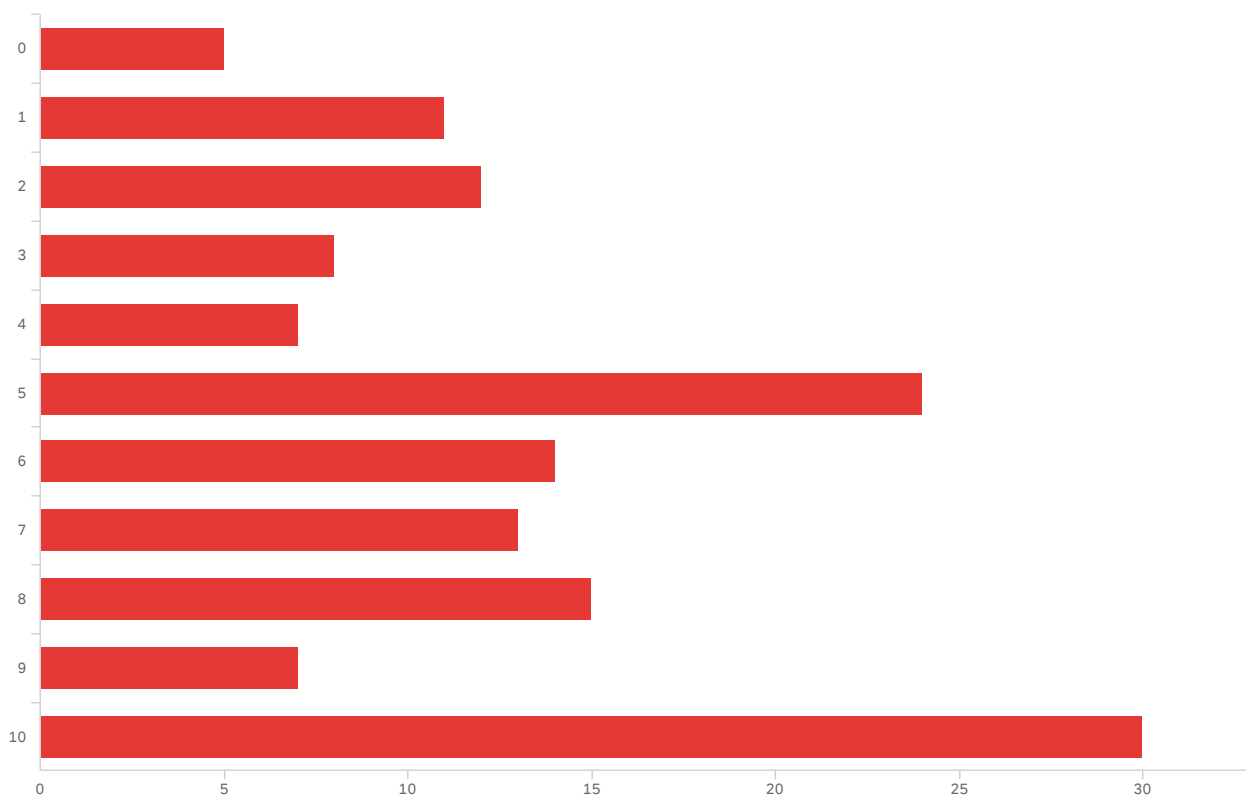


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WWCA 2020 Poll

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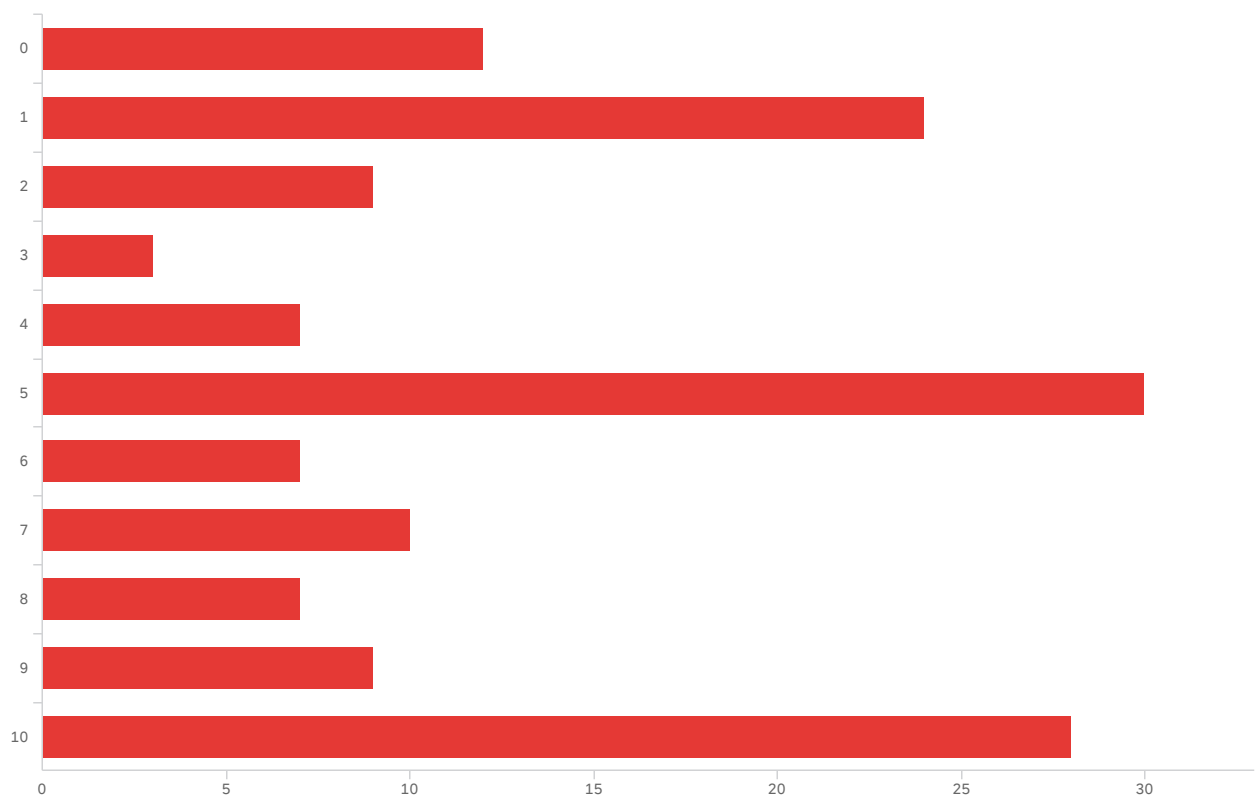
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3	2	8.22%	12
4	3	5.48%	8
5	4	4.79%	7
6	5	16.44%	24
7	6	9.59%	14
8	7	8.90%	13
9	8	10.27%	15
10	9	4.79%	7
11	10	20.55%	30
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Q3 - Some other states have rules regarding matches not being able to start until a coach from each representative school is present. How important is it for our association to start pushing this to become a rule in WI? 0 = Not Important, 10 = Very important



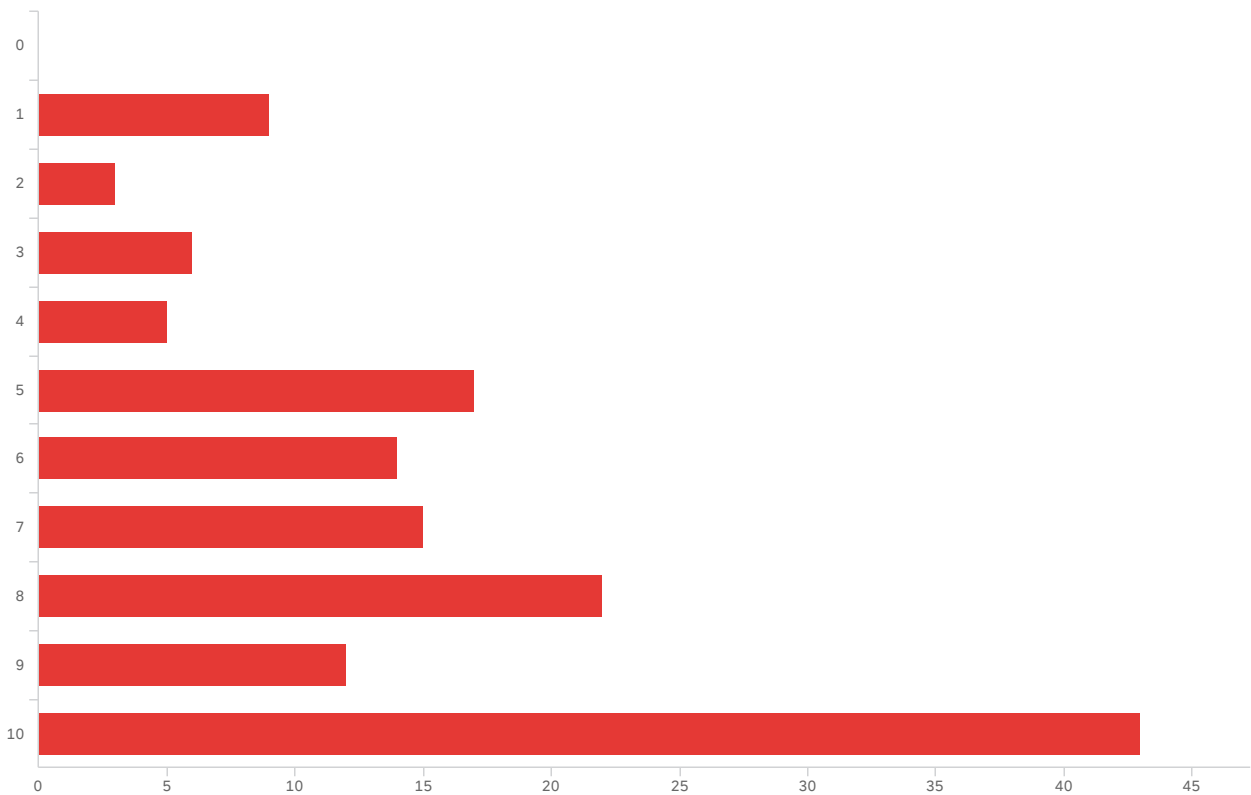
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1	0	8.22%	12
2	1	16.44%	24
3	2	6.16%	9
4	3	2.05%	3

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5	4	4.79%	7
6	5	20.55%	30
7	6	4.79%	7
8	7	6.85%	10
9	8	4.79%	7
10	9	6.16%	9
11	10	19.18%	28
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Q4 - How important is it for our association to explore ideas for more options in setting up your schedule to allow for coach / AD to set a schedule that is best to grow and promote wrestling? We currently have the option of 7 duals and 7 multi team competitions. 0 = Not Important, 10 = Very important



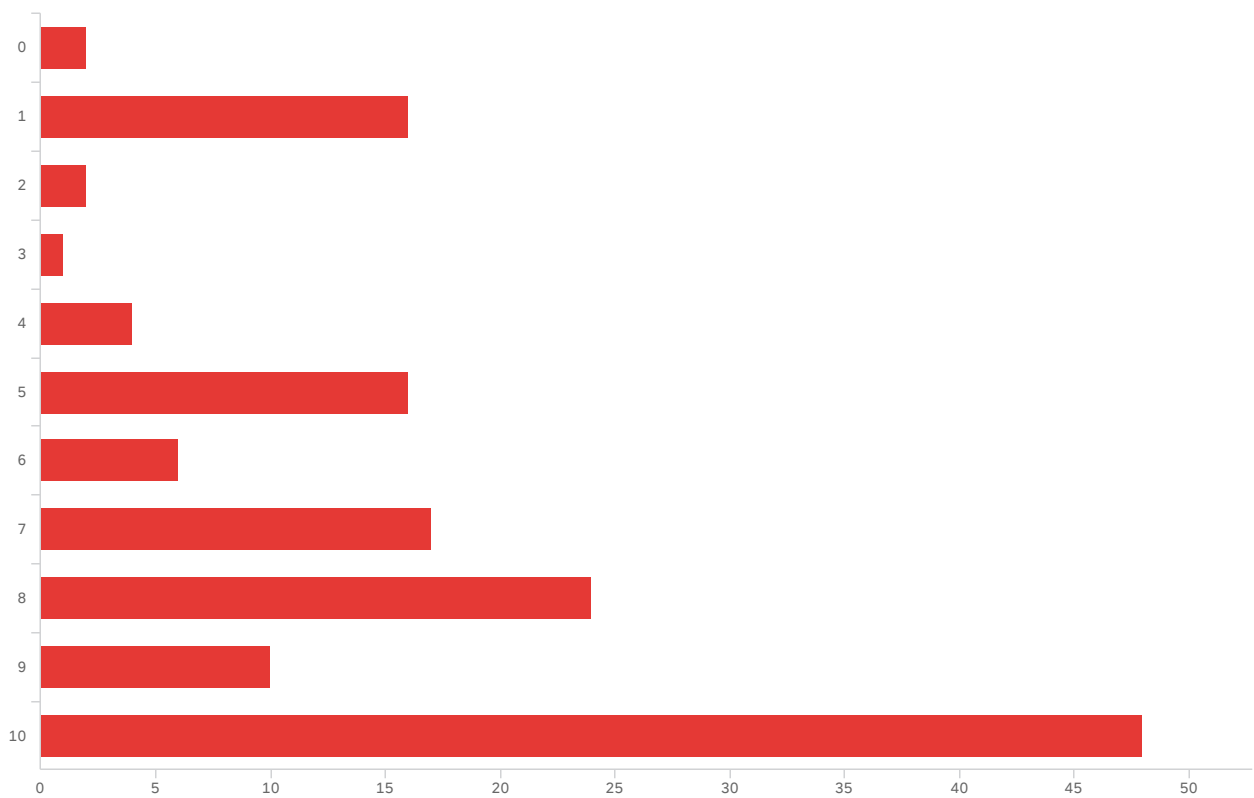
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1	0	0.00% 0
2	1	6.16% 9

#	Field	Choice	Count
3	2	2.05%	3
4	3	4.11%	6
5	4	3.42%	5
6	5	11.64%	17
7	6	9.59%	14
8	7	10.27%	15
9	8	15.07%	22
10	9	8.22%	12
11	10	29.45%	43
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Q5 - How important is it for our association to push for trackwrestling to use seeds at the individual state tournament? 0 = Not Important, 10 = Very important



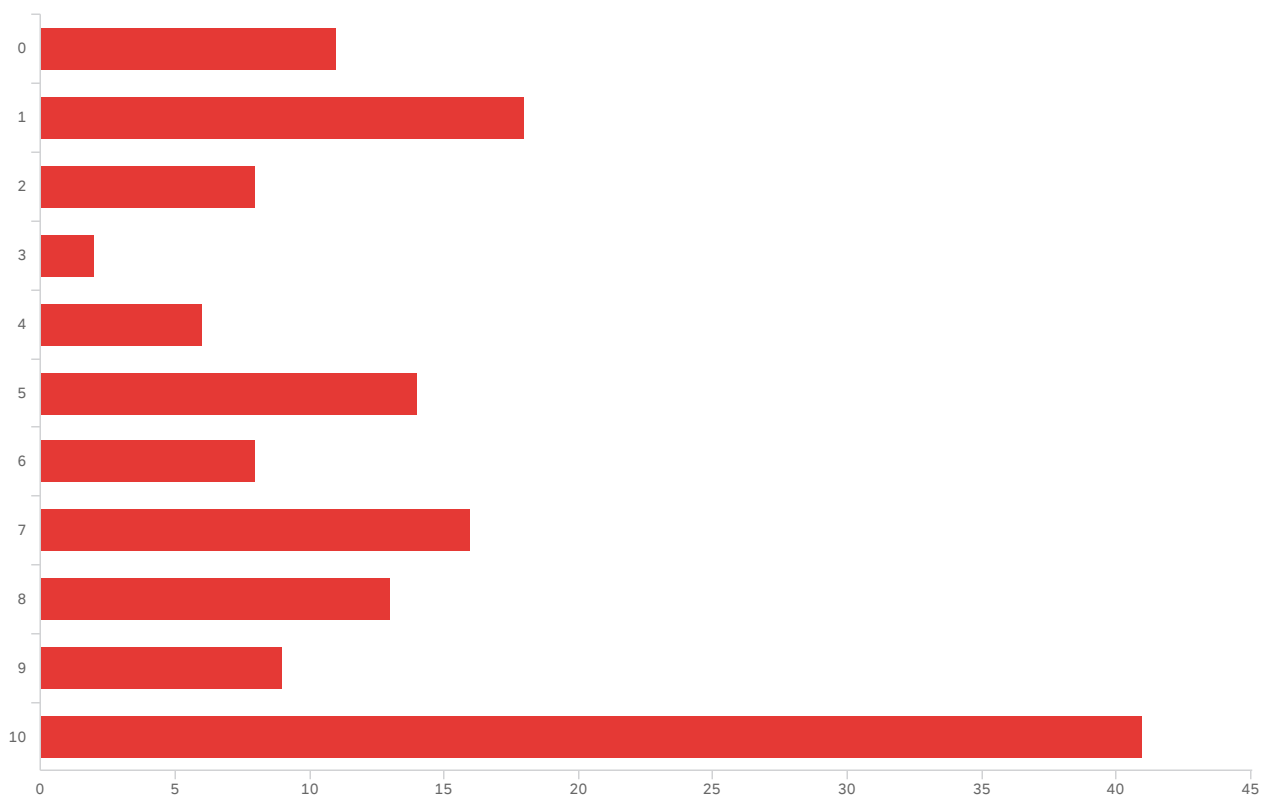
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7	6	4.11%	6
8	7	11.64%	17
9	8	16.44%	24
10	9	6.85%	10
11	10	32.88%	48
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Q6 - How important is it for our association to explore the idea of moving towards three equal divisions (meaning equal number of schools in each division)? 0 = Not Important, 10 = Very important



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2	1	12.33% 18
3	2	5.48% 8
4	3	1.37% 2
5	4	4.11% 6

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6	5	9.59%	14
7	6	5.48%	8
8	7	10.96%	16
9	8	8.90%	13
10	9	6.16%	9
11	10	28.08%	41
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Q7 - Are there any other topics you feel the WWCA should be working on?

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I think we need to revisit the idea of a super regional. Cut conference tournaments out and run a team regional that weekend. We need to get the best teams and individuals to state! Can we get 8 mats in the kohl center? I think all divisions should have 16 man brackets, with double elimination.

13 weights

I wish IND State was seeded.

Seeding Individual State

Double elimination at the state tournament would be a huge plus. Also seperating some of the best teams into seperating regionals so they can at least dual at team sectionals.

no

Girls Wrestling

Seed Individual State!

No

Sixteen wrestler for division 2 and 3 at this state tournament. Make all 3 divisions double limitations like iowa

Exploring a match limit as opposed to 7 and 7 like other states. Certifying at a weight before receiving growth allowance. Making the state tournament double elimination.

Change the qualifying event for Team Sectionals to either taking the top 2 schools from a D1 regional or institute an actual dual meet qualifier for Team Sectionals.

Double elimination at the state tournament and clarification of the singlet weigh in rules.

No

There should be a division for females competing against females.

I wish that the WWCA would at least listen to and consider the District 4 proposal on 3 equal divisions. It would automatically seed the State Tournament for us and also eliminate the need for the special considerations of weigh-in sheets being shared because Teams would wrestle Teams to go to state in a dual format and individuals wrestle individuals to go to individual state. However, our leadership in District 4 either did not push it last year as we wanted him to, or others just don't want to hear other good ideas that were by the way created by coaches of this association in all 3 divisions, 2 officiating organizations and with several AD's and principals involved.

Petitioning the NHSF to allow 30-minutes between matches rather than the 45 minute wait time.

No

I really like the idea of two more dual meets in a schedule. I feel allowing more competitive dual meets in front of home fans will help build this sport. If a team is locked into a conference schedule than it is hard to find competitive matches. Thanks again for taking the time to look at our concerns.

Are there any other topics you feel the WWCA should be working on?

Postseason needs to be reviewed and improved. It was a great idea to bring the dual competition into the mix back in the early 90s, but we haven't made any improvements to the individual and the team format for nearly 30 years!!!

Work with Wisconsin referees/officials to clarify certain rulings and be consistent with their ruling calls. Example what is out of bounds

1. At least 2 matches for all wrestlers at the State Tournament. 2. In Division 1, the top 2 teams at each Regionals move to the Team Sectional and cross bracket. 3. Girls State Tournament to coincide with the boys.

Shortening the 45min wait rule between matches

13 weight classes. DIV 3 Team State was decided this year by criteria way down on the list.

make the sectionals fair so all wrestler's have a fair chance to go to state

13 weights

elimination of weight growth allowance during the season. Team sectional Tuesday weighins sheets available to coaches on Saturday

covering of ring worm to allow athletes compete

Cutting down the weight classes to a smaller number... perhaps 10. This would help eliminate so many forfeits and/or having JV wrestling in a varsity spot in a dual meet format.

Get rid of the wrestle backs to third place at the state tournament and instead allow all wrestlers to compete for the fifth and sixth place medals and if an individual wins two matches then they will wrestle for third or fourth place if they lose in the semi's, this doesn't add a whole bunch of responsibility for the WIAA and then all wrestlers have a chance to earn medals at the state tournament, instead of at the most important tournament of the year, in D1 I don't believe it's right to have to wait to see if your guy wins to see if you get a chance to wrestle for a medal If you lose in the opening round of the state tournament. I believe it would be more valuable to have every kid get a chance to get 2 losses at the tournament as well as get a chance to battle for the last two medals on the backside of that bracket. It would be an awesome experience for more kids at the state tournament. And those matches on the back side of the bracket would be very high-level matches because they're all fighting for the same thing. The same thing could happen in division two and three. All kids would have an equal opportunity to bring home hardware from the state wrestling tournament which I believe currently is more important than having Wrestle back's because I know the number of rounds is a concern for the WIAA and This would be in the same timeframe

Eliminate Regionals, Super Sectional for individual state tournament series. A true team qualifier for each division. One with 14 weight classes and two with 11 weight classes.

Out of bounds rule-Follow NCAA rule Dropdown when a wrestler is in control stalling call-Follow NCAA rule

Consideration of WIAA Team regionals set up on the urban rural / models floating around.

Girls wrestling state tournament alongside boys tournament. Relax the skin condition requirements.

1. rather than equal number of schools in each division, we should have equal representation(same number) at ind. and team state. 2. we should NOT have 14 wt. classes. We need less. 11 Or 12 3. We should start our season officially after Thanksgiving, 4. Promote LESS Saturdays and we will keep more small school "alive" in the sport of wrestling. 5. Using Track for seeding Team State was terrible. Many mistakes, errors, or kids seeded ahead that actually had worse records AND either lost head to head or finished lower in the same tournament. They did not use Dual tourney results for seed! They only used track tournaments which punishes schools if they are in a tournament that didn't use Track. That's a monopoly of sorts.

More of a national change but the shave rule for a wrestler is outdated. Many students are wanting to wear a beard and this is just another reason students aren't participating. No other sport is limiting this and there is no limit at the highest levels of wrestling.

Fewer weight classes which are distributed to actual participation numbers. Post season like MN. Team sectional and individual sectional. Girls season (could coincide with boys). Junior high inclusion.

Are there any other topics you feel the WWCA should be working on?

Lower the amount of weight classes or allow 8th grade to wrestle varsity. Limit the amount of matches every wrestler can wrestle before the regional tournament like MN.

include 7th/6th grader in high school

Reduction in weight classes for dual meets or overall. Down to 11 or 12

No double elimination tournaments.

We continue to see issues with some regionals being extremely difficult while others are not as strong, hence causing some very strong wrestlers or teams to not make it on and other not as strong wrestlers and teams make it on. This has been a topic of discussion in the past.

Seeding the state tournament AND double elimination should be the top priority for improving the state tournament.

Girls State Division

Elimination of growth allowance

Weight class reduction for duals at minimum. Individual state tournament series can go back to up to whatever the new standard is. Would be nice to have 10 weight class to make duals very competitive

Girls wrestling and it moving forward

Super Regionals for Division 2 and 3 - combine 2 Regional s into a Super Regional. Top Wrestlers qualify for Sectionals. This gets the best wrestlers to sectionals

Push the WIAA to make girls' wrestling an officially sanctioned sport and get girls and boys wrestling separated.

Reduced weight classes

Super Regional (You know who this is Pete)

Changing the format for qualifying for team sectionals/team state. i.e. using a dual style format to determine who moves on from each regional, seeding the team tournament to ensure the best teams are making it to state.

If you go to equal divisions I think that will solve the problems of low numbers at division three regionals. Go to three equal divisions that should solve the problem with low numbers at Division III regionals. If your weight classes and no growth allowance. Get rid of the half percent weight loss plan.

Allowing D2/D3 to start wrestling first during the Individual State Tournament on an every-other-year basis...D1 would then finish Day 1 just like D2/D3 currently do. My point is, why is it that D1 gets to always finish that first day early and get to rest first at a hotel or go back home. I.E., if you have a D2/D3 Hwt. wrestling in the prelims round, they're not getting "home" until late that night and then back up early to weigh in. Also, there have been years that D2/D3 barely get a chance to warm up out on the floor because D1 runs late that first day. I feel like there is an inequity here. I can't believe that the WIAA can't come up with an every-other-year schedule so that it rotates between D1 and D2/D3 of who gets to begin the State tournament. And, what is the rationale for the WIAA not doing this in the first place?

Double elimination at the state tournament.

Reseeding at Individual Sectionals.

Originally from Iowa, I'd like to see true double elimination and not having a 1st round loss determine whether or not you're still in the tournament if the kid u lost loses. Also, in Iowa we do the Grand March, which includes All place winners. In my opinion, it's a nicer scene.

Are there any other topics you feel the WWCA should be working on?

Getting rid of 1.5%

Sanctioning Girls wrestling.

Addressing some of the ethical problems at Fennimore

Double elimination at the state tournament for the Div. I 16 man brackets. I would put this at the top of the list.

16 man Double Elimination at state Super regional

With 3 equal divisions, get rid of individual regional and instead host a team sectional where all teams could participate in and give teams the opportunity to wrestle 3 duals in the day.

All divisions need to be the same! Size in numbers, same in brackets at the individual state tournament! Same amount of teams at Team State!

I believe it would be interesting to pursue a redesign of the current Team State qualification process. The current Saturday (Individual Regional) - Tuesday (Team Sectional) - Saturday (Individual Sectional) places individuals on teams that qualify for Team Sectionals at a disadvantage due to an additional weigh in mid week; as well as lost practice time. Additionally, it is counter intuitive that a dual format State Tournament bases its qualification process on an individual scored Regional. In the past concepts that included "Super Regional" dual tournaments for State qualification were presented that I believe would be interesting in revisiting. Finally, I believe it would be value added to review neighboring states dual tournament to weigh the pros/cons of their current format vs ours. Example - Iowa qualifies 8 teams for their State Dual Tournament and places 1st-8th place.

Girls Wrestling Division and State Tournament at the Kohl Center

Nothing at this time

Q11 - If you provided topics you feel the WWCA should be working on above and want to provide a contact method in case follow up is needed, please provide an email or phone number below. If not, click next and end the survey.

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