



2023 Canadian Wrestling Championships (U19, U17, U15)

MARCH 24-26, 2023

Vancouver Convention Centre
Vancouver, BC

EVENT INFORMATION

(as of January 06, 2023)

ORGANIZING COMMITTEE	BC Wrestling Association Non Ha (Chair) Phone: 604-737-3092 x. 2 Email: execdirector@bcwrestling.com
WRESTLING CANADA LUTTE	Phone: 613-748-5686 Email: info@wrestling.ca
COMPETITION VENUE	VANCOUVER CONVENTION CENTRE East Exhibit Hall 1055 Canada Place Vancouver, BC V6C 0C3
NUMBER OF MATS	10 competition mats
RULES	Competition rules will be conducted according to the most recent edition of the WCL Rulebook (https://wrestling.ca/wp-content/uploads/2022/03/2022_Rulebook.pdf), with a modified double elimination bracket system or Round Robin (if less than 6 athletes per weight class).
UNIFORM POLICY	Athletes - please refer to the Uniform Policy for WCL Sanctioned Events: https://wrestling.ca/wp-content/uploads/2022/12/Uniform-Policy_v2.pdf .



<p>PRACTICE TIMES</p>	<p>To be confirmed.</p>
<p>MEDICAL SERVICES</p>	<p>An event physician and athletic therapists will be in attendance on competition days (Thursday to Sunday). Athletes requiring preventative therapy will require their own supplies.</p>
<p>AGE & WEIGHT CATEGORIES</p>	<p>U19: 17-18 years of age (born in 2005, 2006)</p> <p>WOMEN (WW): 36-40, 43, 46, 49, 53, 57, 61, 65, 69, 73, 80, 90 kg WOMEN'S GRECO-ROMAN (WW-GR): 36-40, 43, 46, 49, 53, 57, 61, 65, 69, 73, 80, 90 kg MEN'S FREESTYLE (FS): 39-42, 45, 48, 51, 55, 60, 65, 71, 80, 92, 110, 125 kg MEN'S GRECO-ROMAN (GR): 39-42, 45, 48, 51, 55, 60, 65, 71, 80, 92, 110, 125 kg</p> <p>U17: 15-16 years of age (born in 2007, 2008)</p> <p>WOMEN (WW): 36-40, 43, 46, 49, 53, 57, 61, 65, 69, 73, 80, 90 kg WOMEN'S GRECO-ROMAN (WW-GR): 36-40, 43, 46, 49, 53, 57, 61, 65, 69, 73, 80, 90 kg MEN'S FREESTYLE (FS): 39-42, 45, 48, 51, 55, 60, 65, 71, 80, 92, 110, 125 kg MEN'S GRECO-ROMAN (GR): 39-42, 45, 48, 51, 55, 60, 65, 71, 80, 92, 110, 125 kg</p> <p>U15: 13-14 years of age (born in 2009, 2010)</p> <p>WOMEN (WW): 33, 36, 39, 42, 46, 50, 54, 58, 62, 66, 70, 80 kg WOMEN'S GRECO-ROMAN (WW-GR): 33, 36, 39, 42, 46, 50, 54, 58, 62, 66, 70, 80 kg MEN'S FREESTYLE (FS): 34, 38, 41, 44, 48, 52, 57, 62, 68, 75, 85, 100 kg MEN'S GRECO-ROMAN (GR): 34, 38, 41, 44, 48, 52, 57, 62, 68, 75, 85, 100 kg</p> <p>*NOTE: Athletes must compete in the age group they were born in. Athletes born 2011 and younger are not allowed to compete in the event.</p>
<p>ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS</p>	<p>Competition is closed to Canadian citizens and those individuals with Permanent Resident status. Legal proof of age and citizenship status will be required during the registration process.</p> <p>All athletes and support staff 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>COACHING REQUIREMENTS</p>	<p>To receive a coach accreditation (eligible to coach during the event), coaches must have Competition Introduction certified status or higher by the registration deadline. There will be a Coach Exemption Process in place. Please refer to Appendix A.</p>
<p>COVID PROTOCOLS</p>	<p>All COVID-19 requirements in effect will be based on applicable health and safety measures required or recommended by the provincial and local public health authorities.</p> <p>It is strongly recommended that all individuals be fully vaccinated and maintain the recommended number and type of vaccine doses as updated by Health Canada.</p>
<p>SAFE SPORT REQUIREMENTS</p>	<p>As part of WCL’s commitment to Safe Sport, all accredited individuals must complete and submit to WCL informed consent regarding the administration and enforcement of the Universal Code of Conduct to Prevent and Address Maltreatment in Sport (UCCMS).</p> <p>Additionally, to receive accreditation, individuals must complete Safe Sport Training & Screening Requirements as outlined in the following document: https://wrestling.ca/wp-content/uploads/2021/09/Safe-Sport-Training-Screening-Requirements-June-2021.pdf. All training & screening must be completed between March 15th, 2019 and March 15th, 2023.</p> <p>NOTE: Athletes in U15 age category are exempt from Safe Sport training due to restrictions on access to training.</p> <p>Links to Training:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 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>Links to Screening:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Application Form: https://wrestling.ca/wp-content/uploads/2022/03/Safe-Sport-Application-Form.pdf ▪ Screening Disclosure Form: https://wrestling.ca/wp-content/uploads/2022/03/Safe-Sport-Screening-Disclosure-Form.pdf ▪ Screening Renewal Form: https://wrestling.ca/wp-content/uploads/2022/03/Safe-Sport-Screening-Renewal-Form.pdf ▪ E-PIC: https://wrestling.ca/wp-content/uploads/2022/03/Enhanced-Police-Information-Checks-E-PICs.pdf



<p>REGISTRATION PROCESS</p>	<p>Registration and payment for all athletes and support staff (coaches, team leaders, medical, & officials) must be made through the online registration system. Please note that additional registration requirements will be available in the online registration system:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Athletes: LINK forthcoming ▪ Coaches, official, team leaders, team medical: LINK forthcoming ▪ Host Organizing Committee & Volunteers: LINK forthcoming <p>*Registration does not imply that individuals are approved to participate and receive accreditation.</p>
<p>REGISTRATION DEADLINE & ENTRY FEES</p>	<p>The standard registration deadline is March 1st, 2023 at 11:59 pm ET.</p> <p>U19 / U17 / U15: \$168.00 (includes GST & PST) – Women, Women’s Greco-Roman, Men’s Freestyle or Men’s Greco-Roman (one event) \$257.60 (includes GST & PST) – Women + Women’s Greco-Roman OR Men’s Freestyle + Men’s Greco-Roman (two events)</p> <p>SUPPORT STAFF: \$67.80 (includes GST & PST) – coaches, team leaders, team medical</p> <p>Late registrations will be accepted until March 8th, 2023 at 11:59 pm ET, subject to a late fee. After March 1st, 2023 (11:59 pm ET), but prior to March 8th, 2023 (11:59 pm ET):</p> <p>U19 / U17 / U15: \$224.00 (includes GST & PST) – Women, Women’s Greco-Roman, Men’s Freestyle or Men’s Greco-Roman (one event) \$313.60 (includes GST & PST) – Women + Women’s Greco-Roman OR Men’s Freestyle + Men’s Greco-Roman (two events)</p> <p>SUPPORT STAFF: \$123.20 (includes GST & PST) – coaches, team leaders, team medical</p> <p>No registrations will be accepted after March 8th, 2023 at 11:59 pm ET. This applies to all athletes, support staff and officials.</p>



<p>SCRATCHES & INJURY WITHDRAWALS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ All scratches & injury withdrawals before March 1st, 2023 (11:59 pm ET) will be fully refundable. ▪ All scratches & injury withdrawals after March 1st, 2023 (11:59 pm ET) & prior to March 8th, 2023 (11:59 pm ET) will be 50% refundable. ▪ All scratches & injury withdrawals after March 8th, 2023 (11:59 pm ET) are NON-REFUNDABLE.
<p>HOST HOTELS</p>	<p>Pinnacle Hotel Harbourfront 1133 W Hastings St. Vancouver, BC. V6E 3T3 Phone: 604-689-9211 https://www.pinnacleharbourfronthotel.com</p> <p>GROUP RATE DETAILS: Room block dates: March 20-30, 2023 The guaranteed room rate is \$179 + tax per night (single / double occupancy), \$203 + tax per night (triple) and \$239 + tax per night (quad) until February 23, 2023. After February 23, 2023, room occupancy and rates are subject to availability.</p> <p>Please use the online booking system: https://book.passkey.com/event/50478994/owner/2075/home</p>
<p>TRANSPORTATION</p>	<p>Airport transfer between Vancouver International Airport (YVR), as well as ground transportation between the host hotels and venue will be provided for Officials, dignitaries and WCL staff ONLY. Arrival and departure information (airport, flight #, arrival and departure times, and delegation names) must be received by WCL by March 1st, 2023 to guarantee airport transfer by the HOC.</p> <p>Transportation is NOT provided for team participants (athletes, coaches, team managers, team medical).</p> <p>YVR Flight Information: https://www.yvr.ca/en/passengers/flights/arriving-flights SkyTrain (Canada Line): https://www.translink.ca/schedules-and-maps/skytrain Ride App Services at YVR: https://www.yvr.ca/en/passengers/transportation/ride-app-services Taxis: https://www.yvr.ca/en/passengers/transportation/taxis</p> <p>Parking at venue: https://www.vancouverconventioncentre.com/visiting/parking</p>



SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY March 22 nd , 2023	All Day	Arrival of Teams
THURSDAY March 23 rd , 2023	All Day	Arrival of Teams
	8:00 – 20:00	Practice time (certified coaches must be in attendance) Contact: TBD
	8:00 – 16:00 Pinnacle Hotel Harbourfront	Accreditation
	12:00 – 13:00 Pinnacle Hotel Harbourfront	MEDICALS & WEIGH-INS U15 – all styles WW, WW-GR, FS, GR (scratch weight)
	14:00 – 15:00 Pinnacle Hotel Harbourfront	MEDICALS & WEIGH-INS U17 – all styles WW, WW-GR, FS, GR (scratch weight)
	16:00 – 17:00 Pinnacle Hotel Harbourfront	MEDICALS & WEIGH-INS U19 – all styles WW, WW-GR, FS, GR (scratch weight)
	14:00 – 20:00 Pinnacle Hotel Harbourfront	Pairing Masters Clinic
	18:00 – 20:00 Pinnacle Hotel Harbourfront	Officials' Clinic



THURSDAY March 23rd, 2023	20:00 – 21:00 Pinnacle Hotel Harbourfront	Coaches' Technical Meeting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Tournament information include field of play access and flow ▪ Scratches & Draw (U15 WW, U17 WW, U17 FS)
	21:00 – 23:00 Pinnacle Hotel Harbourfront	Social
FRIDAY March 24th, 2023	8:00 – 20:00	Practice time (certified coaches must be in attendance) Contact: TBD
	9:00 – 17:00 Vancouver Convention Centre	QUALIFICATION SESSIONS – U15 WW, U17 WW, U17 FS LUNCH BREAK (noon to 13:00) 5-6 place matches 3-4 place matches
	17:00 – 18:30 Vancouver Convention Centre	DINNER BREAK
	18:30 – 18:45 Vancouver Convention Centre	CEREMONIES – U15 WW, U17 WW, U17 FS March-in for finalists
	18:45 – 21:00 Vancouver Convention Centre	FINALS – U15 WW, U17 WW, U17 FS Gold medal matches (3 mats) Awards Ceremonies
	15 minutes after Finals Vancouver Convention Centre	Coaches' Technical Meeting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Scratches and Draw (U15 FS, U19 WW, U19 FS)



SATURDAY March 25th, 2023	8:00 – 20:00	Practice time (certified coaches must be in attendance) Contact: TBD
	9:00 – 17:00 Vancouver Convention Centre	QUALIFICATION SESSIONS – U15 FS, U19 WW, U19 FS LUNCH BREAK (noon to 13:00) 5-6 place matches 3-4 place matches
	17:00 – 18:30 Vancouver Convention Centre	DINNER BREAK
	18:30 – 19:15 Vancouver Convention Centre	CEREMONIES – U15 FS, U19 WW, U19 FS March-in for finalists Hall of Fame
	19:15 – 21:30 Vancouver Convention Centre	FINALS – U15 FS, U19 WW, U19 FS Gold medal matches (3 mats) Awards Ceremonies
	15 minutes after Finals Vancouver Convention Centre	Coaches' Technical Meeting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Scratches and Draw - U15, U17, U19 Men's & Women's Greco-Roman
	All Day	Team Departures to airport
SUNDAY March 26th, 2023	9:00 – 17:00 Vancouver Convention Centre	QUALIFICATION SESSIONS – U15, U17, U19 Men's & Women's Greco-Roman LUNCH BREAK (noon to 13:00) 5-6 place matches 3-4 place matches



SUNDAY March 26 th , 2023	18:30 – 19:15 Vancouver Convention Centre	FINALS – U15, U17, U19 Men’s & Women’s Greco-Roman March-in for finalists Gold medal matches (4 mats) Awards Ceremonies
	All Day	Team Departures to airport
MONDAY March 27 th , 2023	All Day	Team Departures to airport



APPENDIX A – COACH EXEMPTION PROCESS

Please submit a request for a coach exemption to: nccp@wrestling.ca no later than March 8th, 2023 (late registration deadline).

All requests will be reviewed and considered on a case-by-case basis by WCL's Coach Education & Development Advisory Committee (CEDAC).

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

COACH PRE-REQUISITES:

Competition Introduction

- MED Evaluation (within 4 years)
- Sport Nutrition
- Planning a Practice
- Teaching and Learning
- Basic Mental Skills
- Design a Sport Program