



## WAWA STATE CHAMPIONSHIP TOURNAMENT – April 12-14, 2024

Folkstyle & 3 Style Weigh in – Thursday April 11, 2024

Kids/Cadet, Female & Junior 3-Style Festival

Ford Wyoming Center - Casper

### Thursday – April 11

Set-up	12 noon – 9 pm	Set-up venue
Coach Credential Pickup	5:30 pm -6:30 pm	COACHES
Folkstyle Check in	5:30 pm – 6 pm	MALE & FEMALE, ALL AGE GROUPS
Skin Checks & Weigh-ins	6 pm – *See Below	MALE & FEMALE, ALL AGE GROUPS
Pairing Official's Clinic	6 pm	Mandatory Pairing Clinic Folkstyle/Freestyle/Greco
WAWA Meeting	8 pm	General Meeting, Elections - Wyoming Theater Room, Ramkota Hotel

### Friday – April 12 Folkstyle

Doors Open	7 am	Doors Open
Coach Credential Pickup	7 am - 8 am	COACHES
Mat Official's Clinic	7 am - 8 am	Mandatory Mat Official's Clinic - 3 Trails Room
Folkstyle Session 1	8 am - 12 noon	8U & 14U & All Females Age Groups
Awards & Presentation	12 noon – 12:30 pm	Awards & Presentation
Folkstyle Session 2	12:30 pm - 4:30 pm	10U & 16U
Folkstyle Session 3	4:30 pm - 8:30 pm	12U & Juniors
Freestyle Only Check in	6:15 pm – 6:30 pm	MALE & FEMALE, ALL AGE GROUPS
Freestyle Skin Checks & Weigh-ins	6:30 pm – 7 pm	MALE & FEMALE, ALL AGE GROUPS
Pairing Official's Clinic	6:30 pm	Mandatory Pairing Clinic Freestyle (if not attended already)

### Saturday – April 13 Freestyle

Doors Open	7 am	Doors Open
Coach Credential Pickup	7 am - 8 am	COACHES
Mat Official's Clinic	7 am - 8:15 am	Mandatory Mat Official's Clinic - 3 Trails Room
Freestyle Session 1	8:30 am	8U, 12U & 16U
Awards	2 pm – 2:30 pm	Awards
Freestyle Session 2	2:30 pm	10U, 14U, All Female & Jr Festival
Greco Check in & Weigh-ins	5 pm – 5:15 pm	ALL AGE GROUPS

### Sunday – April 14 Greco-Roman

Doors Open	7 am	Doors Open
Mat Official's Clinic	7 am - 8:15 am	Mandatory Mat Official's Clinic - 3 Trails Room
Awards & Presentation	8:15 am	Awards & Presentation
Greco AM Session	following presentation	All Age Groups
Lunch Break	30 minutes TBA	All Age Groups
Greco PM Session	following lunch break	All Age Groups

**\*All athletes must be in the weigh-in area at the beginning of weigh-ins, weigh-ins will be deemed complete when that last athlete is done. ALL ATHLETES MUST REGISTER WITH USAW BY THE DEADLINE. THESE TOURNAMENTS ARE FOR WYOMING RESIDENTS ONLY. Championship matches will be assigned to specific mats, showcased and announced to bring special attention to the athletes.**

**ALL TIMES ARE BASED ON PAST NUMBERS AND ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE**



**WAWA Kids/Cadet & Female State Championships**  
**Folkstyle, Freestyle, Greco-Roman**  
**Junior 3-Style Festival**  
**April 12<sup>th</sup> - April 14<sup>th</sup> 2024**  
**Folkstyle & 3-Style Weigh in–April 11, 2024**  
**Wyoming Residents ONLY**



**EVENT DIRECTOR**

Casey Schell, 307 259-7815

**REGISTRATION**

Vickie Tolin, 307 258-6315

**ELIGIBILITY: CONTESTANTS MUST BE A WYOMING RESIDENT, HAVE A CURRENT USAW/WAWA ATHLETE CARD WITH PHOTO, BE REGISTERED AND PAID IN ORDER TO WRESTLE.**

**THE DEADLINE FOR DATE OF BIRTH VERIFICATION IS SUNDAY, APRIL 7<sup>th</sup>.** A current USAW card with photo is required in order to register for tournament. No cards will be issued at tournament venue. **Registration deadline is April 7<sup>th</sup> at midnight. After online deadline registration cost is \$30 per style, contact Vickie Tolin. SafeSport Training prior to purchasing a USAW card is required if athlete is turning 17 years of age September 1 through December 31 of the membership year or older. If age verification is needed, it must be presented at check in. ATHLETES MUST BE A WYOMING RESIDENT, HAVE A CURRENT USAW/WAWA ATHLETE CARD WITH PHOTO, BE REGISTERED AND PAID IN ORDER TO WRESTLE.**

**REGISTRATION ON USAW not Trackwrestling.**

**No refunds will be given.**

**USAW REGISTRATION DEADLINES** (<https://www.usawmembership.com/login> USAW Events)

**Deadline for athlete registration is Sunday, April 7, 2024 at midnight.**

**Deadline for coach registration is Sunday, April 7, 2024 at midnight.**

**Late registration for coaches is \$60, register online.**

**Deadline for pairing and mat officials registration is Sunday, April 7, 2024 at midnight.**

**THERE IS NO ONSITE REGISTRATION AT STATE. ATHLETES MUST BE REGISTERED FOR ALL TOURNAMENTS BEING WRESTLED. All registrations must be paid by credit or debit card.**

**Each style \$30 – \$15 Discount for 3 events by deadline.**

No double bracketing. Female and males must wrestle in their own tournament. All registrations for state tournaments will be done on USAW. **Online Registration Required** <https://www.usawmembership.com/>, login to USAW profile and go to USAW events, choose tournament. **Payment must be completed by the deadline.**

**2024 MALE Age Divisions & Weight Brackets**

**8U** (Born 2016-2017) 40,43,45,49,53,56,62,70,85,85+

**10U** (Born 2014-2015) 49,53,56,59,63,67,71,77,84,93,105,120,120+

**12U** (Born 2012-2013) 58,63,67,70,74,78,82,86,92,98,108,117,135,160

**14U** (Born 2010-2011) 71,77,83,87,92,97,102,106,110,114,119,125,130,136,149,165,187,250

**16U** (Born 2008-2009) 88,94,100,106,113,120,126,132,138,144,150,157,165,175,190,215,285

**Junior** (Born 9/1/2004 & after, and enrolled in grades 9-12)  
100,106,113,120,126,132,138,144,150,157,165,175,190,215,285

**2024 FEMALE Age Divisions & Weight Brackets**

**8U** (Born 2016-2017) 40,43,46,50,55,62,68,74,85,85+

**10U** (Born 2014-2015) 45,49,53,57,62,67,73,80,90,100,113,113+

**12U** (Born 2012-2013) 55,59,64,69,75,81,87,94,102,112,126,140

**14U** (Born 2010-2011) 71,76,81,84,87,90,93,97,102,108,115,121,127,143,163,183

**16U** (Born 2008-2009) 88,94,100,106,112,118,124,130,136,142,148,155,170,190,235

**Junior** (Born 9/1/2004 & after, and enrolled in grades 9-12) 95,100,105,110,115,120,125,130,135,140,145,155,170,190,235

No rapid weight reduction practices shall be allowed. Weigh-ins for Folkstyle and 3-Style will open at the scheduled time. All athletes must be in the weigh-in area by the scheduled time and must remain in the area until weighed in. Once all athletes who were in the weigh-in area at the beginning of weigh-ins have weighed in, weigh-ins will be deemed complete and no other athletes will be allowed to weigh in.

**WRESTLING LEADERS:** ALL PAIRING & MAT OFFICIALS MUST COMPLETE ALL REQUIREMENTS.  
Requirements in order to work a state venue.

1. Current USAW Wrestling Leader Card with official category, photo included
2. Register online. No cost. **Online Registration Required** <https://www.usawmembership.com/> login to your USAW profile and go to USWOA events, choose tournament. Deadline April 7<sup>th</sup> at midnight.
3. Recommended to pairers, <https://support.trackwrestling.com/s/article/Live-Score-Matches-with-the-Matside-Controller>
4. Athletes wanting to officiate, must complete the SafeSports training and complete the Public Sign Up Form found at this link: [https://www.usawmembership.com/events/2400128802/volunteer\\_signup](https://www.usawmembership.com/events/2400128802/volunteer_signup)
5. Mat officials requirements—M2 ranking or higher; 3 tournaments worked for freestyle and 3 tournaments worked for folkstyle and 2 tournaments worked for greco-roman; or signed off by mat official director. Pairers requirements—3 freestyle, 3 folkstyle & 2 greco-roman tournaments worked.
6. Attend mandatory onsite officials clinics.
7. Official must have tournament credential and a 2024 W-9 on file to be considered for payment.

**TO WORK AND RECEIVE TOURNAMENT CREDENTIAL, ALL REQUIREMENTS MUST BE COMPLETED PRIOR TO SIGN IN WITH THE APPROPRIATE DIRECTOR.**

**PAIRING:** WAWA will follow National and Regional guidelines for pairing. Bracketing and mat assignments will be on Trackwrestling for the tournament.

**RULES:** The current rules of NFHS and UWW with USA and WAWA Wrestling modifications where applicable will govern the events and the competitions.

**UNIFORMS:** A predominately red and a predominately blue singlet is **required for Freestyle and Greco-Roman competition**. Females athletes must wear a female singlet. **Laces must be secured by tape or other means. Head gear is not required.**

**INJURIES:** In the event of injury or illness, no contestant will be permitted to continue the competition without approval of the Chief Medical Officer, whose decision is final and not subject to appeal.

**INDIVIDUAL AWARDS:** Medals will be given to the top six (6) place winners in each weight class and all styles. In an attempt to showcase championship matches, the matches will be assigned to specific mats and will be announced to bring attention to the athletes. Champions of all three styles 8U-16U, Folkstyle, Freestyle and Greco-Roman will receive a 3-style special award. Junior Festival will receive award for top three places.

**TEAM AWARDS:** Two divisions will be awarded, larger clubs and smaller clubs, this will be determined by the Registration Chairman and the Pairing Director at the time of the tournament. WAWA State Team Award for 1<sup>st</sup> will be awarded for each division and style. Licensed and working Pairing Officials and Mat Officials must attend the State Clinic at the tournament to qualify for team points. Number of required officials per style for team awards are as follows: 5 to 14 wrestlers – 1 mat official and 1 pairing official; 15 to 24 wrestlers – 2 mat officials and 2 pairing officials; 25 to 34 wrestlers – 3 mat officials and 3 pairing officials; 35 to 44 wrestlers – 4 mat officials and 3 pairing officials; 45 to 54 wrestlers – 5 mat officials and 4 pairing officials; 55 to 64 wrestlers – 6 mat officials and 5 pairing officials. For additional calculations for each ten additional wrestlers the officials will increase by one respectfully. No team awards will be given for Junior Festival.

**COACHING:** **ALL COACHES MUST PURCHASE CREDENTIALS ONLINE IN ADVANCE OF STATE TOURNAMENT. NO PASSES WILL BE PROCESSED ONSITE AT STATE VENUE, ONLY ONLINE.**

**CERTIFIED WAWA COACH:** Requirements in order to purchase coach credentials.

1. Bronze or higher Coaching Certification
2. Current USAW Wrestling Leader Coach Card with Photo included
3. Must purchase Coach credential online. Cost is \$30 before deadline. **Online Registration Required** <https://www.usawmembership.com/>, login to your USAW profile and go to USAW events, choose tournament) Payment must be completed by the deadline.
4. Deadline for online pre-registration is April 7<sup>th</sup> at midnight. The online cost for coach credentials is \$30. Cost after deadline is \$60 online only, after pre-registration deadline contact Vickie Tolin for credential pickup.

**TO RECEIVE COACHING CREDENTIALS, ALL REQUIREMENTS MUST BE COMPLETED PRIOR TO RECEIVING CREDENTIALS.**

**MEDIA CREDENTIALS:** Each club/team may request media credentials for one representative. The applicant will be required to have a USA Wrestling Membership, and have passed the Safe Sport certification program, and approved by the media director, before credentials will be issued. Media Credentials must not be used as coaching credentials, if any person who is issued media credentials is caught coaching or cheering/celebrating matside or on the floor will have their credentials confiscated and be escorted off the floor for the duration of the tournament. The deadline to request media credentials will be Sunday, April 7<sup>th</sup>. No Late Requests will be accepted! Any questions regarding the media guidelines or to request media credentials for your club/team contact: Kellie Jo Allison, media director (307) 680-1871 or by email at kjallison08@gmail.com. WAWA will have access to all photos taken.

**ADMISSION FEES:** Day Pass \$10 per person — Tournament Pass \$25 per person — No Charge for age 6 or younger.

HOTELS:	Ramkota Hotel (Host Hotel) 800 North Poplar 307 266-6000	Best Western Plus Casper Inn 651 Granite Peak Drive 307 472-1120	Candlewood Suites 4210 Hospitality Lane 307 234-4200
	Hampton Inn & Suites 1100 North Poplar Street 307 235-6668	Hilton Garden Inn 1150 North Poplar 307 266-1300	Holiday Inn Express 721 Granite Peak Drive 307 577-5000
	La Quinta Inn 400 W F Street 307 265-1200	MainStay Suites 551 Granite Peak Drive 307 472-7829	Quality Inn & Suites 821 North Poplar 307 266-2400

In cases where the Tournament Director deems an incident requires a review, the Tournament Director shall appoint a Tournament Committee to review the incident using any means available, including audio and video recordings. If sufficient evidence warrants, individual(s) shall be immediately removed from the current and subsequent events. All individual(s), including but not limited to, wrestlers, coaches, tournament staff, mat officials, pairing officials, table help, volunteers, parents, guardians, spectators and media, shall be subject to removal from said events. All decisions shall be final and not subject to further review. The Tournament Committee shall be comprised of the following five members: 1. Tournament Director; 2. Mat Officials Director; 3. Pairing Officials Director; 4. If Tournament Director is not the Chairman or Vice Chairman, then either Chairman or Vice Chairman shall be on the committee; if Chairman or Vice Chairman are not in attendance, a WAWA executive board member shall be selected by the Tournament Director; 5. An independent WAWA non-board member selected by the Tournament Director.

**REGIONAL TOURNAMENT INFORMATION:** Registration deadline TBA or if limits are reached. May 9, 2024, Western Regional Championships - 8U,10U,12U,14U,16U,USA Junior - Freestyle & Greco-Roman - Herriman, Utah. KIDS DIRECTOR-Shaun Carothers (307)760-9944, CADET DIRECTOR-Cameron Braden (307) 299-6335, FEMALE DIRECTOR-Jessica Brenton (307)258-0725.

**VISIT** *Casper*