



PENN WRESTLING CLUB



July 24, 2009

Upcoming Events

August 15th

**3rd Annual Penn Wrestling Club
Golf Outing**

Eberhart Golf Course in
Mishawaka, IN on August 15th.

Visit www.pennwrestling.org
to register. If you are interested
in sponsoring the event, please
contact Brad Harper 574-485-
7910

September 12th

2nd Annual Corn Hole Tourney

Held at Donnell Lake
Conservatory. Great food and
LOTS of FUN!!! Prizes for the
winners!

As Always check the website for
more information!!!

www.pennwrestling.org

NEW MATS

With the help of Penn High
School and Penn Wrestling Club
funds, the school was able to
purchase 2 new mats for high
school and club wrestlers to
benefit from. The mats your
recently received and will be
available for the up coming
season.

Journey to Becoming A Nonprofit Organization

A lot has happened since the last day
of club, so we thought an update was
appropriate.

Penn Wrestling Club becomes a NON PROFIT Corporation

Thanks to Brad Varner-Partner at May
Oberfell Lorber, we have become a non
profit corporation. Brad spent many
hours processing the legal documents
needed to incorporate, which will now
allow us access to state funds, save
money on travel and provide a tax write
off for those interested in contributing
to the club. As part of incorporating,
we were required to create a board
and select officers, below is our current
structure:

Officers

President: Chris Hildebrandt
VP Treasure: Brad Varner
VP Secretary: Christina Harper
VP: Nancy Hildebrandt

Board Members

Brad Varner
Brad Harper
Christina Harper
Nancy Hildebrandt
Chris Hildebrandt

The term for each director will be
3 years; successors will be elected

during our annual meeting held each
September.

The club mission and key goal is to
become the best Wrestling club in
the state by providing professional
coaching, first class equipment/facilities
and present opportunities not available
at other organizations. Opportunities
would include: Elementary team
competition, middle school national
duels, Disney high school duels, special
clinic's (Fleeger), Fargo nationals, Iowa
nationals and other events.

Future Projects-Wish List

- Improve wrestling room (paint, wall
of fame, extend area)
- 10 score clocks
- Computers for tournaments
- New club singlet every 2 years for
folkstyle and freestyle
- Club warm-ups
- Host National women's tournament
- Sponsor an Elementary national
team (national duel)

2010 Fee Structure

In District: \$150.00/per wrestler
Out of District: \$200.00/per wrestler
Fees include: USA card, club shirt, and
professional instruction (minimum 2
training sessions per week over a 6
month season).



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DOLLY RETURNS

Tom Dolly will rejoin our Coaching staff and help with the wrestling club. Tom Dolly is one of Indiana's most experienced coaches.

- Asst. Coach Penn H.S. 07-08
- Jimtown Asst. 2006
- Mishawaka Asst. 00-04
- Adams Asst. 97-98
- Head Coach Marion H.S. 89-96
- 28 yrs Coaching Exp.
- ISWA Vice Chair
- ISWA Women's Director 06
- ISWA Kids Director 94-05
- 14 Yr. Team Indiana Coach/Team Leader
- 06-07 Women's Junior National Coach
- 07 Women's Junior National Bronze Medalist Team Coach
- 3x Kids National Team Leader
- 2x Cadet National Team Leader
- 01 Head Coach USA to Turkey Cultural Exchange Trip
- 99,03,04 Host Team Leader/Coach for Polish National Exchange Team
- 02,04 Host Team Leader/Coach for Turkish National Exchange Team
- 97 South East Regional Developmental coach of the year
- 02, 05 Central State's Kids Person of the Year
- Former Director of the Michiana Wrestling Academy

2009 Summer Competition Results

Disney Duals, June 2009



Penn took three full teams to the AAU National High School Duals held at the Disney Wide World of Sports complex. Each team had over 9 matches with our Gold team finishing #9 in Division 1 (the highest finish of the 16 Indiana school participating). Those gaining All American status: White team: Blake King, David Stevens. Black Team: Tony Stevens, Brian McClure. Gold Team: Alex Gregory, Cory Hildebrandt, Grant Anglemeyer, Austin Kunze, Andy Wiseman.

Elementary National Duals



Penn Wrestling Club wrestlers that qualified for this event included: 5th graders, Drew Hildebrandt, Jake Hess, and Austin Slates. Jake Hess and Drew Hildebrandt achieved All-American status.

Iowa Folkstyle Nationals



22 Penn Wrestlers made their way to the 2009 Iowa Folkstyle Nationals. Pat Davenport finished 6th place as an All American. Alex Gregory almost captured the National title (one win away). Alex placed 2nd earning All American status.

Fargo Freestyle and Greco-Roman Nationals



Five Penn wrestlers qualified for Fargo Nationals. Currently wrestlers are competing at this intense event. Wrestlers include: Sarah Hildebrandt, Alex Gregory, Michael Hummer, Grant Anglemeyer, and Devin Reagan.