



CIF Wrestling Official Selection Process

Step 1	Nomination forms are sent to the CIF Section Commissioners
Step 2	CIF Section Commissioners send out to the accredited officials associations within their section.
Step 3	Officials association disseminate nomination forms to qualified officials
Step 4	Officials association return completed nomination forms to their respective CIF Section Commissioner
Step 5	CIF Section Commissioner forwards those signed documents to Duane Morgan at duanemorgan6@icloud.com
Step 6	CIF Wrestling Officials Selection Committee selects 9 new officials.

1. Any official who is returning/selected for the state championships must work the section tournament from which they represent.
2. Any official who is returning/selected/nominated for the state championships must attend the annual state rules interpreter meeting
3. The only exception would be if that official is working at a higher quality event-such as a NCAA Qualifier or have an unforeseen extenuating circumstance, during the section finals and cannot attend-the official would be allowed to forgo the section tournament and allowed to referee the state championships. This exception must be granted by the section commissioner.
4. This exception still requires an official to apply through the above process and attend the rules interpretation meeting.
5. The following returning officials do not need to apply, since they were ranked as the top 15 officials in the State Championships.

Brock Brown	SJS	Bob Edmonds	SFS	Ken Gaudreau	SJS
Rick McKinney	CS	Mark Hayes	NCS	Cory Salmon	NCS
Mike Perez	SS	Ruben Jones	SJS	Don Valdez	SS
Zach Waldren	CCS	Markham Bertron	CCS	Randy Katz	NCS
Connor Nessler	SDS	Dale Hanover	SDS	Sean Runnels	SS



CALIFORNIA INTERSCHOLASTIC FEDERATION

WRESTLING CHAMPIONSHIPS

OFFICIALS NOMINATION FORM

Wrestling Officials Association Director:

1. Please forward this template to qualified and recommended officials from your association.
2. Have the official complete and submit the application, along with a facial picture of the official in gray pin striped uniform.
3. Association directors need to submit this application and picture to your section commissioner.
4. The Section Commissioner will forward this application to Duane Morgan at duanemorgan6@icloud.com

Due Date December 4, 2026

Officials Name: _____

Email address: _____

Home address: _____

City: _____

Zip: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Home Phone: _____

Shirt Size: _____ Jacket Size: _____

Which CIF Section are you representing: _____

High School Officiating Experiences:

College Officiating Experiences:

References: (include name, email and cell phone)

Association Directors Contact Information:

Name: _____

Email address: _____

Cell Phone: _____

As a nominated official, I affirm by submitting this application that:

1. I will be working in the section championships in the year that I am nominated.
2. I will be an independent contractor and not an employee of the State CIF or its member-sections, leagues or schools.
3. I am not a high school wrestling coach, nor do I have any allegiance to any wrestling program or individuals that may be or have the potential in participating at the CIF State Wrestling Championships.

CIF Section Commissioner: _____

Date submitted: _____

Please forward application and picture to Duane Morgan at
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