

# The Columbus Youth Open

**Sunday, February 13<sup>th</sup>, 2022**

Please note that all wrestlers must pre-register for this tournament at [www.ohioquest.com](http://www.ohioquest.com). **THERE IS NO WALK UP OR SAME DAY REGISTRATION.** You must register by February 11th at 10:00 p.m. to compete in this event. This tournament will move extremely fast- expect your wrestler's weight class to be completed in two hours or less.

**Event Location:** Bishop Hartley High School, 1285 Zettler Rd, Columbus, Ohio.

**Weigh In and Start Times:** For the sake of tournament efficiency, final weigh in and start times will not be set until the day before the event. Check [www.ohioquest.com](http://www.ohioquest.com) at approximately noon the day before the tournament for both finalized times and brackets. Contact [wrestlingquest@gmail.com](mailto:wrestlingquest@gmail.com) with any bracketing issues at that time.

## **Rookie Division Tournament (1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> year wrestlers only)**

<b><u>Age Group:</u></b>	<b><u>Weigh-In Time</u></b>	<b><u>Wrestling Begins</u></b>
Division I: 2015-2016	8:30-9:30 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Division II: 2013-2014	8:30-9:30 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Division III: 2011-2012	8:30-9:30 a.m.	10:00 a.m.
Division IV: 2009-2010	8:30-9:30 a.m.	10:00 a.m.

## **Youth "Open" Divisions (Experienced Wrestlers)**

Division II: 2013-2014	8:30-11:30 a.m.	12:00 p.m.
Division III: 2011-2012	8:30-11:30 a.m.	12:00 p.m.
Division IV: 2009-2010	8:30-11:30 a.m.	12:00 p.m.
Middle School:	8:30-11:30 a.m.	12:00 p.m.

**Weight Classes:** Will be determined after registration is complete. Our goal is to discourage wrestlers cutting weight to make a particular weight class. No wrestler will be paired with a wrestler more than 12% heavier without parental/coach permission. Note that the 12% guideline is impossible to apply precisely to heavyweight classes in most cases. Please note that all wrestlers must be within one pound of the weight or weight class they register at.

**Individual Awards:** Top three finishers in all weight classes will receive medals.

**Registration:** Register at [www.ohioquest.com](http://www.ohioquest.com). All wrestlers must register online, no walk up or same day registration. Registration closes February 11th at 10:00 p.m.

**Rules:** All matches will be three periods with choice of position for the second and third period. Overtime will be a single one minute period, followed by a single :30 ride out period if needed.

**Special Covid-19 Rules:** It is likely that masks may be required by the hosting school for entry, so please bring them for yourself and all spectators. Of course, wrestlers will not be required to wear a mask while competing.

**Contact Information:** [wrestlingquest@gmail.com](mailto:wrestlingquest@gmail.com). Include which tournament you are inquiring about in the subject line so we can answer your question as efficiently as possible.

