

# FRIENDS OF READING WRESTLING

## MISSION STATEMENT

The Friends of Reading Wrestling is a non-profit charitable corporation that supports and assists the RMHS Wrestling Program, Reading Youth Wrestling, and other programs which involve children and high school students in the sport of wrestling.

The corporation supports the objective of teaching and encouraging student-athletes in the values of academic excellence, athletic accomplishment, sportsmanship, integrity of character, and leadership.

## 2012 SEASON HIGHLIGHTS

- Funded the purchase of uniforms for youth program
- Purchased equipment and enhanced team wrestling room
- Sponsored the high school team banquet and end-of-season pizza party for Youth Wrestlers
- Provided funding for additional coaching positions
- Hosted Division II State Tournament, Big East Wrestling Tournament and, Reading JV Invitational

## MEMBERSHIP

Membership in the Friends of Reading Wrestling is open to:

- Parents of current high school and youth wrestlers
- Alumni wrestlers and parents
- High school and youth coaches
- Community members

Each fall at our annual meeting, the membership elects officers, adopts an annual financial plan, and defines the major events and objectives for the year.

This season, we will be hosting three large events; two high school tournaments and a youth tournament. These events are significant fund raisers for Friends of Reading Wrestling. Opportunities to help prepare for the events will be discussed at our meetings and day-of help will be needed in many areas including event setup, concessions, ticket sales, and event security.

### 2012 Executive Committee

*President:* Steve Perry  
*Vice President:* Dan Ford  
*Treasurer:* Doug Webb  
*Clerk:* Barbara Killian  
*Youth Rep:* Jim Roscoe  
*At-large:* Sue Ford, Mary Graham, Scott Graham, Mike Ross, Val Ross

## GET INVOLVED!

### *Sign up to Our E-mail List*

To sign up for our e-mail list, send an e-mail to [active-join@readingwrestling.com](mailto:active-join@readingwrestling.com). This is our primary means of communications and the best way to stay up to date. You can also visit us at [www.ReadingWrestling.com](http://www.ReadingWrestling.com) and click on the "Friends of Reading Wrestling" link.

### *Attend Meetings*

See the "Dates to Remember" below. All of our meetings are open to newcomers.

### *Help out at Events*

Events are our primary fundraisers and cannot succeed without your help! We need help with everything from ripping tickets to desktop publishing.

### Dates to Remember

12/4	Membership Meeting*
1/8	Membership Meeting*
1/21	High School JV Tournament
2/5	Membership Meeting*
2/9	High School Sectional Tournament
2/10	Big East Youth Tournament
3/5	Membership Meeting*

*\*All membership meetings at Police Station Community Meeting room*

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