



**49th Annual New England Interscholastic
Wrestling Championships
Friday, March 1st & Saturday, March 2, 2013
Providence Career and Technical Academy, Providence, RI**

Presented by the Council of New England Secondary School Principals' Association
President: Paul Hoey, Connecticut Interscholastic Athletic Conference
Executive Director: Donn Friedman, donn@cnesspa.org, (860-416-1884)

The meet will be held regardless of weather conditions.

TOURNAMENT MANAGEMENT:

Tournament Director: Richard Magarian (401-497-8721)
Tournament Coordinator: Paul Defosse (401-862-6942) pauldefosse@yahoo.com
Protest Committee: New England Council Wrestling Committee

CONTESTANTS:

Maine, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont 1, 2, 3 place wrestlers
Connecticut 1, 2, 3, 4 place wrestlers
Massachusetts 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 place wrestlers

Note: No alternates from any state will be allowed to compete in the tournament. Only wrestlers officially entered by state representatives may compete.

ENTRIES: (Tournament Coordinator: Paul Defosse – 401-862-6942 or pauldefosse@yahoo.com)

- A. **State Reps Only:** Please Email, by 2PM on Sunday, Feb 24th, your typed entries to: pauldefosse@yahoo.com. Please provide correct names and spelling. This is very important. If there is a problem, call Paul at 401-862-6942.
- B. It is most important that the entries be submitted no later than 2PM for scheduled program printing and bracket production.
- C. **Please Note:** There will be **NO** New England wrestling alternates. Please do not bring alternates to the tournament or list them on your entry sheet.
- D. There will be no appeal with regard to official entries. The list that is submitted is final. There will be no changes or additions once the official list is submitted.
- E. Pigtail wrestlers will be moved to fill the bracket when necessary. The tournament coordinator has final say on the movement of wrestlers. His decision will be final with no appeal. His professional judgment will be honored.

ARRIVAL:

Please do not arrive at the Providence Career and Technical Academy (PCTA) before 3:30 PM on Friday and 8:00 AM on Saturday. Please DO NOT arrive early, as you will not be allowed entry. The gym will not be available on Thursday.

ENTRY FEE:

Entry fee: \$20 per wrestler. Pay \$20 to registration clerk and receive official weigh-in card. NO weigh-in unless \$20 fee is paid. There will be **no refunds** and **no purchase orders** will be accepted, check or cash only. Checks should be payable to: **CNESSPA**. All payments must be made on the day of registration. Receipts will be available upon request.

Each registered wrestler will receive a beautiful New England Tournament pin and an attractive certificate of participation.

PASSES:

Only qualified wrestlers and their coaches will be admitted without charge.

Only two (2) coaches from each team will be admitted without charge. **Coaches will be issued wristbands on Friday and must retain the wristband for entrance on Saturday. There will be no exceptions. Without the wristband on Saturday, you will pay the general admission fee.**

(Note: Only team members listed on the entry submission and two coaches will be allowed through the competitor gate. \$10.00 per person can be added to the entry check for additional team members, who are not on the entry form, or additional coaches.)

RULES:

National Federation Rules, 14 weight classes.

No weigh-in on Saturday.

4 lb. weight allowance on Friday (example 106 = 110).

The New England Seeding Chart is used to place all wrestlers in the bracket.

SCORING:

The tournament will be double elimination to 3rd place. Team scoring will start in the 32-man bracket. All bouts will be scored. Scoring: 16-12-9-7-5-3. We will wrestle to 6 places in each weight class.

CONSOLATIONS:

This is a double elimination tournament. All wrestlers will have a minimum of two matches.

WRESTLING FORMAT:

Eight mats will be used. Bouts will be assigned to mats continuously starting at the lowest weight class and working up. Every effort will be made to adhere to the tournament schedule.

AWARDS:

It is the coach's responsibility to have their wrestlers present and properly dressed for the awards ceremony, which will take place throughout the championship finals. There are trophies for the top three teams plus individual awards for the top 6 place finishers in each weight class. There is also an Outstanding Wrestler trophy, and an Outstanding Finals Bout award (both wrestlers receive). No awards will be given early.

ADMISSION:

Adults and Students: \$10 per session, or \$20 for an all-session tournament pass. There are three separate sessions: Friday PM, Saturday AM, and Saturday PM. Under school age is free with parent tournament or gate pass.

Please make all checks payable to: **CNESSPA**

TOURNAMENT TIMES:

See Tournament Schedule Sheet.

MISCELLANEOUS:

1. Food concessions will be available. No food in gym.
2. T-Shirts will be available for sale at the tournament.
3. The building is a smoke-free area. **NO SMOKING ALLOWED.**
4. Please secure all valuables both inside the PCTA and outside with cars and buses. The CNESSPA and Providence School System are not responsible for lost or stolen items or valuables.
5. **Please do not use the Citizen's Bank parking lot on Friday prior to 6:00 pm!**

**New England Wrestling Tournament
2013 Tournament Schedule
Providence Career and Technical Academy, Providence, RI**

Friday, March 1, 2013 (All times are approximate)

3:30 PM	Gym Opens - Registration (Do NOT arrive at gym before 3:30 PM) Session #1 Admission
3:30 PM to 4:30 PM	Weigh-In. Times strictly enforced. Only one weigh-in. RI officials will conduct. Four scales. 4-lb weight allowance.
4:30 PM to 4:45 PM	Coaches Meeting – Auditorium
5:00 PM to 6:45 PM 6:45 PM to 9:05 PM 9:05 PM to 10:35 PM	Round 1: Preliminary Round (8 Mats, 84 Bouts) Round 2: First Championship Round (8 Mats, 112 Bouts) Round 3C: Consolation Round #1

Saturday, March 2, 2013 (All times are approximate)

8:00 AM	Gym Opens - Please do not come early! – Session #2 Admission
9:00 AM to 11:00 AM 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM 11:15 AM to 12:15 PM	Round 4: Quarterfinals (4 Mats, 56 Bouts) Round 4C: Consolation Round #2 (4 Mats, 56 Bouts) Round 5C: Consolation Round #3 (6 Mats, 56 Bouts)
<i>Break</i>	<i>If Possible</i>
1:00 PM to 3:15 PM 1:00 PM to 3:15 PM 3:30 PM to 4:15 PM	Rounds 6: Championship Semifinals (2 Mats, 28 Bouts) Round 6C: Consolation Quarterfinals (2 Mats, 28 Bouts) Round 7C: Consolation Semifinals (4 Mats, 28 Bouts)
<i>Break</i>	<i>Gym Must Be Cleared</i>
5:30 PM	Gym Opens – Session #3 Admission
6:00 PM	Hall of Fame Presentations & Introduction of Finalists & National Anthem
6:30 PM to 9:00PM	Championship Finals, 3 rd Place & 5 th Place Bouts (3 mats, 42 Bouts) Medal round to commence at random weight class to be drawn and announced. Awards Ceremony (throughout the evening).

Awards:

Awards will be presented throughout the championship finals. Awards for 106 presented after 113, and so on. Please have wrestlers in uniform for awards. No awards will be given prior to the awards ceremony.

Plaques:

Top Three Places

Coaches - Please Note:

1. Top 3 wrestlers will receive a beautiful plaque.
2. Each plaque will have a blank nameplate.
3. Please have school engrave student's name on plate and place on plaque.
4. All wrestlers receive a certificate of participation and a commemorative pin.
5. Champions coach will award medals.

Medals: 4th, 5th, and 6th Place

Other Plaques: Team Champions, Team Runner-Up, and Team 3rd Place
Outstanding Wrestler, Outstanding Finals Bout (both wrestlers)

Photos:

Taken at Awards Stand - Have wrestlers neatly dressed in uniform.
Please, No Hats.

**Directions to
Providence Career and Technical Academy
Providence, RI**

Site of New England Wrestling Tournament

**Providence Career and Technical Academy
91 Fricker Street
Providence, RI 02903**

From I-95 North and I-95 South:

Take Exit 21 (Atwells Ave). Stay straight to go onto Service Road No 7. Take a slight right onto Broad Street. Turn right onto Fricker Street and the facility will be on your left.

WRESTLING HOTEL LIST—2013

It is very important that when calling to make a reservation that you tell the clerk you are with the “NEW ENGLAND HIGH SCHOOL WRESTLING CHAMPIONSHIP” group. Tell them the rate listed on this page.

***** TOURNAMENT HOST HOTEL *****

SHERATON PROVIDENCE AIRPORT – 401-738-4000

(New \$10 million renovation)

1850 Post Road-----\$89.00 plus taxes

Warwick, RI 02886-----Complimentary Breakfast

Also:

WYNDHAM GARDEN INN - 401-272-5577

220 India St.----- \$105.00 plus taxes

Providence, RI 02903----- Complimentary Breakfast

HILTON GARDEN INN - 401-734-9600

1 Thurber St.----- \$99.00 plus taxes

Warwick, RI 02886-----Complimentary Breakfast

HAMPTON INN - 401-608-3500

58 Weybosset St----- \$109.00 plus taxes (parking fee)

Providence, RI 02903-----Complimentary Breakfast

COMFORT INN - 401-824-0677

1940 Post Rd.-----\$69.00 plus taxes

Warwick, RI 02886-----Complimentary Breakfast