

ment Pre



Tyrant Wrestling is back at it this weekend as our winter schedule gets into full swing. New this year is the Junior Beast Duals, while this will be year 3 of hosting the Junior Beast Open! Teams and wrestlers from all over the Mid-Atlantic region are ready to scrap as well as some talented athletes from the South. 10 teams will battle it out on 8 mats this Saturday where one team will be crowned the first ever Junior Beast Duals Champion. The duals are a more old-school, true club feel with 19 weight classes, any wrestlers 8th grade and under.

The Junior Beast Duals & Open will host teams and wrestlers representing at least 10 states including:

PA, NJ, MD, VA, DE, NY, GA, IL, ME, MS

We expect this to be a very competitive dual tournament with exciting matches between competition from numerous states. Here's a preview of some of the top teams and wrestlers to watch out for.

2023 Junior Beast Duals Preview

(Accomplishments provided by team coaches/trackwrestling) Follow us on social media as we highlight top performances throughout the weekend.

Teams will compete in pools of 5 where they will wrestle 4 matches to determine their pool placement and their crossover placement round matchup. Pool winners will collide for the Junior Beast Duals Championship.

ES6 Pool A:

Lions Den (PA)
Headhunters (MD)
Virginia Patriots (VA)
Henlopen Hammers (DE)
Xtreme Team

ES6 Pool B:

Machine Shed (VA)
Warhawks (MD)
Glasgow WA (GA)
M2TCNJ (NJ)
North Baltimore WC (MD)

Brackets & match results can be found on Trackwrestling.
Follow @Tyrantwrestling on Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, & Youtube for updates, highlights, & more from the Junior Beast Duals.

Lion's Den WC Based out of Quakertown, PA this squad is ready to make a run at the Junior Beast Duals title. Lion's Den will be led by 8x Super 32 Champ and #1 nationally ranked Jr. High wrestler Freddy Bachmann, and yes you read that correctly. Lion's Den's lineup is well-coached and will be a tough matchup all day for opponents.

Machine Shed WC is a tough club out of Virginia whose team or wrestlers compete at various Tyrant Tournaments throughout the year. This roster is stacked with talent out of VA including numerous multi-time VA State placers and State Champs. They'll have a good shot at winning Pool B and making the finals.

A few wrestlers to look out for on Machine Shed:

- 68: Talan Berube 2023 Maine State Champ, New England's 3rd place
- 72: Barrett Collins 2x VA State Champ, VA Triple Crown Winner
- 76: Mo Motley 2x VA State Champ
- 84: Kason Wesby 3x VA State Champ
- 100: Takoda Parker 2022 VA Triple Crown Winner
- 105: Dillinger Collins 4x VA State Placer
- 120: Jackson Crowder VA State Champ, multi x VA State placer

Headhunters WC is one of the premier clubs out of the state of Maryland that regularly produces top wrestlers on the MD scene. They arrive to the Junior Beast Duals with a full lineup of up-and-coming talent. With much Tyrant tournament experience they are one to watch out for. Upcoming Tyrant events the Headhunters will also be competing at include 2 teams at Bison Winter Duals, 3 teams at Tyrant Duals, and 2 teams at the prestigious McDonogh Duals.

A few wrestlers to look out for on Headhunters:

- 68: Chase Warm 2023 USA Kids Nationals Double Champ (GR & FS)
- 72: Dylan Verceles MD State Runner-up
- 84: Edward Encarnacion 2023 Tyrant Nationals Finalist
- 92: Tyler Verceles 2023 Tyrant Nationals Finalist
- 100: Christian Wirts 2023 Tyrant MD Jr. States Finalist
- 120: Weston Baumgartner MSWA States 3rd, Tyrant MD Jr. State Champ

M2TCNJ will look to make a statement and bring their Jersey toughness into DE as they are the lone NJ team in the field. This club also has much Tyrant tournament experience and is often near the top of the results. Upcoming Tyrant events they can also be seen at include Bison Winter Duals after Christmas and Tyrant Duals in January.

A few wrestlers to look out for on M2TCNJ:

• 60: Johnny Messina - 2023 Tyrant Nationals Champ

- 68: Anthony Messina 2023 Tyrant Nationals Champ
- 76: Adam Hagenbuch 2023 Tyrant Nationals 3rd place
- 96: Anthony Curlo 3x NJ Triple Crown winner

Warhawks is also considered one of the top wrestling clubs out of Maryland. Warhawks have racked up several top 4 finishes at Tyrant events over the years and their wrestlers can be found competing at nearly every Tyrant tournament. You'll also see them at Bison Winter Duals and McDonogh Duals. Watch out for them in Pool B this Saturday as their squad is littered with multi-time MD State Champs. Don't be surprised if or when they make a run at Gold.

A few wrestlers to look out for on Warhawks:

- 64: Jaisen Sharma 3x MD State Finalist, 2022 MD State Champ
- 68: Caleb Tsikerdanos 2x MD State Champ, Super 32 4th place
- 76: Julian MCcrimmon 3x MD State Champ, 2022 Reno Worlds 3rd
- 80: Charles Cooper 3x MD State Champ
- 84: Carter Mullen 2x MD State Champ
- 88: Luca Seramone 3x MD State Champ
- 100: Jacob Carr VAC AA, Tyrant Nationals 3rd
- 105: Matteo Marenco 5x MD State Champ
- 140: Andrew Kimball 2x MD State Champ
- 160: Jacob Endzel 5x MD State Champ

Henlopen Hammers will be the lone team out of The First State as they attempt to defend their home state and keep the first-ever Junior Beast Duals title in Delaware. The Hammers have consistently produced talented wrestlers out of southern DE for 20+ years and are ready to step up to the plate. Expect them to wrestle tough all day Saturday.

A few wrestlers to look out for on Henlopen Hammers:

- 72: Carter Bisto Multi x DE State Champ
- 84: JJ Haddock Eastern Nationals Champ, 2022 Jr. Beast Runner-up
- 92: Gavin Robbins 2022 Junior Beast 3rd place
- 105: Quade Cummings 2022 Junior Beast Runner-up
- 115: Nate Morrow Eastern Nationals Champ, 2022 Junior Beast Runner-up

Glasgow Wrestling Academy is the only team from out of the region competing and they are ready to bring that southern toughness from Georgia to the north. This club is not afraid to travel to get matches and challenge themselves against different competition. They have competed in several tough Tyrant Tournaments over the past year including Poseidon Duals (FL), Bison Duals (PA), Tussle Duals (WV), and recently had a few wrestlers at Junior Ironman in OH. They bring a full lineup to Junior Beast and will look to represent the South proudly and bring home some hardware.

Virginia Patriots have been coming to Tyrant events for a few years and will be fighting hard for a top 4 finish after coming up just short in the past, including 5th place at Daystar Duals last February. The VA Patriots will also compete at McDonogh Duals in just over a month.

North Baltimore WC will also be representing the state of MD. The NBWC Stingers have been around for 20+ years and are led by Coach Andrew Spawn, who was inducted into the National Wrestling Hall of Fame in 2019 for a Lifetime of Service to Wrestling.

<u>Xtreme Team</u> will be composed of wrestlers from all over the region seeking out opportunities like this one to get matches, test themselves, learn, and keep sharpening their skills.

Catch all the action live on FloWrestling



WATCH LIVE FLOWRESTLING











Follow @TyrantWrestling on Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, & Youtube for updates, highlights, & more from the 2023 Junior Beast Duals.