

District Tournament Site Analysis

With this being the second year of the enrollment cycle, there is not normally going to be significant changes within the district compositions. That is the case in Division II. In Division III, any composition changes are due to which central district teams chose to compete in the district tournament held in the southwest, as opposed to the one held in the East. There is a slight-to-significant change within the composition of the northern districts in Division I; a swap of sectionals occurred between the all-northeast district (now at North Canton Hoover) and the “mixed” NE/NW district (now at Mentor).

The net compositions are the same as last year across the board. For Division I: an all Northeast district (4 sectionals), a mixed Northeast (2 sectionals) and Northwest (2 sectionals) district, an all Central district (4 sectionals), and an all-Southwest district (4 sectionals). For Division II: an all Northeast district (4 sectionals), a district hosted by the Northwest (3 NW sectionals, 1 NE sectional); a district hosted by the Southwest (3 SW sectionals, 1 SW/SE sectional); a district hosted by the Central, last year hosted by the East (one SE sectional, one Central sectional, one East sectional, a mixed Central/East sectional held in the Central). For Division III: an all Northeast district (4 sectionals), an all Northwest district (4 sectionals), a district held in the Southwest (2 SW sectionals, 1 SE sectional, 1 Central sectional).

When looking at the below district tournament statistics, keep in mind that each site should have the following marks from an expected value standpoint: overall record of 105-105, with a 52.5-52.5 mark in championship bracket matches, and 14 wrestlers going two-and-out. Below are four years of records for each district at the state tournament.

DIV I - All Northeast (North Canton Hoover)

2016: 108-109, 49.8% (overall); 50-53, 48.5% (championship only); 11 (two-and-out)

2015: 93-105, 47.0%; 50-52, 49.0%; 19

2014: 107-99, 51.9%; 61-50, 55.0%; 19

2013: 120-101, 54.3%; 67-51, 56.8%; 10

DIV I - Combined Northeast (2)/Northwest (2) <Mentor>

2016: 124-96, 56.4% (overall); 82-49, 62.6% (championship only); 10 (two-and-out)

2015: 139-92, 60.2%; 76-50, 60.3%; 7

2014: 142-98, 59.2%; 57-53, 51.8%; 7

2013: 119-100, 54.3%; 62-52, 54.4%; 9

Note – The all-Northeast and combined NE/NW configuration is different than it was for the previous four years presented here. The Wadsworth sectional is no longer in the combined district, but is instead in the all Northeast district; while the Willoughby South sectional moves to the combined district from the all Northeast district. The all-Northeast district also features sectionals at Brecksville, Kenston, and Massillon Perry; while the combined district also features sectionals at Oregon Clay, Toledo Waite, and Westlake.

DIV I - All Southwest (Kettering Fairmont)

2016: 88-112, 44.0% (overall); 31-56, 35.6% (championship only); 18 (two-and-out)

2015: 77-118, 39.5%; 31-55, 36.0%; 21

2014: 83-110, 43.0%; 50-54, 48.1%; 16

2013: 91-111, 45.0%; 41-53, 43.6%; 19

DIV I - All Central (Hilliard Darby)

2016: 100-103, 49.3% (overall); 47-52, 47.5% (championship only); 17 (two-and-out)

2015: 111-105, 51.4%; 53-53, 50.0%; 9

2014: 88-113, 43.8%; 42-53, 44.2%; 14

2013: 90-108, 45.5%; 40-54, 42.6%; 18

DIV II - All Northeast (Alliance)

2016: 104-114, 47.7% (overall); 45-54, 45.5% (championship only); 11 (two-and-out)

2015: 115-111, 50.9%; 56-54 50.9%; 10

2014: 124-103, 54.6%; 60-52, 53.6%; 10

2013: 131-105, 55.5%; 63-51, 55.3%; 9

DIV II - Combined Central (1)/East (1)/Central & East (1)/Southeast (1) <now Heath>

2016: 84-106, 44.2% (overall); 46-54, 46.0% (championship only); 17 (two-and-out)

2015: 79-111, 41.6%; 33-53, 38.4%; 22

2014: 91-108, 45.7%; 45-53, 45.9%; 16

2013: 80-108, 42.6%; 37-55, 40.2%; 19

NOTE: 2013-2015 had composition of Central (2)/East (2)

DIV II – primary Northwest district (now Mansfield)

2016: 122-104, 54.0% (overall); 64-53, 54.7% (championship only); 10 (two-and-out)

2015: 113-104, 52.1%; 55-53, 50.9%; 12

2014: 93-109, 46.0%; 53-53, 50.0%; 16

2013: 107-102, 51.2%; 57-52, 52.3%; 15

NOTE: 2013-2015 had 2 NW sectional, 1 NE (some NW) sectional, 1 SW sectional (teams chose whether to attend NW or SW district); while in 2016 and this year, the composition was 3 NW, 1 NE.

DIV II – primary Southwest district (Wilmington)

2016: 110-96, 53.4% (overall); 55-49, 52.9% (championship only); 18 (two-and-out)

2015: 113-94, 54.6%; 66-50, 56.9%; 12

2014: 112-100, 52.8%; 52-52, 50.0%; 14

2013: 102-105, 49.3%; 53-52, 50.5%; 13

NOTE: 2013-2015 had 2 SW sectionals (one of which was a sectional involving teams with a choice between NW or SW district), 1 all SE sectional, 1 SE (with some SW) sectional; while in 2016 and this year, the composition was 3 SW sectionals, 1 SE (with some SW) sectional

DIV III - All Northeast (Garfield Hts)

2016: 104-108, 49.1% (overall); 55-53, 50.9% (championship only); 16 (two-and-out)

2015: 106-121, 46.7%; 41-54, 43.2%; 10

2014: 104-100, 51.0%; 59-50, 54.1%; 12

2013: 117-103, 53.2%; 59-51, 53.6%; 10

DIV III - Combined Central (1)/East (2)/Southeast (1) <now Coshocton>

2016: 70-116, 37.6% (overall); 33-56, 37.1% (championship only); 19 (two-and-out)

2015: 61-109, 35.9%; 30-55, 35.3%; 25

2014: 68-118, 36.6%; 31-56, 35.6%; 19

2013: 104-109, 48.8%; 49-52, 48.5%; 13

DIV III - Combined Southwest (2)/Northwest (1)/Central (1) < Toy>

Note: For the previous three years, it was 3 SW and 1 NW sectional; for last year and this year, the composition is 2 SW sectionals and 1 NW sectional, with the extra sectional coming from the Central

2016: 122-93, 56.7% (overall); 61-51, 54.5% (championship only); 13 (two-and-out)

2015: 133-90, 59.6%; 76-50, 60.3%; 11

2014: 117-97, 54.7%; 64-48, 57.1%; 14

2013: 109-100, 52.2%; 58-52, 52.7%; 18

DIV III - All Northwest (now Toledo Waite)

Note: In all years recorded here, it has been four of the five northwest sectionals present

2016: 124-103, 54.6% (overall); 61-50, 55.0% (championship only); 8 (two-and-out)

2015: 120-100, 54.5%; 63-51, 55.3%; 10

2014: 129-105, 55.1%; 55-55, 50.0%; 12

2013: 90-108, 45.5%; 44-55, 44.4%; 15