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Dear Coaches,

On behalf of Sanger High School Wrestling, we are excited to invite you and your athletes to the **12th Annual Lady Apache Invitational**, taking place **January 15–16, 2027**, at the iconic Selland Arena in Fresno, California.

Over the past eleven years, the Lady Apache Invitational has earned a reputation as one of California's premier girls wrestling tournaments. Each season, the event attracts many of the state's top wrestlers and programs, providing athletes with an opportunity to compete against elite competition in a championship-caliber environment.

Why Attend the Lady Apache Invitational?

Elite Competition

The Lady Apache Invitational consistently showcases some of the best girls wrestlers in California. Last year's tournament featured:

- **57 California State Qualifiers and State Placers**
- **9 State Finalists**
- **5 Individual State Champions**
- Numerous league champions, section medalists, and highly ranked athletes from across the state

For athletes with postseason aspirations, there are few opportunities during the regular season to compete against this level of talent under one roof.

First-Class Tournament Experience

Our goal is to provide a professionally run event that allows wrestlers to maximize competition while minimizing downtime. Last year's tournament was conducted efficiently on **12 full mats**, ensuring a smooth experience for athletes, coaches, officials, and spectators.

Premier Venue

The historic **Selland Arena** offers a championship atmosphere unlike any other wrestling venue in the Central Valley. Teams will enjoy:

- Professional event setting

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- Spacious warm-up areas
- Excellent spectator seating
- On-site concessions and vendors
- Dedicated coaches' hospitality area
- Convenient access for traveling teams

Outstanding Custom Awards

The Lady Apache Invitational is proud to recognize excellence with unique, high-quality awards, including:

- Custom Championship Trophies for all individual champions
- Custom medals for 2nd–8th place finishers
- Outstanding Lower Weight and Upper Weight Wrestler Awards
- Team awards recognizing top-performing programs 1st-3rd

A Tradition of Excellence

The Lady Apache Invitational has become one of the most respected girls wrestling tournaments in California because of its commitment to outstanding competition, quality organization, and a memorable experience for every participant. Coaches return year after year knowing their athletes will face elite competition and receive a true championship-level experience.

Whether your goal is to prepare for league competition, challenge your wrestlers against the state's best, or compete in one of California's premier girls wrestling events, the Lady Apache Invitational delivers.

We would be honored to have your team join us for the **12th Annual Lady Apache Invitational** on **January 15–16, 2027**.

Registration information and tournament details are included below. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at narciso_juarez@sangerusd.net. We look forward to welcoming your team to Fresno and seeing you on the mats this January!

Sincerely,

Narciso Juarez
Social Studies Teacher
Head Wrestling Coach
Sanger High School Wrestling

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12th Annual Lady Apache Invitational 2027

Date January 15th and 16th, 2027	Location Selland Arena 700 M St. Fresno, CA 93721
Weigh Ins January 15th: 9 AM Wrestling Start Time: 11 AM January 16th: 8 AM Wrestling Start Time: 10 AM	Entry Fee \$70 per athlete/\$650 per team (14 Wrestlers) Please Make Checks out to Sanger High School Wrestling Send to: Att: Narciso Juarez Sanger High School Wrestling 1045 Bethel Ave Sanger, CA 93657
Format Double Elimination Tournament on 10-12 Mats in 1 Facility. The Tournament will be run on BoutBoard App and will be live streamed through Rofkin	Awards Individual Awards 1st Place Custom Champion Trophy (Last Year Wrestling Mart Donated Champion Bags) 2nd-8th Place Custom Medal
Team Awards Custom Team Trophies 1st-3rd Place Outstanding Lower/Upper Weight Custom Plaques (Last 2 years Disney on Ice Tickets were donated by the Arena)	Admission Price (Purchased through GOFAN) Day Pass Adults \$18 Kids \$15 2-Day Pass Adults \$30 Kids \$25

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TEAM ROSTERS

An email will be sent to all coaches the weekend prior to Jan. 16th and 17th with a registration link from TrackWrestling. You will have until the evening of Tuesday, Jan. 12th to submit your rosters. You will have until the evening of Wednesday, Jan. 13th to complete all seeding info. You may register multiple girls per weight.

SEEDING INFO

All coaches will be expected to enter their wrestlers info by the evening of Wednesday, Jan. 13th. Pre Seeds will be released on Thursday, Jan. 14th. If you do not enter your wrestlers info by the correct date and time, your wrestler will not get seeded, NO EXCEPTIONS.

WEIGH-INS

Scratch Weight +1 (103, 108, 113, 118, 123, 128, 133, 138, 143, 148, 158, 173, 193, 238). Weigh-ins will take place in the Arena Floor, you must be in the weigh-in area at the start of weigh-ins each day. Athletes must be in their designated weigh-in line with straps up. Referees will be at the scales groom checking at weigh-ins. Weigh-ins will be on 7 Scales.

TIME:

Friday, January
16th, 2026

7:00 AM Gym Doors
Open

9:00 AM Weigh-Ins
by Team

11:00 AM Wrestling
Begins

Saturday, January
17, 2026

6:00 AM Gym Doors
Open

8:00 AM Weigh-Ins
by Weight

10:00 AM Wrestling
Begins

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COACHES PASSES & MEALS

Coaches will have access to the hospitality room all day. Each day coffee and lunch will be provided.

COACHES/Athlete PASSES

Coaches will check in at the Selland Arena Box office. There they will receive their Packet with athlete and coaches bands. Athletes and coaches must enter through the pass gate after check in.

CONCESSIONS/VENDORS

Full Concession and food vendors will be available both days. Apparel Vendor will be available on site.

MISC INFO:

Here are some of the venue rules:

Parking lot:

No trailers or RVs
No re-entry
No tailgating
No Grills or any sort
No tents or canopies

Wrestlers and coaches:

Entry through Pass Gate only
No coolers/ ice chests
Athletes are allowed closed foods and snacks in bags

Ticket holders:

No outside food or drinks
No e-cigarettes, lighters, vapes
No tripods
No lawn chairs
No drones

Digital Contract Form

- If you and your team are planning to attend the 12th Annual Lady Apache Invitational please fill out the digital contract form below as soon as possible.

<https://forms.gle/Aivg4khiF6EVhTL7A>

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