



2026 Boneyard Bash

This is a ALL Girls Event and Beginner Boys & Girls Tournament along with TOTS- 8u & 10u & GIRLS ELITE divisions

This tournament is part of the Beginner Bash Finals eligibility for the Champions Hoodie
This tournament is a Future Finalist Belt Series point getter for Tots-8u and 10u ELITE ONLYBoys &
Girls

Eligibility for the Event

- *All IKWF/USA carded Kids and Wrestlers who have only 1 OR 2 years of competitive experience-ROOKIES
- *All IKWF/USA carded Kids-ALL GIRLS and Boys 8u & 10u & GIRLS ELITE
- *Out of State Wrestlers WELCOME!!
- *Wrestlers who register for this event and are deemed ineligible will be removed and NOT refunded
- *Your USA card must begin with 25 or 26 to be eligible as a ROOKIE division. If your card does not you are not eligible and if you registered in track you will be removed and NOT refunded or moved to the ELITE division. There is NO Rookie or ELITE TOT.

The following are the divisions for the event

- ❖ ALL Tots (6 years old and under IKWF aged)-8 man bracket WB to 8th place (Everyone get 3 matches)
- ❖ Rookie Bantam Boys & Girls (7 & 8 IKWF aged wrestlers)- 8 man bracket WB to 8th place (Everyone get 3 matches)
- * Rookie Intermediate Boys & Girls (9 & 10 IKWF aged wrestlers)- 8 man bracket WB to 8th place (Everyone get 3 matches)
- ❖ Rookie Novice Boys & Girls (11 & 12 IKWF aged wrestlers)- 8 man bracket WB to 8th place (Everyone get 3 matches)
- * Rookie Senior Boys & Girls (13 & 14 IKWF aged wrestlers/NOT in H.S.)- 8 man bracket WB to 8th place (Everyone get 3 matches)
- ❖ 8u ELITE Bantam (7 & 8 IKWF aged wrestlers)-STATE WEIGHTS-43, 46, 49, 52, 55, 58, 62, 66, 70, 76, 84, 95, 120—brackets will be combined if necessary for most matches possible—each weight class will be awarded its own place points for the series belt race for combined weight classes
- ❖ 10u ELITE Intermediate (9 & 10 IKWF aged wrestlers)- STATE WEIGHTS- 55, 59, 64, 69, 74, 79, 84, 90, 98, 108, 122, 148, 177- brackets will be combined if necessary for most matches possible—each weight class will be awarded its own place points for the series belt race for combined weight classes
- ❖ Girls ELITE (8 thru 14 aged wrestlers)---45,50,55,60,65,70,75,80,85,90,95,100,105,110,120,130,140,140+ (165)---Brackets will be combined if necessary for most matches possible
- each weight class will be awarded its own place points for the series belt race for combined weight classes
 If unable to have 8 man brackets then 4 man round robin will be format using IKWF 10% weight disparity guideline

Only 500 wrestlers TOTAL will be allowed in this event

By participating in this event you have met ONE of the criteria to win the Beginners Bash Champions Hoodie Tots-8u Elite & 10u ELITE & GIRLS ELITE placers receive points towards the Future Finalist Belt Series

Boneyard Bash Tournament Info 2026

Hosted by the Tinley Park Bulldogs

Membership: *Wrestlers must have a current USA Wrestling Competitor Card.

*All IKWF carded wrestlers

*Out of State wrestlers welcome!!!!

When: Friday January 2, 2026 (weigh-ins)

Saturday January 3, 2026

2 SESSIONS

8 am for all TOTS and ROOKIE 11:45 am for ALL GIRLS and ELITE

Where: Victor Andrew High School--9001 West 171st Street--Tinley Park, IL 60487 MAIN GYM

Entry Fee: Pre-registrations/payment/results on Track Wrestling

Preregistration: \$40 all wrestlers---all divisions----non-refundable.

Preregistration ends Wednesday-December 30, 2025 at NOON or if we hit 500 wrestlers

https://www.trackwrestling.com/registration/TW_Register.jsp?tournamentGroupId=268733132&TI M=1757790106806&twSessionId=gvzvarmzbe

Late registrations and Onsite/Walk ups: \$60 (ALL DIVISIONS) - non-refundable

Walk-up registrations at MAIN weigh-in location ONLY.

NO walk-up registrations at satellite locations (unless approved by Tournament Director prior to

January 24, 2024)

Weigh-ins: Friday January 2, 2026 ONLY ----MAIN LOCATION Tinley Park Bulldog Field house

No weigh-ins on Saturday January 3, 2026

All wrestlers must weigh-in wearing a competition singlet.

All wrestlers must pass hair, fingernail, skin condition checks prior to weigh-in.

All questionable skin conditions must be reported on the IHSA Skin Condition Form and brought to

weigh-ins.

<mark>Satellite</mark> Weigh-ins

Sites: To be determined and announced and posted on the Pre-Registration page on Trackwrestling for

this event

Wrestling: Saturday January 3, 2026 only

2 SESSIONS

8 am for all TOTS and ROOKIE

11:30 am for ELITE

Coaching: All coaches must have a current 2025-26 USA coach's card and that card must be properly

displayed along with a copper/bronze/silver or gold USA wrestling certification card.

Spectator

Admission: All Ages \$5 admission 6 years old and up

Children under 5 years old and Coaches are FREE.

Officials: All officials are registered with the United States Wrestling Officials Association (USWOA).

Rules: National Federation of State High School rules with IKWF modifications.

Notes: *A wrestler can compete in only ONE division.

*FULL Mats for wrestling-ALL ELITE DIVISONS

Divisions: The age of every wrestler in the tournament is determined by their age on December 31, 2025.

DIVISIONS LISTED ABOVE IN BEGINNING OF THE FLYER

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Series

1st place-20 points 2nd place-16 points 3rd place-8 points 4th place-6 points

Bracketing: **8 man bracket WB to 8th place (Everyone get 3 matches) blocked weights for Rookie/Girls

Division

** ELITE Divisions Straight Brackets when possible---smaller weights will be combined if necessary for most matches possible—each weight class will be awarded its own place points for the series belt race for combined weight classes

**All bracketing dependent on the number of entries and weights from weigh-ins.

**If unable to have 8 man brackets then 4 man round robin will be format using IKWF 10% weight disparity guideline

Awards: Medals 1st thru 3rd place and CUSTOM BRACKET BOARD for CHAMPIONS-ALL DIVISONS

Bout Time: 1 min., 1 min., 1 min. (no rest between periods). IKWF OT rules/procedures in place.

Questions?: E-mail Tournament Director John Ambrose at bigbashwrestling@yahoo.com

Please DO NOT contact the IKWF office with questions since they have no additional information about this tournament or the series that is not already contained in this flyer.

This event is NOT run by the IKWF