



City of Smyrna

Issue Sheet

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Recognition of 2024 Georgia Kids and Girls State Championships for Folk Style Wrestling

Citywide

ISSUE AND BACKGROUND:

2024 Georgia Kids and Girls State Championships for Folk Style Wrestling

- Open and Novice (1st year) Tournaments with numerous weight classes in age groups from 6U to 14U. Close to 1,000 wrestlers competed over the two-day event. Wrestlers in the Open tournament had to qualify to compete and be a placer (1-4) in one of the 4 State Qualifier Tournaments held the week prior around the state.
- Location: Perry, GA at the Georgia National Fairgrounds (Reaves Arena)
- When: Saturday, March 2nd and Sunday, March 3rd.

The Campbell Spartans Wrestling Club had 5 wrestlers participate in the tournament with the following results:

- Ilias Delarosa – 12U – 100 lbs – 1st Place State Champion (Open Division)
- Tetsu Anderson – 8U – 51 lbs – 4th Place (Open Division)
- Jackson Grantham – 12U - 95 lbs – 1st Place (Novice Division – 1st year wrestler)
- Hinna Anderson – Middle School Girls – 140 lbs – 4th Place (Girls State Championship)
- Hinna Anderson – 12U – 130/140 lbs – 4th Place (Novice Division – Coed – 1st year wrestler)
- Connor Martin – 10U – 58 lbs – Did not place (Open Division)

Additional Recognition – Ilias Delarosa was the Hammer Award winner for both 12U and 14U divisions at the 100 lbs weight class. The Hammer Award is given to the wrestler that amasses the most points for placing in 6 different Hammer Series tournaments throughout the 2024 wrestling season.

The Campbell Spartans Wrestling Club (K-8th) is a feeder program for the Campbell High School Wrestling team. The Spartans Wrestling Club provides both competitive and recreational opportunities for kids interested in the sport of wrestling. Kids can either participate in the Cobb Youth League (recreational matches with other Cobb County High School Club programs) or compete in tournaments (competitive) run by Team Georgia Wrestling. The Spartans Wrestling Club had 39 wrestlers ranging from 5 to 14 years old this year and continues to grow year over year.

RECOMMENDATION / REQUESTED ACTION:



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