



Pittsburgh Wrestling Classic

Friday, April 2, 2021

WPIAL vs Maryland All-Stars

PA vs USA All-Stars

Times to be announced.

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Committee Adds Two Top Ranked High School Seniors to USA All-Stars Team

February 18, 2021 – Drake Ayala and Peyton Craft will compete against Pennsylvania best in the 47th Annual Pittsburgh Wrestling Classic.

Ayala, #1 ranked at 126 lbs. and #9 in FloWrestling's Pound-4-Pound most current rankings, will be taking his talents to the University of Iowa.

Ayala is a three-time state finalist and two-time champ with a 132-2 career record as he entered the 2020-21 season on a 91-match winning streak. He's one of seven Iowa high schoolers to win freestyle national titles at both the Cadet and Junior levels.

Ayala was the Super32 Champion and defeated Richie Figueroa, (CA) in sudden victory in FloWrestling's Who's Number One.

Craft will make a stop in Pittsburgh on his way to Cornell University. He is currently ranked #7 at 170 lbs. but will be competing at 182 lbs. for the USA All-Star Team.

Craft, from Urbana, Ohio, placed second in the National Prep Championships at 195 lbs. in 2020.

[FloWrestling 2020-2021 High School Per Weight Class Rank](#)

Weight	Rank	Name	School	State	College
126	1 st	Drake Ayala	Fort Dodge	IA	Iowa
170	7 th	Peyton Craft	Blair Academy	NJ	Cornell

Rankings effective February 9, 2021.

www.flowrestling.org/rankings/6759528-2020-21-high-school-rankings/37492-pound-for-pound

Ayala and Craft will line up along with Shayne Van Ness, Paddy Gallagher, Richard Figueroa, Chance Lamer and Victor Voinovich on the USA All-Star Team.

Alex Facundo recently withdrew to wrestle in the Michigan state tournament the same weekend.

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