

### 2021 Olympia World International MAS Wrestling Tournament

International Tournament at Joe Weider's Olympia Fitness & Performance Weekend October 7-10, 2021 Orlando Florida







MAS Wrestling is an ancient sport, the modern version is brought to us from Yakutia (far northern region of Siberia in the Russian Republic of Sakha). Variation of the sport is found in many cultures including being a favorite of the Vikings in the Scandinavian countries, as well as the Eskimos of North America (Eskimo wrestling, which is part of the Eskimo Olympics), Athletes sit in front of each other, prop their feet against the board that divides the competition arena and pull on a short stick. An athlete wins the bout if he/she pulls the opponent over with the stick or pulls (snatches out) the stick from the opponent. Best two of three bouts win the match.

# **Regulations of Tournament**

# 1. Goals and objectives

- Tournament is held with the aim to popularize and develop Mas-Wrestling in the world.
- Objectives:
  - -Strengthening friendly sportive relationship among countries.
  - Determination of the Mas-Wrestling strongest athlete in contested weight categories.

# 2. Time and competition venue

# Orlando Florida





Orange County Convention Center West (Hall E)

#### Thursday

6:00pm -8:00pm Registration and weigh-in MAS Wrestling

#### Friday

9:00am - Late Registration and weigh-in MAS Wrestling

10:00am –**MAS wrestling workshop** followed by hands-on audience participation

1:30pm- MAS Wrestling Tournament Preliminary Rounds

4:00pm – 5:00pm MAS wrestling hands-on audience participation

Saturday

3:00pm - 5:00pm **MAS Wrestling Final Rounds** and Award Ceremony

#### 3. Management of event

General management of preparation and conducting of the Tournament lies with MAS Wrestling USA, International Mas-Wrestling Federation and the Organizing Committee of the competition venue.

Direct responsibility of conducting the event carried on the Organizing Committee of the competition venue, MAS Wrestling USA and Ground of Jury, confirmed by the IMWF.





# 4. Participants

Allowed to participate all MAS Wrestling USA members and members of National Federations affiliated with the IMWF, aged of 18 (age determines on the very day of competition), passed medical examination and permitted to engage in power sports.

- This event is sanctioned by the Amateur Athletic Union of the U.S., Inc.
- All participants must have a current AAU membership.

USA athletes must be a current member of **MAS Wrestling USA** (memberships \$19 per annum available at <u>http://maswrestlingusa.com/membership-form</u>) and the **AAU**: AAU membership card \$24 Adult for US residents/citizens, **International Adult Athletes must submit application and pay \$45**, (Sept. thru Aug.). AAU cards are available at <u>https://aausports.org/Membership</u> Please specify <u>POWERLIFTING</u> as the sport. All cards must be purchased online prior to the competition, and presented at the weigh-in. As part of the CARD process, all athletes age 20+ will have background check performed. This process may add a week to card approval.

**TESTING:** Any athlete entered may be subject to drug testing per AAU procedures.

All athletes must have sportswear according to Mas-Wrestling rules:

 Men – special sportswear for Mas-Wrestling of the prescribed sample by the IMWF – tight-fitting or free-breed shorts for Mas-Wrestling (red and blue), sports shoes without spikes.





 Women – special sportswear for Mas-Wrestling of the prescribed sample by the IMWF – tight-fitting or free-breed shorts for Mas-Wrestling (red and blue), sports jersey or T-shirt, sport shoes without spikes.

### 5. Conditions of the competitions

MEN's weight categories are -90kg (-198lb); -105kg (-231lb; and Absolute/Open +105kg (+231lb), and WOMEN's weight categories are -70kg (-154lb), and +70kg (+154lb). Weight categories with 2 or less athletes merged with next higher weight category; weight categories with 3-5 athletes conducted in Round Robin format; and weight categories with 6 or more athletes conducted in the actual International Mas-Wrestling Federation Rules Article 2.1 by the **System with elimination after 2 (two) Iosses.** 

# 6. Awarding

Top three athletes (1st, 2nd and 3rd place) in each weight category are awarded with diplomas, and medals. Champion in each weight category receives Championship Belt.

# 7. Financing

All expenses concerning preparation and conducting of the competitions the responsibility of MAS Wrestling USA, International Mas-Wrestling Federation and the Organizing Committee of the venue under conditions of partnership. Travel expenses, accommodation, nutrition and local





transportation fees of participants, coaches and representatives carry sending organizations.

#### 8. Applications

Entry fee US\$75 on or before October 1, 2021;

Late Entry fee after October 1 is \$100.00

All athletes, coaches and officials must register online by following link below:

**REGISTRATION FORM** 

USA athletes must be current members of MAS Wrestling USA:

MAS Wrestling USA MEMBERSHIP FORM

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