## 2012 UIL Wrestling State Championships

The University Interscholastic League Wrestling State Championships will be held on February 24-25, 2012 at the Austin ISD Delco Center, 4601 Pecan Brook Drive in Austin, Texas.

**Tournament Director:** Peter Contreras will serve as Tournament Director. The tournament director and rules committee members shall rule on all state tournament wrestling rule situations.

**School Packets:** School packets will be available for pickup from 4:00 – 6:00 pm on Thursday, February 23rd and beginning at 7:00 am, Friday, February 24, at the entrance of the Austin ISD Delco Center. One program per school will be included in the school packets. Additional programs may be purchased from the program sellers. Tattoos for participants are also included in school packets. Schools are allowed a maximum of 3 wristbands (2 coaches, 1 trainer), which are good for both days. However, individuals must be present to receive them. Any other team members will need to purchase a ticket. Athletes will only be allowed on the floor Saturday if advancing and issued a different tattoo at weigh-in Saturday morning. 1<sup>st</sup> Photo Texas will be taking action shots as well as pictures of the awards ceremonies. Schools wishing to order copies of any pictures should use the order form included in this packet.

**Weigh-Ins:** Weigh-ins for the UIL Wrestling State Championships will be held in accordance with Rule 4-5 of the National Federation Wrestling Rule Book. The times for official weigh-ins are listed in the state tournament schedule. These times will not be altered or extended. **PLEASE DO NOT BRING BAGS OR ADDITIONAL ITEMS INTO THE WEIGH-IN AREA.** 

Alternates: Alternates will be placed in the bracket if the advancing wrestler is unable to attend. Once weigh-ins for a particular weight class, there will be no substitution. Alternates will not replace wrestlers who fail to make weight.

**Tickets:** The doors will be open and tickets will be available to the public **one hour prior** to the beginning of wrestling each day. All seating is general admission. Ticket prices: Adults \$10.00 and Students \$5.00 per day; All-Tournament Pass \$18.00; Coach/Official Tournament Pass \$15.00. **Pre-sale tickets will also be available for purchase at the Delco Center, Thursday, February 23<sup>rd</sup> from 4-7 pm.** 

Parking: Parking is available at the Austin ISD Delco Center.

**Unsportsmanlike Conduct:** According to National Federation rules, all points accumulated by a wrestler who is disqualified for an unsportsmanlike conduct violation will be deducted from the team score.

Locker Rooms: Locker room facilities will not be available at the Austin ISD Delco Center.

Food and Drinks: No outside food or drink may be brought into the Delco Center.

Noisemakers/Signs: No artificial noisemakers or large signs/banners are allowed in the Delco Center.

**Team Honors:** In district, regional and state tournaments, team honors shall be determined by the National Federation scoring standards detailed in the wrestling rule book. UIL will score six places for the boys and six places for the girls at the State Tournament.

Awards: The top three finishers in each weight class will receive medals. The top two teams will receive trophies or plaques.

*Girls' Awards Presentations:* Awards will be presented upon completion of wrestling in the first three weight classes. Girls 95 lb. weight class awards will be presented upon completion of the 110 lb. weight class. Awards for 102 lb. weight class will be presented following the 119 lb. weight class, etc.

*Boys' Awards Presentations:* Awards for the boys will follow the same schedule. Awards for 106 lb. weight class will be presented following the 120 lb. weight class. Awards for the 113 lb. weight class will follow the 126 lb. weight class, etc.