



2021 U23 & Senior World Team Trials

SEPTEMBER 4, 2021

Saskatoon Inn & Conference Centre (Saskatoon, SK)

TECHNICAL INFORMATION

(as of August 30, 2021)

WRESTLING CANADA LUTTE	Registration & General Inquiries: Kale Whitton Phone: 613-827-7333 Email: kwhitton@wrestling.ca On-site Event Lead: Kyle Hunter Email: kylehunter66@gmail.com
COMPETITION VENUE	Saskatoon Inn & Conference Centre 2002 Airport Dr. Saskatoon, SK S7L 6M4
NUMBER OF MATS	2 competition mats, 2 warm-up mats
AGE & WEIGHT CATEGORIES	SENIOR: 20 years of age + (born 2001 or earlier) Women (WW): 50 kg, 53 kg, 57 kg, 62 kg, 68 kg, 76 kg Men's Freestyle (FS): 57 kg, 65 kg, 74 kg, 86 kg, 97 kg, 125 kg NOTE: Athletes 18-19 years of age (born 2002, 2003) may compete, however parental authorization and a medical certificate are required. U23: 19-23 years of age (born 1998-2002) Women (WW): 50 kg, 53 kg, 55 kg, 57 kg, 59 kg, 62 kg, 65 kg, 68 kg, 72 kg, 76 kg Men's Freestyle (FS): 57 kg, 61 kg, 65 kg, 70kg, 74 kg, 79kg, 86 kg, 92 kg, 97 kg, 125 kg NOTE: Athletes 18 years of age (born 2003) may compete, however parental authorization and a medical certificate are required.

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<p>ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS</p>	<p>Competition is limited to up to 4 athletes (Canadian citizens) per weight class. Please refer to the approved entry list in Appendix A. Please refer to the Selection Criteria in Appendix B & C. Coach participation may also be restricted based on overall participation numbers to ensure the bubble numbers are not exceeded.</p> <p>Photo identification must be provided at the time of on-site weigh-ins (any Canadian government issued photo identification will be accepted).</p> <p>All athletes and coaches must be registered members of their PTSO and be members in good standing with their PTSO and WCL as of the time of weigh-in for the event. Please check with your PTSO to determine if they have any additional registration requirements.</p> <p>Officials must be registered members in good standing with CAWO and their Provincial Wrestling Officials Association (if applicable) and WCL.</p>
<p>SAFE SPORT REQUIREMENTS</p>	<p>As part of WCL’s commitment to Safe Sport, all accredited individuals must complete the following Safe Sport Training (https://wrestling.ca/wp-content/uploads/2020/11/Safe-Sport-Training-Requirements.pdf) to receive accreditation. All training must be completed between September 01, 2017 and August 30, 2021.</p> <p>Athletes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Safe Sport Training OR Respect in Sport <p>Coaches:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Make Ethical Decisions Evaluation ▪ Safe Sport Training OR Respect in Sport ▪ Making Head Way <p>Officials:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Safe Sport Training OR Respect in Sport <p>Safe Sport Training: https://safesport.coach.ca/participants-training Make Ethical Decisions Evaluation: https://coach.ca/nccp-make-ethical-decisions Making Head Way: https://coach.ca/making-head-way-concussion-elearning-series</p>





<p>COACHING REQUIREMENTS</p>	<p>To receive a coach accreditation (eligible to coach during the event), coaches must have Competition Development certified status by the registration deadline. Recognizing delays in the certification process there will be a Coach Exemption Process in place. Please refer to Appendix D.</p>
<p>REGISTRATION DEADLINE & ENTRY FEES</p>	<p>Athlete and Coach registration process will be completed electronically in several phases. Please note that additional registration requirements will be available in the online registration system:</p> <p>Athletes: https://forms.gle/S9Z1BxFJ1MXSFYSu9</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Deadline to complete pre-registration: July 28, 2021 at 11:59 pm EDT ▪ Deadline for WCL to confirm athlete selection based on selection criteria: July 31, 2021 at 11:59 pm EDT ▪ Deadline to complete final registration, including travel information & payment: August 3, 2021 at 11:59 pm EDT ▪ Athlete entry fees (one age category): \$800 (includes transportation to & from airport to hotel, antigen test on arrival, hotel accommodations, all meals) ▪ Athlete entry fees (two ages categories): \$950 (includes transportation to & from airport to hotel, antigen test on arrival, hotel accommodations, all meals) <p>Coaches: https://forms.gle/c5C7iQcyz4eMJeoQ8</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Deadline to complete pre-registration: July 28, 2021 at 11:59 pm EDT ▪ Deadline for WCL to confirm coach selection: July 31, 2021 at 11:59 pm EDT ▪ Deadline to complete final registration, including travel information & payment: August 3, 2021 at 11:59 pm EDT ▪ Coach entry fees: \$950 (includes transportation to & from airport to hotel, antigen test on arrival, hotel accommodations, all meals) <p>*Pre-registration does not imply that individuals are approved to participate and receive accreditation.</p> <p>WITHDRAWALS</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ All withdrawals are NON-refundable once participation is confirmed and individuals have made payment, with the exception of athletes withdrawing pending Olympic results (please see Appendix C).





<p>RULES</p>	<p>Competition rules will be conducted according to the most recent edition of the WCLRulebook (https://wrestling.ca/wp-content/uploads/2018/04/2019_Rulebook.pdf). The bracket system for each weight class will be modified as outlined below:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Up to 4 athletes per weight class ▪ Each weight class will be wrestled to completion within the allocated time slot (~1 hour per weight class) ▪ Single elimination format (3 matches per weight class): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Match A (semi) - 1 vs. 4 ○ Match B (semi) - 2 vs. 3 ○ Match C (final) - Winner of A & B
<p>MEDICAL & DOPING CONTROL</p>	<p>An event physician will be in attendance and athletic therapists will be on site. Athletes requiring preventative therapy will require their own supplies.</p> <p>Doping control will be in effect at the event. Please refer to www.cces.ca for information regarding the Canadian Anti-Doping Program. For questions regarding the anti-doping program, please contact Jennifer Stairs (jstairs@wrestling.ca).</p>
<p>HOTEL</p>	<p>HOST HOTEL Saskatoon Inn & Conference Centre 2002 Airport Dr. Saskatoon, SK S7L 6M4 Website: https://www.saskatooninn.com/</p> <p>Please refer to the COVID Information Package (https://wrestling.ca/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/WTT_COVID_Information_Package_v1.pdf) for more details.</p>
<p>TRANSPORTATION</p>	<p>Airport transfer between Saskatoon John G Diefenbaker International Airport (YXE) will be provided for all registered participants.</p> <p>Arrival and departure information (flight #, arrival and departure times, and delegation names) will be required with final registration by August 3, 2021. Booking refundable travel is strongly recommended at this time.</p>





<p>TRAVEL</p>	<p>Arrivals by air and land must be planned according to the travel arrival schedule outlined in the COVID information package:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Friday, September 3, 2021 arrivals between 11:30 AM and 9:30 PM <p>Arrivals outside these windows cannot be accommodated due to the on-site testing & accreditation requirements.</p> <p>Please refer to the COVID Information Package (https://wrestling.ca/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/WTT_COVID_Information_Package_v1.pdf) for more details.</p>
<p>COVID PROTOCOLS</p>	<p>While various locations across Canada have begun to relax restrictions, the pandemic is not yet over. If the COVID situation should change and / or if pre-registration participation is deemed to be too low to make this a viable Event, WCL reserves the right to cancel the Event.</p> <p>WCL continues to monitor the situation regularly and will communicate any changes accordingly.</p> <p>Please refer to the COVID Information Package (https://wrestling.ca/wp-content/uploads/2021/07/WTT_COVID_Information_Package_v1.pdf) for details related to venue restrictions and match protocols that differ from pre-COVID competition.</p>





SCHEDULE	
	U23 Athletes, Senior Athletes, Coaches, Officials, Volunteers, Medical & WCL Staff
Friday (Sep 3, 2021)	Arrival 11:30 AM – 9:30 PM
	Accreditation 12:00 PM – 10:00 PM
Saturday (Sep 4, 2021)	U23 & Senior Competition
Sunday (Sep 5, 2021)	Departure

Groups	Medical / Weigh-ins*	Warm-up	Competition
U23 WW 53, 59 kg U23 FS 65 kg	7:00 - 7:30	8:30 – 9:40	09:00 – 10:00
U23 WW 65, 68, 72 kg U23 FS 70, 74, 86 kg	8:15 - 8:45	9:45 – 10:55	10:15 – 11:15
U23 WW 50 kg U23 FS 97, 125 kg	9:30 - 10:00	11:00 – 12:10	11:30 – 12:30
BREAK			
U23 WW 55 U23 FS 57 kg	11:30 - 12:00	13:00 – 14:10	13:30 – 14:30
SR WW 50 kg SR FS 65 kg	12:45 - 13:15	14:15 – 15:25	14:45 – 15:45
SR WW 76 kg SR FS 74 kg	14:00 - 14:30	15:30 – 16:40	16:00 – 17:00
SR WW 53, 68 kg SR FS 86 kg	15:15 – 15:45	16:45 – 17:55	17:15 – 18:15
BREAK			
SR WW 57 kg SR FS 125 kg	17:15 – 17:45	18:45 – 19:55	19:15 – 20:15

**Please note that athletes will only need to weigh-in once if they are wrestling in two age categories (athletes must make the lower weight if wrestling 2 weight classes, or they will need to weigh in again).*





APPENDIX A – APPROVED ENTRY LIST

U23 WOMEN

50 kg 1. Samantha Romano 2. Grace Lew 3. Bailey Agard 4. Calista Espinosa	53 kg 1. Karla Godinez Gonzalez 2. Taylor McPherson 3. Jessica Hong	55 kg 1. Virginie Kazé-Gascon 2. SueAnne Harms 3. Kirti Saxena	57 kg* 1. Hannah Taylor
59 kg 1. Emma Parker 2. Erin Rainville	62 kg* 1. Ana Paula Godinez Gonzalez	65 kg 1. Miki Rowbottom 2. Aleah Nickel	68 kg 1. Ellise Daynes 2. Katie Mulkey
72 kg 1. Alexia Sherland 2. Berit Johnson	76 kg* 1. Vianne Rouleau		

U23 MEN'S FREESTYLE

57 kg 1. Logan Sloan 2. Josh Skory 3. Kye Mills 4. Vincent Gov <i>1 seed + random draw</i>	61 kg* 1. Viduran Thanarajah	65 kg 1. Jacob Alexander Torres 2. Paul Tokarz 3. Jason Luneau 4. Viduran Thanarajah <i>2 seeds + random draw</i>	70 kg 1. Trystan Kato 2. Emmanuel Olapade
74 kg 1. Devan Larkin 2. Shubham Raj	79 kg* 1. Carson Lee	86 kg 1. Hunter Lee 2. Tejvir Boal	92 kg* Julien Choquette
97 kg 1. Richard DesChatelets 2. Karan Dhillon	125 kg 1. Aly Barghout 2. Jackson Serna 3. Joseph Duffy		



APPENDIX A – APPROVED ENTRY LIST

SENIOR WOMEN

50 kg 1. Jade Dufour 2. Madison Parks 3. Katie Dutchak 4. Natasha Fox	53 kg 1. Samantha Stewart 2. Diana Weicker 3. Karla Godinez Gonzalez 4. Amber Wiebe	57 kg 1. Linda Morais 2. Alexandria Town 3. Tianna Kennett 4. Laurence Beauregard	62 kg* 1. Ana Paula Godinez Gonzalez
68 kg 1. Danielle Lappage 2. Olivia DiBacco 3. Miki Rowbottom	76 kg 1. Erica Wiebe 2. Taylor Follensbee 3. Kayla Bednarcik		

SENIOR MEN'S FREESTYLE

57 kg* 1. Darthe Capellan	65 kg 1. Jacob Alexander Torres 2. Jason Luneau 3. Emmanuel Olapade 4. Shubham Raj <i>No seeds (random draw)</i>	74 kg 1. Jasmit Phulka 2. Devan Larkin 3. Mohamed Hozayen	86 kg 1. Hunter Lee 2. Jeremy Poirier 3. Samuel Barmish
97 kg* 1. Nishan Randhawa	125 kg 1. Amar Dhesi 2. Aly Barghout 3. Jackson Serna 4. Joseph Duffy		

*WCL will be making a performance-based decision on whether these weight classes will be considered for World Team participation.



APPENDIX B – U23 WORLD TEAM SELECTION & SEEDING CRITERIA

OBJECTIVES:

- Select athletes for U23 World Championships, under current conditions and restrictions. Please note that participation in the World Championships is expected to be largely self-funded.
- Nomination criteria that are as equitable as possible, under current circumstances

KEY CONSIDERATIONS:

- Event will be limited to UP TO 4 athletes per weight class (regardless of any changes in COVID restrictions)
- FS and WW only
- Single elimination format (3 matches per weight class):
 - Match A (semi) - 1 vs. 4
 - Match B (semi) - 2 vs. 3
 - Match C (final) - Winner of A & B
- Ranking from this Event will not count for carding (as per 2022 Carded Athlete Program)
- U23 athletes can wrestle U23 and Senior events, if selected for both
- No injury provisions for the Event

SELECTION CRITERIA:

- 19 to 23 years of age in 2021
- 18 years of age in 2021 may participate with parental authorization and medical certificate
- All weight classes will be run at the Event
- In the call for nomination, athletes will have to specify which weight class(es) and priority they want to be considered
- Olympic weight classes will be filled and confirmed first, followed by non-Olympic weight classes
- Seeding is weight class specific (in ranking order) and cannot be withdrawn. Seeding will follow the selected criteria noted below.

Olympic Weight Classes

Selection & tie-breaking criteria, in ranking order (weight class specific, unless otherwise specified). If someone is removed from ranking (retirement / injury), we will bump up the next ranked athlete (where possible):

- Olympic Trials #1 (after all wrestle-offs are completed)
- Athletes with 2019-2020 International Performance Index (2.0 + WW / 1.5 + FS)
- 2019 Senior World Team Member
- Olympic Trials #2





- 2021 modified IPI based on best 5 matches from Jan 01, 2021 (minimum threshold of 1.7 for this to count)
- 2021 exceptional performance (HPD discretion)
- Olympic Trials #3
- U23 World Team Member (any weight class)
- 2019 Junior World Team Member (any weight class)
- NextGen Athlete (any weight class)
- 2019-2020 IPI
- 2019 Senior Canadian Championship ranking (up to top 6)
- 2019 Junior Canadian Championship ranking (up to top 3)
- HPD will have final discretion to address any tie-breaking or other scenarios not noted above

Non-Olympic Weight Classes

- Selection & tie-breaking criteria in ranking order (not weight class specific)
- Same as above





APPENDIX C – SENIOR WORLD TEAM SELECTION & SEEDING CRITERIA

OBJECTIVES:

- Select athletes for Senior World Championships, under current conditions and restrictions. Please note that participation in the World Championships is expected to be largely self-funded.
- Nomination criteria that are as equitable as possible, under current circumstances

KEY CONSIDERATIONS:

- Event will be limited to UP TO 4 athletes per weight class (regardless of any changes in COVID restrictions)
- FS and WW only
- Single elimination format (3 matches per weight class):
 - Match A (semi) - 1 vs. 4
 - Match B (semi) - 2 vs. 3
 - Match C (final) - Winner of A & B
- Ranking from this event will not count for carding (as per 2022 Carded Athlete Program)
- No injury provisions for the event

SELECTION CRITERIA:

- 20 years of age or older in 2021
- 18 & 19 years of age in 2021 may participate with parental authorization and medical certificate
- Only Olympic weight classes will be run at the Event
- Non-Olympic weight classes will be determined “on paper” after the conclusion of the Olympic weight class selection.
- In the call for nomination, athletes will have to specify which weight class(es) and priority they want to be considered
- Seeding is weight class specific (in ranking order) and cannot be withdrawn. Seeding will follow the selected criteria noted below.

Olympic Weight Classes

Tokyo Olympians:

- Top 5/6 performance benchmark (medal match) will give athletes automatic selection for the world team at the same weight class OR any weight class. Intention to compete (and weight class) must be declared by August 13th, 2021.
- Selection will still be run in those weight classes to determine alternates.
 - If no athletes choose to participate based on the above scenario and a replacement needs to be determined (after the fact), selection will be made “on paper” using the selection criteria noted below.





- Once the Olympian confirms their participation, athletes in these weight classes will have an opportunity to withdraw no later than August 18th without penalty (WCL will refund entry fees, not including travel or other costs incurred prior to the event).
- If an athlete chooses to compete, there will be no refunds.

Selection & tie-breaking criteria, in ranking order (weight class specific, unless otherwise specified). If someone is removed from ranking (retirement / injury), we will bump up the next ranked athlete (where possible):

- Olympic Trials #1 (after all wrestle-offs are completed)
- Athletes with 2019-2020 International Performance Index (2.5 + WW / 2.0 + FS)
- 2019 Senior World Team Member
- Olympic Trials #2
- 2021 modified IPI based on best 5 matches from Jan 01, 2021 (minimum threshold of 1.7 for this to count)
- 2021 exceptional performance (HPD discretion)
- Olympic Trials #3
- 2019 Senior Canadian Championship ranking (only up to top 4)
- 2019 #1 ranked U23 athlete (any weight class)
- 2019 U23 World Team Member (any weight class)
- NextGen Athlete (any weight class)
- HPD will have final discretion to address any tie-breaking or other scenarios not noted above

Non-Olympic Weight Classes

*NOTE: Non-Olympic weight classes will be determined “on paper” after the conclusion of the Olympic weight class selection.

- In the call for nomination, people will have to specify which weight class(es) and priority that they want to be considered.
- Pre-selection considerations (not weight class specific):
 - Participation in Tokyo Olympics
 - Participation in TSE (U23 or Senior)
 - Top 4 at Olympic Trials
 - Top 4 at 2019 Canadian Championships
- Selection & tie-breaking criteria in ranking order (not weight class specific):
 - Olympic Qualified Athletes + Olympic Trials #1 (after all wrestle-offs are completed)
 - 2021 TSE ranking (Senior)
 - 2021 TSE ranking (U23)
 - Athletes with IPI (2.5 + WW / 2.0 + FS) 2019-2020

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- 2019 Senior World Team Member
- Olympic Trials #2
- 2021 modified IPI based on best 5 matches from Jan 01, 2021 (minimum threshold of 1.7 for this to count)
- 2021 exceptional performance (HPD discretion)
- Olympic Trials #3
- 2019 Senior Canadian Championship ranking (only up to top 4)
- 2019 #1 ranked U23 athlete
- 2019 U23 World Team Member
- NextGen Athlete
- HPD will have final discretion to address any tie-breaking or other scenarios not noted above

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APPENDIX D – COACH EXEMPTION PROCESS

WCL's Coach Education & Development Advisory Committee (CEDAC) has been hard at work reviewing and revising Competition Development course material for the NCCP program to ensure a robust training curriculum and evaluation process.

We recognize that this has come with delays which has prevented coaches from progressing through the certification process and the opportunity to be accredited at this Event. To alleviate some of this strain, WCL is supporting the following Coach Certification Exemption Process

REQUEST FOR EXEMPTION:

Please submit a request for a coach exemption (enclosed) to: nccp@wrestling.ca no later than July 28, 2021 (pre-registration deadline).

Requests meeting the pre-requisites (below) will be reviewed by WCL. Any other requests will be reviewed and considered on a case-by-case basis by the Committee.

Please note that submitting a request does not imply that it will be approved.

COACH PRE-REQUISITES:

- Safe Sport:
 - Making Headway (within 4 years)
 - Safe Sport OR Respect in Sport (within 4 years)
- MED Evaluation (within 4 years)
- Competition Introduction Certified Status
- Leading Drug-Free Sport (training AND online evaluation)
- Managing Conflict (training AND online evaluation)
- Coaching & Leading Effectively
- Psychology of Performance
- Prevention & Recovery
- Developing Athletic Abilities
- Manage a Sport Program

