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WRESTLING

2012

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

TEAM WRESTLING

SECTIONALS

DISTRICTS AA & AAA

REGIONALS

CHAIRMAN INFORMATION

## 2011-12 WRESTLING TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

### District IV Team Wrestling

District Team AA Pigtail	Site of	7:00 pm	January 30, 2012
District Team AA Prelims	Higher Seed	7:00 pm	February 1, 2012

### District Team quarters, semi-finals and finals

			February 4, 2012
AA Quarter-finals	Milton	Steve Gobble	11:00 Quarter-finals
AA & AAA Semi-final	Milton	Steve Gobble	1:30 Semi-finals
AAA Finals	Milton	Steve Gobble	6:00 Finals
AA Finals	Milton	Steve Gobble	6:00 Finals

Team States	Hershey		February 9, 10, 11
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### AA Sectionals

			February 18, 2012
North Section	Athens HS	Steve Gobble	9:00 am (2) mats
East Section	Hughesville HS	Bob Apple	6:00 pm Finals. 3 <sup>rd</sup> , 4 <sup>th</sup>
South Section (3)	Mifflinburg HS	Dave Campbell	
West Section (3)	Montoursville HS	Roger Heckrote	

<b>AA Districts</b>	Williamsport HS	Dave Campbell Steve Gobble	Feb. 24 and Feb. 25, 2012 Feb. 24 -1 <sup>st</sup> Round – 5 PM Feb. 25–Double Elim. Round (8:30) Followed by Cons./Qtr./Semi
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<b>AAA Districts</b>	Jersey Shore HS	Hal Stockdill Steve Gobble	February 24, 2012 (Friday) Semi-finals-6:00 PM
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<b>AAA Regionals</b>	Bethlehem	Terry Roden	March 2 & 3, 2012
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<b>AA Regionals</b>	Williamsport HS	Steve Gobble Dave Campbell	March 3 - 6 PM March 4 – 10 AM Con/Semi 4:30 PM–Cons Finals-Finals
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<b>States AAA and AA</b>	Giant Center	Mark Byer	March 8, 9, 10 Hershey
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### Wrestling Committee

Phone Numbers:	School	Home	Fax
Steve Gobble – Chairman	928-8194	247-7770	928-8196
Bob Apple		539-8838	837-5267
Sean McCann	323-8411	320-0914	322-4150
Terry Roden	286-3713	286-2102	286-3775
Charles Carr		743-1419	
Dave Campbell	758-2640	286-1424	758-2842

## ***DISTRICT IV - TEAM WRESTLING TOURNAMENT***

2011-2012

AAA - 4 schools

AA - 33 schools

### QUALIFICATION PROCEDURES:

- A team must have at least a .500 record to qualify for the District team tournament
- **Teams must declare their intent to either participate or not to participate in the District IV team tournament by email to the District IV wrestling chairman by noon on Friday, January 27, 2012.** (Call Steve Gobble work 570-928-8194—fax 570-928-8196 Or home @ 570-247-7770—e-mail at school - [d4wrestling@sulcosd.k12.pa.us](mailto:d4wrestling@sulcosd.k12.pa.us) Cell # 607-242-4443
- Only matches wrestled on or before Saturday, January 28, 2012 will be counted toward seeding.

### SEEDING PROCEDURES: revised 8/01

- All seeding will be done by the District IV wrestling chairman on Sunday, Jan. 29, 2012.
- Participating teams, AA and AAA, will be seeded by their won/loss percentage in matches wrestled on or before Saturday, January 28, 2012.
- If participating teams have the same won/loss percentage, the higher seed will go to the team who won the dual meet between the two teams involved.
- If participating teams have the same won/loss percentage, the higher seed will go to the team with the greater number of victories.
- If participating teams have the same won/loss record and did not wrestle each other, the higher seed will be determined by a flip of a coin.
- If the number of participating schools is not a power of 2, the highest seeded teams will receive byes in the quarter-final and semi-final rounds as necessary to complete the bracket to a power of 2. (Highest seeded = #1, #2, etc.)

**\*\*NOTE\*\* District team championship bouts do count on an individual wrestler's overall record, but DO NOT count toward individual seeding points for sectionals or districts.**

### PIG-TAIL ROUND: (AA only) - if necessary

- If more than sixteen teams participate, a pig-tail round will be held on Monday, January 30, 2012 @ 7:00 pm to reduce the field to sixteen teams.

- Matches will be wrestled at the higher seeded school. (Higher seeded= #1, #2, etc.)

PRELIMINARY ROUND: (AA only) - if necessary

- Matches will be wrestled at the site of the higher seeded team on Wednesday, February 1, 2012 at 7:00 PM to reduce the field to 8 schools.
- If the number of participating schools is not a power of 2, the highest seeded schools will receive byes in the quarter-final round. (Highest seeded= #1, #2, etc.)

QUARTER-FINAL & SEMI-FINAL ROUND: *no consolation matches will be wrestled*

- Will be wrestled on Saturday, February 4, 2012 at Milton H.S.
- AA Team Quarterfinals will be held @ 11:00 am (Weigh in at 10:00 a.m.)
- AA Semi-finals will be held at approx. 1:30 PM
- AAA Team final will be held @ 6:00 pm (Weigh in at 5:00 p.m.)

DISTRICT IV TEAM CHAMPIONSHIP:

- The AA and AAA team championship matches will be held at the Milton Area High School on Saturday, February 5, 2011.
- The two winners from the AA semi-final round will wrestle each other at 6:00 PM.
- The District IV Team Champions will be the winners of the AA and AAA championship matches

ADVANCEMENT:

- For 2012, District IV will advance two (2) AA teams and one (1) AAA team in to the State team championship tournament.
- State team competitions will be held on Thursday, February 9; Friday, February 10; and Saturday, February 11, 2012.
- Please see the PIAA website for state pairings.

EXPENSES / PROCEDURES: District team wrestling tournament

- The responsibility for preparing the site, arranging for sufficient help, security, and medical personnel will rest with the host school for each District team tournament match.
- The District IV wrestling committee will issue contracts for officials for the District team tournament.
- The wrestling committee will assign a game manager for each match wrestled in the District team tournament.
- Teams participating in the District team tournament will share in the profits from the matches (After expenses) on a percentage basis determined by the District Committee.

# **SECTIONALS**

**Statement on Seeding**

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AA School Breakdown**

# Statement on Seeding:

It is the responsibility of the coach to provide the Sectional Chairman or District Chairman proof of their wrestler's prestige points.

*Example:* A wrestler has a competition with a wrestler from out of state with prestige points. The coach needs to provide the chairman with documentation of the prestige points.

*There is absolutely no excuse for coaches who do not take the time to research the points earned by their wrestlers. Coaches who do not check points will be reported to their respective school's administrator.*

**Note:** Tom Elling's Pennsylvania Wrestling Handbook provides state results for Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Ohio, Virginia, & West Virginia. In the past the documentation problems have come to light when trying to research sectional, district, regional, and their equivalents at other states. All points should be verified by the respective sectional or district chairman.

# SEEDING PROCEDURE FOR DISTRICT IV AAA & AA SCHOOLS

AS ESTABLISHED JAN. 22, 1980

Revised Nov. 10, 1993, Jan 1999

COACHES: Bring this sheet with you to the seeding meeting.

Mandate:

**AA-** Cut-off date for seeding points for Sectionals is the Saturday before Sectionals (Feb. 11, 2012).

**Those matches that were re-scheduled can be made up until Feb. 15, 2012.**

**AAA-** Cut-off date for seeding points is on Feb. 15, 2012.

**AA-** Seeding points are final upon sending rosters to the District Chairman on Feb. 11, 2012.

**AAA-** Seeding points are final upon sending rosters to the District Chairman on Feb. 22, 2012.

1. If two boys have the same point total, the higher seed will go to the boy with the greatest number of matches wrestled.
2. Only varsity records can be counted for seeding.
3. All forfeits count on a wrestler's record for seeding, providing the wrestler made weight; in which case it counts as a win.
4. All Must have 12 bouts to get full total if not subtract 8 points for each bout under 12 from total.
5. A wrestler with a zero and zero record goes to the last seed and a boy with an 0-1 or an 0-2 record is seeded before an 0-0 record even though he has minus points. The only exception is unless the boy with 0-0 record has 35 or more points.
6. Two wrestlers with equal matches and equal points will be determined by a flip of a coin, by tournament director to determine the seed. If the two boys have met each other this season, the winner of the match gets the higher seed. If they have not met, the winner of the flip of the coin gets the higher seed. (no choice of coach) Keyword higher.- Rev. Feb. 25, 1983.
7. In the scoring of team points for tournament title, points earned for a bye are scored only when that wrestler wins his next bout.
8. The win via bye does not apply to the individual record.
9. All 9 positions using our point system in a 9 man bracket will be seeded using the above criteria where it applies.
10. Seeding for District AA Tournament will be done as before (total points for the winners and reverse order for the runner-up). Provision for District Regional and State Champs - separate brackets unless more than two, then points taken precedent.
11. Note #1 - The above may be deviated from by the unanimous consent of all the head coaches involved in the tournament. Deviations from the above should never come to the floor unless they are very unusual. (AAA - Majority plus one in place of unanimous)  
Note #2 - AA Sectionals seeding meetings will take place on Thursday before the tournament. AAA and AA District seeding meeting will take place at the discretion of the tournament manager.  
Note #3 - No shifting weight classes after the seeding is faxed into the tournament manager. Brackets are firm at this point. Replacement for injury and illness is permitted.  
Note #4 - AAA Seeding Passed 3-2-88. AA Seeding Passed 2-22-89. In a 7 team bracket the #1 seed must get the bye. If two byes exist, the number 1 number 2 seed must take a bye.
12. **Seeding information will be sent out via email and placed on the District webpage on Sunday, Feb. 19, 2012 at approximately, 3:00 P.M.**

## **SEEDING CALCULATOR**

**Information on how to seed your wrestlers using the seeding calculator will be sent to you during the season.**

# District IV Wrestling

## AA Schools

Sectionals – Saturday, Feb. 18, 2012

All weigh-ins at 8:00 AM, doors open at 8:15, wrestling begins at 9:00 AM

East – Bob Apple  
At Hughesville High School  
2 mats

Benton  
Bloomsburg  
Central Columbia  
Columbia MVT  
Hughesville  
Muncy  
Sullivan  
Warrior Run  
Sugar Valley Charter  
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South – Dave Campbell  
at Mifflinburg High School  
2 mats

Danville  
East Juniata  
Line Mountain  
Midd West  
Mifflinburg  
Mt. Carmel  
Southern Columbia  
Shamokin

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North – Steve Gobble  
at Athens High School  
2 mats

Athens  
North Penn  
NEB  
Sayre  
Towanda  
Troy  
Wellsboro  
Williamson  
Wyalusing  
9

West – Roger Heckrote  
at Montoursville High School  
2 mats

Bucktail  
Canton  
Lewisburg  
Loyalsock  
Montgomery  
Montoursville  
S. Williamsport  
Milton

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No. of Schools  
2011-2012

East – 9                      South – 8                      North – 9                      West – 8

34 AA Teams

4 AAA Teams – Jersey Shore, Selinsgrove, Shikellamy, Williamsport

Session I – Pigtails, quarter-finals, semi-finals, consolations until Finals and Consi. Finals are set. The gym will then be cleared.

Session II – Doors open at 5 pm. 3 / 4 and 1 / 2 will wrestle one weight at a time, starting promptly at 6 PM. All introductions and HOF ceremonies should take place in a way that allows the 6 PM start.

Seeding meeting will be held on February 16, 2012 at the discretion of tournament director.

# PIAA District IV AA Individual Wrestling Tournament 2011-2012

*To:* Principal, Athletic Director, and Head Wrestling Coach

*Topic:* Individual District IV Wrestling Tournament

*Dates & Times:*

- Friday Night 2/24/12 Williamsport H.S.  
AA Weigh-ins 4:00 pm  
AA Coaches Mtg. 4:30 pm  
AA Prelims 5:00 pm  
AA Quarterfinals 7:00 pm
  
- Saturday Morning 2/25/12 Williamsport H.S.  
  
\*AA Weigh-ins 7:30 am  
Elimination consolation round @ 8:30 am  
AA Semi-finals/Consolation Quarter-finals approximately 10:00 am  
AA Consolation Semi-finals approximately 12:30 pm
  
- Saturday Evening 2/25/12 Williamsport H.S.  
AA Coaches Mtg. 3:30 pm  
AA 5/6 bouts 4:00 pm  
AA 3/4 bouts 4:45 pm  
Parade of Champions – 5:30 pm  
AA Finals/Medals Immediately following the Parade of Champions

\*AA wrestlers will receive one additional pound allowance on Saturday 2/25/11, because it is the second day of a 2 day tournament.

*Tickets:*

Students	\$3.00 per session
Adults	\$6.00 per session
Sat. Evening Session	\$6.00 all tickets

*Awards:* In each weight class-The top 5 wrestlers in AA and top 2 in AAA will each receive a medal. The AA & AAA team with the most points at the conclusion of the tournament will receive a team plaque.

*Shares:* Schools will receive one share every time a student wrestles

*Rules:* All rules will be in effect as stated in the National Federation and PIAA Rule book.

# PIAA District IV AAA Individual Wrestling Tournament 2011-2012

*To:* Principal, Athletic Director and Head Wrestling Coach

*Topic:* Individual District IV AAA Wrestling Tournament

*Dates & Times:*

- Friday Afternoon 2/24/12 Jersey Shore H.S.

AAA Weigh-ins 5:00 pm

AAA Coaches Meeting 5:30 pm

AAA Semi-finals 6:00 pm

AAA Finals/Consolation Finals Approximately 7:30 pm

AAA True second bouts Approximately 8:15 pm

*Tickets:*

Students	\$3.00 per session
Adults	\$6.00 per session

**Awards:** In each weight class the top 2 in AAA will each receive a medal. The AAA team with the most points at the conclusion of the tournament will receive a team plaque.

**Shares:** Schools will receive one share each time a student wrestles, provided the net receipts are in excess of the expenditures for the tournament.

**Rules:** All rules will be in effect as stated in the National Federation and PIAA Rule book.

All seeds will be emailed to Hal Stockdill on February 22, 2012 @ 9:00 AM at [stochal@sulcosd.k12.pa.us](mailto:stochal@sulcosd.k12.pa.us)

P.I.A.A.  
Northeast Regional AA Tournament  
March 2 & March 3, 2012

To: Qualifying Wrestling Coaches, Athletic Directors, and Principals

From: Steve Gobble – District IV Wrestling Chairman

Subject: 2012 AA Northeast Regional Wrestling Tournament Information

1. PLACE: Williamsport Area High School, Williamsport, PA
2. DATES: Friday, March 2 and Saturday, March 3, 2012
3. TIME SCHEDULE: DO NOT ARRIVE BEFORE 3:00 – PARKING IS NOT AVAILABLE

Friday – Registration: 3:30  
3:45-4:30 All Registrations – A 124 – A 126  
NO EXCEPTIONS

Weigh-in 5:00

Coaches' Meeting 5:30

Championship quarter-finals 6:00 Doors will open at 5:00  
3 mats – 56 total bouts

Saturday Weigh-in 8:30

Doors Open 8:30

Wrestling begins 9:30

Championship semi-finals (2 mats) simultaneously  
Consolation quarter-finals (1 mat) immediately followed by  
Consolation semi-finals (3 mats) 84 total bouts

**\*\*NOTE\*\*** State tournament complimentary tickets will be distributed after the  
championship and consolation final rounds. See Mr. Gobble.

Coaches' Meeting 3:30

Doors open 3:30

Parade of Champions (top 4 place finishers) 4:30

Consolation finals and championship finals (2 mats) will follow immediately after the parade  
of champions.

4. Advancement from Districts to N.E. Class AA Region:

District II (3)

District IV (5)

5. Advancement from N.E. Region to Class AA States to be held on March 8, 9, and 10, 2012 – top **THREE** wrestlers in each weight. (Medals awarded to top FOUR place finishers).
6. District IV wrestling will handle seeding on Sunday, February 26, 2012.
7. Consolations will begin by pairing the losers of the quarter-final round. The winners of that round will wrestle the cross bracketed losers of the semi-final round.
8. REGISTRATION: Williamsport High School, March 2, 2012, 3:45 – 4:30 P.M. Room A 124  
NO EXCEPTIONS PLEASE.

Competing schools are responsible for acquiring their own lodging and meals. Each competing school is responsible for the transportation expenses of their contestants and their coaches.

P.I.A.A. Will Not Reimburse Schools for Lodging, Meals or Transportation Expenses.

9. COMPLIMENTARY TICKETS: Two tickets to each school. One manager and three coaches plus all competitors must be stamped at time of registration to obtain admittance to weigh-in and sessions.  
NO FREE LOADERS, such as non-participants, ex-coaches, or parents.
10. PARKING PASS: 1 per school - receive at registration. Two will be given with 6 or more qualifiers.
11. STATE TOURNAMENT INFORMATION will be explained in detail at the Coaches' Meeting.
12. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

Steve Gobble (District IV) 570-928-8194  
Sean McCann (District IV) 570-323-8411 ext. 3204  
Dave Campbell (District IV) 570-758-2901

## AA Northeast Regional Wrestling Tournament

District II	16 schools	3 qualifiers
District IV	<u>34</u> schools	<u>5</u> qualifiers
	50 schools	8 qualifiers

**3 wrestlers will advance to the PIAA state tournament.**

### SEEDING PROCEDURES / FORMAT:

1. The two District champions will be seeded on points based on the combination of:
  - A. Winning percentage – i.e. the number of victories divided by the total number of matches wrestled. A wrestler must have wrestled a minimum of 12 matches. Eight points will be deducted for each match less than 12. Winning percentage will be based on the record that a wrestler has at the **beginning** of the District Tournament.
  - B. Quality points – i.e. a wrestler will be awarded points for his highest place finish in the previous year's state tournament. The points awarded will be consistent in both Districts.
2. The two District champions will be placed in the eight man bracket on lines 1 and 8 respectfully.
3. There will not be any byes in the quarter-final round.
4. The top seeded District champion will wrestle the 4-5 man in the quarter-final round. The second seeded District champion will wrestle the 4-4 man in the quarter-final round.
5. The first and third place finishers from each District will be placed in the same half bracket. The second place finisher from each District will be placed in the half-bracket opposite the District champion.
6. The top three place finishers from any District cannot meet until the semi-final round.
7. One of the two possible bracketing combinations will be used based on the seeding of the District champions.

AA NORTHEAST REGIONAL WRESTLING PAIRINGS

DISTRICT II - 3    DISTRICT IV - 5

Top-seeded champion:	II	IV
	2-1	4-1
	4-5	4-5
	2-3	4-3
	4-2	2-2
	2-2	4-2
	4-3	2-3
	4-4	4-4
	4-1	2-1

## **PIAA DISTRICT IV WRESTLING**

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