



INVITATION to the 2016 – CADET, JUNIOR AND SENIOR NATIONALS OF WRESTLING,

TO – Members of Wrestling Australia Inc.

GENERAL INFORMATION:-

The Tournament will take place on:

February 20th and 21st February 2016 (weigh in Feb 19th and 20th)

At: Building D
35-65 Paramount St Tottenham

PARTICIPATION:-

Senior Women and Senior Men in Freestyle and Greco-Roman is NOT an open competition. It is CLOSED; Australian Citizens only for Seniors and a current passport must be presented with registration OR at weigh in.
It is restricted to Australian Citizens as this is an Olympic selection event.

For Juniors and Cadets - any club or individual members that are a member of Wrestling Australia Inc. can take part.

This is an OPEN Junior and Cadet competition, Australian citizenship is NOT required.

Closing date for entries is:- Friday 5th February 2016

Yours in Wrestling,

SAM PARKER	JOHN SAUL
President, WRESTLING VICTORIA Inc.	President, WRESTLING AUSTRALIA INC.

TECHNICAL AND FINANCIAL CONDITIONS:-

The competition will be held in the following weight categories.

Senior weights: These are NOT Olympic weights.

Juniors can compete in Seniors but 18 year old's require special permission (see last page)

FREESTYLE MALE SENIORS 20 Years and older	GRECO-ROMAN MALE SENIORS 20 years and older		FREESTYLE FEMALE SENIORS 20 and older
Kg	Kg		Kg
57	59		48
61	66		53
65	71		55
70	75		58
74	80		60
86	85		63
97	98		69
125	130		75

JUNIOR weights

Freestyle FEMALE JUNIORS 18 , 19 years old 17 years with special permission (Born 1996-1997)		Freestyle and Greco-Roman MALE JUNIORS 18-19 Years old 17 years with special permission (Born -1996-1997)
Kg		Kg
40-44		46-50
48		55
51		60
55		66
59		74
63		84
67		96
67-72		96-120

CADET weights

Female		Male
Aged 16,17 (Cadets)		Aged 16,17 (Cadets)
(Born 1999-1998)		(Born 1999-1998)
Kg		Kg
36 – 38		39 – 42
40		46
43		50
46		54
49		58
52		63
56		69
60		76
65		85
65 – 70		85 – 100

The competition fees for Cadet, Junior and Senior Nationals of Wrestling:

The cost of entry is **\$ 100** for SENIORS and **\$35** for JUNIORS and CADETS. If a wrestler wishes to enter an additional style or another age division there will be an extra fee of \$ 50 for seniors and \$20 for Juniors.

A wrestler's competition age is the age they become that year, no matter which month their birthday is.

HIGHER AGE CATEGORY

Subject to the limitations advised in the "COMPETITION RULES AND CONDITIONS OF ENTRY", any application to compete in a higher age category and/or higher weight division must be requested on the registration form and must be accompanied by a certificate from a suitable medical practitioner stating that the athlete is physically capable of competing against persons in the higher age category and/or higher weight division.

Permission to compete in the nominated age category or weight division is at the sole discretion of the event organisers.

To be permitted to enter a higher weight division or age category there must also be other entries from persons in that weight/age class for any competition to proceed in that weight/age class, or for any medals to be awarded in that weight/age class.



Cash prizes for Senior Freestyle

In senior men freestyle and senior women freestyle, a cash prize of \$ 500 will be paid to the winner of a weight division

PROVIDED

They have won AT LEAST THREE bouts.

Partial Available Accommodation List

Ashley Gardens BIG4 Holiday Village - Aspen Parks Braybrook
1.81 km from Tottenham Station

Plough Hotel Footscray
2.63 km from Tottenham Station

Footscray Motor Inn Footscray
2.89 km from Tottenham Station

Cadet, Junior and Senior Nationals of Wrestling 2016 Competition Details

COMPETITION RULES and Conditions of Entry:

1. All wrestlers are only eligible to compete if they are a member of a Constituent Association, irrespective of whether their relevant Wrestling Club is a member of a Constituent Association of Wrestling Australia Inc.
2. **All competitors are required to be a financial member of their State Association AND Wrestling Australia Inc.**
3. All competitors are responsible for their own medical and physical fitness to wrestle and understand that the nature of the sport of wrestling involves some physical risks that can result in serious injury or death. It is the competitor's responsibility to ensure they are free of skin lesions or allergies and is fit to compete.
4. Competition will be conducted in accordance with UWW Rules; draw will use a modified pairing system.
5. Weight Categories are set to current UWW Rules. All competitors must make weight within these categories..
6. Proof of Age, satisfactory to Wrestling Australia Inc., is required for all competitors. (Copy of Original Birth Certificate or Passport is required with entry form). These forms are required to be submitted to the organizers Victorian Wrestling Association **prior to the closedown date**
7. Competitors in the **Cadets and Juniors - under 18 years of age must** have the application form duly signed by their parent/guardian.
8. Special consideration will be given for entries wishing to compete in a higher age categories provided that the entry form is accompanied with the "Application to compete in a higher Age category form" (see last page) and doctors certificate and that the application has been duly signed by their parent/guardian (where applicable) and the athletes coach and State president. The organisers will have the sole discretionary decision.
9. I agree to comply with the Wrestling Australia Inc. code of conduct during this competition.
10. The Australian Sports Drug Agency (ASADA) may conduct Drug Testing during the competition. ASADA may also conduct out of competition testing at any time. If requested by ASADA to undergo drug testing, the competitor must comply with the request. For more information on ASADA Drug Testing please contact ASADA at P.O. Box 345, Curtin ACT 2605, the Drugs in Sport Hotline 1-800-020-506, or visit their website at <http://www.asada.gov.au/>.
11. I have read and understood the "Competition Rules and Conditions of Entry" and confirm that in consideration of acceptance, by the Victorian Wrestling Association, of this my application to enter this event, I intend to be legally bound hereby for myself, my heirs, executors, administrators and any such persons, to waive and release the organizers, the committee of the United Wrestling Club, their agents, members and any bodies or individuals having any association with this championship from any and all claims or rights to damages for injuries or losses suffered by me directly or indirectly in training for, traveling to or from, competing in or attending these Championship.
12. The Victorian Wrestling Association Inc. needs to promote itself to the community at large, just like any other organization. I thereby authorise the Victorian Wrestling Association, and any person authorised by them, to reproduce, publish, broadcast or do any of the acts comprised in the copyright subsisting in: Photographic picture, Videotapes (with or without sound), Production stills and Voice recording.



EVENT ENTRY FORM – Sen, Jun and Cadet Nationals of Wrestling 19th to 21st February 2016

Club / State:		Coach:	Wrestling Australia Membership Number:
Name Of Wrestler:			
Street Address:			
Suburb:		P/Code:	
Phone No:	Email address:		

Date of Birth*(evidence is required):***I wish to enter the following categories: (enter weight category in appropriate box)****NOTE: Weight category to be confirmed at weigh-in**

	<i>Freestyle Male Weight</i>	<i>Greco-Roman Male Weight</i>	<i>Freestyle FEMALES Weight</i>
Cadets	Kg	N / A	Kg
Juniors	Kg	Kg	Kg
Seniors	Kg	Kg	Kg

Australian Competitors are required to be a **financial member** of their respective State Association and Wrestling Australia inc .
Confirmed by the State President / Secretary.

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Signature President / Secretary

Date:

I have read the above Competition Rules and conditions of entry and agree with these rules and conditions.Signature: Dated: ___ / ___ / ___
[Wrestler]Signature:..... Dated: ___ / ___ / ___
[Parent / Guardian – required if wrestler under 18 years of age]

Send entry forms and details to:

**Victorian Wrestling Association
Po Box 410 Korumburra, VIC 3950****OR Email to -
wrestlingvictoria@hotmail.com**CHEQUES or Payments to –**Victorian Wrestling Association Inc.****and electronic payments are to be Commonwealth Bank BSB 063 020 account 1004 6129**

please add a reference code, association name or mobile phone number

Entry Fees:Seniors - \$ **100.00** and Juniors - \$ **35.00** per wrestler entry.**Note: If competing in more than one (1) competition style and/or age****for each extra competition style and age it is an additional \$50 for seniors
and \$20.00 for Juniors/cadets.**



Application for Approval to compete in a higher Age category

(School-agers who wish to compete as Cadets OR Cadets who wish to compete as Juniors
OR Juniors who wish to compete as Seniors)

Event Name: CADET, JUN AND SEN NATIONALS OF WRESTLING 2016		
Date:	Proposed Weight division: And Style	
Athlete Details:		
Name:	Street Address	
Suburb	State:	Post Code:
Home Phone Number:	Mobile Number:	
Competition Experience:		
Signature of Wrestler		Date:
Endorsements		
We endorse this application to allow		
.....(athletes name) to compete		
in the (age & weight Category)		
of the CADET, JUN AND SEN NATIONALS OF WRESTLING 2016		
(event name)		
Parent's signature if athlete is under 18 years of age:	Parent's Name:	
Date:		
Coach's Signature:	Coach's Name:	
Date:		
State President Signature:	State President Name:	
Date:		
Final Approval – Event organizer:		
Event Organizers Signature:	Event organizers name:	
Date:		

JUN AND SEN NATIONALS OF WRESTLING – Proposed Schedule

FRIDAY – February 19th, 2016

Medical and Weigh in:-

17:30 to 18:00 - Senior Female Freestyle, Senior Male Freestyle

SATURDAY – February 20th, 2016

Competition

08:30 to 09:00 Referee and Coach meeting
09:00 to 17:00 Senior Female Freestyle and Senior Male Freestyle

Medical and Weigh in:-

17:30 to 18:00 – Cadet and Junior Female Freestyle
Cadet and Junior Male Freestyle
Junior and Senior Greco Roman

SUNDAY – February 21st, 2016

Competition

09:00 to 17:00 Cadet Freestyle and Junior Freestyle Competition, male and female
09:00 to 17:00 Senior Greco Roman and Junior Greco Roman,