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National Girls & Women in Sports Day

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Dear Parents,

I hope your year is off to a good start! January was an exciting month in the sport of Folkstyle Wrestling. It is the last full month of regular-season competition and represents the long (sometimes grueling), stretch of the season after the holidays.

In international Freestyle Wrestling, since the fall, the women's division has gotten some wonderful press. Tamyra Mensah-Stock (pictured above), after missing the Olympics in Rio, won the 68kg division by beating Olympic bronze medalist Jenny Fransson of Sweden in the finals.

<https://olympics.nbcsports.com/2019/09/20/tamyra-mensah-stock-wrestling-world-championships/>

Second, on December 31st, The Wall Street Journal released an article about girls wrestling on the rise. They are lifting the popularity of the sport at a time when participation among boys is declining.

<https://www.wsj.com/articles/high-school-wrestling-was-fading-then-came-the-girls-11577797653>

Lastly, summer camp registration is now open! *By popular demand, more time will be dedicated to Breakdancing than last year.* Still, we will offer a healthy balance of Folkstyle Wrestling, Breaking, and Outdoor Sports.

Visit our camp page to register:

<http://grapplingorillas.com/2020-summer-camp/>



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