



Maryvale Snares AAA Mat Laurels

Maryvale produced three individual champions, including 183-pounder Neil Bateman for the third straight year, and captured the Section VI Class AAA wrestling title Saturday night at North Tonawanda High School.

The Flyers, whose 80-point total was 16 better than second-place Williamsville, also had individual victories from Gary Slusser in the 123-pound class and Mark Kiesling at 136 pounds.

Bateman, a junior, was forced into overtime by Jamestown's Jonas Johnston before pinning his opponent in 56 seconds of the first extra period.

Dennis Brown of Williamsville was voted the tourney's outstanding wrestler. Brown, third-seeded in the 148-pound class, handed Maryvale's top-seeded John Blaszkiwicz his first loss of the season in the final, 3-1.

The 13 individual champions, along with those from the Class AA, A and B-C tourneys, will

gather at State University College at Buffalo Saturday for the second annual All-Section VI finals.

Maryvale	80	Kenmore West	36
Williamsville	64	No. Tonawanda	34
Kenmore East	56	Jamestown	27
Tonawanda	53	Hamburg	7
Frontier	30	West Seneca	6
Amherst	44	Lackport	3
Niagara Falls	41	LaSalle	2

98—Greg St. Onge (NF) d. Jack Zoella (M). 106—Mel Cunningham (NF) d. Dan Kathan (W). 118—Norm Kumm (KE) d. Dan LaVerde (NF). 123—Gary Slusser (M) d. Bob Thompson (W). 130—Glenn Gentzke (T) d. Rick Hartman (KW). 136—Mark Kiesling (M) d. Mill Schock (W). 141—Mike Tharp (A) d. Tom Bunlich (F). 148—Dennis Brown (W) d. John Blaszkiwicz (M). 157—Bob Rust (KE) d. Gary Miller (T). 168—Ken Gentzke (T) d. Bob Stone (A). 183—Neil Bateman (M) pinned Jonas Johnston (J). Heavyweight—Bob Kenyon (F) d. Loring Hall (NT). Unlimited—Jim Stockwell (J) pinned Pete Jahlro (NT).

Iroquois Again Wins Class AA Mat Title

Iroquois picked up four first places as it successfully defended its Section VI AA wrestling championship at Niagara-Wheatfield.

Dave Schoenthal took the 141-pound class with a decision over Jim Ellerton of Niagara-Wheatfield; Russ Brookman was crowned 123-pound champ with a decision over Frank Genza of Sweet Home; Brad Sheffler won the 136-pound class with a decision over East Aurora's Larry Reed and Tom Trzepacz was the other Iroquois titlist, being unopposed in the unlimited division.

Ray Stevens, who decisioned Niagara-Wheatfield's Jim Hunt in the 157-pound category, was named the meet's outstanding athlete.

Iroquois totaled 100 points to 92 for second-place Niagara-Wheatfield. Orchard Park was third with 77 and Lake Shore fourth with 40.

Iroquois	100	Medina	38
Niag.-Wheatfld.	92	East Aurora	21
Orchard Park	77	Lancaster	16
Lake Shore	40	Cleveland Hill	5
Sweet Home	39	Clarence	3

Cheektowaga

98—Jim Printup (NW) pinned Mark Ricci (LS). 106—Bob Stokes (NW) pinned Dave Higgins (M). 118—Jack Mayne (LS) d. Joe Janosky (SH). 123—Russ Brookman (I) d. Mike Cernann (NW). 130—Mike Borzeller (LS) d. Frank Genza (SH). 136—Brad Sheffler (I) d. Larry Reed (EA). 141—Dave Schoenthal (I) d. Jim Ellerton (NW). 148—Dale Wettlauffer (OP) d. Bill Bierl (I). 157—Ray Stevens (OP) d. Jim Hunt (NW). 168—Terry Millar (OP) d. Jim DuMoulin (I). 183—John Gebhardt (L) d. Rich Rizzo (NW). Heavyweight—Rich Kowalik (NW) d. Ron Fleissner (OP). Unlimited—Tom Trzepacz (I) unopposed.

Yale Cagers Trip Cornell

ITHACA, N.Y. (AP) — Yale upended Cornell 71-69 Saturday night behind the one-two punch of Bob Trupin and Tom McCaffrey, handing the Big Red their first Ivy League basketball defeat in 12 games and snapping their 15-game winning streak.

The loss to Yale, which had won only two previous Ivy League games this season, was a crushing blow to the title-hopeful Big Red. Seeking their first crown in 11 years, Cornell now is 11-1 with Princeton just a step back at 10-1 after an 82-72 victory over Harvard.

Cornell meets the Tigers at Princeton next Saturday night in a game that could decide the Ivy title and a NCAA tournament berth.



There were six lead changes and 10 ties in the close contest before Yale finally pulled ahead to stay. The Eli led 43-37 at half-time but Cornell moved out front after 6:40 of the second half on Dave Bliss' basket.