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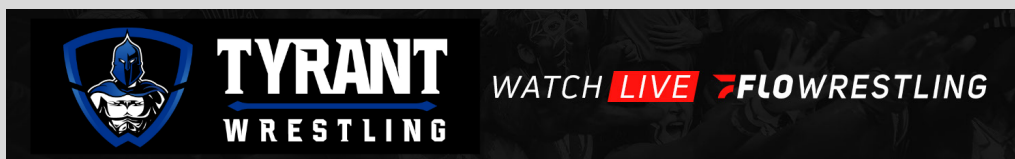
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Round 2 in Wheeling, WV on the 2023 calendar. Tyrant Wrestling is ready to wrap up the fall event schedule with another tough tournament featuring skilled wrestlers from across the region. 37 dual teams across 4 divisions are set to scrap on 18 mats.

The Tyrant Crusade Duals will host teams and wrestlers representing at least 15 states including:

WV, PA, OH, VA, NC, SC, NY, NJ, MD, TN, DE, FL, GA, RI, CT

Wrestlers have put the preseason work in and are eager to hit the mats. All will aim to find things to build on heading into the winter. We expect this to be an action-packed weekend with great matchups. Here's a look at this weekend's competition.



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Tyrant Crusade HS Duals Preview

HS Division:

1. We are That Team
2. GT Alien 1
3. Machine Shed
4. Cow Rock WC
5. GT Alien 2
6. Barnesville
7. Team Diamond Fish
8. Dayton Bandits
9. Tar River WC
10. 84 Athletes

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10 teams, all will face each other over 9 rounds to determine the true champion. HS season is either officially underway or starting up soon for all these guys. They'll look to take advantage of this mat time as much as possible and get into a good stride mentally and physically out on the mat.

The #1 seeded **We are That Team** is built for damage with several accomplished wrestlers. Their lower weights are top MS wrestlers or tough freshmen with a lot of credentials. Shiloh Joyce is nationally ranked and Super 32 MS Champ. The Bickerton brothers back to back at 106 and 113 is a tough duo for teams to face. Both OH MS State Champs with Brandon being a US. Open and Fargo Champ. Austin a U.S. Open finalist and Fargo AA.

From there the roster contains numerous State Champs and placewinners from multiple states. Noah Ninninger (138 lbs) is a nationally ranked VA State Champ. Landon Desselle (144 lbs) is Nationally ranked, TN State champ and Grappler Fall Classic Champ. Expect this lineup to be putting up a lot of bonus points. The predicted finals matchup between them and GT Alien 1 should be a great clash of talented wrestlers.

#2 seed **GT Alien 1** will be doing plenty of damage themselves with a loaded lineup full of State Champs and State placers from WV, RI, NY, NJ. With almost all upperclassmen this team will look to utilize their experience to lead them on a championship run. Gunner Andrick at 138 is 2x WV State Champ, 2023 GFC Champ, and NR in the top 20. Moses Eads (150) and Josh Woyan (165) are both WV State Champs. Isael Perez at 175 is a RI State Champ, Tyrant Nationals Champ, 2023 Journeyman Champ, Super 32 AA. Their matchup with 'We are That Team' is going to be a must watch.

Seeded at #3 in the HS division is **Machine Shed** out of Virginia. This squad is full of talented VA wrestlers with accomplishments at VHSL, VAWA, and includes several VA National Team members. Their lineup is primarily underclassmen who will have some good challenges to test themselves. Keep an eye on Machine Shed. This a well coached squad who definitely is capable of stepping up and making some serious noise.

#4 **Cow Rock WC** is new addition to the field of teams this year. Their roster contains several determined PA wrestlers who are eager to display the hard work they've put in to reaching their goals this season.

#5 **GT Alien 2** also has a strong team with State Placers from all over. They are definitely capable of wrestling their way into the top 4.

#6 **Barnesville** is another tough Ohio team with Tyrant tournament experience gearing up for the season.

#7 **Team Diamond Fish** out of MD is another to keep an eye on. They have some youth to their lineup but these young guys will be tough matchups. They have a nice 1-2 punch at 106 and 113 with freshmen Eli Gabrielson and Ethan Valdisera. Diamond Fish will also have a MS team compete where they are the #2 seed.

Training out of OH are the **Dayton Bandits** who will also compete in the MS Div. Traveling from North Carolina is **Tar River WC**. Based out of the VA area, **84 Athletes** will have a team in 3 dual divisions.

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

High School Division Wrestlers To Watch Out For:

(NR= Nationally Ranked)

98 lbs. (That Team) Graydon Martin - VA MS State Champ, S32 placer, Tulsa Champ, NR

98 lbs. (That Team) Shiloh Joyce - MS NR #1, S32 Champ, Tulsa Champ

98 lbs. (Machine Shed) Takoda Parker - 2022 VAWA Triple Crown winner

106 lbs. (That Team) Brandon Bickerton - OH MS State Champ, U.S. Open Chamo, Fargo Champ

106 lbs. (GT Alien 1) Dallas Owens - 2x WV State finalist

106 lbs. (GT Alien 2) Luke Galipeau - VT MS State champ, 2022 Journeymen MS 2nd

106 lbs. (Machine Shed) Xaiden Wynn - VHSL State Champ

113 lbs. (That Team) Austin Bickerton - OH MS State Champ, U.S. Open finalist, Fargo AA

113 lbs. (GT Alien 1) Bryce Nichols - 2023 WV 3rd place

113 lbs. (GT Alien 2) Garrett Johnson - WV State Champ, NHSCA AA

113 lbs. (Barnesville) Johnny Huntsman - OH State placer 7th

113 lbs. (Machine Shed) Derek Bush - VAWA FS Champion, VA National Team member

120 lbs. (That Team) Brock Rothermel - PA MS State Champ

120 lbs. (GT Alien 1) Cameron Davis - 3x RI State Placer (6,3,3)

126 lbs. (That Team) Colin Martin - VA State Champ

126 lbs. (GT Alien 1) James Carlock - 2x NY Prep State Champ

126 lbs. (Machine Shed) Tharin Svetanant - Multiple X VAWA Champ

126 lbs. (Cow Rock WC) Ryan Smith - PA State 6th

132 lbs. (That Team) Jarvis Little - TN State Champ

132 lbs. (GT Alien 1) Sebastian Ortega - NJ State 5th, Beast 7th

132 lbs. (Machine Shed) Brady Hand - VHSL State Champ, TOC Champ,
VA National Team member

132 lbs. (GT Alien 2) Ivan Mazaerigo - 2x RI State placer, 1x finalist

138 lbs. (That Team) Noah Ninninger - VA State Champ, NR #9

138 lbs. (GT Alien 1) Gunner Andrick - 2x WV State Champ, 2022
Knockout Classic Champ, 2023 GFC Champ, NR #16

138 lbs. (GT Alien 2) Jimmie Bailes - WV State Champ, 2x finalist

138 lbs. (Barnesville) Dakota King - 3x OH State placer (3,3,6)

138 lbs. (Machine Shed) Caiden Saavedra - VHSL Runner-up

144 lbs. (That Team) Landon Dessell - TN State Champ, NR #20,
GFC Champ,

144 lbs. (GT Alien 1) Xavier Ortega - Powerade 8th

144 lbs. (GT Alien 2) Connor Blessing - 2x WV State placer

144 lbs. (Barnesville) Skyler King - 2x State placer (5,6)

144 lbs. (Machine Shed) Leland Alitzer - Multiple X VAWA Champ

150 lbs. (That Team) Brayden Leach - TN State Champ

150 lbs. (GT Alien 1) Moses Eads - 2023 WV State Champ, 2x finalist.

150 lbs. (Barnesville) Reese Stephen - 2x OH State placer (1, 5)

150 lbs. (GT Alien 2) Troy Harris - WV State 4th

157 lbs. (That Team) Zach Little - TN State Placer

157 lbs. (GT Alien 1) Brandon Bauer - NHSCA AA, Little Rock commit.

157 lbs. (Machine Shed) Jake Robie - VHSL Runner-up

157 lbs. (Cow Rock WC) Lonzy Vielma - 4th and 3rd WPIAL

165 lbs. (That Team) Jesse Adams - WV State Champ

165 lbs. (GT Alien 1) Josh Woyan - 2023 WV State Champ

165 lbs. (Barnesville) Ayden King - OH State placer 5th

165 lbs. (Machine Shed) Ian Ray - VA National Team member

175 lbs. (GT Alien 1) Israel Perez - RI State Champ, New England finalist, NHSCA AA, Super 32 AA, Journeymen Champ, Tyrant Nationals Champ

175 lbs. (That Team) Braden Woodward - NY State Champ

175 lbs. (GT Alien 2) JJ Dimonte - Maryland State finalist, NHSCA AA

175 lbs. (Machine Shed) Aiden Armburst - VHSL 3rd place

175 lbs. (Barnesville) Brodie Persanoski - JrH State Champ

190 lbs. (That Team) Adonis Bonar - NE State Champ, Fargo Champ

190 lbs. (GT Alien 2) Owen Klimas - WV State 6th

190 lbs. (Machine Shed) Landon Jobber-Spence - Multiple X VHSL placewinner, NHSCA AA

215 lbs. (That Team) Brennan Morgan - PA State Finalist

215 lbs. (GT Alien 1) Dylan Greenstein - NHSCA AA, Prep Nationals 7th

215 lbs. (GT Alien 2) Brycen Arthur - WV State placer

215 lbs. (Machine Shed) Linkin Callahan - VA National Team member

285 lbs. (That Team) Bryce Wheatley - OH State 4th

285 lbs. (GT Alien 1) Jimmy Betchuer - 2x OH placer, 4x Fargo Cadet AA

285 lbs. (GT Alien 2) Anderson Palian - 2023 OH State placer

285 lbs. (Machine Shed) Elan Catoe - VA National Team Member

Tyrant Crusade - MS, ES6, ES3 Duals Preview

MS Division:

1. Carolina Hammer Squad
2. Team Diamond Fish
3. Neighborhood WC
4. Ohio Gold 24k
5. Wrestling Mill
6. Rambler WC
7. Jacket WC
8. Bandits
9. Ohio Gold 10k
10. 84 Athletes

ES6 Pool A:

1. Armory
2. South Hills
3. Neighborhood WC
4. Jacket WC
5. NOVA WC
6. Ohio Gold 10k

ES6 Pool B:

1. Donahue WA
2. Roughhouse
3. Revolution Elite
4. Rambler WC
5. Wrestling Mill
6. Ohio Gold 24k

ES3 Division:

1. Roughhouse
2. South Hills
3. Revolution Elite
4. Donahue WA
5. 84 Athletes

Top seed in the Middle School Division goes to **Carolina Hammer Squad**. This squad contains 9 State Champs!

Team **Diamond Fish** is also stacked with with State Champs and State Placers. A lot of up-and-coming talent from MD.

Neighborhood WC is the #3 seed in MS div. this tough Ohio club can always be found wrestling hard to final whistle. They also will have an ES6 competing. Both teams are full of scrappy Ohio State placers and qualifiers.

Ohio Gold will have 4 teams competing this weekend. 2 in both the ES6 and MS divisions. They'll be fighting hard for a top 4 finish which they've seen a lot of in recent Tyrant tournaments.

Donahue WC is coming off two 3rd place finishes at Gridiron Duals. This club is well coached and has much tyrant tournament experience by now. Their ES6 team is overall #2 seed and top seed in Pool B. Expect them to be scrapping hard in the pursuit of gold.

Wrestling Mill is also from OH and will compete in the ES6 and MS division. **Rambler WC** out of PA will do the same.

Jacket WC took home silver in the ES3 division last year. This WV squad will aim to make another run in the next division up this year as they will wrestle in the ES6 as well as MS division.

Armory is the top seed in the ES6 division. They have numerous Tyrant tournament top 4 finishes and are back with another skilled squad.

Roughhouse WC is another with plenty of experience at Tyrant Tournaments. Their 2 squads are seeded #3 in MS and the #1 seed in ES3.

South Hills WA is another well coached club out of the Pittsburgh area. They are the reigning Crusade ES3 Champs and

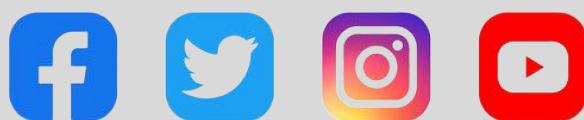
ES6 Runner-up. Their squads this year are seeded #4 in ES6 and #2 in ES3.

Revolution Elite based out of NY is another to keep an eye on in the ES6 and ES3 divisions. These squads contain young talent from all over the region including several youth State Champs.

NOVA WC will represent the state of VA in the ES6 division.

The Tyrant Crusade Duals are bound to have some chaos and upsets. We look forward to watching all the great wrestling and exciting battles between the teams.

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