

Youth Membership and Practice Policy

Wrestlers (Pre-school/Kindergarten through 8th grade) who are members of the Harlan Wrestling Club are to only attend practices sponsored by the Harlan Wrestling

Club or Harlan Community Schools during the course of the Club season (December 1 through the State AAU Wrestling Tournament which is February). They will not be allowed to attend practices sponsored by any other organizations/clubs/coaches.

Rationale: 1. Continuity of Instruction and Philosophy: All quality programs have continuity of instruction as well as philosophy. When we have some of our wrestlers going to outside practices during the season it negatively affects this very important aspect of our program. We feel we have excellent coaches that can teach our wrestlers everything they need to know to be successful and more importantly, teach them "life lessons" that will help them be outstanding citizens. 2. Unity: Another key ingredient to a successful program is unity. It is our experience that having wrestlers attending practices sponsored by another club/organization during the season is divisive and it hurts the unity of the club. Any wrestler found violating this policy will relinquish all rights, benefits and membership of the Harlan Wrestling Club for the current wrestling season.

Harlan Community Wrestling Club

HARLAN COMMUNITY WRESTLING CLUB

REGISTRATION NIGHT

Thursday, November 17, 2011
HCHS Wrestling Room
6:30-7:00 PM
Short Presentation by
Coach Murtaugh at 6:45 PM

The Harlan Community Wrestling Club is sponsoring youth wrestling for wrestlers between the Kindergarten and 8th grades. Practices will be at the Cyclone Wrestling Room on Monday and Wednesday evenings. Coach Murtaugh and Coach Kelly will conduct the practices with the help of high school wrestlers and other adult volunteers. Emphasis will be on **FUN & FUNDAMENTALS**.

If you cannot be at the registration night, please turn in your registration and fee to Mr. Murtaugh, Mr. Kelly or your classroom teacher before November 23 so that we can order you a t-shirt. Shirts will be handed out at practice on Dec. 14 for those pre-registered.

PRACTICE SCHEDULE

Where: Cyclone Wrestling Room

Time: K-2 grades 5:15-6:15 pm
3-8 grades 5:15-6:30 pm

Dates: Mon. & Wed.

Nov. 30 / Dec. 5, 7, 12, 14, 19 & 21

Jan. 4, 9, 11, 16, 18, 25 & 30

Feb. 1, 6, 8, 13 & 20

*No practice Jan. 23 - JV Invite here

*No practice Feb. 15 - HS State Tournament

(Optional)

There will be optional AAU practices set up by Coach Murtaugh after regular season practices.

Membership Information

What do I get for \$20.00??

1. T-SHIRT (handed out Dec. 14 for those who sign up on Nov. 17)
2. 18-30 practices
3. Banquet - Year End. Main course and awards provided by club.
4. 1/2 scholarship toward wrestling camp (Up to \$75 if one parent works or \$125 if both parents work AAU District qualifier)
5. Singlets are provided by the club to borrow and return.
6. Rides to Tournaments is no problem..they can be provided.....just ask.

Wrestling in tournaments is optional. There will be a schedule set for tournaments our club recommends. You can pick which ones you want to attend.

If you have shoes or any other wrestling equipment that your child has outgrown bring them to practice for our "shoe bank". If you need shoes Bauer's has a good selection.

Harlan Community Wrestling Club

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- Mike Bentzen - High School Parent
- Leanne Travis - Middle School Parent
- Joan Musich - Youth Parent
- Scott Anderson - Youth Parent

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DATES TO REMEMBER:

Tournaments in Harlan

Beginner's Tourney: Sunday, Jan. 22

AAU District Qualifier: Sunday, Feb. 5

Trophy Tournament: Sunday, Feb. 12

(This tournament is the longest running Youth Tournament in Iowa. This tournament was recently renamed the "John Vanderheiden Trophy Championship" in honor of the founder of the Little Cyclone Wrestling Club.

These tournaments listed are the fundraisers for the Wrestling Club. Funds raised at these tournaments help the Wrestling Program at all levels; youth, middle and high school.

Any questions or concerns please contact Coach Murtaugh (733.2750) or Coach Kelly (755.2799).

Registration Form

Name: _____

Age: _____ Grade: _____

Birthdate: _____

Address: _____

Parents: _____

Email: _____

T-Shirt: Wrestling child gets one free and additional shirts are \$15.00. Place the number of shirts you would like next to the size.

YS _____ YM _____ YL _____

AS _____ AM _____ AL _____

AXL _____ A2XL _____

I release the Harlan Wrestling Club and all involved with the Harlan Wrestling Club of responsibility for any injury that might occur in wrestling practice or wrestling meets. We have insurance for our child in case of such injury. We will take responsibility for our child's behavior while he/she is in the building. I also authorize my child's name and/or picture to be posted on cyclonewrestling.com. I agree to abide by the Practice Policy (see other side).

Parent Signature

Make Checks Payable to:
HCWC