

16th Annual
War at the South Jersey Shore
Folkstyle National Championships
Easter Friday and Saturday
April 19th & 20th, 2019



DESCRIPTION: 16th Annual War at the South Jersey Shore National Folkstyle Wrestling Championships at the Wildwoods Convention Center in Wildwood, NJ. Traditional Boys version of the 2019 War open to Boys and Girls from Pre-K to Grade 12. Our Youth Division has 59 weight classes in 5 age groups. Our HS Division has 15 weights. Last year the War drew more than 2000 wrestlers representing 20+ states. Boys War features SPLIT SESSIONS on Friday & Saturday (TOT/BAN/MID/JUN in the morning; INT/HS in the afternoon). Girls-only division (90 girls in 2018) and an Adults-only (Post-High School) division (95 adults in 2018). Details available on our Web site. When registering, Girls will have a choice of wrestling in either the Boys War (with the boys), the Girls War, or both. More details on the POST-HS Adults Division and the Girls Division available online at www.AtlanticCoastWrestling.com.

RETURNING IN 2019, 2nd Chance Brackets: Wrestlers eliminated on Day 1 can sign-up to wrestle 2 more matches on Day 2 (in a 4-man bracket)! Wrestlers must sign up (\$15.00) at Head Table prior to leaving on Day 1 and are guaranteed 2 more matches on Day 2. Girls in the Boys tournament will NOT be grouped with girls only or otherwise separated from boys in the 2nd chance brackets.

BOYS REGISTRATION & PAYMENT: ONLINE ONLY via www.AtlanticCoastWrestling.com. EARLY BIRD FEE is \$55.00 per wrestler for first 200 registrations or by January 14, 2019, whichever comes first. REGULAR BOYS WAR REGISTRATION FEE is \$65.00 per wrestler up until 11:59 PM, Saturday, April 13, 2019. LATE REGISTRATION FEE IS \$75.00 per wrestler. Late Registration for Boys War runs for 2 days, Sunday, April 14, 2019 until 11:59 PM, Monday, April 15, 2019. ALL BOYS WAR REGISTRATIONS CLOSE at 11:59 PM, Monday, April 15th, 2019, or when the 2200 wrestler capacity has been reached!

LOCATION: Wildwoods Convention Center, 4501 Boardwalk, Wildwood, NJ 08260; Easter Friday - Saturday, April 19 & 20, 2019

HOTEL INFORMATION: Make online reservations online (www.AtlanticCoastWrestling.com) at preferred event hotels. KEEP IN MIND: most Wildwood hotels are still closed at Easter. Use the Website's Hotels link to simplify getting a room.

WEIGH-INS: Thursday, April 18th, 2019; 5:00 –8:00 PM for ALL divisions at Wildwoods Convention Center. NO WEIGHT ALLOWANCE & NO WEIGHT CHANGES after Monday, April 15th! **There will also be a fee-based EARLY WEIGH-IN for all divisions / ages on Thursday, April 18th from 11:00 am – 1:00 pm; the fee is \$20.00.** Competitors MUST weigh-in wearing a singlet or underwear and will be allowed a 0.2 overage for the singlet / underwear.

COMPETITION SCHEDULE: Day 1: Friday, April 19th, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM (Tot/Bantam/Midget/Junior); 1:00 PM – TBD (Intermediate & High School). Day 2: Saturday, April 20st, 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM (Tot/Bantam/Midget/Junior); 1:00 PM – END (Intermed/HS). Awards presentation will take place immediately after completion of wrestling in each bracket and certification of results.

FORMAT: Pre-K - 12 Boys War brackets feature a full double-elimination format, with wrestle-backs to "true 2nd". Challenge for 2nd may be issued by the 3rd place finisher if they have not already faced the championship match loser.

SEEDING: NO SEEDING! Blind Draw, with separation of wrestlers from same state/team when possible at Director's discretion.

MATCH LENGTHS: Bout times for Intermediate & High School Boys & Middle School & HS Girls: bout times are 2-1-1. Tots, Bantams, Midgets, Juniors & Elementary School Girls: bout times are 1-1-1. Adults Division bout times are 2-1-1. ALL Wrestle-backs 1-1-1. OVERTIME FOR ALL DIVISIONS: 1 minute OT, 2 @ 30 second OT, Final 30 second Ultimate Tie Breaker OT.

GENERAL RULES: Scholastic / Folkstyle, with AGGRESSIVE STALLING ENFORCEMENT. Headgear and singlet required.

INDIVIDUAL AWARDS: Unique Awards for 1st – 6th place; there will be an Outstanding Wrestler award for each Division and one Overall Tournament Outstanding Wrestler award. Awards for the Girls tournament go to the Top Three in each weight.

INDIVIDUAL WRESTLER ELIGIBILITY: For Tot, Bantam, Midget, and Junior categories, eligibility determined by birth year as described on information form. For Intermediate, HS Wrestlers born in 2003 ARE eligible to compete in either the Intermediate or High School categories. HS Division wrestlers must be CURRENTLY ENROLLED in High School as of the date of the tournament.

CONTACT INFO: Email ONLY – info@AtlanticCoastWrestling.com, monitor www.ShoreWar.com for tournament updates

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National Folkstyle Wrestling Championships
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POST-HS DIVISION: Adults rules & details available at www.AtlanticCoastWrestling.com/war

GIRLS DIVISION: Girls rules & details available at www.AtlanticCoastWrestling.com/war

K – 12 BOYS DIVISION – AGE GROUPS AND WEIGHTS; Boys Division Tournament awards Top 6 place winners; Girls Division and Post-HS Adult tournaments award Top 3 place winners.

Tot	Bantam	Midget	Junior	Intermed	HS	Girls	Adults	<u>ADMISSION FEES</u> <u>&</u> <u>COACHES PASS</u> <u>FEES:</u>
35	44	53	62	75	100	Madison Style	133	Daily – Adults \$15.00, Senior citizens (65 and up) and students 6 and up \$10.00, under 6 free. NO WEEK END ADMISSION PASSES FOR SALE. COACHES PASSES are \$60 (price includes 2-day Admission Pass + access to mat area on arena floor. Only wrestler and a <i>maximum of 2 coaches with passes</i> will be admitted to the mat area during competition!! <u>Coaches passes are only available at arena, no online purchases.</u>
38	48	58	67	80	108		141	
41	52	63	72	85	115		149	
44	56	68	77	90	122		157	
47	60	73	82	96	128		165	
51	65	78	87	102	134		174	
55	70	83	93	110	140		184	
60	75	89	99	119	147		197	
95	82	96	106	128	154		225	
	90	105	115	140	162		285	
	125	115	125	150	172			
		150	140	165	184			
			200	190	197			
				250	222			
					287			

REGISTRATION: Online Registration & Payment is mandatory via AtlanticCoastWrestling.com

- **EARLY BIRD FEE** is \$55.00 per wrestler for first 200 registrations or January 14, 2019, **whichever comes first.**
- **REGULAR REGISTRATION FEE** is \$65.00 per wrestler. **Regular Registration** period is all day Tuesday, January 15, 2019 until 11:59 PM, Saturday, April 13, 2019.
- **LATE REGISTRATION FEE** IS \$75.00 per wrestler. **Late Registration** period is all day Sunday, April 14, 2019 until 11:59 PM, Monday, April 15, 2019.
- **ALL REGISTRATIONS CLOSE** at 11:59:59 PM, Monday, April 15th, 2019, or when the 2200 wrestler capacity has been reached!

AGAIN IN 2019: ALL “Boys War” wrestlers who are eliminated on Day 1 may register at the Head Table prior to leaving to participate in 4-man brackets that will provide them with two additional matches on Day 2.

NO WEIGHT ALLOWANCE! ALL competitors MUST wear a singlet or underwear at weigh-in and will be allowed a 0.2 lbs overage for this minimal clothing. Weight changes allowed through 11:59:59 PM, Monday, April 15, 2019!

If you desire to change your weight prior to the registration deadline, you may simply do so by sending an email to: changes@ShoreWar.com. ALL CHANGES MUST BE INITIATED PRIOR TO 11:59 PM, MONDAY, APRIL 15, 2019

Wrestlers MUST bring proof of grade (Girls) and age (Boys division must bring copy of birth certificate) to tournament!

DEADLINE: All online registrations / payments must be RECEIVED BY 11:59:59 PM, Monday, April 15th, 2019.

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