

Columbia Basin Big Nine Wrestling Standard Operating Procedures

(Approved 10-4-17)

1. COMPOSITION OF TEAM – Each team shall consist of 14 members in the following Boys weight classifications: 106, 113, 120, 126, 132, 138, 145, 152, 160, 170, 182, 195, 220, and 285.

Girls' weight classes will be 100, 105, 110, 115, 120, 125, 130, 135, 140, 145, 155, 170, 190 and 235.

2. SCHEDULE – The league schedule consists of one dual match between each member school. Weigh-ins will be in accordance with National Federation rules.

Conference matches shall take place on Tuesday night 7 PM. The first week of conference matches will start the first week of December. Changes can be made to schedule if both participating Athletic Directors agree on schedule change.

3. STARTING TIMES FOR LEAGUE MATCHES

A. Varsity league wrestling dual matches will start at 7:00 P.M., Double duals will start at 6:00 and 7:30. (Host school will determine match set-up, one or two mats.)

B. Weigh-in time will be in accordance with WIAA and National Federation rules.

C. An exchange of an accurate varsity line-up and complete roster will be completed by both coaches 24 hours prior to the match.

4. DISTRICT TOURNAMENT- The league shall sponsor a district tournament to determine the entries to the regional wrestling tournament.

A. The district tournament will be a two day tournament that will begin at 5:00 p.m. on Friday. The Finals will be held Saturday at 4:00 p.m., unless changed by a vote of the coaches.

B. Weigh-ins will be in accordance with National Federation Rules. Weigh-ins shall take place in a single room on a minimum of 3 scales. All scales other than those being used for official weigh-ins shall be removed from the room.

C. The district tournament will use a 10-man bracket. The brackets will be numbered 1-8, from top to bottom. A pig-tail bracket will be used for the #7/10 seed and the #8/#9 seed. Fill in the brackets as follows:

1-#1 seed, 2-#8/9seed, 3-#6 seed, 4-#4 seed, 5-#3 seed, 6-#5 seed, 7-#7/10 and the #8/#9 seed.

- D. Coaches will meet on the weekend prior to the District tournament. Wrestlers will be seeded by the consensus of the coaches. The coaches may use the following criteria to seed wrestlers.
- 1) Varsity League wins.
 - 2) Varsity wins.
 - 3) Head to head competition.
 - 4) Vote of the coaches. Extenuating circumstances always exist. Injury, illness, moving up and down in weight class to wrestle strong opponents. The coaches shall always have the right to vote a wrestler into a seeded position to take these situations into account. If disputes arise and a consensus of opinion among the coaches cannot be reached, the seed will be determined by a vote of the coaches.

The coaches will seed wrestlers 1-7

E. Placement on the bracket:

Seed #1 goes to line 1. Seed #2 goes to line 8. Seed #3 goes to line 5. Seed #4 goes to line 4. Seed #5 goes to line 6. Seed #6 goes to line 3. Seed #7/10 goes to line 7. Seed #8/9 goes to line 2.

- F. Any changes due to medical disqualification or failure to make weigh-in which causes redraws will be made in a re-draw at the coaches meeting following weigh-ins. For the purpose of scoring the deadline for entry into the tournament in the conclusion of weigh-ins. Only two members from each squad may be entered into weigh-ins.
- G. Every person in the tournament, Varsity or JV, scores points for their school team.
- H. Automatic points equivalent to a pin will be awarded in a match where two wrestlers meet from the same school.
- I. All wrestlers will wrestle for 4th place and will score for 4th place. If opponents have met earlier in the tournament, they will wrestle again.
- J. The coaches shall vote for a Lower Weight (106-145) Wrestler of The Year and a Upper Weight (152-285) Wrestler of the Year at the seeding meeting. The coaches shall also vote for a Coach of the Year at the seeding meeting.

5. ALL CONFERENCE

- A. District champions will receive ALL CBBN FIRST TEAM All-Conference Certificates.
- B. The runner-up in the district tournament will receive ALL CBBN SECOND TEAM All-Conference Certificates.

- C. The third-place finisher in the district tournament will receive ALL CBBN HONORABLE MENTION All-Conference Certificate.

6. DISTRICT TOURNAMENT SITES

- A. The hosting of the District Tournament will be on a rotation as follows:

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>DISTRICT</u>
2018	West Valley
2019	Moses Lake
2020	Eisenhower
2021	Eastmont
2022	Sunnyside
2023	Davis
2024	Wenatchee
2025	West Valley
2026	Moses Lake
2027	Eisenhower
2028	Eastmont
2029	Sunnyside
2030	Davis

7. REGIONAL TOURNAMENT SITES

- A. The hosting of the Regional Tournament rotation will be as follows:

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>SCHOOL</u>
2018	Eisenhower
2019	SPSL
2020	Moses Lake
2021	SPSL
2022	West Valley
2023	SPSL
2024	Sunnyside
2025	SPSL
2026	Eastmont
2027	SPSL
2028	Wenatchee
2029	SPSL