

OLYMPIC CHAMPIONS

USA Wrestling National Team Coaches, Steve Fraser (1984 Greco-Roman Olympic Gold Medalist) and Kevin Jackson (1992 Freestyle Olympic Gold Medalist), will sign autographs and hand out awards in their respective styles.

EVENT SCHEDULE

Wednesday, June 28	Start	Finish
GR Technique Clinic (Instructed by USAW)	3:30 pm	4:30 pm
GR Weigh-in Card & Coaches Pass Pickup	5:00 pm	6:00 pm
Pairing Officials Clinic	5:00 pm	6:30 pm
GR Medical Check/Weigh-ins (See Weigh-in Procedures)	6:00 pm	6:20 pm
Copper Certification Clinic	6:00 pm	10:00 pm
GR Tournament Setup	6:30 pm	Conclusion
GR Mat Officials Clinic	7:00 pm	8:30 pm
Thursday, June 29	Start	Finish
GR Rules Clinic (Athletes & Coaches)	8:00 am	8:15 am
Welcome	8:20 am	8:25 am
GR Preliminaries	8:30 am	1:00 pm
#GR Preliminaries thru Finals	3:00 pm	Conclusion
FS Weigh-in Card & Coaches Pass Pickup	5:00 pm	6:00 pm
FS Medical Check/Weigh-ins (See Weigh-in Procedures)	6:00 pm	6:20 pm
FS Tournament Setup	6:30 pm	Conclusion
Friday, June 30	Start	Finish
FS Rules Clinic (Athletes & Coaches)	9:15 am	9:30 am
Opening Ceremonies	9:30 am	10:00 am
FS Preliminaries - Session I	10:00 am	2:00 pm
FS Preliminaries - Session II	4:00 pm	7:00 pm
Officials Social	7:30 pm	10:30 pm
Saturday, July 1	Start	Finish
#FS Preliminaries thru Finals	9:00 am	5:00 pm
Parade of All-Americans --- Immediately before Finals		

#Breaks scheduled as necessary

All athletes **MUST** be present at the **BEGINNING** of weigh-ins

Sessions and schedule subject to change

For specific event procedures or scheduling, contact USA Wrestling National Events at 719/598-8181



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ASICS KIDS FREESTYLE & GRECO-ROMAN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

THE FINAL EVENT OF USA WRESTLING'S PRESTIGIOUS TRIPLE CROWN SERIES

JUNE 28-JULY 1, 2006
BROWN COUNTY ARENA
GREEN BAY, WI

Event Director: Jeff Jones
Phone: 262/424-3672
E-mail: jeffjones@wi.rr.com
Venue Address: Brown County Arena
1901 South Oneida Street
Green Bay, WI 54304

Online registration, event information and all necessary forms available at www.wiwrestling.com/WWF/kidsnatl.htm

GENERAL INFORMATION

ENTRY: Registration available online or by mail. Participants **MUST** present proof of current USA Wrestling Membership Card (actual card or photo copy) at registration. **Late or onsite entries will not be accepted.** **WEST REGION PARTICIPANTS:** online registration will be available until 1:00 pm on the Sunday following the West Regional Championships; for mailed registrations, you **MUST** visit the event website for special instructions.

DISCOUNTED --- ONLINE REGISTRATION: Online registration will be available at www.wiwrestling.com/WWF/kidsnatl.htm until 1:00 pm (Central Standard) Sunday, June 25th. **Entry fee for participants REGISTERING ONLINE is \$30 per style or \$50 for both styles.** You **MUST** pay by credit card if registering online. All participants registering online **MUST** turn in the accurately completed waiver, medical and entry forms (Pages 1 & 2 --- with all necessary signatures), and a copy of your CURRENT membership card at the onsite event registration.

MAILED REGISTRATION: **Entry fee for participants REGISTERING BY MAIL is \$40 per style or \$60 for both styles ---** all checks made payable to "WWF." The accurately completed waiver, medical and entry forms (Pages 1 & 2 --- with all necessary signatures), a copy of your CURRENT membership card **AND** entry fee must be received by Friday, June 23rd --- **NO EXCEPTIONS.** Mailed registrations **MUST** provide a contact phone number and are advised to use traceable mail, **WITHOUT** a signature required for delivery. **Mail all forms to:** Jeff Jones, 3130 Six Mile Road, Racine, WI 53402.

INDIVIDUAL AWARDS: Attractive awards to the top eight (8) place winners in each style, in each weight class of all divisions. All first place winners will be asked to stay after the awards ceremony for age-group champion photos. No awards will be given out prior to the awards ceremony.

RULES: The current rules of FILA, with USA Wrestling modifications where applicable, will govern the event and the competition.

UNIFORMS: Red and blue singlets, or red/blue reversible singlet with underbriefs **REQUIRED.** Headgear is **REQUIRED** for all competitors.

PAIRINGS: Random draw of contestants. Separation of wrestler's per Kids National Championships policy. Two pools will be employed if there are six (6) or more entrants in any given weight class.

COACHING: FLOOR PASS REQUIRED. Coaches' floor passes will only be issued to those individuals with a current USAW Coach's Membership Card and who are a minimum USAW NCEP Copper certified. Coach's Membership Cards should be obtained from your state office. Two certified coaches max. in each competitor's corner. To videotape any match at mat-side, the operator must be one of the two certified coaches in the corner. Only coaches with a current USAW Coach's Membership Card **AND** who are USAW NCEP certified are entitled to free admission.

MEDICAL INFORMATION: Athletes must be present in a **COMPETITION SINGLET** and must submit to a skin disease screening prior to weigh-in. The chief medical officer has full authority without appeal in determining the eligibility of an athlete to compete. In the event of injury or illness, no contestant will be permitted to continue the competition without approval of the

Chief Medical Officer, whose decision is final and not subject to appeal.

WEIGH-INS: An athlete competing in two styles may weigh in once for both styles. This is contingent on the athlete actively competing in the first one of two wrestling styles scheduled. **Athletes competing in one style must weigh in at the official weigh-in for that style. All athletes must be present at BEGINNING of weigh-ins.** Each athlete will be allowed two consecutive attempts to make weight and may not leave the weigh-in area. All wrestler's must be dressed in a **COMPETITION SINGLET** for weigh-ins and no weight allowance is given for the singlet. A wrestler may compete in the National Championships at a weight equal to or higher than the lowest weight class, regardless of style, in which he/she qualified at the regional level.

ELIGIBILITY: All contestants must present proof of current USA Wrestling Membership Card at registration. Membership Cards must be acquired from the State Chairperson or State Membership Director of the contestant's state of residence. Secondary sports accident insurance is provided as a benefit of membership.

A wrestler, to be eligible to participate in the 2006 USA Wrestling Kids National Freestyle & Greco-Roman National Championships, **MUST HAVE PARTICIPATED IN AT LEAST ONE STYLE** at their designated 2006 USA Wrestling Kids Regional Tournament --- **NO EXCEPTIONS.** A wrestler may compete in both styles at the national championships even though he/she only competed in one style at the regional tournament.

The girls divisions/festivals, held at some of the regional championships, are not defined as Regional Championships and thus **DO NOT** fulfill the requirements necessary to compete in the Kids Freestyle & Greco-Roman National Championships.

KIDS TRIPLE CROWN: The Kids Freestyle & Greco-Roman National Championships is the final event in USA Wrestling's prestigious Triple Crown Wrestling Series. Athletes that win the championship at USA Wrestling's Folkstyle National Championships and USA Wrestling's Freestyle & Greco-Roman National Championships will be recognized as 2006 Triple Crown Champions. Winners will be presented special awards and will be honored in *USA Wrestler*, the official publication of USA Wrestling. All Triple Crown winners will be asked to remain following the end of the freestyle awards ceremony for recognition and a special photo session.

SPECTATOR ADMISSION: Adults - \$7/per day or \$17/all sessions; Children - \$5/per day or \$12/all sessions; Pre-school children are free.



AGE GROUPS & WEIGHT CLASSES

Midget: Born 1996-1997 50, 55, 60, 65, 70, 75, 80, 87, 95, 103, 112, 120, 120+ [20 lb. max. diff.]

Novice: Born 1994-1995 60, 65, 70, 75, 80, 85, 90, 95, 100, 105, 112, 120, 130, 140, 140+ [25 lb. max. diff.]

Schoolboy/girl: Born 1992-1993 70, 75, 80, 85, 90, 95, 100, 105, 110, 115, 120, 125, 130, 145, 165, 185, 205, 225, 250

Weight Classes in Pounds

For online registration, event information and all necessary forms, visit www.wiwrestling.com/WWF/kidsnatl.htm

REGIONAL INFORMATION

All wrestlers **MUST PARTICIPATE** in their designated regional tournament to qualify for the 2006 Kids Freestyle & Greco-Roman National Championships.

For qualification information, check with your State Director or contact the USA Wrestling National Office at 719-598-8181.

Central Regional

IN, KY, MI, OH, WV
May 26-28, 2006
Battle Creek, MI

Event Director: Deb Campbell
1-877-297-4950

Southern Plains Regional

AR, CO, KS, MO, NM, OK, TX
June 15-17, 2006
Carlsbad, NM

Event Director: Rusty Davidson
505/980-9041

Southeast Regional

AL, FL, GA, LA, MS,
NC, SC, TN, VA
May 26-28, 2006
Greenville, SC

Event Director: Martin Moran
843/297-1058

Northeast Regional

CT, DE, MA, ME, MD, NH,
NJ, NY, PA, RI, VT
June 2-4, 2006
Bristol, RI

Event Director: Rico Lomastro
401/641-1583

Northern Plains Regional

IL, IA, MN, NE, ND, SD, WI
June 15-17, 2006
Madison, WI

Event Director: Jeff Jones
262/424-3672

West Regional

AK, AZ, CA, HI, ID, MT,
NV, OR, UT, WA, WY
June 19-24, 2006
Klamath Falls, OR

Event Director: John Longfellow
503/368-4223

ACCOMMODATIONS

To make hotel reservations at discounted room rates for the 2006 Kids Freestyle & Greco-Roman National Championships, visit www.packercountry.com/conventions/index.aspx.

Online Housing Reservations at the discounted rates will be accepted until May 31, 2006. To make a reservation after May 31st or over the phone before May 31st, please call 1-888-867-3342 ext. 1145, Monday through Friday between 8:30 am - 4:30 pm Central Time.

To make an online reservation, follow the instructions below:

1. Go to www.packercountry.com
2. Click on "Make Your Convention/Event Housing Reservations **HERE**"
3. Scroll down the list to "USA Wrestling Freestyle/Greco-Roman Kids Tournament", [Click GO](#)
4. Enter the event code: **greco06**
5. Follow the rest of the simple instructions on the web site.

Event discount will not apply to reservations made through any other web site or by directly contacting hotels.

ASSUMPTION OF RISK, CODE OF CONDUCT, WAIVER AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY

IN CONSIDERATION FOR the opportunity to participate in the EVENT described below, PARTICIPANT acknowledges, agrees and affirms the following:

1. The following words used in this document will have the meaning indicated:

- A. "EVENT" shall mean the KIDS FREESTYLE & GRECO-ROMAN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS.
- B. "USAW" shall mean The United States of America Wrestling Association, Inc., d/b/a USA Wrestling, Inc., and its directors, officers, members, employees, officials, committees, clubs, affiliates, agents and their successors and assignees.
- C. "EVENT ORGANIZER" shall mean a club, local organizing committee or any other person or entity responsible for hosting, conducting, and/or sponsoring the EVENT, including any director, officer, member, official, committee or agent thereof and their successors and assignees.
- D. "PARTICIPANT" shall mean the undersigned individual who competes or is involved in the EVENT and his/her parents, legal guardians, heirs, personal representatives and their successors and assignees.
- E. "PERSONAL INJURY" shall mean and include any bodily injury; permanent, temporary, total or partial disability; paralysis; dismemberment; or death.
- F. "PROPERTY DAMAGE" shall mean and include damage or destruction to PARTICIPANT'S gear, equipment and all other personal property or belongings.
- G. "MEDICAL TREATMENT" shall mean and include all emergency medical treatment, medical procedures, hospitalization or other care rendered to PARTICIPANT in connection with or resulting from his/her participation in EVENT.
- H. "LOSS" shall mean and include any and all liabilities, losses, damages and claims (including reasonable costs and attorneys' fees), which are suffered or result directly or indirectly from PERSONAL INJURY, PROPERTY DAMAGE and/or MEDICAL TREATMENT to PARTICIPANT, or others, and which are incurred during or in the course of PARTICIPANT'S preparation for, participation and involvement in, and travel to or from the EVENT or the conduct and management of the EVENT.

- 2. By issuing a sanction for the EVENT, USAW is not responsible or liable for the management or conduct of the EVENT, unless USAW has otherwise expressly agreed in writing to serve in such role.
- 3. PARTICIPANT understands and appreciates the risks of serious injury that may occur in the sport of wrestling or in the course of preparing for, participating in and traveling to or from the EVENT, and that such activities may involve risks, including PERSONAL INJURY.
- 4. PARTICIPANT knowingly and voluntarily assumes all such risks of LOSS and all legal and financial responsibility therefore.
- 5. USA Wrestling (USAW) is committed to providing a safe environment for its members, participants, coaches, officials and volunteers and to prevent abusive conduct and harassment in any form while participating in the activities of USAW. USAW promotes good sportsmanship throughout the organization and encourages qualities of mutual respect, courtesy and tolerance in all members, participants, coaches, officials, staff and volunteers. USAW advocates building strong self-images among participants. Athletes with a strong self-image may be less likely targets for abuse or harassment; similarly, they may be less likely to engage in abuse or to harass or bully others around them.

To this end, USAW has established the following guidelines of behavior. All members of the organization, as well as parents, spectators and other invitees are expected to observe and adhere to these guidelines.

Harassment and abuse are defined in various sources such as state law, case law, sports organization and professional association codes of conduct and training manuals, corporate and business workplace documents and human rights commission materials. USAW has not adopted any specific definition of harassment or abuse, choosing instead to defer to such general sources and definitions for reference and application, depending on the circumstances. As further elaboration of examples given above, the following generally describe conduct that may be considered harassment or abuse:

- Any improper or inappropriate comment, action or gesture directed toward a person or group that is related to race, ethnicity, national origin, religion, age, gender, sexual orientation, disability or other personal characteristic.
- Creating an environment through behavior or course of conduct that is insulting, intimidating, humiliating, demeaning or offensive.
- Harassment usually occurs when one person engages in abusive behavior or asserts unwarranted power or authority over another, whether intended or not, and may include, for example,

name-calling, threats, belittling, unwelcome advances and requests for sexual favors (as well as undue pressure to perform or succeed).

- Harassment includes child abuse.

- Child abuse can include physical contact – or the threat of it – that intentionally causes bodily harm or injury to a child. This may include, for example, hitting, shaking, kicking, shoving, forcing an athlete to wrestle when injured or mandating excessive exercise as a form of punishment. It may also include touching for the purpose of causing sexual arousal or gratification that involves a child, rape, incest, fondling, exhibitionism and sexual exploitation. It may also include chronic attacks on a child's self-esteem, such as psychologically destructive behavior consisting of ridiculing, screaming, swearing, racist comments, threatening, stalking, hazing and isolating.

- 6. PARTICIPANT releases, waives any claims and promises not to sue the EVENT ORGANIZER and/or USAW with respect to any LOSS incurred during or in connection with his/her participation in the EVENT, any activities associated with the EVENT and the conduct and management of the EVENT (including as may result from the negligence of the EVENT ORGANIZER), except any LOSS which is the result of gross negligence and/or willful or wanton misconduct by the EVENT ORGANIZER. PARTICIPANT further agrees to hold harmless and indemnify the EVENT ORGANIZER and/or USAW from any claims brought against the EVENT ORGANIZER and/or USAW resulting from, arising out of or in any way associated with any LOSS.
- 7. Prior to participating in the EVENT, PARTICIPANT shall have the right to inspect the facilities and equipment to be used and, if PARTICIPANT discovers any condition which he/she reasonably believes to be unsafe, PARTICIPANT will immediately cause EVENT officials to be notified of such condition and will not participate in the EVENT so long as such condition exists.

BY SIGNING THIS DOCUMENT, PARTICIPANT ACKNOWLEDGES HAVING READ AND UNDERSTOOD ITS MEANING AND CONTENTS.

Print Name of Competitor

Signature of Competitor

Date

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Date