

Wrestling Proposal 26-27 Dawson Springs Jr./Sr. High

*Proposed coaching positions and stipends

1. Head Coach/Varsity Boys- \$2000
2. Female Asst. Coach/Varsity Girls- \$1000
3. Varsity Boys Asst/ Middle School- \$1000

*Uniforms cost

1. Costs of uniforms are an average of \$45-60 per wrestler for competition singlets
2. Head gear at a cost of \$20 approx. per wrestler
3. Shoes (Mat) will be purchased by the individual and not provided by the school.

*Cost of events

1. Away weeknight duels are of no additional cost except for transportation coverage.
2. Larger tournaments on the weekends are similar to track meets and come with a team fee on the average of \$200 per event and transportation coverage.
3. Coverage for officials for home duels are taken care of through the "Arbiter App". Officials are \$175 per duel approx.

*Generating Revenue/offsetting cost

1. Concessions for and hosting home duels
2. Appropriate fundraising approved by Redbook. Includes t-shirt or baked goods sales, car washes, cash calendars etc.
3. Youth leagues are very successful fundraisers. After season, the high school wrestlers help the coaches with hosting elementary practices 2 days per week after school and schedule to not interfere with other sports practices. Charge \$50per child and they receive a wrestling t-shirt and the rest goes towards team accounts. Host a youth tournament and invite the schools in the region to participate. This will occur after season, the month of March primarily.

*Season mirrors basketball starting in October and runs through until state tournament in the last week of February. Practices may be held in the Elementary Auditorium or Hardwork Café'. We can work with cheerleading to establish the most suitable venue to accommodate each sport.

*The largest expenditure would be a regulation mat to host competition. I have acquired a practice mat and temporarily can borrow a mat from another school and set it up here. The average cost of a 38*38 mat is between 7-9 thousand dollars.