

**2019 NWCA NATIONAL DUALS  
CHAMPIONSHIPS**

**TEAM PACKET**

January 4-5, 2019

Louisville, KY

# Championship Information

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## **TOURNAMENT WEBSITE:**

[Nwcaonline.com](http://Nwcaonline.com)

PLEASE CHECK BACK FOR ANY SCHEDULE CHANGES

***Note: Please refer to this site for information on the National Duals***

NWCA Phone 717-653-8009 ext 110

## **HOTEL RESERVATION**

Tina Stockwell 816.434.5126

[Nwcaonline.com](http://Nwcaonline.com)

## **Kentucky Expo Center, Louisville, Kentucky Information**

*Please go to the link on the National Dual website [Nwcaonline.com](http://Nwcaonline.com)*

**2019 NWCA National Duals  
CHAMPIONSHIP INFORMATION (contact person)**

**Tournament Information: (Jim Fallis)**

**To Be Determined**

**Hotels: (Tina Stockwell)**

- Coaches please see the hotel link on the National Dual website [www.matmayhem.com](http://www.matmayhem.com) or call the following number between 8:00 am and 5:00 pm for hotel information 816.434.5126

**Awards & Ceremonies: (Jim Fallis)**

The national anthem will occur each day prior to competition. Teams who advance to the Championship and Medal Round on Saturday will be assigned to a mat, lined up in a team dual meet format, and be introduced prior to the finals competition. Following the final placing matches' Saturday, awards will be given to the top eight teams in Division II, III, NAIA, NJCAA and the Women's Division. Awards will be presented at the awards area, located by Mat 1 and 2, and as teams are ready to be introduced and recognized.

**Banners: (Dan Weaver)**

Any banners other than the approved NWCA banners may not be posted in or around the facility. Banners advertising equipment of manufacturers are prohibited.

**Coaches Meeting: (Jim Fallis)**

A championship coaches meeting for all participating coaches will be held:  
Thursday, January 3rd at 6:00 p.m.

Location: **TBD** This will be provided to all coaches at registration and posted on the event website as well ([www.matmayhem.com](http://www.matmayhem.com)).

**Championship Rules: (Jim Fallis)**

All bracketing will be conducted in accordance to NCAA rules.

The Men's matches shall be conducted according to the NCAA rules as listed in the most recent edition of the official NCAA rule book, unless otherwise noted in this packet as a tournament rule.

The women's matches shall be conducted according to USA Wrestling rules.

**Concessions: (Jim Fallis)**

The concession stands will be available throughout the competition. **Each team will be permitted team coolers for drinks, food bars, etc., not to be shared with the public. The coolers must be brought in at weigh in and left in the arena for the day. Team food area will be located down in the practice area only.**

**Credentials: (Dan Weaver)**

Credentials will be distributed to all teams during registration.

Each team will receive no more than seven personnel credentials (coaches, athletic trainers, videographer, and managers). **Any team with more than seven (7) team personnel on the floor will be warned, and extra personnel will be removed from the floor. There is limited floor space and teams must adhere to the tournament policies.**

**Entry Fee: (Dan Weaver)**

Each team competing in the event will pay a \$300 entry fee for the duals.

**Media: (Dan Weaver)**

Each school will be permitted one video camera on the floor in the team bench area and will be restricted to video-taping its own team’s dual meets only. If you choose to video other matches it must be done from a designated area in the stands and not on the floor. Video privileges can be revoked if rules are not followed.

**Hospitality: (Dave Dean)**

Hospitality for Coaches, Officials, Trainers, and Volunteers will be available. Student-Athletes will not be permitted in the hospitality areas.

**Locker Rooms: (Dave Dean)**

Locker rooms will be available in the Kentucky Expo Center for men and women throughout the event. All teams will have access to these locker rooms for restrooms and showering. The locker rooms will not be locked so please take all your belongings with you.

**Match Times: (Jim Fallis)**

All matches will start at the time listed on the tournament schedule. In no case, shall a match start before the scheduled start time listed for that match on the championship bracket.

**Medical Services: (Dave Dean)**

Throughout the NWCA National Duals, medical coverage will be provided. Certified athletic trainers and student trainers will be staffed in the facility. Athletics Training rooms will be available during all scheduled practices and competitions for taping and treatment. If you are not traveling with an ATC, you must supply your own athletic tape and taping supplies. Please note that we will be using available team trainers to help with skin checks prior to weigh in each day.

**Admission**

All sessions		Single Day	
Adult	\$45	Adult	\$25
Student	\$30	Student	\$17

**Open Tournament: (Denise Sageman)**

A collegiate open tournament will be held in the facility on Friday, January 4. A registration link will be made available ASAP. The cost is TBD. Your wrestlers may compete in both the open and duals. However, no matches will be held to accommodate a wrestler competing in both events.

**Parking: (Dave Dean)**

Parking will be available in the Lots located at the Exposition Center. All teams will receive parking passes at registration.

**Practice & Warm-Ups: (Jim Fallis or Dave Dean)**

Warm-up mats will be available throughout the championship but the space is limited. On Thursday, January 3<sup>rd</sup> the Kentucky Expo Center will be available for practice at the times indicated on the master schedule.

**Programs: (Dan Weaver)**

Programs will be created electronically and be available online. Program links will be emailed to coaches and SIDs of all participating schools.

Brackets will be available, in print, on Friday morning.

**Registration: (Dan Weaver)**

Registration for teams will occur in at the Kentucky Exposition Center on Thursday, January 3<sup>rd</sup> from 2:00-5:00 p.m. Team packets should be picked up at this time. Packets will include credentials, parking passes and updated championship information.

**Roster: (Pat Tocci)**

Please submit a preliminary roster on to Track Wrestling no later than 1:00pm EST, December 28<sup>th</sup>. Please be sure to provide any updates to your roster on this as well. In addition, **your Official Weigh-in Form from the OPC System will serve as your official roster for the event.** You will need to turn in a copy of this form no later than the conclusion of the coaches meeting on Thursday, January 3. Entries are limited to 15 per team (20 for Division III). It is the responsibility of each competing school to ensure that only eligible student-athletes compete in the Championship. The names on the form are the who will be competing in the Championship. Changes can be made to this form with the head table until one half hour prior to weigh on Friday. This area will be covered in detail at the coaches meeting on Thursday.

**Match Results and Webcasting: (Pat Tocci)**

All dual matches will be scored real time and webcasted on TrackWrestling. There will be a nominal fee for the subscription to access the webcast. All match results will be synced to your schools OPC system.

**Television: (Pat Tocci or Dan Weaver)**

One match from each collegiate division will be televised on Fox College Sports.

**Weigh-Ins: (Jim Fallis)**

Men's weigh-ins will take place mat side, please have your wrestlers at the mat you will wrestle your first round on. On Friday all DII, DIII, NAIA and NJCAA teams will weigh-in at 7:00 a.m. two (2) hours prior to the start of the first round of competition.

Women's weigh-ins on Friday will take place at 7:45 am.

On Saturday, men's weigh-ins will be one (1) hour prior to the start of competition for DII, DIII, NAIA and NJCAA.

Women will not weigh in on the second day of the tournament.

Scale assignments will be determined based on mat assignments for the first round on Friday and mat assignments will be identified on the Championship bracket. Scales will be identified by mat number. Teams will be weighed in by weight class as indicated on your submitted team roster beginning with the lowest class and working up to heavy weight.

Medical and skin checks for all student-athletes will be conducted from the roster submitted during the final registration period. An on-site physician will make the final determination if a student-athlete can participate in the Championship. **All on-site decisions by the physician are final.** No previous documentation will overrule these decisions.

In two-day team-advanced tournaments, wrestlers who do not make weight on the first day of competition are ineligible to weigh-in on that second day of competition. Wrestlers must weigh-in at the same weight class for the second day of competition as they weighed-in at on the first day of competition. **All wrestlers scheduled to compete in the National Duals must weigh-in on the first day of competition even if they are only scheduled to wrestle on the second day. Wrestlers who do not weigh-in on the first day of competition are ineligible to compete on the second day.**

**Official Entries: (Jim Fallis)**

The NCAA Official Weigh-in from the OPC system will serve as each team’s official entry form into the National Duals. The NCAA Official weigh-in form must be submitted 30 minutes prior to the start of weigh-ins. As outlined in **Rule 3.17.2** (verification of entries) once the NCAA weigh-in form is submitted a coach **MAY NOT** make any changes to the entries which would include adding new wrestlers or changing a wrestler’s weight class.

*Per NCAA rules: the NCAA Official Weigh-In Form is required for both days, along with mandatory medical skin checks on both days of competition.*

**Video Taping: (Dan Weaver)**

The Kentucky Exposition Center, and the NWCA will NOT provide videotaping for schools. Each school will be responsible for taping their own matches. Areas will be designated at each mat for taping. All teams should plan to use wireless video equipment. **A power supply will not be available on the mats. Schools tapping into the AC power supply will have their equipment disconnected.** A second occurrence will be cause for loss of video privileges.

**2019 NWCA National Duals Composite Schedule**

<b><u>Thursday, January 3</u></b>	<b><u>Event</u></b>	
Noon – 8:00 p.m.	Practice Area Available	
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2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	All Division Team Registration	Exposition Lobby
5:30 p.m.	Meet with Head Official and Announcers	TBD
6:00 p.m.	All Division Coaches Meeting	TBD
<b><u>Friday, January 4</u></b>		
6:00 a.m.	Facility Open	
6:00 a.m. - 6:45 a.m.	Scales Open	
6:30 a.m.	Roster/Weigh-in Changes Due for all Divisions	
6:45 a.m. - 7:00 a.m.	Scales Closed	
7:00 a.m.	DII, DIII, NAIA, NJCAA Weigh-Ins (Scales Assigned by Mat # & Time of Competition)	
7:45 a.m.	Officials Meeting	
7:45 a.m.	Women’s Weigh-ins	

8:00 a.m. Table Workers Meeting  
8:00 a.m. Doors Open to the Public  
9:00 am Men's (4 mats) and Women's (2 mats) open tournament begins

**Saturday, January 5**

7:00 a.m. Facility Open  
7:00 a.m. - 7:45 a.m. Scales Open  
7:45 a.m. - 8:00 a.m. Scales Closed  
8:00 a.m. Weigh-Ins  
Doors Open to the Public  
8:00 a.m. Table workers Meeting

See excel worksheet for Time and Division breakdown of the schedule

**Submitting Rosters on Track Wrestling**

**NWCA National Duals Instructions for Roster For Men's Teams Only**

1. Login to the OPC System on Track Wrestling like normal
2. Click on Schedule
3. Find the NWCA Multi-Divisional National Duals (It might also list your Division in the title) on the Schedule (If the event has pending listed next to it, select accept)
4. Next to the event on the schedule – Click on the **green envelope** that says entries
5. This will start the entry process
6. On the next page, click on the top of the page: Click here to import this teams roster from track wrestling season's program.
7. Check-mark the wrestlers who are competing and the weight class. You do not need to enter records
8. Click next once all wrestlers are selected
9. Then click the finish button

If you are having issues, please contact Dan Weaver at [dweaver@nwca.cc](mailto:dweaver@nwca.cc).

**Women's Teams:**

Will receive an email directly out of Track Wrestling to enter your roster. You will complete the steps as outlined in the email that will come from Track.