## **Brawler Elite Wrestling**

Welcome to the 2021-2022 season!

After a long period away, we are very excited to welcome your wrestlers back and look forward to a great season!!!

We are a NYWAY sanctioned club. Every wrestler must have a NYWAY membership. When buying your wrestlers membership, please select Brawler Elite as your wrestler's wrestling club. This will allow me to see that your wrestler has a current NYWAY membership. This club will follow all NYWAY rules and guidelines.

During a normal season, Brawler Elite participates in a tournament every weekend that there is a tournament. I will try to have a tournament schedule out as early as possible, but sometimes tournaments will be announced with only a month or even a week's notice. Parents are responsible for pre-registering and paying for their own wrestler at each tournament. Please read the flyer for every tournament carefully. Some tournaments may be split sessions or may limit the amount of wrestlers that can wrestle. Tournaments can be confusing for novice families, we will explain everything and be with you during your first tournament. Our wrestlers represent Brawler Elite at tournaments. So, please do not allow wrestlers or siblings to be running the halls.

Please make sure each wrestler is at practice early so they can put their wrestling shoes on and be prepared to start on time. Each wrestler should bring their own water bottle with their name on it. Make sure your wrestler wears tight fitting cloths such as compression shirt/shorts or a wrestling singlet. If you are new to the sport we recommend wearing a singlet in practice so that it is not a new feeling during competition. We ask anybody, not wrestling, in our wrestling room to respect practice not be a distraction.

We will use the app "TeamReach" (group code BE1) for our schedule, to access documents, personal communication and to make any announcements. This includes practice schedule changes, cancelled practices, live sessions (live wrestling sessions), tournament announcements, etc. We will NOT call individual parents for cancelled practices. Make sure the app is set up to either alert you or text you when we make an announcement.

We will be following all NYWAY guidelines. All wrestlers must sign a Covid waiver and will have their temperatures checked before entering the wrestling room.

Any questions or concerns, please reach out to me and I will do my best to help.