TOURNAMENT PREVIEW





Winter months are right around the corner. If you're looking to wrestle against tough competition, work on new moves, and find skills to improve on . . . then you've come to the right place. Year 3 of Gridiron goes down this weekend in Canton, Ohio! The 2024 Gridiron Duals & Open is set to again host a ton of great competition with teams and wrestlers from all over. 59 total teams across 4 divisions, including several tough club teams from the home state of Ohio. 29 mats of nonstop action.

At least 14 states are represented by wrestlers and teams participating this weekend including:

OH, PA, MI, IN, IL, KY, TN, NJ, NY, VA, WV, MA, NH, FL



Brackets & match results can be found on Trackwrestling.
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2023 Final Results TRS. 1st Place - Team Shutt 2nd Place - 330 Lab 3rd Place - CP Elite 4th Place - Burnett Trained 1st Place - Backyard Brawlers 1st Place - Ohio Gold 24k 2nd Place - Ohio Gold 24k 2nd Place - Louisville WC 3rd Place - Donahue WA Black 3rd Place - Terps Xtreme 4th Place - CP Elite 4th Place - Killer Elite 1st Place - Backyard Brawlers 2nd Place - Rising Kingz 3rd Place - Donahue WA 4th Place - Alpha Elite

Gridiron Duals Preview

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

Check out the 2024 attending teams and the division seeds heading into the weekend.

HS Pool A	HS Pool B	
Team Shutt	Ohio Storm	
Warner Elite	Noke RTC	
Louisville	Jackson HS	
Lake Wrestling Club	Team Nauman Bethel Park	
Nashville Catholic	CP Wrestling	
Disciples WC	Warrior RTC	
Dayton Bandits	FORGE	
Rogue WC	Ohio Titan	

Top 4 HS Seeds:

- 1: Team Shutt
- 2. Ohio Storm
 - 3. Noke RTC
- 4. Warner Elite

MS Pool A	MS Pool B	
Neighborhood	Team Ohio	
DWA	Westshore	
Killer Elite	Lake Wrestling Club	
Rogue WC	OMP	
FORGE	Dayton Bandits	
Silo WC	Olmsted Falls	
Warrior RTC	Crossroads Wrestling	
Noah Mattin's WA	Noke RTC	

Top 4 MS Seeds:

1: Neighborhood WC

- 2. Team Ohio
- 3. Westshore
 - 4. DWA

ES6 Pool B	ES6 Pool C
Buxton	CP Wrestling
DWA	Neighborhood
Pursuit WC	Rogue WC
OMP	FORGE
WEG3 Black	Crossroads Wrestling
Brawler Elite	Silo WC
	Buxton DWA Pursuit WC OMP WEG3 Black

Top 4 ES6 Seeds:

- 1: Kardiac Kidz
- 2. Buxton Trained
 - 3. CP Wrestling
- 4. Neighborhood WC

ES4 Pool
Neighborhood
Foundry WC
DWA
Michigan Gold Pitbulls
Rising Kingz Gold
Brawler Elite
OMP
Rising Kingz Black
Slivka Elite

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Team Shutt

#1 seed in the HS division, Team Shutt will look to claim their 2nd Gridiron title this weekend. The roster is littered with state placers from all over the region with wrestlers from OH, PA, VA, WV, IL, and NY. Jake Hughes at 150 is an OH State Champ. Kross Kassidy at 157 from VA is a State Champ and nationally ranked #18 on MatScouts. Aiden Ohl is a State Champ from OH as well wrestling at 113 this weekend. At 120 Garrett Johnson is a 2x WV State Champ. Team Shutt will be hard to beat, expect them to be a force out there.

Ohio Storm is a new team in the field. They'll be #2 seed overall and top seed in HS Pool B. Their roster contains a lot of returning OH state placers and qualifiers that have been taking their game to the next level. This roster is built with mostly upperclassmen so expect them to lean on their experience. Wrestlers leading this pack include Garrison Weisner (132), a state finalist & 2x OH State placer. Joseph Sanderfer (144) is an OH State Placer who's nationally ranked #19 by FloWrestling. And Chandler Moore at 285 is an NHSCA National Champ.

Noke RTC out of Virginia will be the 3rd seed in the HS division. They finished 6th overall last year and are back with determination to crack that top 4 or better. Their lineup contains several VA state placers and qualifiers. Brady Hand (144) is a 2x VHSL State Champ & NHSCA AA. Tharin Svetanant (138) is a VAWA State Champ and Jackson Crowder (126) is a 2x VAWA State Champ. Davis Henritze & Joel Swanson are both VHSL State runner-ups. Jackson Wood is a 2x WV State placer. Keep an eye on Noke RTC who is bound to turn some heads.

Lake WC also returns with determination to climb the ladder at this year's tournament after a strong performance last year. Their lineup features a good mix of under and upperclassmen. Throughout the roster you will find some OH State placers as well as a few hammers. Tyler Ineman (132) is only a freshman but he's got the skills to get some bonus points for the team. He is currently ranked 2nd in the state in preseason rankings. He was a 2023 MS Super 32 AA and 2024 Folkstyle Nationals AA. Brennan Warwick (165) is preseason ranked #4 in D1 Ohio. At 215 is Danny Zmorowski, a 2024 OH State 3rd placer and 2024 Fargo runner-up. He is currently ranked #1 in the State. Lake WC will also have teams compete in the MS and ES6 divisions.

Keep your eyes on <u>Team Nauman Bethel Park.</u> They are the lone PA team in the field, and their lineup is littered with strong wrestlers from the Keystone State. Some of which are young but have had big success in PA junior states. And others who are hungry for more after just missing out on placing or qualifying for PA HS States. Team Nauman has been around a long time. Expect these guys to be ready for whatever comes their way.

The Middle School division will certainly be fun to watch and is bound to produce some exciting matchups, especially come Sunday. The top 4 seeded teams are all from Ohio and have wrestled each other often. Rivalries exist and wrestler's habits are known. We'll have to see who comes out on top. Ohio wrestlers are often found at several Tyrant tournaments so they know what to expect and know the energy they'll have to bring if they want to help their team bring home the gold. Neighborhood WC vs Team Ohio in the final could for sure provide some fireworks.

Donahue WA

Training out of the Canton area, Donahue WA will look to defend their home turf with 3 teams in the Gridiron duals. 1 team in each of the MS, ES6, and ES4 divisions.

Other new teams in the tournament this year include:

- Foundry WC
- OMP
- Slivka Elite
- Brawler Elite Tussle ES4 Champions
- Buxton Trained multi x Tyrant Tournament placewinners
- Crossroads Wrestling

- Kardiac Kidz
- Killer Elite 2024 Tussle ES6 3rd place, ES4 4th place
- Pursuit WC
- Silo WC
- Warrior RTC
- WEG3
- Noah Mattin's WA
- Westshore
- Disciples WC
- Jackson
- Nashville Catholic
- Ohio Titan
- Team Nauman Bethel Park











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