

BATTLE OF THE BRAIDS TOURNAMENT DETAILS

Date: Sunday, January 11th, 2026

Location: 2608 Shermans Valley Rd, Elliptsburg, PA 17024

Doors Open: 7:00 am **Start Time:** 9:00 am (K-6) and 1:30 pm (JH/HS)

The morning session (K-6 division) must check in prior to 8:00 AM. The afternoon session (JH/HS) must check in prior to 12:30 PM.

Entry Fee: \$32 per wrestler online entry. No refunds unless the tournament is canceled.

Registration will close on 1/8/2026 @noon. Online advanced entry only, no walk-ins.

Admission: \$10.00 Adult/Coaches \$5.00 Students (Competing wrestlers free of charge)

Brackets: Round Robin for K-6 / Bracketed weight classes for JH/HS 5 or more, under 5 will be round robin.

Divisions: K-6 - Madison Style - Wrestlers grouped by nearest weights. Every effort will be made to create 5 – girl brackets according to weight and experience.

Jr High Weight Classes (Grade 7-9 No High School Experience) - 80, 87, 94, 100, 105, 110, 115, 120, 125, 131, 138, 148, 162, 180, 220

HS Weight Classes – 100, 106, 112, 118, 124, 130, 136, 142, 148, 155, 170, 190, 235

Tournament reserves the right to combine weight classes.

Weigh-Ins: Honor system. You must be at or under the weight class for which you registered at the time wrestling begins. A scale will be available. Weight challenges are \$40 cash.

Awards: Medals 1st -3rd place for all divisions. Crowns be awarded to champions!

Concessions: Available throughout the tournament.

Advance Apparel Sales: Store closes December 29th to be available the day of the tournament. Another store will open the day after the tournament for shipping only:

https://stores.inksoft.com/wp_battle_of_the_braids_apparel/shop/home

T-Shirt Sales: A limited supply of tournament shirts will be sold on the day of the tournament for \$20.00.

Athletic Trainer: Available on-site for the duration of the tournament.

The West Perry School District is a non-tobacco campus. Please refrain from using chew or any smoking device inside or out on the campus grounds. There are vape detectors throughout the campus.

Wrestlers and coaches on the mat only. All fans must remain in the stands.

Bouts: You may follow on <https://arena.flowrestling.org/> and a projector will be available the day of the event to display the current bouts. 3 point takedown, 4 point near fall and college out of bounds rules (as possible). Overtime is 1:00 sudden victory and, if necessary, a :30 ultimate tie breaker.

****Note for Junior/Senior High School divisions ONLY:** This is tournament is club status and not a PIAA sanctioned event with eligibility standards. Wrestlers should not wear school uniforms and represent their school's name. Girls should be identified by their wrestling club or hometown rather than the school with which they are associated.

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