

2017  
CONCORDE  
CONFERENCE 5



WRESTLING  
CHAMPIONSHIPS  
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# Concorde Conference 5 Wrestling Tournament 2017 (Approved 9/22/16)

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Dates:    Friday February 3, 2017  
Saturday February 4, 2017 (SNOW DATE)

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## Schedule of Events – Friday February 3, 2017

9:30 am - Open Scales

10:30 am – Weigh In

### Session #1 \$7

11:30 am - Doors will open

12:30 pm – Quarter Finals (2mats)

1:30 pm Semi-Finals (running tournament – approximate time)

3 pm Consolation Semi-Finals (running tournament – approximate time)

### Session #2 \$7

4:00 pm Consolation Finals (2 mats)

5:30 pm Finals (one mat)

**Admission:** \$7.00 each session

**Tickets:** There is no advance sale of tickets. Tickets will be \$7.00 for each session.

**Passes:** VHSL Coaches Association, Athletic Directors Association, School Administrators from the Northern Region and Working Press passes will be honored.

**Inclement Weather:** The tournament director will keep DSA 's informed as to any changes due to inclement weather. Every possible effort will be made to conduct the tournament on schedule. The scheduled times for each session will be subject to change in conjunction with local availability.

**Seeding/Scratch Meeting:** For the purpose of confirming entries and seeding wrestlers, all coaches must attend a meeting on ***Thursday February 2, 2017 at 7:00p.m in Drivers Ed Room*** at Westfield High School (come in door #11- first classroom on the left) Dinner will be provided. Coaches please bring one case of Gatorade or water to use in the hospitality room.

Coaches must provide the following

1. weigh in certification
2. verification of actual weigh ins after certification for each entry in the Conference tournament.
3. The VHSL weigh in form with required signatures will be used for verification.

**Facilities:** Designation of locker room assignments, first aid and training room, weigh-in area, hospitality room and restricted areas will be discussed at the scratch meeting.

**Locker Rooms:** Team dressing areas will be assigned. Each team will provide their own locks, towels and toilet paper. Please ensure that all valuables and lockers are kept locked at all times. Coaches are asked to supervise their assigned areas. Each team and coach are responsible for their areas. Please leave these areas clean and free from debris when vacating the area.

**Gymnasium:** Movement throughout the area should be restricted. Wrestlers are asked to stay in their particular area of the gym. Wrestlers should stay away from the mat area so coaches are not hampered and so that spectators will be able to view the competition.

**Hospitality Room:** The Hospitality Room is a project of Westfield Wrestling Program. Please understand that you are a guest and that this could not be provided without parent support. It is set up for coaches, tournament officials, wrestling officials, members of the press and other personnel associated with the tournament. **NO WRESTLERS ARE PERMITTED TO USE THIS ROOM.**

**Concessions:** Food and drink concessions will be offered. All proceeds from the concessions sales will go to the booster club of Westfield High School.

**Weigh-In:** Weigh-in for the tournament will take place two hours before the beginning of the first session. Weigh in procedure will follow federation or state guidelines.

**Awards:** Championship Team Plaque to be presented at the end of the tournament, following the heavyweight medal presentations. Championship Patches will be given to the Coach as well.

**Medals:** Medals for First, Second, and Third place in each weight class will be presented immediately following the next championship bout. Wrestlers should be in uniform or warm up, **no hats**.

**Outstanding Wrestler:** Coaches must submit their ballots for the outstanding wrestler of the tournament to the director at the conclusion of the heavyweight championship bout. Submit three names ranked 1-3 where 1 is the top choice. In the event of a tie, the coaches will revote for a winner from the tied wrestlers. Outstanding wrestler plaque will be awarded prior to championship plaque.

**Grievance Committee:** Will be composed of the Head Official, Tournament Director and Assistant Director.

**Rules:** The 2016-2017 National Federation of State High Schools Association Wrestling Rule Book will govern.

**Officials:** Officials will be selected by the coaches at a January meeting held by the Regional Director and the Wrestling Coaches Association.

**Scoring:**

From the National Federation Rulebook, scoring is as follows:

Fall	2 pts
Default/forfeit	2 pts
Advancement/ winners bracket	2 pts-except finals
Advancement/ consolation bracket	1 pt- except finals
Technical fall	1 ½ pts
Major decision	1 pt
Bye	Advancement pts will be awarded for a bye if the individual wins next match

Scoring for each of the four places will be as follows:

1 <sup>st</sup> Place	14 points
2 <sup>nd</sup> Place	10 points
3 <sup>rd</sup> Place	7 points
4 <sup>th</sup> Place	4 points

The winner of each championship semi-final will be awarded 10 place points and the winner of each Championship final will be awarded 4 additional points.

The winner of each consolation semi-final shall receive 4 place points and third place winner 3 additional points.

**Notes:**

- A. A wrestler who forfeits a match cannot advance in the tournament. He is not entitled to placement points, but is credited with advancement and fall points earned prior to the incident. A wrestler who is technically disqualified loses the match, but is not removed from the tournament and the score is reflected as a fall would be against him. A wrestler who is disqualified for misconduct is removed from the tournament and loses all points that had been awarded to him. If a place is involved the places are shifted to fill the first four places, but no additional points are award to the other wrestlers for change of place.
- B. A wrestler cannot advance to the Region without physically winning a match, unless there is a four-man bracket or less. Byes are not acceptable wins. In the event a wrestler does not wrestle two matches, the matchmaker and tournament director will deal with the situation at that time. In a 5-man bracket all regional wrestlers must have won a match.
- C. In a weight class with only 3 wrestlers , the 3<sup>rd</sup> place ONLY scores placement points, no advancement points.

**Fifth/Sixth Place:** Wrestlers for fifth and sixth place in each weight class will be selected by coaches' vote

**Match Time:**

Regulation 2-2-2

Overtime A one minute sudden victory period and if needed two 30 second tiebreakers. If the score remains tied at the end of the two 30 second tiebreakers, a 30 second ultimate tiebreaker shall take place as per National Federation Rules.

Consolations All consolations matches are 1-2-2

**Concorde Conference Wrestling Tournament  
Seeding Guidelines  
Updated 11/28/12**

**Criteria: (minimum of 2 matches at weight class)**

1. 5-0 at that weight class
2. Most wins
3. Head to Head
4. Points ( a FFT=5.5, pin=6, and so on)
5. Coaches discretion

**Notes:**

1. There is no consideration for matches wrestled at other weights unless it will meet the condition of head to head.
2. Forfeits count as wins
3. At least 2 conference matches must be wrestled at that weight in order to be seeded in the top four.
4. In cases where there are extenuating circumstances, a coach may wish to appeal the seeding of a particular wrestler or wrestlers. A simple majority vote of the coaches is necessary to proceed with the discussion of the circumstances. If the majority is not met the wrestlers are seeded based on the criteria. After a discussion of the coaches and the tournament director regarding those circumstances, the coaches may vote where a wrestler may be seeded.
5. Byes are drawn following the seeding of the top four wrestlers in a weight class. The initial cap for byes is two before they become automatic. Once the limit of two is reached by a school, byes are shared on an equal basis.