

The Walsh Ironman Youth Open

Saturday, February 11, 2023

The Ohio Warriors, Ohioquest Wrestling and the North Akron Wrestling Club bring the magic of the Ironman Tournament to youth wrestling with the Ironman Youth Open. We are now opening up this event to individuals as well as teams. Please note that all wrestlers must pre-register for this tournament at www.ohioquest.com. **THERE IS NO WALK UP OR SAME DAY REGISTRATION.** You must register by February 9th at 10:00 p.m. to compete in this event. This tournament will move extremely fast- expect your wrestler's weight class to be completed in two hours or less.

Event Location: Walsh Jesuit High School, 4550 Wyoga Lake Rd, Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio.

Tentative Weigh In and Start Times:

Novice Division Tournament (1st and 2nd year wrestlers only)

<u>Age Group:</u>	<u>Weigh-In Time</u>	<u>Wrestling Begins</u>
Division I: 2016-2017	8:30-9:30 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Division II: 2014-2015	8:30-9:30 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Division III: 2012-2013	8:30-9:30 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Division IV: 2010-2011	8:30-9:30 a.m.	10:00 a.m.

Youth "Open" Division Tournament (Experienced Wrestlers)

Division II: 2014-2015	8:30-11:30 a.m.	12:00 p.m.
Division III: 2012-2013	8:30-11:30 a.m.	12:00 p.m.
Division IV: 2010-2011	8:30-1:30 p.m.	2:00 p.m.
Middle School:	8:30-1:30 p.m.	2:00 p.m.

Special Note: *Final weigh in and start times will not be set until the day before the event when registration is complete.* Check www.ohioquest.com at noon the day before the tournament for finalized times and brackets. The times below are the best estimate of the event schedule, but will be adjusted slightly based on final registration numbers. The purpose of this flexible schedule is to respect your time by maintaining precise start times. Please contact wrestlingquest@gmail.com with any issues once brackets are posted.

Weight Classes: Will be determined after registration is complete. Our goal is to discourage wrestlers cutting weight to make a particular weight class. No wrestler will be paired with a wrestler more than 12% heavier without parental/coach permission. Note that the 12% guideline is impossible to apply precisely to heavyweight classes in most cases. Wrestlers must be within one pound of the registered weight register- though they are permitted to be lighter.

Individual Awards: Olympic Style Medals will be awarded to top three place finishers in the Youth Open for Divisions II-IV. Top three finishers in all other Divisions will receive medals.

Registration Fee: \$35. All wrestlers must register online, no walk up or same day registration. Register at www.ohioquest.com. Registration closes on Thursday, February 9th at 10:00 p.m.

Rules: All matches will be three periods with choice of position for the second and third period. Overtime will be a single one minute period, followed by a single :30 ride out period if needed.

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