

2012 Team Palmetto STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS

HOSTED BY: **Team Palmetto Wrestling, Inc.**
 DATE: **03/10/2012**
 TOURNAMENT LOCATION: **Eastside High School**
1300 Brushy Creek Road
Taylors, SC 29687

SPECTATOR FEE: **ADULTS - \$5**
Children 5 & under - FREE
 WEIGH INS: **3/09/12 Evening: @ 7 – 9:30 pm**
3/10/12 Morning: @ 6 – 8:00 am
plus 3/10/12 Morning: @ 9:30 – 11:00 am for H.S.

COACHES MEETING: **@ 8:10 am**
 OPENING CEREMONY: **@ 8:30 am**
 SESSION 1 (D1-5) WRESTLING STARTS: **@ 9 am**
 SESSION 2 (HS) WRESTLING STARTS: **@ Conclusion of Session 1**

TOURNAMENT USING: **STANDARD SCYWA AGES & WEIGHTS**
 MATCH TIME: **DIV 1 thru DIV 3 - (3) 1 MINUTE PERIODS,**
DIV 4 and DIV 5 - (3) 1:30 MINUTE PERIODS
HS – (3) 2 MINUTE PERIODS

AWARDS: **Custom Medals for 1st – 4th places**

There is no weight allowance. **Weigh in uniform is singlet, no socks or shoes.** You will not be allowed to strip down to underclothes and you will not be allowed to leave the weigh in room to run. If you do not make weight you will be scratched, you will only be allowed to move to another weight class if there is a "scratch" in that weight class. There will be no refunds.

TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR CONTACT INFO: **John Mitchell – johncmitchell3@gmail.com**

Standard SCYWA Ages & Weights (Age as of December 31, 2011)

Div 1 (6 & Under)	2005/after	35,40,45,50,55, 60,65,75,HWT
Div 2 (8 & Under)	2003/2004	40,45,50,55,60,65,70,75, 80, 90,100,HWT
Div 3 (10 & Under)	2001/2002	50,55,60,65,70,75,80,85,90,95,103,112,120,130,HWT
Div 4 (12 & Under)	1999/2000	60,65,70,75,80,85,90,95,100,105,112,120,130,150,170,HWT
Div 5 (13/14/15)*	1996/1997/1998	70,75,80,85,90,95,100,105,110,115,120,125,130,140,150,160,180,200,275
High School		106,113,120,126,132,138,145,152,160,170,182,195,220,285

*Must provide proof that wrestler is still in 8th grade. **Tournaments have the option to block Heavyweights to ensure matches; however there should be no more than a 20 pound spread between competitors in Division 1, no more than a 25 pound spread between competitors in Divisions 2 & 3 and a 30 pound spread between competitors in Divisions 4 & 5.

Team: _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Date of Birth: _____

SCYWA/NUWAY

Number: _____

<i>Division</i>	<i>Weight Class</i>

In consideration of your acceptance to my entry, I and my legal heirs do hereby waive and release any and all claims for damages I may have against the hosting organization/club, their sponsors, coaches, volunteers, tournament officials, and/or administrators for any and all injuries suffered by me in connection with the tournament named above. I have reviewed the flyer for this tournament and agree to all rules, guidelines, and additional waiver information printed.

Parent Signature

Date

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March 10, 2012

NUWAY Nationals Qualifier
Ohio Tournament of Champions Qualifier

10 MATS

2012 Team Palmetto Tryouts

Sunday March 11th @ Eastside High School
Registration & Weigh-ins: 12:00pm to 12:45pm
Wrestling Starts: 1:00pm

Closed to SC wrestlers only! No grouping of weights. These are scratch weights. No weight allowance.

Wrestler can only compete in one division/weight class.

If wrestler registers for two divisions/weight classes the wrestler will be deleted from the heavier weight class and will be required to make lightest weight registered. No refunds for missed weight or multiple division entry.

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- 1st, 2nd, 3rd and 4th will medal.
- The top 4 will qualify for the Ohio Tournament of Champions.
- 1st, 2nd and 3rd qualify for NUWAY Nationals in Battle Creek Michigan.
- The champion of D1 thru D5 will also be awarded a tournament poster.

Skin Checks will be performed by certified trainers. Any questionable wrestlers will be subject to no admittance into the tournament. With no refund. The tournament director will have final say on who wrestles. Wrestlers can bring the non contagious form, downloadable from SCHSL or from the Forms page on www.teampalmettowrestling.com, with a doctor's signature with the wording the wrestler in question is "Non Contagious"...But Tournament Director will still have final say.

SCHSL Certified Referees.

Pre-Registration: Division 1 thru 5 wrestlers must be registered through Carolina Wrestling. Go to www.carolinawrestling.com to register. Registration closes at midnight on Wednesday the 9th. Make sure to bring confirmation of registration to check-in.

High School Registration: If you DID NOT place at the SCHSL State Championships you are required to register on Carolina Wrestling. If you placed in the top 3 at SCHSL State Championships, your registration fee is waived. Please pre-register by emailing johncmitchell3@gmail.com. Please send me your name, State Place, School, and weight class you plan on wrestling.

ALL athletes and coaches must have SCYWA cards in order to participate. Purchase cards at www.teampalmettowrestling.com . Cards will not be on sale at tournament.

THIS WILL BE A SPLIT SESSION TOURNAMENT: High School session will start immediately after championship round and award ceremony of 1st session.

Weigh-ins for MS and under will be: Friday March 9th, from 7:00 – 9:30pm
 Saturday March 10th, from 6:00- 8:00 am

Weigh-ins for HS will be: Friday March 9th, from 7:00 – 9:30pm
 Saturday March 10th, from 9:30am – 11:00am

(Division 1 - 5) IF WRESTLERS ARE NOT WEIGHED IN BY 8:00 AM ON THE 13th THEY WILL BE SCRATCHED. BE ON TIME! WE REQUEST ALL WRESTLERS BE THERE NO LATER THAN 7:30am.

All medals will be given at the end of the championship finals. **NO MEDALS WILL BE GIVEN OUT UNTIL THE FINALS OF THAT BRACKET HAVE CONCLUDED.** Medals will be presented in the Eastside Auditorium and will distributed in order of division and weight class starting with Division 1 35, 40, 45, etc. State Placers will be called to the auditorium and the rows will be labeled accordingly and reserved for those wrestlers. Parents will be allowed to take pictures however they **WILL NOT** be allowed on the stage. Doors to the auditorium will be clearly marked for entrance and exit.

Entry fee: \$25.00 per wrestler. Wrestlers must make weight. There is no re-bracketing or moving from pre registered division. You must make weight!!!!

Hardship: If coaches have any wrestler(s) that they feel are a hardship case and would need financial help for registration contact John Mitchell @ johncmitchell3@gmail.com and arrangements will be made. Make arrangements prior to 11pm of March 7th.

Wrestlers must provide SCYWA cards and signed waiver form at time of check-ins in order to receive their weigh-in card. Bring your SCYWA card and signed waiver with you! Once you have received your weigh-in card, the wrestler will proceed to the skin/nail check area. Once he/she has passed the skin/nail check, the wrestler will proceed to the weigh-in area. NO PARENTS OR COACHES WILL BE ALLOWED PAST THE POINT OF THE CHECK-IN AREA.

Wrestlers must have Birth Certificate at tournament in case age is challenged.

Procedure of challenging age:

- Challenging wrestler must contact John Mitchell before second round of wrestler in question brackets begins.
- Challenging wrestler must have NUWAY card and copy of Birth Certificate to request a challenge.
- Wrestler in question must provide NUWAY card and Birth Certificate. If wrestler in question cannot provide Birth Certificate or is not in correct age division he/she will forfeit all matches and will not be refunded money.
- In case of the high school division wrestlers must have copy of recent report card.

Opening ceremonies will be at 8:30 am. Wrestling will begin @ 9:00 am or as soon as opening ceremony is over. All Medals will be awarded after the Parade of Champions.

Brackets:

- 1-5 Wrestlers – Round Robin
- 6 Wrestlers & Up – Standard Bracket

Match Times:

- Divisions 1, 2 and 3: 1 - 1 – 1
- Divisions 4 and 5: 1 ½ - 1 ½ - 1 ½
- High School: 2 - 2 - 2

Seeding will be based on Upper & Lower State Championship results. It is possible that based on those results, wrestlers from the same team could face each other in the first round or be placed on the same side of the brackets. This cannot be altered. Wrestlers that did not participate and place at Upper & Lower State Championships will be placed in brackets via blind draw. Brackets will be posted on the main page at www.teampalmettowrestling.com by Friday at noon. **There will be NO wrestle backs for a true 2nd place due to the fact that this is a seeded tournament.** Any appeals about brackets will be made to John Mitchell. John Mitchell will have final decision. Appeals must be done before Friday March 9th.

In brackets that are Round Robin format, the following criteria will be observed to break a tie:

1. Head to Head
2. Most Pins
3. Most Cumulative Points (within the wrestlers in question matches)
4. Most Takedowns

High School wrestlers that medal (1st, 2nd and 3rd) at the 2012 High School State Championships will wrestle for free at this SCYWA State Championship. This includes all independent high schools but they must have a current NUWAY membership.

All High School Wrestlers are invited to wrestle. Come see some great match ups with High School wrestlers that will not be divided between High School divisions.

2012 TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS

FREE TO ALL REGISTERED CLUBS

Each team will consist of (2) High School Wrestlers (9th-12th), (4) Middle School Wrestlers (6th-8th), and (7) Elementary School Wrestlers (K-5th). Wrestler will score in his original registered division. Teams also select (2) alternates (total) in case 1st teamers have no one in their bracket. A team can't collect a wrestlers points if there is no one in that wrestlers' scoring bracket.

Clubs may submit multiple teams. However, a wrestler can only score for one team. Elementary wrestlers must be comprised from the club roster that was current on the Team Palmetto database as of midnight on 12/31/2011. Please check your membership card to verify club affiliation. Middle and high school wrestlers must be from the clubs local area. John Mitchell will have the final decision on which middle and high school wrestlers are eligible.

TEAM POINTS

- 1st place 16 pts
- 2nd place 12 pts
- 3rd place 8pts
- 4th place 4pts

REGISTRATION: Teams must be emailed to John Mitchell @ johncmitchell3@gmail.com no later than 11:00 pm, Wednesday, March 7th. Team trophies will be given to 1st, 2nd and 3rd place finishing teams at the conclusion of the tournament.

Submit team name, Wrestler names, Wrestler scoring bracket:

Atlantic Wrestling Team

ES (5 ES Wrestler K – 5th grade)

Jon Smith	Junior	80	NUWAY#SC0910W1234
David Smith	Midget	60	NUWAY#SC0910W5678

MS(5 MS wrestlers 6th – 8th grade)

HS (2 HS Wrestlers 9th - 12th)

Alternates

- 1.
- 2.