

# YHS WRESTLING PARENTS CLUB

**WHAT:** A booster organization to support York wrestling

**WHO:** You! Varsity, JV, Middle School and Youth wrestling parents.

**WHY:** Wrestling suffers from an image problem in York, where wrestling has been successful on the mat, but has not had the exposure it needs to attract potential athletes, fan base, and media coverage.

**HOW:** Parental involvement - through a variety of ways:

- **Promotion of events:** posters and signs on poles, around town, in schools promoting upcoming matches and tournaments, such as the big rivalry matches with Marshwood, Wells, and the regional and state meets. Emails and web posts to local media outlets help tremendously.
- **Promotion of fundraising:** off-season tournament fees, wrestling camp fees, wrestling club or fitness club memberships, as well as equipment for the proposed wrestling room at YHS (former band room). We also award an annual scholarship to one senior wrestler.
- **Organization of efforts for support:** help during home meets, snack bar help during the Sullivan Tournament, food and drinks for wrestlers when traveling to away meets.

Sign up at the Parent's Info Meeting on Nov. 19, 2009 or email  
[bthompson@yorkschoools.org](mailto:bthompson@yorkschoools.org)

Coach T. will take the initial lead, but wishes a parent volunteer to step forward to help organize this booster club.