for MHSAA Tournament Media Pass holders and admit those individuals – as long as they are attending the game in a working capacity. Managers are under no obligation to admit or provide press row/box accommodations for non-working companions of media members, or for individuals showing other forms of media identification. It is recommended that managers designate a specific door for media entrance.

Outlets broadcasting tournament games – audio or video – on over-the-air, cable or internet – live or delayed – must receive advance permission from the MHSAA to originate the event. Tournament managers will receive approval by e-mail for each outlet.

Press pass/seating arrangements should allow the media attending at your site to arrive on their timetable. Under no circumstances should a member of the media who makes advance arrangements for accommodations be required to arrive early to ensure seating or venue access. Press row/box seating should be not used to accommodate non-workers such as school administration, board members, booster clubs, etc. Radio stations are limited to 2 seats when originating broadcasts in all sports. Newspapers should be limited to 2 seats, unless its circulation (Daily newspapers only) exceeds 40,000, when a third seat may be granted on a space-available basis. Websites should be limited to 1 seat. Daily newspapers may receive a maximum of 2 photo passes and weekly newspapers may receive 1 photo pass.

The distribution of in-game scoring updates on any platform – including social media - does not meet the standard necessary for the granting of a seat.

A complete list of credentialing guidelines can be found in the MHSAA Multimedia Regulations, available on the Media page of the MHSAA Website.

Media should also be provided programs and/or printed results if available.

Photographers – still and video – may be granted appropriate access to shoot (i.e. sidelines, baselines), if they are from an accredited media outlet, or an individual identified by a school administrator to the Tournament Manager who is authorized to capture such content exclusively for the school's publication, promotional, educational or public relations uses. For outdoor team events (baseball, football, lacrosse, soccer, softball), a school may have a maximum of two authorized representatives to capture still images, one to capture moving images. For indoor team events (basketball, competitive cheer, ice hockey, volleyball, team dual wrestling), a school may have a maximum of one authorized representative for still images and one for moving images. Because of the large number of teams involved for individual events (bowling, cross country, golf, gymnastics, skiing, swimming & diving, tennis, track & field, individual wrestling), no passes and access will be authorized for schools.

Photographers **MAY** use electronic flash/strobe cameras during the progress of a sporting event as long as, in the opinion of the contest officials, the flash does not hinder the actions of or endanger the contestants. The final decision as it relates to electronic flash/strobe equipment rests with the judgment of the site management and contest officials when MHSAA staff is not present at an event. For more information on flash/strobe, please consult the Multimedia Regulations or contact Jon Ross at the MHSAA.

Photographers for other sports shall be placed in positions in accordance with National Federation of State High School Associations National Rules. In the sport of football, for example, photographers shall be positioned behind the restraining line, which is two or more yards from the sidelines and end zones. In addition, photographers shall not be positioned in the team boxes between the 25-yard lines. Also, in the sport of softball, photographers are prohibited from being in live ball areas. The allowance for a designated media area in softball has been discontinued by NFHS Rules. In baseball, if a designated media area is used, it shall be established before the game begins, shall be a lined area and shall be considered a dead ball area, even if unoccupied. In soccer, photographers should not be positioned within two yards of any sideline or endline. In basketball, rules prohibit anyone from being between the lines of the free throw lane behind the basket. Some venues and events will have designated areas where photographers may shoot from. Game officials and host management have the authority to remove any member of the media for not staying in their designated area in any sport.

Spectators – Spectators are allowed to take photos/record video from their seat. They cannot work in a designated media area. They cannot interfere with or block the view of other spectators or media members. Livestreaming by a spectator is not allowed for tournament games.

OFFICIALS ACCOMMODATIONS – Managers should provide tournament officials with the following accommodations:

- **Host** - An assigned person who will meet the official(s), escort the official to the dressing area and assist the official as necessary.
- **Security** - A person or persons identified to the officials who will assist in safe passage from the contest site to the dressing area. The security person will be able to unlock and lock the dressing area when necessary. A security person can be assigned to the dressing area to assure that officials are not interrupted by the media, the fans, the players or the coaches.
- **Officials' room** - The room for officials should be private and separate from the dressing area of any contestants and provide security for valuables belonging to officials. An adjacent office within a locker room is not desirable. The area should be absent of distractions to enable a proper pregame meeting. Separate facilities are expected for male and female officials. At no time is it reasonable to expect an official to use an area accessible to the public.
- **Showers/restrooms** – If possible, showers and restroom facilities should be available to officials for private use. It is unacceptable to place officials in a position which require them to share public facilities. In the event facilities must be shared with contestants, it is best that that use be separate and uninterrupted.

PARTICIPATING TEAM/SPECTATOR INTERNET STREAMING - The broadcast and streaming rights of MHSAA post-season tournament events belong exclusively to the N-F-H-S Network, Bally Sports Detroit, the M-H-S-A-A and those media outlets which have pre-arranged to secure those rights. Managers: Please post the sign (found at the end of these materials).

Teams participating in MHSAA Tournaments are prohibited from streaming live video of any portion of an event over the Internet - including using social media platforms like YouTube and Facebook – or any other method.

POSTPONEMENT - If an emergency or Act of God prevents more than 40% of the contestants (not schools) from competing, the tournament is to be rescheduled for the next available day and prior to the next level. The same time schedule is to be used. Every effort should be made to conduct the tournament as scheduled.

PROGRAMS – District, Regional and Sectional sites may create local programs for their tournaments. If the host school desires to earn the profit, the MHSAA cannot be charged for any expenses connected with the program. The MHSAA will provide souvenir programs for sale at the Final Tournament site.

SIGNAGE - The Tournament Manager should inspect all signs to be posted by competing schools in or near the cheering sections. Any sign that carries questionable implications or is degrading should not be allowed. Managers should restrict schools to one sign each if available space is not available for multiple signs.

SPORTSMANSHIP – MHSAA Regulation V, Section 3 applies in all tournament contests, including the following provisions:

- Unsportsmanlike Conduct in Previous Contest - A player or coach who is ejected during a contest for sportsmanlike conduct shall be withheld by his/her school for at least the next day of competition for that team. In individual sports, a student or coach who is disqualified in the first round of a tournament which progresses over more than one day may not participate on any subsequent day in that tournament because the student has not qualified for additional rounds. This includes MHSAA tournaments in tennis and individual wrestling. If a school fails to enforce the subsequent disqualification with respect to one of its students or coaches, the tournament managers or any registered official or representative of a member school who becomes aware of the violation shall report it to the MHSAA, which shall prohibit the school from the remainder of the current tournament.
- Player Suspension - A suspended player is treated as an ineligible player, which means that student shall not participate. It is permissible, but is not recommended, that the player may sit with the team, even in uniform. The minimum requirement is that the suspended student shall not enter the contest as a participant. Coach Suspension - Suspension from coaching requires at least that the coach not be at or near the team bench before, during or after the contest, not be in or near the locker room before, during or after the contest and not give instructions directly or indirectly to coaches or players from any position in or near the gymnasium or field of play.
- Multiple Disqualifications/Abuse of Officials- Any coach who is disqualified for unsportsmanlike conduct two or more times during a season, any player who is disqualified for unsportsmanlike conduct three or more times during a season and any coach or player who is ejected for spitting at, hitting, slapping, kicking, pushing or intentionally and aggressively physically contacting an official at any time during that season, is not eligible to participate in the MHSAA tournament for that sport that season. If the tournament disqualifying ejection for that individual occurs during the MHSAA tournament, that player or coach is ineligible for the remainder of that tournament.
- The school of the disqualified coach or player must prohibit that person from being present on the property of the tournament venue for the remainder of the tournament series. If that school fails to enforce this, the tournament manager, any registered official or representative of a member school who becomes aware of the violation shall report it to the MHSAA, which shall prohibit the school from the remainder of the current tournament.
- Post Contest Ejections – When a student or coach commits an ejectable offense against an official following the conclusion of the contest, but before the officials have left the facility and/or grounds, an official may disqualify the student or coach as though it had occurred during the contest.
- Taunting - In all sports, officials are to consider taunting a flagrant unsportsmanlike foul that disqualifies the offending bench personnel or contestant from the contest/day of competition (and the next contest/day of competition). A warning may be given but is not required before ejection. Taunting includes any actions or comments by coaches, players or spectators which are intended to bait, anger, embarrass, ridicule or demean

others, whether or not the deeds or words are vulgar or racist. Included is conduct that berates, needles, intimidates or threatens based on race, gender, ethnic origin or background and conduct that attacks religious beliefs, size, economic status, speech, family, special needs or personal matters.

- At all MHSAA tournament venues, tournament management may give spectators one warning for taunting. Thereafter, spectators who taunt others are to be ejected by security.

TROPHIES AND MEDALS – All trophies and medals for the MHSAA Individual District, Regional and Girls Regional/Sectional events and Team District and Regional events will be sent to tournament host managers by ESCO, Inc of Wisconsin, supplier for both trophies and medals. Please examine the medals and the trophy for damage and proper engraving, quantities, etc. Tournament Managers should call ESCO directly at 800-852-4266 with problems or questions.

Individual District

- Fifty-six (56) medals will be awarded to the first four place winners in each weight class. Those place winners will qualify to the assigned Individual Regional Tournament.
- The four Individual District place winners will be placed on the Regional bracket based on formula.

Individual Regional

- Fifty-six (56) medals will be awarded to the first four place winners in each weight class. The first four place winners at each Individual Regional will advance to the Individual Finals, to be held **March 4-5**. The four Individual Regional champions will be seeded, and the rest of the bracket will be completed based on formula.

Individual Girls Regional/Sectional

- One hundred and twelve (112) medals will be awarded to the first eight place winners in each weight class. The first eight place winners at each Individual Girls Regional/Sectional will advance to the Individual Finals, to be held **March 4-5**. The 16 qualifying wrestlers will be placed on the bracket based on formula.

Team District

- One team trophy will be awarded to the District championship team.
- Twenty-eight (28) medals will be awarded to the District championship team.

Team Regional

- One team trophy will be awarded to the Regional championship team.
- Twenty-eight (28) medals will be awarded to the Regional championship team.

Extra/Replacement Medal Order Form – [LINK HERE](#)

VIDEO - The following videotaping and filming procedures have been set for managers of all MHSAA sponsored District, Regional, Sectional and Final Tournaments:

Competing Schools - The film/tape is not to be used to second guess decisions made by game/meet officials. The film/tape may not be sold, rented, or loaned for commercial purposes.

TV/RADIO - No radio, television or cable origination (live or delayed) is permitted at any site until application has been made through the MHSAA, fee paid, and authorization given by the MHSAA through the tournament manager.

TOBACCO AND ALCOHOL POLICY - Use of alcohol or tobacco, including e-cigarettes or other smoking devices, is prohibited at MHSAA tournament events by players, coaches and spectators. Managers should stress in coaches' meetings that they are not to use tobacco at the tournament venue.

- **Tobacco** - It is not intended that a violation of the tobacco policy should lead to immediate ejection of a coach. They should be reminded of the policy and reported to their school administration after the contest. Only if the coach is unwilling to comply promptly should they be disqualified from coaching at the event. Officials should be reminded of the tobacco policy and reported in writing by the tournament manager to the MHSAA.
- **Alcohol** - Historically, officials promptly disqualified coaches and tournament managers immediately replaced officials who were under the influence of alcohol; and no change in such procedures is intended by these policies.

TOURNAMENT WITHDRAWAL POLICY - Tournament management is to contact the MHSAA office if a school withdraws or fails to show for scheduled competition after the draw is completed for team sports or the pairings, heat assignments or flights are determined for individual sports of the first level of the MHSAA tournament in a sport. The MHSAA staff person responsible for the sport will request from the school principal a written explanation for the no-show/withdrawal. If the reason is determined to be unacceptable by MHSAA staff, the MHSAA Executive Director will place the school on probation for the next two school years. A second offense within the two-year-probationary period will cause the school to be prohibited from tournament play in that sport for the two years following the second offense.

TOURNAMENT PROCEDURES – INDIVIDUAL DISTRICT

1. The Individual District Tournament will be held on **Saturday, February 12.**
2. The MHSAA will post the starting weight class for all Individual District sites on **Monday, February 7.** The weigh-in for the District tournament shall start with this same weight class.
3. A minimum of three mats must be used, with four mats recommended, for all Individual District tournaments.
4. The tournament MUST be run using **TrackWrestling**.
Please contact Jamie VanDerMoere of the MHSAA (jamie@mhsaa.com) with questions.
5. For a wrestler to be eligible as one of the 14 school entries at the Individual District Tournament, a wrestler must have a varsity record (win, loss, forfeit). If a wrestler competes at a weight class for the first time at the Individual District, the wrestler would be required to make scratch weight. Each school is allowed 14 entries with no more than two (2) wrestlers in any one weight class.
 - a. **Coaches and girls must CHOOSE between participating in the Individual District OR the Individual Girls Regional/Sectional. Girls may NOT participate in both the Individual District and the Individual Girls Regional/Sectional.**
6. District Managers will hire officials for all District competition from the MHSAA approved list; the MHSAA will assign all officials for Regional competition.
7. Please know that wrestlers do NOT have to have a winning record for seeding consideration.

Friday, February 11:

- You will have until **Friday 02/11/2022 at 11:59 a.m.** to enter your teams' lineup.
- It is at this time that coaches and girls must CHOOSE between participating in the Individual District OR the Individual Girls Regional / Sectional. Girls may NOT participate in both the Individual District and the Individual Girls Regional / Sectional. Girls that choose the Individual Girls Regional / Sectional will have their coach submit their information into a different TrackWrestling event designated for the Individual Girls Regional / Sectional.
- On **Friday 02/11/2022 at 12:00 p.m.** the MHSAA will review each Individual District Tournament.
Once ALL teams have submitted their lineups to a specific District, that District will be "opened".
- Once your District is opened, you will have until **Friday 02/11/2022 at 05:59 p.m.** to enter seeding criteria (head-to-head) information for each of your wrestlers. If you miss this window of time, head-to-head information for your wrestlers may not be able to be factored in at the seeding meeting.
NOTE: Make sure you answer 'every' question on the seeding criteria form correctly.
Don't assume the answer to one question carries over to the others.
- District Seed Meeting: **7:00 p.m.** Friday OR may take place Saturday morning prior to the tournament. Review pre-seeds from TrackWrestling. Adjust where needed. **Seed meetings held virtually are acceptable.**
- Once a lineup is submitted, it may ONLY be changed by the tournament management (site host / event administration) and ONLY in the event of WITHDRAWAL (injury, illness, failed weight, failed inspection, discipline). **Wrestlers may NOT be added, or weight classes changed.**

Saturday, February 12:

- 7:30 a.m. - Optional Inspection of Wrestlers
- 8:00 a.m. - Inspection / Weigh-In
- 8:30 a.m. - Coaches Meeting
- 9:00 a.m. - TrackWrestling released to the public
- 9:30 a.m. - Wrestling Begins
- TBA - Consolation & Championship Finals (to start within 20 minutes after the last Semifinal match)

Note: All matches shall be wrestled before any awards are presented.

Inspection / Weigh-In

A referee, and when possible a physician (MD, DO, PA or NP) with experience in skin conditions (dermatologist, for example), shall inspect contestants before they are allowed to weigh-in. After entering, wrestlers are to remain in the

weigh-in area until they have completed the weigh-in. A minimum of two scales shall be used. The weigh-in shall be up to one hour in length and the actual weight of each contestant shall be recorded on the weigh-in form. The order of weight classes at weigh-in shall follow the order of weight classes to be wrestled at that tournament. All wrestlers weighing-in at the same weight class must use the same scale.

Weigh-ins will take place on site and will follow NFHS procedures: Wrestlers shall weigh-in wearing legal uniform with suitable undergarments. Socks may be worn but may not be taken off as a means of making weight.

“Scratch” Weight - A wrestler could achieve “scratch” weight by the following:

- Make “scratch” weight for an event that takes place, and their school participates in the event.
 - A wrestler is not required to compete at the event to qualify as making “scratch”.
 - A wrestler is not required to compete at the at the weight for which they have made “scratch”.
 - i.e., a wrestler makes “scratch” at the 119-pound weight class but is bumped to the 125-pound weight class for the dual meet. This wrestler has still made “scratch” at the 119-pound weight class.
 - In all cases, it is important to record EXACT weights at all weigh-ins.

Seeding

Each school will submit entries and wrestler record data for each of their 14 wrestlers through TrackWrestling. Coaches are encouraged to submit season summaries and seed materials. The TrackWrestling system will “pre-seed” participants based on the data submitted and the MHSAA seeding criteria. The following criteria is as follows:

These criteria shall be applied in the order listed:

1. Head-to-head competition; if tied, the most recent winner prevails.
2. Record against common opponents.
3. A wrestler with an exceptional record vs. acknowledged strong opposition.
4. Majority decision of the seeding committee group.
5. If agreement for seeding in each weight class cannot be reached within 20 minutes, the contestants not yet agreed upon shall be drawn in.

The number one and two seeds shall receive a bye if there are 14 or 15 entrants, respectively.

A maximum number of 10 wrestlers can be seeded in each weight class. Note that a wrestler need not have a winning record to receive seeding consideration.

The TrackWrestling system will “pre-seed” each bracket. Each District will hold a seed meeting Friday evening (or Saturday morning) prior to the Individual District. Seed meetings held virtually are acceptable. Coaches are encouraged to have season summaries and seed material on hand for this meeting. Following the weigh-in on Saturday morning, there will be a coaches meeting where the group (tournament manager plus ONE coach from each school) will approve each bracket after removing any wrestlers that failed to make weight or pass inspection.

Note: Seeding meetings are not debates! The decision of the group is final except when the Tournament Manager is convinced that a wrestler with credentials may have been overlooked. In this case, the Tournament Manager will reconvene the group and direct it to reconsider the seeded wrestlers and the wrestler(s) considered to have been overlooked. If changes are made, they will stand.

If the wrestler not making weight was an unseeded wrestler, the unseeded wrestler’s opponent will simply be advanced the appropriate number of bracket lines.

Brackets & “Second Wrestlers”

- Brackets may not exceed 32 competitors. It is necessary that District places be determined by competition.
- Each school is limited to 14 wrestlers, with no more than two wrestlers in any weight class.
- Coaches are urged to enter only “second wrestlers” who are legitimate contenders.
- When the number of entrants exceeds 32, the total number of entrants must be reduced to 32, or fewer.
- Initially, call for volunteers to withdraw “second wrestlers.”
- If the bracket continues to exceed 32, withdraw those second wrestlers with the most total varsity losses.
- If necessary, to break the tie, withdraw those second wrestlers with the fewest number of varsity wins.
- If necessary, place the names of all second wrestlers who remained tied in a container. Withdraw those wrestlers whose names are drawn from the container until the number of contestants is reduced to the allowable 32.

Draw Format - Use only when competitors exceed 16

- Determine the number of wrestlers in the bracket.
- Remove unnecessary letters beginning with "V", in reverse alphabetical order, until the number of wrestlers in the weight class equals the available lines. (22 = A - V; 21 = A - U; 20 = A - T; 19 = A - S; 18 = A - R; 17 = A - Q; 16 = A - P). Less than 16 wrestlers – see District Bracket Examples.
- The "Rattails" are placed and shall not be altered.
- As few as one wrestler may be seeded; however, no more than ten may be seeded. (#1 - #10 indicate the seed placement)
- All unseeded wrestlers shall be placed in the open lines by computer program or blind draw.
- Double elimination begins at the Quarterfinal bracket in the Individual District.
- When less than 16 wrestlers are entered, the BYES shall be **drawn** as prescribed by Rule 10-3-2.

Officiating System - Individual District - Four officials will work on three mats and five officials will work on four mats. The head official assigned by the Tournament Manager as prescribed by the MHSAA, shall inspect the wrestlers and observe the weigh-in. In addition, the head official shall serve on the tournament Grievance Committee. Final matches in the championship and consolation round shall employ the two-official system of officiating. (Compensation: \$175 plus mileage where applicable). The one assigned head official shall receive an additional \$15 for conducting inspection, observing the weigh-in and serving on the Grievance Committee.

MANAGERS REPORTS – District Managers must forward materials (Weigh-in forms, alpha masters, master eligibility) of advancing wrestlers to the Regional Manager.

- Individual District Managers will transmit District results to the Individual Regional Manager prior to **4 p.m. Monday, February 14.**

TOURNAMENT PROCEDURES – INDIVIDUAL REGIONAL

General Information

The Individual Regional Tournaments will be held on **Saturday, February 19.**

The MHSAA will post the starting weight class for all Individual Regional sites on **Monday, February 14.** The weigh-in for the Regional tournament shall start with this same weight class.

The MHSAA will assign all officials for Regional competition.

The tournament must be run using "TrackWrestling." Please contact **Jamie VanDerMoere** (jamie@mhsaa.com) or submit a ticket (support.trackwrestling.com/s/contactsupport) with questions.

Time Schedule

7:30 a.m. - Optional Inspection of Wrestlers
8:00 a.m. - Inspection / Weigh-In
8:30 a.m. - Coaches Meeting
9:30 a.m. - Wrestling Begins
TBA - Consolation & Championship Finals (to start within 20 minutes after the last Semifinal match)

Weigh-In

A referee, and when possible a physician (MD, DO, PA or NP) with experience in skin conditions (dermatologist, for example), shall inspect contestants before they are allowed to weigh-in. After once entering, wrestlers are to remain in the weigh-in area until they have completed the weigh-in. A minimum of two scales shall be used and shall begin with the announced weight class.

Weigh-ins will take place on site and will follow NFHS procedures: Wrestlers shall weigh-in wearing legal uniform with suitable undergarments. Socks may be worn but may not be taken off as a means of making weight.

The weigh-in shall be up to one hour in length and the actual weight of each contestant shall be recorded on the weigh-in card. The order of weight classes at weigh-in shall follow the order of weight classes to be wrestled at that tournament. All wrestlers weighing-in at the same weight class must be weighed on the same scale. A Regional contestant shall compete in the weight class for which they qualified at the Individual District Tournament.

Conducting the Individual Regional Tournament - Individual Regional Tournaments will all be eight wrestler brackets. The pairings are as follows:

District A 1 st Place	vs.	District B 4 th Place
District A 3 rd Place	vs.	District B 2 nd Place
District A 2 nd Place	vs.	District B 3 rd Place
District A 4 th Place	vs.	District B 1 st Place

- Individual Regional Tournaments will utilize a double elimination format.
- All contestants in the Individual Regional Tournament shall compete until eliminated. Prior to the affected match, illness or injury must be cleared through the Tournament Manager, who may consult with the tournament physician. A forfeit without evidence of injury or illness will cause a wrestler to become disqualified.
- The Consolation and Championship Final matches shall be conducted simultaneously on two mats.
- The two-person officiating system shall be used for all Consolation and Championship Final matches at the Individual Regional Tournament. All matches shall be wrestled before any awards are presented.

Officiating System - Individual Regional - Four officials will work on three mats or 5 officials on 4 mats. The head official assigned by the MHSAA shall inspect the wrestlers and observe the weigh-in. In addition, the head official shall serve on the Grievance Committee. The Final matches in the championship and consolation round shall employ the two-official system of officiating. (Compensation: **\$153** fee plus mileage where applicable). The one, assigned head official shall receive an additional \$15 for conducting inspection, observing the weigh-in and serving on the Grievance Committee.

MANAGERS REPORTS – Regional Managers must forward materials (Weigh-in forms, alpha masters, master eligibility) of advancing wrestlers to the Finals Manager.

TOURNAMENT PROCEDURES – INDIVIDUAL GIRLS REGIONAL/SECTIONAL

General Information

The Individual Girls Regional/Sectional Tournaments will be held on **Sunday, February 20** and will use the 14 weight classes designated for girls wrestling by the NFHS (National Federation of High School Sports).

The MHSAA will post the starting weight class for all Individual Sectional sites on **Monday, February 14**. The weigh-in for the Regional tournament shall start with this same weight class.

The MHSAA will assign all officials for Individual Girls Regional/Sectional competition.

The tournament must be run using “TrackWrestling.” Please contact **Jamie VanDerMoere** (jamie@mhsaa.com) or submit a ticket (support.trackwrestling.com/s/contactsupport) with questions.

Time Schedule

7:30 a.m. -	Optional Inspection of Wrestlers
8:00 a.m. -	Inspection / Weigh-In
8:30 a.m. -	Coaches Meeting
9:30 a.m. -	Wrestling Begins
TBA -	Consolation & Championship Finals (to start within 20 minutes after the last Semifinal match)

Seeding

Each school will submit entries and wrestler record data for each of their 14 wrestlers through TrackWrestling. Coaches are encouraged to submit season summaries and seed materials. The TrackWrestling system will “pre-seed” participants based on the data submitted and the MHSAA seeding criteria. The following criteria is as follows:

These criteria shall be applied in the order listed:

1. Head-to-head competition; if tied, the most recent winner prevails.
2. Record against common opponents.
3. A wrestler with an exceptional record vs. acknowledged strong opposition.
4. Majority decision of the seeding committee group.
5. If agreement for seeding in each weight class cannot be reached within 20 minutes, the contestants not yet agreed upon shall be drawn in.

The seed committee will be selected by the MHSAA and will meet **Sunday February 13**, the day after the Individual District to seed and draw participants into the two Girls Regionals/Sectionals. Assignment to a given Girls Regional/Sectional is based on seed or draw, but accommodations will be made to keep participants from the same team at the same Girls Regional/Sectional.

Byes (if any) will start with the #1 seed and work down through the seeds respectively.

A maximum number of 16 wrestlers can be seeded in each weight class. By seeding 16, this provides up to 8 seeds at each Sectional. Note: A wrestler need not have a winning record or even a varsity record to receive seeding consideration. Note: The committee is not required to seed up to 16 if the participants do not warrant a seed.

Following the weigh-in on Sunday morning, there will be a coaches' meeting where the group (tournament manager plus ONE coach from each school) will approve each bracket after removing any wrestlers that failed to make weight or pass inspection. Once brackets are approved by this group, wrestling will begin.

If the wrestler not making weight was an unseeded wrestler, the unseeded wrestler's opponent will simply be advanced the appropriate number of bracket lines.

Brackets & "Second Wrestlers"

- Brackets at each Sectional may not exceed 32 competitors. It is necessary that Individual Girls Regional/Sectional places be determined by competition.
- Each school is limited to 14 wrestlers, with no more than two wrestlers in any weight class.
- Coaches are urged to enter only "second wrestlers" who are legitimate contenders.
- When the number of entrants exceeds 32 per Individual Girls Regional/Sectional (or 64 total), the total number of entrants must be reduced to 32 per Individual Girls Regional/Sectional (or 64 total), or fewer.
- The seed committee will contact coaches to call for volunteers to withdraw "second wrestlers."
- If the bracket still exceeds the allotted number, withdraw those second wrestlers with the most total losses.
- If necessary, to break the tie, withdraw those second wrestlers with the fewest number of wins.
- If necessary, place names of all second wrestlers who remain tied in a container. Withdraw those wrestlers whose names are drawn from the container until the number of contestants is reduced to the allowable number.

Weigh-In

A referee, and when possible a physician (MD, DO, PA or NP) with experience in skin conditions (dermatologist, for example), shall inspect contestants before they are allowed to weigh-in. After once entering, wrestlers are to remain in the weigh-in area until they have completed the weigh-in. A minimum of two scales shall be used and shall begin with the announced weight class.

Weigh-ins will take place on site and will follow NFHS procedures: Wrestlers shall weigh-in wearing legal uniform with suitable undergarments. Socks may be worn but may not be taken off as a means of making weight.

The weigh-in shall be up to one hour in length and the actual weight of each contestant shall be recorded on the weigh-in card. The order of weight classes at weigh-in shall follow the order of weight classes to be wrestled at that tournament. All wrestlers weighing-in at the same weight class must be weighed on the same scale. A Girls Regional/Sectional contestant shall compete in the weight class for which she was submitted through TrackWrestling.

"Scratch" Weight (girls) - A girl could achieve "scratch" weight at an NFHS girls' weight by the following:

- Makes "scratch" weight for an event that takes place and that uses NFHS girls weight classes, and their school participates in the event.
- Makes "scratch" weight for an event that takes place and that uses "traditional" weight classes that are the same or below an NFHS girls weight class.
 - A wrestler is not required to compete at the event to qualify as making "scratch".
 - A wrestler is not required to compete at the at the weight for which they have made "scratch".
 - i.e., a girl weighs in at 125.0. This qualifies as making 125 "scratch" for the traditional weight class, as well as 125 for the girls NFHS weight class.
 - i.e., a girl weighs in at 119.0. This qualifies as making 119 "scratch" for the traditional weight class, and 120 for the NFHS girls weight class.
 - i.e., a girl weighs in at 100.0 pounds to wrestle 103 for a dual meet. This would qualify as making "scratch" at 100 pounds for the NFHS girls weight class. If this same girl weighs-in at 101.2 for 103, they have made "scratch" for 103, but not the 100-pound weight class.

- **In all cases, it is important to record EXACT weights at all weigh-ins.**

Conducting the Individual Girls Regional / Sectional Tournament - Individual Girls Regional / Sectional Tournaments will depend on the number of participants, not to exceed 32 at each sectional.

- Individual Girls Regional/Sectional Tournaments will utilize a double elimination format.
- All contestants in the Individual Girls Regional/Sectional Tournament shall compete until eliminated. Prior to the affected match, illness or injury must be cleared through the Tournament Manager, who may consult with the tournament physician. A forfeit without evidence of injury or illness will cause a wrestler to become disqualified.
- The Consolation and Championship Final matches shall be conducted simultaneously on four mats.
- The two-person officiating system shall be used for all Championship Final matches at the Individual Girls Regional/Sectional Tournament. All matches shall be wrestled before any awards are presented.

Officiating System - Individual Regional – At a minimum, five officials will work on a minimum of four mats. The head official assigned by the MHSAA shall inspect the wrestlers and observe the weigh-in. The head official shall also serve on the Grievance Committee. The Final matches in the championship and consolation round shall employ the two-official system of officiating. (Compensation: **\$175** fee plus mileage where applicable). The one assigned head official shall receive an additional \$15 for conducting inspection, observing the weigh-in and serving on the Grievance Committee.

MANAGERS REPORTS – Girls Regional/Sectional Managers must forward materials (Weigh-in forms, alpha masters, master eligibility) of advancing wrestlers to the Finals Manager.

TOURNAMENT PROCEDURES – TEAM DISTRICT & REGIONAL

Dates - For the **2022** Team District Tournament, **Divisions 1 & 3** will compete on **Wednesday, February 9** and **Divisions 2 & 4** will compete on **Thursday, February 10**. The Team Regional will be held on **Wednesday, February 16**.

Draw - The Team District draw shall be conducted from **January 1 – February 1**. All participating schools must receive prior notice of the draw date, time, and location. Each Team District shall be comprised of three or four teams. A four-team bracket shall be used for all Team District sites. A host school may draw a bye.

Officials - District Managers will hire officials for all District competition from the MHSAA approved list; the MHSAA will assign all officials for Regional competition.

Procedures for Districts with THREE teams

- One mat shall be used for both the Semifinal and Final matches.
- One official shall be contracted.
- Host school may draw the bye.

Procedures for Districts with FOUR teams and all Regional sites

- Two mats shall be used for the Semifinals.
- One mat shall be used for the Finals.
- Two officials shall be contracted, and each will work a Semifinal match.
- For the Finals, the officials will use the two-official system (referee and assistant referee) for all Final matches.

Entry requirements - There is no requirement that a participant in the Team Tournament must have wrestled a match during the regular season. The only requirement of a Team participant is that their name appears on the Master Eligibility of the school, as well as being eligible following Alpha / Lowest Minimum Weight (LMW) requirements. Each school is allowed to weigh-in a maximum of twenty-eight (28) wrestlers.

Time Schedule

- Wrestling may not begin before 3:30 p.m. but must begin by 6:00 p.m.
- Shoulder-to-shoulder weigh-ins are to be conducted on-site **60 MINUTES** before the meet is scheduled to begin. Weigh-in shall be conducted as stated in the MHSAA Weigh-In Procedures (MHSAA.com).
- A referee, and when possible a physician (MD, DO, PA or NP) with experience in skin conditions (dermatologist, for example), shall inspect contestants before they are allowed to weigh-in. After once entering, wrestlers are to remain in the weigh-in area until they have completed the weigh-in.
- One scale shall be used in the Team weigh-in and shall begin with the drawn weight class.

- The official facilitating the weigh-in shall call up each weight class accordingly. If there is a point where wrestlers choose not to step on the scale (wanting to wait to see who steps on the scale for the other team) the official will call the weight class for a final time and then will move on to the next weight class. The weigh-in concludes after the last weight class.
- The weigh-in shall be up to one hour in length and the exact weight of each contestant shall be recorded on the Team Weigh-In Form.
- There is to be a ten (10) minute break between the Semifinal and Final rounds of wrestling.

Score Reporting - Upon completion of the competition, please email results to the MHSAA at: results@mhsaa.com. Submit results after each dual, or at the end of the evening in the following format:

- Rochester Adams 36, Rochester 33
- Lake Orion 25, Rochester Hills Stoney Creek 21
- Lake Orion 33, Rochester Adams 25

Draw for starting weight class and weigh-in class - A random draw shall be conducted by the official observing the weigh-in immediately before weigh-ins begin. The weight drawn shall be the starting weight class for the Semifinal match(es) and weigh-in. For the Final match, the starting weight class shall be one weight class above the Semifinal starting weight as prescribed by NFHS Wrestling Rule 1-1-2.

Team Regional Pairings:

- Lowest District Number vs. 2nd Lowest District Number *(i.e. 101 vs 102)*
- 2nd Highest District Number vs. Highest District Number *(i.e. 103 vs 104)*

Officials Assignments – Team District managers will hire officials from the MHSAA approved list. The MHSAA committee will assign officials for the Team Regionals.

Officiating System, District & Regional Team Tournament – The Head Official will determine which official will work the odd matches as the official and the even matches as the assistant in the Final match. The 2nd official shall perform the duties of the assistant referee. The Head Official will determine the team dual(s) to be worked by each official.

Officials Fees – Team District

3-Team District - One official who will work two matches on one mat.
Fees - \$55 x two, plus mileage where applicable.

4-Team District - Two officials using two mats; each will work one match alone and the Final match as a team.
Fees - \$55 x two, plus mileage where applicable.

Officials Fees – Team Regional – The Tournament Manager will assign one of the two assigned officials to a Semifinal match. Both assigned officials will work the Regional Final. Fees - \$60 x two, plus mileage where applicable.

MANAGERS REPORTS – District Managers must forward materials to the Regional Manager.

- Individual and Team Regional Managers will forward materials (Weigh-in forms, alpha masters, master eligibility) to the MHSAA office.

UNMANNED AERIAL VEHICLE (DRONE) POLICY

The use of unmanned aerial vehicles (“UAV”), also known as drones, is prohibited for any purpose by any persons at MHSAA tournament venues. Tournament management shall refuse admission or entry to anyone attempting to use a UAV; and if necessary, tournament management shall remove anyone attempting to use a UAV and/or confiscate the UAV until the event has been completed. For purposes of this policy, a UAV is any aircraft without a human pilot aboard the device. An exception to this policy may be made in specific cases for MHSAA broadcast partners, provided the management of the tournament facility permits the presence of UAVs for broadcast purposes under the control of the MHSAA.

YOUTH PROTECTION POLICY - During the MHSAA Tournament events, the MHSAA expects all designated managers, volunteer or paid staff assisting in the event, officials or any other personnel to follow local school district policy and state statute regarding the mandatory reporting of child abuse, bullying, hazing and sexual harassment. A report of such activity shall be made to legal authorities and to the MHSAA Executive Director or his designee.

DISTRICT
NUMBER

MICHIGAN HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION, INC.
2021-22 WRESTLING TOURNAMENTS

TEAM DISTRICT TOURNAMENT (RESULTS OF DRAW)
RETURN IMMEDIATELY AFTER DRAWING

Email: wrestling@mhsaa.com OR Fax: 517-332-4071



Drawings to be made Jan 1, 2022 – Feb 1, 2022

HOST SCHOOL _____ DIVISION _____

DIRECTIONS:

1. Enter the date of the Team District Tournament in the blank. **Divisions 1 & 3 will wrestle on Wednesday while Divisions 2 & 4 will wrestle on Thursday in 2021-22.**
2. Enter the competition times in each bracket. (No earlier than 3:30 p.m. - No later than 6:00 p.m.)
3. Consult bracket samples on the back of this sheet to determine the bracket to be followed.
4. Place names of all participating schools in a container.
5. Host teams may draw byes.
6. Draw names one by one and place on designated line according to sample brackets.

Wednesday

Feb. 9

Div. **1 & 3**

1)

TIME

DATE

Thursday

Feb. 10

Div. **2 & 4**

2)

3)

TIME

DATE

4)

FINAL

The Final match will begin one weight classes beyond the Semifinal draw. (i.e. if the Semifinal began at 140, the Final will begin at 145)

minimum recess → 10 minutes

Date _____ (Signed) _____
(Tournament Manager)

School Phone _____ Home Phone _____

NOTE: Please complete and FAX/EMAIL immediately after completing draw to (517) 332-4071

ATTN: JAMIE or wrestling@mhsaa.com. Your immediate cooperation is appreciated.

DISTRICT DRAW - SAMPLE BRACKETS

1) 1st Team Draw

2) BYE

3) 2nd Team Draw

4) 3rd Team Draw

3 TEAMS

1) 1st Team Draw

2) 2nd Team Draw

3) 3rd Team Draw

4) 4th Team Draw

4 TEAMS



EXTRA TOURNAMENT MEDAL ORDER

Additional team medals can be ordered by a winning school's administration by submitting this form along with a check or money order. Please provide all requested details. Extra medals will not be engraved. Medals will be shipped from the MHSAA as soon as payment is received.

SPORT: _____

BOYS: _____ GIRLS: _____

DIVISION/CLASS: _____

YEAR: _____

MEDALS:	QUANTITY	TOTAL
_____ DISTRICT	_____ @ \$4 =	\$ _____
_____ REGIONAL	_____ @ \$4 =	\$ _____
_____ GIRLS REGIONAL	_____ @ \$4 =	\$ _____
_____ FINAL _____ PLACE <small>(1st Gold – 2nd Silver – 3rd + Bronze)</small>	_____ @ \$5 =	\$ _____

CHECK OR MONEY ORDER TOTAL \$ _____
Payable to MHSAA (includes shipping)



ATHLETIC DIRECTOR _____ SCHOOL ID _____

SCHOOL _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ ZIP _____

DATE _____ SIGNATURE _____

(ATHLETIC DIRECTOR)

*** ORDERS WILL NOT BE PROCESSED WITHOUT FULL PAYMENT**
SEND TO MHSAA, 1661 RAMBLEWOOD DR, EAST LANSING, MI 48823