



OFFICIAL LETTER OF INVITATION

October 15, 2018

Dear Wrestling Federation President:

USA Wrestling is proud to announce that the Dave Schultz Memorial International Championships, a major international wrestling competition, will celebrate its 21st edition when it is held at the U.S. Olympic Training Center in Colorado Springs, Colo January 24-26, 2019.

In 1996 we lost a great representative for our sport, Dave Schultz. As an accomplished wrestler, Dave was an outstanding ambassador, a good friend to the international wrestling community, as well as a strong family man. To honor the memory of our friend Dave, USA Wrestling and Nancy Schultz have worked together to create the Dave Schultz Memorial International.

This tournament represents the spirit of friendship, sportsmanship and goodwill that Dave exemplified. Through his open mind and open heart, Dave taught many of us to look beyond the boundaries of countries and language, to look at our similarities and common love of the sport of wrestling.

Once again, we expect to have between 25 and 30 different Federations represented at this event. The tournament will use a double-elimination line-bracket system, which guarantees each competitor at least two matches. In addition, the event will have a two (2) day format for Greco-Roman and a one (1) day format for Men's and Women's Freestyle. The Schultz family, USA Wrestling and the United States Olympic Committee hope your delegation can join us this upcoming January 24-26, 2019, for the 21st annual tournament.

Dave Schultz Memorial International
January 24-26, 2019
Colorado Springs, Colorado, USA
Senior Division: Men's Freestyle, Men's Greco-Roman and Women's Freestyle

In the Olympic Spirit,

Bruce Baumgartner
President
USA Wrestling

Rich Bender
Executive Director
USA Wrestling

Nancy Schultz
President
Dave Schultz Wrestling Federation





2019 DAVE SCHULTZ MEMORIAL INTERNATIONAL

Men's Freestyle, Women's Freestyle & Greco-Roman Wrestling

Colorado Springs, CO, USA

January 24—26, 2019

The following regulations will be strictly followed. Variations will only be made by USA Wrestling.

Teams Invited by USA Wrestling

- All UWW members in good standing.
- **USAW suggests that all foreign delegations participating at the 2019 Dave Schultz Memorial International have their VISA APPLICATIONS sent to the U.S. EMBASSY in their country of residence by DECEMBER 7th, 2018, to insure an appointment and visa approval.**
- For Visa waiting time information for your country, please visit the following website:
<https://travel.state.gov/content/visas/en/general/wait-times.html/>
- For other U.S. Embassy information, please visit the following website: <http://usembassy.state.gov/>

Venue and Dates

- The 2019 Dave Schultz Memorial International will take place at the U.S. Olympic Complex in Colorado Springs, Colorado. Address: 1 Olympic Plaza, Colorado Springs, CO 80909.
- Greco-Roman competition (two (2) days) will take place on January 24-26, 2019. Women's Freestyle competition (single day) will take place on January 24-25, 2019. Men's Freestyle competition (single day) will take place on January 25-26, 2019

Financial Conditions

- All visiting delegations will be responsible for all food and housing expenses. Expenses for room and board will be **\$150.00 USD** per person per day at the Olympic Training Center (based on double occupancy). Space at the Olympic Training Center is limited. Please inquire about reciprocal training opportunities. Expenses for room and board will be **\$130.00 USD** per person per day staying off site.
- USA Wrestling will be responsible for local transportation from the Colorado Springs Airport. Any delegations arriving at the Denver International Airport (DIA) will be charged **\$50.00 USD** per person for each trip (arrival and departure). This equates to **\$100.00 USD** per person for a round trip from Colorado Springs, CO to DIA.
- **Please provide detailed travel information to USA Wrestling by January 4, 2019. Teams arriving into Denver will not be provided transportation if their travel information is not received by January 4, 2019.**
- All delegations must plan to depart by **January 27, 2019**. Special arrangements may be possible if requested.
- Delegations must adhere to the deadlines stated on the attached forms.

Technical Conditions

- The tournament will be conducted under United World Wrestling Freestyle and Greco-Roman Wrestling Rules with modifications.
- The tournament competition will be conducted over three (3) days. Greco-Roman competition (two (2) days) will take place on January 24-26, 2019. Women's Freestyle competition (single day) will take place on January 24-25, 2019. Men's Freestyle competition (single day) will take place on January 25-26, 2019
- The tournament will be conducted under double-elimination line-bracketing rules. This means that all those who lose one (1) match in the championship bracket will be sent into the repêchage bracket for a chance to compete for the bronze medal. Those who lose two (2) matches are eliminated from competition.
- The men's competition will be held with UWW weight categories (10) determined by United World Wrestling. Freestyle: 57, 61, 65, 70, 74, 79, 86, 92, 97, and 125 KG. Greco-Roman: 55, 60, 63, 67, 72, 77, 82, 87, 97, and 130 KG.
- The women's competition will be held with UWW weight categories (10) determined by United World Wrestling 50, 53, 55, 57, 59, 62, 65, 68, 72, and 75 KG.
- All competitors must be a minimum of 18 years old in 2019. Competitors 18 and 19 years of age must present a medical certificate with permission to compete in the Senior age group.
- Medical services will be provided by the Organizing Committee. Any medical expenses are the responsibility of the individual and NOT the organizers.
- **ALL ATHLETES MUST HAVE A CURRENT United World Wrestling ATHLETE LICENSE. NO LICENSES WILL BE SOLD ON-SITE, during 2019 events. We encourage Federations to purchase these online at least two weeks prior to the event. All athletes need a passport and photo to purchase a United World Wrestling license. A driver's license is not acceptable. Please contact your respective Federation to purchase a United World Wrestling license.**

For more information, please contact:

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Officiating

- A Control Clinic will be held at this event for referees.
- Referees belonging to United World Wrestling international categories I-II shall officiate these championships.
- International Referees from category III and higher are allowed to participate.
- **Each referee shall present his referee's license to verify paid taxes for 2019.**

Deadlines: Please provide information according to their respective deadlines below:

- **December 21, 2018:** Deadline to submit final entry list for Federation Roster List. Each Federation must first contact Pete Isais or Jon Mor via email at pisais@usawrestling.org or jmor@usawrestling.org to obtain the **VISA REQUEST FORM**, in order to complete the necessary information for each participating delegate. Once the necessary information is provided for each participating individual, USA Wrestling will provide a visa support letter to the U.S. Embassy of your Federation's choice. **DO NOT SUBMIT ROSTER LIST VIA FAX.**
- **January 4, 2019:** Deadline to provide USA Wrestling detailed travel information for Federations flying into Denver. If this information is not provided to USA Wrestling by January 4, 2019, your Federation will be responsible for your own transportation between Denver and Colorado Springs. To submit travel information, **please contact Jon Mor via email at jmor@usawrestling.org** and provide all necessary travel information. **DO NOT SUBMIT ROSTER LIST VIA FAX.**
- **January 4, 2019:** Deadline to provide USA Wrestling detailed travel information for Federations flying into Colorado Springs. If this information is not provided to USA Wrestling by January 4, 2019, your Federation will be responsible for your own transportation, room and board. To submit travel information, **please contact Jon Mor via email at jmor@usawrestling.org** and provide all necessary travel information. **DO NOT SUBMIT ROSTER LIST VIA FAX.**
- **January 18, 2019:** Deadline to provide USA Wrestling with headshot photo if you are not staying at the Olympic Training Center

USOTC ACCESS

All participants must register with the United States Olympic Training Center (USOTC) and complete all necessary paperwork prior to any use of the facilities. The training facilities at the USOTC are NOT public access facilities.

Please email Jaimie McNab (jmcnab@usawrestling.org) or Jon Mor (jmor@usawrestling.org) with full name, date of birth, and respective email so that USOTC forms can be emailed to you.

***NOTICE!** When corresponding by e-mail, USA Wrestling kindly asks that your Federation please use your **United World Wrestling email account**. Due to security issues stemming from deceitful individuals impersonating international wrestlers, our State Department insists that we provide proof that those wishing to participate at international tournaments within the United States are actual international wrestlers and are represented by a wrestling federation. Using your Federation's email account will provide this proof.

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Tentative Tournament Schedule

(Schedule Subject to Change)

UNITED WORLD WRESTLING (UWW)

**Athletes can only compete in one (1) weight category per style*

Les athlètes peuvent seulement s'affrontent dans 1 une catégorie de poids par style

**SINGLE DAY FORMAT, MORNING OF WEIGH-INS - SCRATCH WEIGHT*

FORMAT UN JOUR, MATIN DE PESÉE À LA POIDS DES RAYURES

Mardi / Tuesday, January 22

Arrival of UWW Delegations

Arrivée des Delegations

Mercredi / Wednesday, January 23

Arrival of UWW Delegations

Arrivée des Delegations

Jeudi / Thursday, January 24

GR – Medical examination & Weigh-in (55kg, 60kg, 63kg, 67kg, 72kg)

GR – Examen medical & Pessee

Start

7:30AM

Finish

8:00AM

07.30

08.00

WW - Medical examination & Weigh-in (50kg, 53kg, 55kg, 57kg, 59kg, 62kg, 65 kg)

LF - Examen medical & Pessee

7:30AM

8:00AM

07.30

08.00

Referees Consultation

Consultation des arbitres

8:00AM

8:30AM

08.00

08.30

GR – Prelims, Quarterfinals, Semifinals Cons. Rd1,

GR – Pièces liminaires, quarts de finale, demi-finale, Repêchage Rd1

9:30AM

2:00PM

09.30

14.00

WW - Prelims, Quarterfinals, Semifinals, Cons. Rd1

LF - Pièces liminaires,, quarts de finale, demi-finale, Repêchage Rd1

9:30AM

2:00PM

09.30

14.00

GR- Cons. Rd2-3, Cons. Semis,

GR- Repêchage Rd2-3, Repêchage Semis

5:00 PM

7:00 PM

17.00

19.00

WW- Cons. Rd2, Cons. Semis,

LF- Repêchage Rd2, Repêchage Semis

5:00 PM

7:00 PM

17.00

19.00

GR - Medal Matches & Awards (55kg, 60kg, 63kg, 67kg, 72kg)

GR - Médailles et récompenses

7:00 PM

8:00 PM

19.00

20.00

WW - Medal Matches & Awards (50kg, 53kg, 55kg, 57kg, 59kg, 62kg, 65 kg)

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| LF - Médailles et récompenses | 19.00 | 20.00 |
| Vendredi / Friday, January 25 | Start | Finish |
| GR – Medical examination & Weigh-in (77kg, 82kg, 87kg, 97kg, 130kg) | 7:30AM | 8:00AM |
| GR – Examen medical & Pessee | 07.30 | 08.00 |
| WW - Medical examination & Weigh-in (68kg, 72kg, 76kg) | 7:30AM | 8:00AM |
| LF - Examen medical & Pessee | 07.30 | 08.00 |
| FS– Medical examination & Weigh-in (57kg, 61kg, 65kg) | 7:30AM | 8:00AM |
| LL - Examen medical & Pessee | 07.30 | 08.00 |
| Referees Consultation | 8:00AM | 8:30AM |
| Consultation des arbitres | 08.00 | 08.30 |
| GR – Prelims, Quarterfinals, Semifinals Cons. Rd1-2 (77kg, 82kg, 87kg, 97kg, 130kg) | 9:30AM | 1:30PM |
| GR – Pièces liminaires, quarts de finale, demi-finale, Repêchage Rd1-2 | 09.30 | 13.30 |
| WW - Prelims, Quarterfinals, Semi finals, Cons. Rd1-2 (68kg, 72kg, 76kg) | 9:30AM | 1:30PM |
| LF- Pièces liminaires, quarts de finale, demi-finale, Repêchage Rd1-2 | 09.30 | 13.30 |
| FS - Prelims, Quarterfinals, Semi finals, Cons. Rd1-2 (57kg, 61kg, 65kg) | 9:30AM | 1:30PM |
| LL- Pièces liminaires,, quarts de finale, demi-finale, Repêchage Rd1-2 | 09.30 | 13.30 |
| GR - Cons. Rd 3, Cons. Semis (77kg, 82kg, 87kg, 97kg, 130kg) | 5:00 PM | 7:00 PM |
| GR - Repêchage Rd3, Repêchage Semis | 17.00 | 19.00 |
| WW – Cons. Rd 3, Cons. Semis (68kg, 72kg, 76kg) | 5:00 PM | 7:00 PM |
| LF- Repêchage Rd3, Repêchage Semis | 17.00 | 19.00 |
| FS - Cons. Rd 3, Cons. Semis (57kg, 61kg, 65kg) | 5:00 PM | 7:00 PM |
| LL- Repêchage Rd3, Repêchage Semis | 17.00 | 19.00 |
| GR – Medal Matches & Awards (77kg, 82kg, 87kg, 97kg, 130kg) | 7:00PM | 8:00PM |
| GR – Médailles et récompenses | 19.00 | 20.00 |
| WW - Medal Matches & Awards (68kg, 72kg, 76kg) | 7:00PM | 8:00PM |
| LF - Médailles et récompenses | 19.00 | 20.00 |
| FS - Medal Matches & Awards (57kg, 61kg, 65kg) | 7:00PM | 8:00PM |
| LL - Médailles et récompenses | 19.00 | 20.00 |

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Samedi / Saturday, January 26

| | Start | Finish |
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| FS – Medical examination & Weigh-in (70kg, 74kg, 79kg, 86kg, 92kg, 97kg, 125kg) | 7:30AM | 8:00AM |
| LL – Examen medical & Pessee | 07.30 | 08.00 |
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| Referees Consulation | 8:00AM | 8:30AM |
| Consultation des arbitres | 08.00 | 08.30 |
| | | |
| FS - Prelims, Quarterfinals, Semi finals, Cons. Rd1-3, Cons. Semis | 9:30AM | 1:00PM |
| LL- Pièces liminaires,, quarts de finale, demi-finale, Repêchage Rd1-3 & Semis | 09.30 | 13.00 |
| | | |
| FS - Medal Matches & Awards (70kg, 74kg, 79kg, 86kg, 92kg, 97kg, 125kg) | 2:00 PM | 3:00 PM |
| LL - Médailles et récompenses | 16.00 | 17.00 |

Dimanche / Sunday, January 27

Departure of Delegations

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