



**Head Coach: Brent Lane Assistant Coach: Jordan Stewart**  
**Principal: Jim Lambert Athletic Director: Marshall Nienstedt**

**TO:** Wrestling coaches, athletic directors and officials  
**FROM:** Marshall Nienstedt (AD) and Brent Lane (Head Coach)  
**DATE:** January 4<sup>th</sup>, 2012  
**RE:** 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Fredonia Invitational Wrestling Tournament (January 28<sup>th</sup>, 2012)

Welcome to the 30<sup>th</sup> Annual Fredonia Invitational Wrestling Tournament at Fredonia High School on Saturday, January 28<sup>th</sup>. We look forward to hosting your team. Below you will find important information regarding our tournament:

**Schools Invited:** Andover, Burlington, Caney Valley, Central of Burden, Eureka, Iola, Labette County, Leon-Bluestem, Maize South, Putnam City (OK), Rose Hill, Valley Center "B", West Elk, Wichita Independent, Wichita West, Wichita South, Fredonia

**Location:** Fredonia High School (Wilson Gymnasium)  
916 Robinson  
Fredonia, KS 66736

**Start time:** Coaches' meeting will begin at 7:30 a.m. in the Fredonia High School FACS room. Please be on time. Wrestling will begin promptly at 9:00 AM.

**Weigh-in:** Weigh-in time at Fredonia High School will be from 6:00 to 7:30 AM. You may weigh-in at home by using the home site weigh-in form. The form must be signed by a school administrator and turned in before the coaches' meeting.

**Officials:** Kevin Son – Chanute, Todd Kahler – Independence, Josh Lattimer – Fort Scott, Sean Price – Joplin, 1 more TBD

- On-line Entries:**
- A) An e-mail will be sent to each school's coach. The e-mail contains the school's log-in and password that allows you to enter your wrestlers for the meet.
  - B) If you DO NOT receive the e-mail by January 16<sup>th</sup>, please contact Brent Lane at 620-378-4172 (school) or 620-288-0030 (cell), or [blane@fredoniaks.com](mailto:blane@fredoniaks.com).
  - C) Please inform us if your team is scheduled to wrestle on Friday, January 27<sup>th</sup>, so that I can notify the other teams.

**NOTE:** 1-entry per school, extras may be e-mailed to Coach Lane for consideration. Please do not enter any extras onto the trackwrestling.com system.

**ENTRIES DUE ON-LINE by THURSDAY, JANUARY 26<sup>TH</sup> at 12:00 PM.**

Lineups will be released to the coaches at that time for the purpose of entering head-to-head information. Coaches will have until 1 p.m. on Friday 1/27 to enter the head-to-head information. When entering, please remember to include only varsity records.

**PLEASE E-MAIL YOUR TEAM PASS GATE INFO BY TUESDAY, JANUARY 24<sup>TH</sup> FOR THE PURPOSE OF PRINTING PROGRAMS.**

**Please be prompt returning pass gate list, program information, and entry fee. If you have questions or concerns, please contact me at (620) 378-4172. The fax number is (620) 378-4398.**

**Seeding:** We will begin seeding wrestlers according to:

- A) Head-to-Head
- B) Common Opponents
- C) 2011 State Place
- D) 2011 State Qualifier
- E) 2011 Fredonia Invitational Place
- F) Season Record Wins
- G) Overall Win %

Other Circumstances:

- A) Coaches speaking for a seed may reach an agreement (one coach concedes).
- B) Drawing may be used to settle unusual situations.
- C) A coach may ask for a vote.
- D) In the event two wrestlers from the same school are drawn in to meet in the first round we will redraw.

**COACHES:** We will pre-seed the tournament on Friday night, beginning at 7:00 p.m. via IDL. You may of course attend here in Fredonia if you choose to. The purpose of the pre-seed is to utilize the trackwrestling head-to-head entry, as well as other criteria to make Saturday's seeding meeting smooth. Coaches are encouraged, but not required, to participate.

**Changes:** Last minute cancellations and substitutions may be made at the coaches' meeting. The 16-man bracket format with full double-elimination will be used unless numbers dictate that an 8-man or round-robin bracket be implemented. NOTE: Coaches, please be on time.

*If you know you will be late and have a scratch, please call 620-288-0030 (Coach Lane) and let us know.*

**Schedule:** Wrestling will be conducted on four mats until the finals. Finals will begin approximately 30 minutes following the consolation finals. The open mat procedure will be used. It is important that wrestlers listen to the announcer for the matches "on-deck" and "in the hole."

**This is the round order and mats that will be wrestled:**

1. Round 1: Mat 1-3 (Weights – TBD); Mat 4 (Weights – TBD)
2. Championship Quarters: Mat 1-3  
1<sup>st</sup> Round Consolation (wrestlebacks): Mat 4
3. 2<sup>nd</sup> Round Wrestlebacks: Mat 1-3 (Weights – TBD); Mat 4 (Weights – TBD)
4. Championship Semi-Finals: Mat 1-3  
A) 0-2 matches paired up on Mat 4
5. Consolation Quarters - 3<sup>rd</sup> Round Wrestlebacks: Mat 1-3  
B) 0-2 matches paired up on Mat 4
6. Consolation Semi-Finals – 4<sup>th</sup> Round Wrestlebacks: Mat 1-3
7. 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup>, 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> place matches: Mat 1-3
8. Championship Finals: 1 Mat

**Awards:** We will recognize the top six finishers in each weight bracket on the awards stand (we will wrestle for 5<sup>th</sup>/6<sup>th</sup> place and 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> place if possible). Top four finishers in each weight class will receive awards on the awards stand. Trophies will be given to the top three teams. One sportsmanship plaque and one outstanding wrestler plaque will also be given.

**Team Points:** Team points will be awarded based on advancement, bonuses, and placing.

1<sup>st</sup> Place – 16 pts.

2<sup>nd</sup> Place – 12 pts.

3<sup>rd</sup> Place – 9 pts.

4<sup>th</sup> Place – 7 pts.

5<sup>th</sup> Place – 5 pts.

6<sup>th</sup> Place – 3 pts.

7<sup>th</sup> Place – 2 pts.

8<sup>th</sup> Place – 1 pt.

**Tie-Breaking:** Tie-Breaking Criteria – The criteria would be applied in sequence listed to determine which wrestler would be awarded the high place (No 6<sup>th</sup> match rule):

- A) If two wrestlers had wrestled each other in that day's competition, the results of that match would determine the awarding of places.
- B) If the two wrestlers had wrestled in that day a common opponent, the results of those matches would determine the awarding of the places. Example: A and B both have had five matches in the tournament. A and B both wrestled C in that day's competition. C defeated A, B defeated C. B would be awarded the higher place.
- C) If one of the two wrestlers had been penalized for unsportsmanlike conduct during that day's competition, the other wrestler would be awarded the higher place.
- D) The wrestler having received the fewest penalty points during the day's competition shall be awarded the higher place.
- E) The wrestler having accumulated the greatest number of falls during the day's competition shall be awarded the higher place.
- F) The wrestler having accumulated the greatest number of tech falls during the day's competition shall be awarded the higher place.
- G) The wrestler having accumulated the greatest number of points during the day's competition shall be awarded the higher place.
- H) In the event that the criteria does not determine which wrestler is awarded the match, both wrestlers will be awarded the same place and team points will be divided equally between the two wrestlers.

**Leg-Bands:** Leg bands will be located in the center of the mat and should be left there when completing the match. Wrestlers must report to the scorer's table before entering the mat. Officials will have the option to change bands due to the color of the uniform being worn.

**Team Seating:** Each school will be assigned an area in the gym to accommodate blankets, coolers, etc. All wrestlers are asked to remain in the gym or commons area, outside the gym. Towels will not be furnished. Each school is responsible for their own valuables.

**Hospitality Room:** A hospitality room will be provided for administration, coaches, and tournament workers only. A concession stand will be available.

**Pancake Feed:** The Fredonia Lions Club will be hosting a pancake and sausage breakfast in the FHS Commons from 7:00 to 11:00 AM. Cost for the breakfast will be \$4.00 (This includes all the pancakes you can eat, coffee or juice, and one serving of sausage).

**Admission:** Adults - \$4.00  
Students (K-12) - \$3  
Children under 5 – Free  
NO PASSES will be accepted.

**Questions:** Administrator questions? Jim Lambert or Marshall Nienstedt  
Phone: 620-378-4172

Wrestling questions? Brent Lane  
Phone: 620-378-4172 or 620-288-0030 (cell)

# Pass Gate List for Fredonia Wrestling Invitational Due by January 26th

Superintendent: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_

Principal: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_

Athletic Director: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_

Head Coach: \_\_\_\_\_ Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_

Assistant Coaches (max. of two): \_\_\_\_\_

Spouses: \_\_\_\_\_

Managers (max. of two): \_\_\_\_\_

School Resource Officer: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional, team related persons (Statisticians, videographer, trainers, team physician, etc)  
Limit to 4:

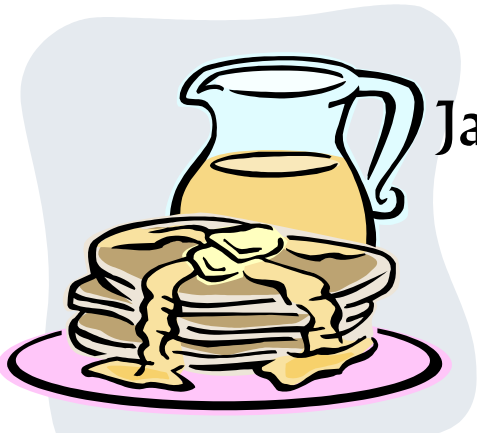
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Bus Driver: \_\_\_\_\_

Cheerleading Sponsor: \_\_\_\_\_

Cheerleaders (must be in uniform):

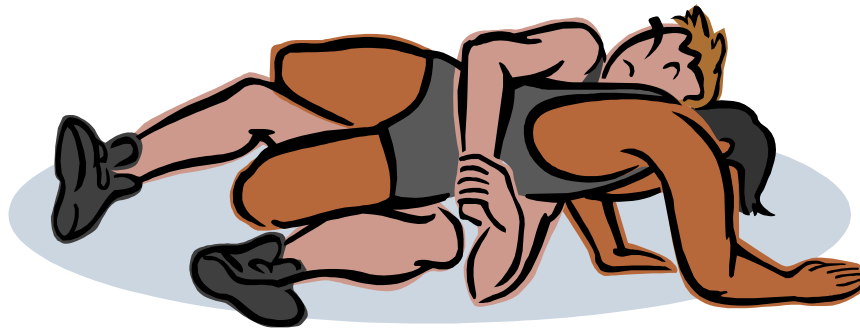
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**Lions Club Pancake Breakfast**  
**January 28<sup>th</sup>, 2012 – 7:00-11:00 AM**  
**Fredonia High School Commons**

**Cost: \$4.00 per plate**

**Includes: Pancakes, sausage patties, and a drink**



**All proceeds benefit the Lions Club Scholarship Fund**