

## Proposal for Bourbon County Wrestling Colonels to attend Jeff Jordan's State Champ Camp

This proposal seeks approval from the Bourbon County School Board to send the Bourbon County Colonels boys and girls wrestling teams to Jeff Jordan's State Champ Camp in Urbana, Ohio, from June 6th through June 12th, 2025. This nationally recognized camp is known for producing state champions and presents a unique opportunity to elevate our wrestlers to the next level of competition.

The Bourbon County wrestling program continues to grow, with talented and hardworking athletes eager to compete at the highest levels. While the program has seen progress, we have yet to produce a state champion. Attending Jeff Jordan's State Champ Camp will provide our wrestlers with access to elite training and coaching, which will be instrumental in helping them achieve their goals.

Jeff Jordan's State Champ Camp has a proven track record of developing champions by focusing on advanced techniques, mental toughness, and discipline—values that align perfectly with our program's mission.

**Location:** Jeff Jordan's State Champ Camp, Urbana, Ohio

**Dates:** June 6th – June 12th, 2025

**Participants:** 18 boys and 6 girls wrestlers, accompanied by coaches/chaperones

**Cost Per Wrestler:**

- Boys: \$450
- Girls: \$250

**Wrestler Fees:**

- Boys: 18 wrestlers x \$450 = **\$8,100**
- Girls: 6 wrestlers x \$250 = **\$1,500**
- **Total Wrestler Fees: \$9,600**

We are requesting financial support from the school board to help offset the costs. To reduce the financial burden on families, we will pursue team fundraisers, sponsorships, and community donations.

**Enhance Skills and Techniques:** Provide our wrestlers with high-level training to prepare them for state and national competitions.

**Build Mental and Physical Toughness:** Develop the confidence and resilience necessary for competitive success.

**Foster Team Unity:** Strengthen bonds within the team through shared experiences.

**Achieve State-Level Success:** Position the program to produce Bourbon County's first state champion.

**Benefits to Bourbon County Schools**

1. **Athletic Excellence:** Success at the state level will enhance the reputation of Bourbon County's athletic program.
2. **Life Skills Development:** Wrestlers will gain skills such as discipline, perseverance, and goal setting, which will serve them beyond athletics.
3. **Community Pride:** Producing a state champion will inspire younger athletes and foster pride in the school and community.

Jeff Jordan's State Champ Camp is a transformative opportunity for our wrestlers. With the school board's support, this camp will provide our student-athletes with the tools and experiences necessary to achieve their dreams of becoming state champions.

We respectfully request approval for this trip and funding from the school board to make this dream a reality for our team.