

# 8th ANNUAL GENE MILLS VARSITY, YOUTH, GIRLS EASTERN NATIONAL WRESTLING TOURNAMENT

May 2, 2009

*Greater Baldwinsville Ice Arena 2725 West Entry Road Baldwinsville, New York 13027*

**ALL WEIGH-INS: May 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> 4:30-9:00 PM FRIDAY & SATURDAY 7:30 -8:30:**

**Guaranteed entry to first 1400 qualified entries** (correctly filled out). Additional open entries will be at discretion of tournament committee on earliest postmarked first entered basis. **This is a double elimination tournament; every wrestler is guaranteed two matches. NEW!!!! No Spectator fee or (door charge), No insurance card fee! One entry fee only!**

**ANTICIPATED DATE OF CLOSURE: April 25, 2009 - No call-ins or faxed entries accepted.**

**ALL WRESTLERS MUST BE PRE-REGISTERED:** EARLY ENTRY RECOMMENDED, AS THIS EVENT WILL CLOSE OUT. POST CARD WITH WEIGHT CLASS AND CONFIRMATION OF ENTRIES WILL BE SENT OUT WEEKLY, BEGINNING ON MARCH 1<sup>st</sup>. DAILY. YOUR POST CARD IS YOUR WEIGH-IN CARD AND TOURNAMENT ENTRY. **YOU MUST BRING IT WITH YOU!** THERE WILL BE A FIVE-DOLLAR FEE TO REISSUE LOST CARD. **Tournament start time 9:00 am**

**NO CHANGE OF WEIGHTS AT WEIGH-INS.** CHANGE OF WEIGHT MUST BE DONE BY CALLING TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR:

**George Burkinshaw 315-277-5164, ON April 23rd 24th 25th FROM 6:00-9:00 P.M.**

**NO FAX OR E-MAIL CHANGES OF WEIGHTS** IF YOU CALL IN A CHANGE OF WEIGHT, YOU WILL BE GIVEN ADDITIONAL INSTRUCTIONS FOR YOUR WEIGH-IN CARD. **ENTER EARLY 32 MAN BRACKET LIMIT NO EXCEPTIONS POSSIBLE.**

**AGES/WEIGHTS: BIRTH YEAR DETERMINES GROUP:** Ages must be confirmed by mailing in a copy of birth certificate. **(Do not send original they will not be returned)** VARSITY WRESTLERS MUST CURRENTLY BE ENROLLED IN HIGH SCHOOL.

**VARSITY DIVISION INCLUDING JV & JH: THIS IS AN OPEN TOURNAMENT REQUIRING NO PRE-QUALIFICATION**  
**GIRLS DIVISION: THIS IS A MADISON SYSTEM OPEN TOURNAMENT REQUIRING NO PRE-QUALIFICATION**

**We will try to stay in the 12% weight rule and three years age groups for girls division,** some exceptions possible. For questions and information on Girls division call Girls tournament director: **Diane Tighe (315) 598-1753**

**VARSITY & YOUTH BIRTH YEAR WILL DETERMINE AGE GROUP.** UNL WEIGHTS HAVE NO LIMIT, **ENTER AT RISK**  
**AGE DIVISION BIRTH YEAR WEIGHT CLASSES VARSITY AND YOUTH**

BANTAM 2001 OR AFTER 40 45 50 55 60 65 70 80 UNL

MIDGET 1999 - 2000 50 54 58 62 66 70 75 80 85 90 95 105 115 UNL

JUNIOR 1997 - 1998 60 64 68 72 76 80 85 90 95 100 110 125 140 UNL

CADET 1994 - 1996 70 75 80 85 90 95 100 105 110 115 120 126 133 140 155 170 185 205 UNL

VARSITY 1989 -- 1993 103 112 118 125 133 141 150 160 170 180 190 220 UNL

**IN ORDER TO BE GUARANTEED PARTICIPATION IN THE GENE MILLS EASTERN NATIONAL TOURNAMENT,**

you must place in the top 4 places at an official qualifying tournament listed and pre-register by April 25, 2009. You do not have to wrestle in the weight class at which you qualified however, **you must indicate at which weight you wish to compete at this year.**

**On a first mailed, first received basis:** wrestlers that have qualified for the 2009 Tournament of Champions or have placed in the top six place finishers in all National and State events in the last eighteen months, have placed in the top six places in the Fall Ohio Tournament of Champions, all AAU folk style or free style Nationals, AAU Middle School Nationals, USA folk or free style Nationals, Reno Worlds, Mid Atlantic Easter Nationals, Rocky Mountain Nationals, Southern Nationals, Any out of state wrestler that is a champion of any non qualifying event (youth, middle school/junior high, reserve or varsity level during the months December, January, February or March of the current wrestling season. **Any wrestler that is a member of his schools high school varsity, J.V. or J.H. team** and all wrestlers that have qualified in any Middle Atlantic Wrestling Association District or Regional Tournaments are **Pre-qualified** for the Gene Mills AAU Eastern National Wrestling Tournament.

**Varsity wrestlers including JV and Jr High and the Girls divisions are open tournaments no pre qualification necessary all Girls must enter the girls division. THERE ARE NO CHANGE OF WEIGHTS AT THE TOURNAMENT SITE-YOU MUST MAKE THE WEIGHT YOU INDICATE OR FORFEIT ENTRY!** Any change of weights must be done in accordance with the above information. **(NO REFUNDS FOR FAILURE TO MAKE WEIGHT)**

**AFTER ALL QUALIFIED PARTICIPANTS HAVE BEEN ENTERED INTO THE TOURNAMENT BY VIRTUE OF THEIR TOURNAMENT PLACING AT AN OFFICIAL QUALIFYING TOURNAMENT AND ON TIME ENTRY.** Open entries will be accepted to fill remaining weight class slots on a first mailed first to be placed basis, determined by earliest postmark for tournament entry. **(Sorry refunds are not possible for acts or situations beyond our control)**

**(ALL ENTRIES NOT RECEIVED BY CLOSURE DATE THAT EXCEED TOURNAMENT CLASS SIZE AND THAT CAN NOT BE PLACED INTO TOURNAMENT WILL BE RETURNED AND REFUNDED)** WE RECOMMEND THAT YOU PARTICIPATE IN QUALIFYING TOURNAMENT AND SEND IN EARLY REGISTRATION. **ENTER EARLY 32 MAN BRACKET LIMIT NO EXCEPTIONS POSSIBLE. Wrestling starts 9am Saturday morning.**

**FOR YOUR HOTEL DISCOUNTS CONTACT Shannon Barrows @ 877-320-8326 OR [travelteamusa@yahoo.com](mailto:travelteamusa@yahoo.com)**

**FOR LIST OF QUALIFYING TOURNAMENTS GO TO OUR CNYPIN2WIN Web Site: [HTTP://www.cnypin2win.com](http://www.cnypin2win.com)**

**FOR TOURNAMENT QUESTIONS PLEASE E-MAIL TOURNAMENT DIRECTOR: [gburkin1@twcny.rr.com](mailto:gburkin1@twcny.rr.com)**

**FOR GENE'S CAMP AND VIDEO INFORMATION GO TO: [HTTP://www.Genemills.com](http://www.Genemills.com) or Email [Pin2win@genemills.com](mailto:Pin2win@genemills.com)**

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