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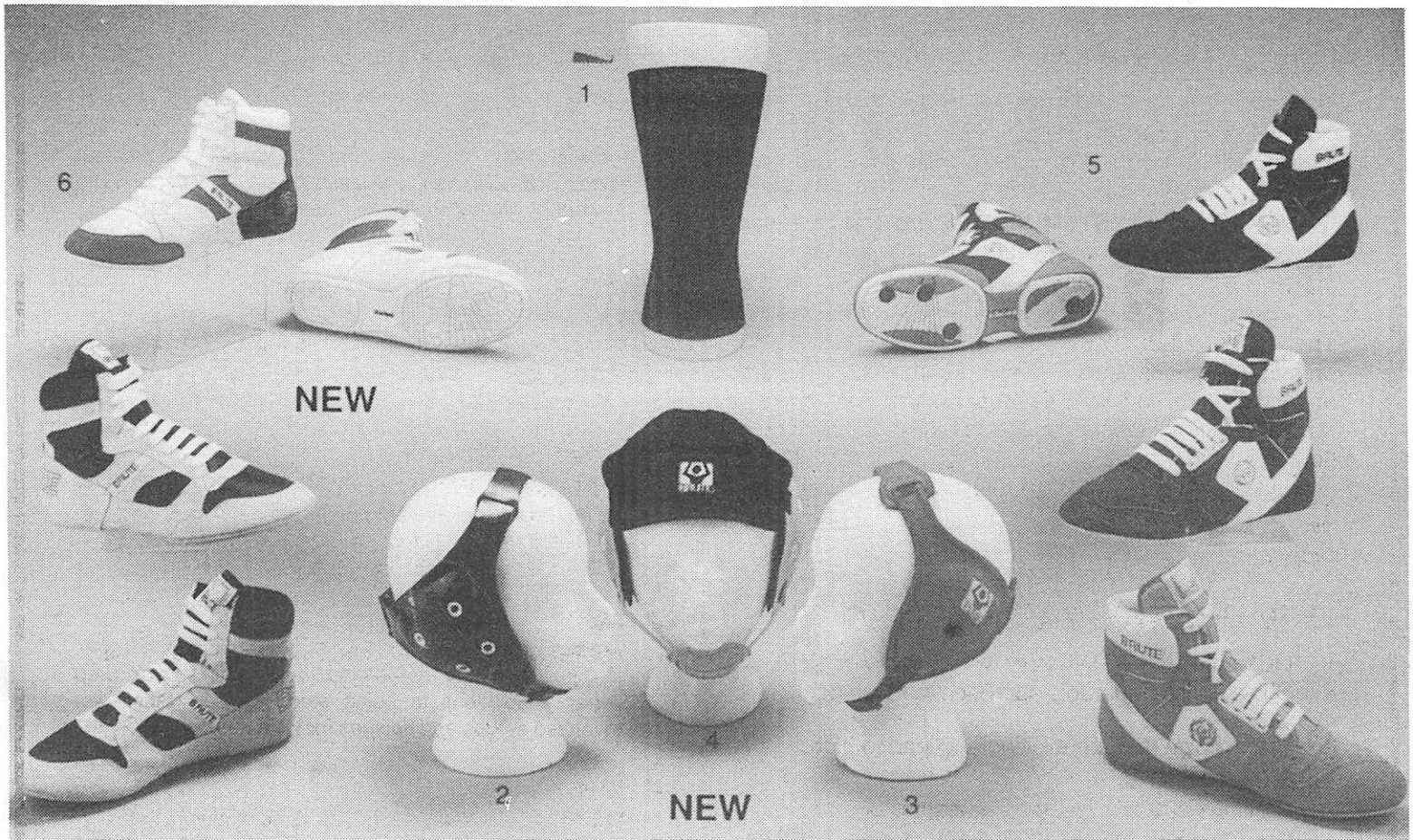
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# Mat Chat

With Mike Morone, Editor of *New York Wrestling News*

## On the Cover

Alex Croog, Brighton-5, in on the legs of Mike Jamison, Fowler-3 in last year's 105 pound state finals won by Jamison, 6-0. Croog is now a senior with a great chance at winning a state title in March. Jamison is successfully competing for SUNY Morrisville at 118 pounds. Both are very powerful, experienced matmen with tight defensive skills. Look for several future titles from both of them. As usual, our photo is from Peter Venier, who takes most of the photos in this magazine.

## Meningitis on Long Island

Recently a member of the Baldwin-8 wrestling team was diagnosed with meningococcal meningitis. This disease is spread through direct contact with nose or throat discharges from an infected person. Apparently there is preventative medicine available. A sign of the disease is a sudden onset of symptoms including fever, headache, vomiting, stiff neck and a rash.

The January/February 1992 issue of *American Health* magazine states that amateur wrestling may be dangerous for athletes. Contact between foes may lead to the spread of skin disease: namely, type 1 herpes simplex virus. Coaches, keep your eyes open....

## Camden Pays to Play

Camden-3 High School is on an austerity budget and is faced with funding problems for sports teams. Despite this hardship, this year's team has 28 members, with intense competition for starting roles at

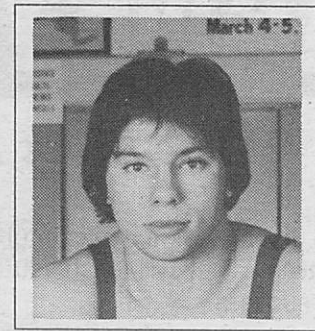
several weight classes. Good luck, guys - I know what it feels like...

## Technique Tapes

Wrestlers today have a great advantage over guys from my day because of video tape. I was only videotaped twice - once in high school and once in college. Both times I got my ass kicked and was too embarrassed to later learn from the tapes. Athletes today have lots of their matches on tape. Technique tapes also help. I just got sample copies of Sinor Sports Videos' series of three tapes. All three are taught by Joe DeMeo, SUNY Albany and ATWA coach. They are comprehensive, professionally-done, entertaining productions. Great stuff - not just a lot of technique, but lots of strategy, personal anecdotes, and variety. There's also great new service that allows you to have two of your videotaped matches critiqued by DeMeo and Jim Humphrey (1988 Olympic free-style coach). If I get other samples technique tapes, I'll review those as well.

## Stanbro off to Great Start

JJ Stanbro opened his collegiate season impressively, beating three tough opponents. First was a 7-5 win over Ray Miller, Arizona State's 158 pounder. Miller was ranked fourth in the nation by Amateur Wrestling News. Afterwards, JJ beat the Bucknell



wrestler, 13-5, before edging Cornell's rugged Mike New, 8-7.

## Wrestling in USA Today

Supposedly, the *USA Today* has been covering wrestling better than ever before. If you want to encourage the coverage, send your letter to Jim Welch, Sports Editor, *USA Today*, 1000 Wilson Blvd, Arlington, VA 22229.

## Effner an All American

Did you know that Jack Effner, third-year head coach at Army, was a two-time NCAA Division I All American? He went 131-20 for Indiana State, captured freshman All American honors and then placed 6th and 5th in the nationals at 142 pounds in 1985 and 1986.

## Broome CC Still Fighting

Last season was a tough one for Broome Community College, in Binghamton. Despite its location in the middle of a wrestling hotbed, the team dwindled to just two members by last season's end due to attrition. But it survived, and this year the roster is up to nine wrestlers in seven weight classes. Led by Eric Roscoe, Jim Kohlbach, and Eric Rifanburg, they should have placefinishers in lots of tournaments. First year coach Walt Kuhlman says, "I have total confidence in their ability. Now we need to work on improv-

ing and on seeking future athletes." Good luck!

**Roselli, Payne Win Cal Open**

Lou Roselli, now a senior at Edinboro University, but competing unattached, walked through the December 8th California, PA Red "C" Open. Competing in a crowded, mostly Division I and II tournament, he won by tech fall in 4:25, by default, pin in 3:02, and 9-3 in the finals. Roselli will be redshirting this year. When he comes back next year, he could be the next NCAA champ!

Dan Payne, sophomore at Clarion University, stole the show at 177 pounds. He posted four impressive victories, technical fall in 4:02, 13-9, fall in 1:20, and 10-6 in the finals. Payne is originally from Victor-5 High School. Competing at 150 pounds, Ken Porter went 4-2 in taking fourth.

**Sheldon Wins Haparanda Cup in Greco**

I wish I had a buck for every medal won by those Greco guys up in Albany. A group of Olympic hopefuls recently toured overseas to gain international experience. Shawn Sheldon, 114.5 pounds, Albany, NY, was the US's only gold medal winner at the Haparanda Cup in Sweden on December 6-8. He won four matches, including a disqualification win in the finals in 4:43.

Said National Greco Coach Mike Houck, "Sheldon proved once again that he is our most consistent winner against top World class competition. He went 4-1 against Soviets. He consistently beats the best wrestlers in the world."

Chris Tironi of Mechanicsville (220) earned a bronze and Isaac Ramaswamy of Albany took fourth at 105.5. Ike Anderson,

149.5; Joe Sabol, 163; and Dave Koplovitz, 286 also competed.

On December 14-15, at the Vaanta Cup in Finland, several New Yorkers placed. Sheldon took third at 114.5 pounds. His only loss was a 3-2 decision to the Russian whom he beat the week before. Ike Anderson took fourth at 136.5 pounds, with Chris Tironi, Isaac Ramaswamy, and Dave Koplovitz all placing fifth. Mike Houck and Joe DeMeo coached.

A month earlier, the US Greco team placed second in the Trope Milone Tournament in Faenza, Italy. Andy Seras, Schenectady, 149.5 took first place, Frank Famiano took fourth at 125.5 pounds, and Ike Anderson, and Shawn Sheldon took fifth place.

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The New York 100 is an annual publication I put out each April. It is a computer ranking of NYS's most successful high school wrestlers for the current season. In total, over 750 athletes will be listed in this year's edition. Tons of college coaches buy it and recruit from it.

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**Remember: (716) 334-6454 for a New York 100 Nomination Form!**

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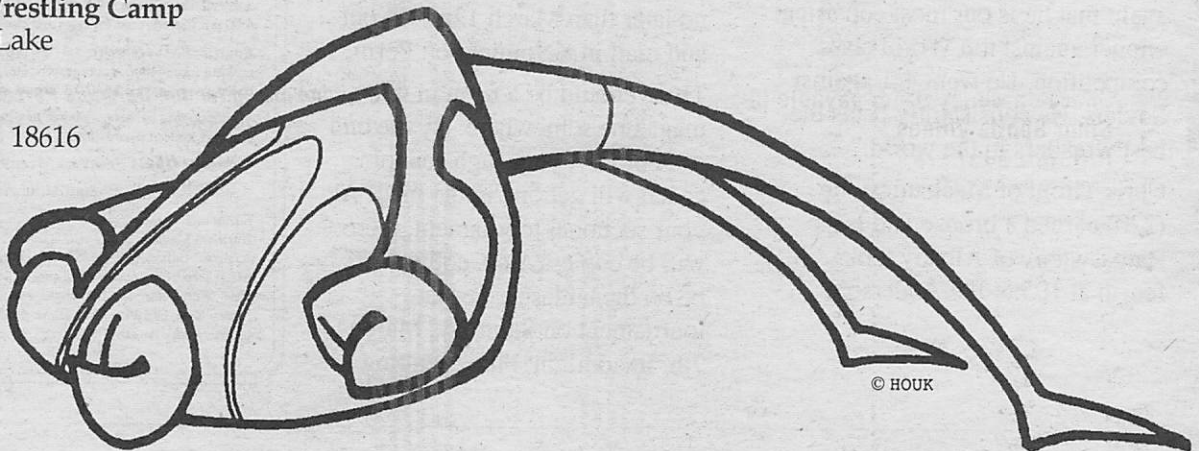
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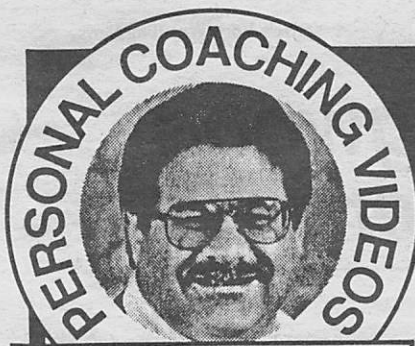
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# State's Top Teams, Longwood and Fulton Battle at Cicero-NS

On Saturday afternoon in a stuffy little gym just north of Syracuse, the state's number one ranking was determined in a most unusual way. Somehow, Cicero-North Syracuse-3 coach Derek Bigford had managed to attract both Fulton-3 and Longwood-11 to his annual Bill Anderson Memorial Tournament. Bigford, a Division III All American himself, is one of the hardest-working coaches in the state; perhaps that's how he managed to get these two powerhouses under one roof that day.

In last year's final state team poll, coordinated by Neil Kerr, Syracuse Post-Standard, Fulton and Longwood shared the number one position. And instead of Long Islanders and Central New Yorkers bickering about the top spot all year, it was determined very early.

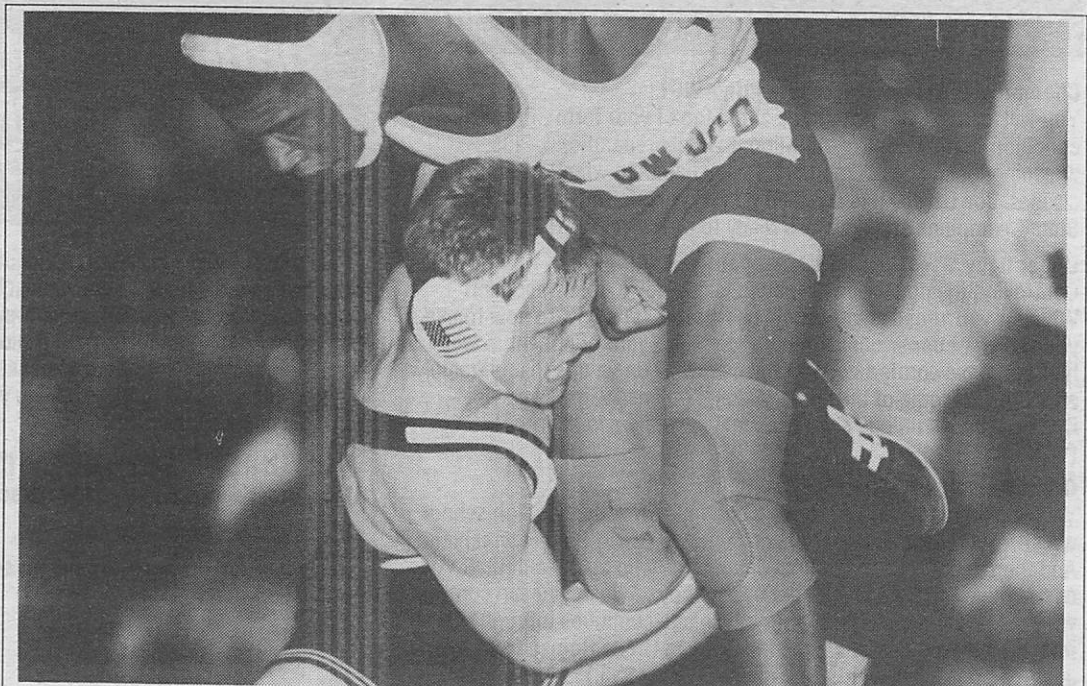
At the tournament, Fulton, led by coach Mike Connors, finished with five champions and 251 big points - good for the title any other time. But here they got only second place. Somehow Longwood, coached by Mike Picozzi, piled up an amazing 272 points for first

place in the tourney and in the state rankings.

The Most Outstanding Wrestler award was given to Longwood senior Kerry McCoy, 177 pounds. He scored four easy falls on the way to first place. McCoy took second in last year's state tourna-

great, from Longwood, Fulton, and other schools.

Teams: Longwood-11 272; Fulton-3 251; Carthage-3 208; Baldwinsville-3 181.5; Liverpool-3 158.5; Cicero-North Syracuse-3 101; West Genesee-3 77; Homer-353.5; East Syracuse-Minoa-3 and Rome Free Academy-3 53; Watertown-3 35.5; Fowler-3 34.



JULIUS GRADNEY, right, in dual meet action last year at 145 pounds. This year, he's at his normal weight, 132, and is undefeated so far. For this month, he's ranked second in the state. Photo by Peter Venier.

ment, losing in the finals seconds, 3-2. Over the summer, he competed extensively and added lots of experience. He is now a solid favorite to win the states at 177.

Longwood and Fulton met head-to-head 10 times, with a 5-5 split. Longwood had four champs to Fulton's five, but it was their depth that made the schlep from LI to Syracuse worth it. Jason Klein of Baldwinsville won the most pins award. Lots of other guys looked

## Championship Finals

- 91 Andy Hammond Ful dec D Zaker Lon 6-1
- 98 Jeremy Cali Bal dec Jon Furguson Car 4-2
- 105 Dan Mahar Ful dec Jim Misale Lon 7-1
- 112 Randy Hoffman Car pin Brian Hall Liv 4:50
- 119 Paul Strife Car dec David Davis Liv 7-2
- 126 John DeMoors Bal pin Alec Benditti Liv 2:26
- 132 Julius Gradney Lon dec Jody Furguson Ca 10-5
- 138 Dwayne Thompson Lon dec Bill Hayden Ful 9-2
- 145 John Lange Lon dec Leo Rogers 16-5
- 155 Matt Austin Ful pin Eric Rose Liv 1:55
- 167 Shayne Bogardus F dec Jason Coffman Ca 8-5
- 177 Kerry McCoy Lon pin Matt Kitts Ful 3:50
- 215 CP Carroll Ful dec Mike Kilmer Ho 12-3
- hwt Rich Fleischman Liv pin Vin Mulhare Lon 2:07

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# Croog Outstanding at Tri-Valley; Many Top 10 Wrestlers Compete

In a talent-packed tournament, Alex Croog, Brighton-5 senior came away with the 119-pound title and MOW award at the 21st annual Tri-Valley Wrestling Tournament, held at Canastota High School on December 13-14th. Lowville-3 held on to a comfortable lead in taking first place, piling up 200 points to Canastota-3's 178.

Croog was fourth in the states three years ago, then Section 5 runner-up the next year. Last year, he placed second in the NY State championships at 105 pounds. This year, he is currently undefeated and top ranked in the state. At this tourney, he won by 3:15 pin, 18-3 tech fall, 12-2, and 4-2 in the finals over TO Oliver of VVS-3.

This year's Tri-Valley featured lots of great action and several top-ranked wrestlers. It's likely that at least one or two state champs will emerge from this difficult event, and nearly every weight had either a Top Ten Wrestler or someone real close.

In addition to Croog, New Hartford-3 sophomore Terry Showalter ripped up the field on the way to first place at 126 pounds, winning by tech fall, injury default, and 2:51 pin. At heavyweight, Jamie Huntington, Whitehall-2, so impressed tourney scorekeepers that someone penciled in "State Champ???" on one of the bracket sheets. He won in his usual fashion - three quick falls, :22, 1:23, and

1:55 - against some very tough competition.

The big surprise of the meet came at 105 pounds. State champ David Hardwick of Valley Central-9 advanced to the finals easily (7-0 and 16-3), but was beaten in a great 3-2 match by Jim Burns of Essex Junction, Vermont. Burns looked sharp in making the finals, winning by 9-3, 7-1, and 9-3.

Others you may see in Syracuse in March include 91 pound Ben New of Canastota-3; Mark Yanagihara, Balston Spa-2 (he's already been to Syracuse!); Jason Southworth, Vernon-Verona-Sherrill-3 (beat state placewinner John Tyler of Canastota-3); Andy Klein, Canastota-3, Rusty Grant, Brighton-5; Todd Cutrie, VVS-3; Andy Sweredoski, Lowville-3, and Travis Kidder, Mexico-3. Kidder won by three quick falls - :23, 1:47, and :41 to Most Falls trophy (three pins in just 2:51). The Fastest Pin award went to 167-pounder Nick Morse of VVS-3. He came out in round one and stuck Jeff Veeder of Madison-Morrisville-Eaton in just 17 seconds.

He won twice after that, then fell in just 31 seconds himself to Chris Brown of Chittenango- for fifth .

Teams: Lowville-3 200; Canastota-3 178; Vernon-Verona-Sherrill-3 141; Valley Central-9 126.5; Brighton-5 122.5; Ballston Spa-2 109.5; Whitehall-2 96.5; Essex Junction, VT 94.5; Oneida-3 91; Camden-3 85.5; Mexico 75; Chittenango-3 66; New Hartford-3 59; Dolgeville-3 37; Holland-Patent-3 16.5; Madison-Morrisville-Eaton 14.

- 91 1 & 2 Ben New Can dec Shane Premo L 10-2  
3 & 4: Pat Ripley WH pin J Southworth VS 2:55  
5 & 6: David Caruso NH tf Pat Hammerle O 3:30
- 98 1 & 2 Mark Yanahihara BS dec Tim Tyler C 8-3  
3 & 4: Jesse Bixby On dec Adam Kelly WH 5-2  
5 & 6: Ryan Darling Low dec Tim Auers Mx 6-3
- 105 1 & 2 Jim Burns EJ dec David Hardwick VC 3-2  
3 & 4: Ron Grinnell Cam tf Jim Dicken On 3:58  
5 & 6: Bob Buryea Can dec Ken DeCosta Br 7-1
- 112 1 & 2 J Southworth VVS dec J Tyler Can 3-2 ot  
3 & 4: Daryl Lyon Dol inj def Ethan Sinnott Bri  
5 & 6: Matt Brown Low dec Bill Lynch VC 5-4
- 119 1 & 2 Alex Croog Br dec TO Oliver VVS 4-2  
3 & 4: Galen Moshier L p J Wojtowecz BS 4:03  
5 & 6: Rick Thurston On pin T Emery Mx 2:48
- 126 1 & 2 T Showalter NH p J Matteson WH 2:51  
3 & 4: Tom McCauliff VVS dec t Brisson BS 6-4  
5 & 6: Matt Fero Br inj def Chris Cotten VC
- 132 1 & 2 Andy Klein Can dec Pat Sheedy Chit 6-2  
3 & 4: Dan Williams VVS dec Neal Birch On 3-2  
5 & 6: Todd Mushtave Low dec Rich Lyon D 9-4
- 138 1 & 2 Rusty Grant Br dec Jeff New Can 5-4  
3 & 4: Neil Brutus VC dec F Van Steen HP 4-3  
5 & 6: Brian Batty NH inj def Dave Gross Dol
- 145 1 & 2 Josh Downing Mx d A Williams WH 7-3  
3 & 4: Cory Proper VVS tf K Edwards B 3:20  
5 & 6: Dave Webster Low dec Brian Rossi O 3-1
- 155 1 & 2 Todd Cutrie VVS d Mike Gabert EJ 17-6  
3 & 4: Marc Russell Low dec CJ Kosmicki Br 8-0  
5 & 6: PJ Kimball Can inj d Shawn Hinman Cam
- 167 1 & 2 Toby Barnes BS dec Jodie Marriott L 16-6  
3 & 4: Andy Donehower EJ p Jose Lopez C 3:43  
5 & 6: Chris Brown Chit pin Nick Morse VVS :31
- 177 1 & 2 A Sweredoski Low tf D Delahunt C 15-0  
3 & 4: Rusty Dean Chit p Joe Bennett VC 3:20  
5 & 6: John LaGrange VVS dec D Brown C 7-4
- 215 1 & 2 Jamie Huntington WH p J Storm BS 1:55  
3 & 4: Mike Kaylor VC pin Bill Hutchins EJ 2:29  
5 & 6: Rich Maxam Low pin Dan Cohen Br 2:36
- hwt 1 & 2 Travis Kidder Mx pin Tim Wood VC :41  
3 & 4: Chad Walker Cam d Jon Cole Low 4-2 ot  
5 & 6: Ken Buyea Can pin Mike Barb EJ 3:29

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# Spencerport-5 Top NYS Team at Rugged Southern Tier Classic

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119, where he recorded three tech falls and a 7-2 win. Two-time champ Bob McMurdy looked strong at 145, as did Brian Casali of Sweethome. He went unscored upon at 250.

Teams: Ridgeway, PA 207; Hickory, PA 176; Spencerport 165; Pioneer 137.5; Fredonia 131.5; Grove City 123; Olean 106.5; Falconer 102; Maple Grove and Silver Creek 79.5; Sweet Home 75; Portville 73; Southwestern 67; Grand Island 65; Jamestown 61; Randolph and Gowanda 60.5; Salamanca 60; Allegany 58.5; Royalton-Hartland 57.5; Williamsville South 57; Franklinville 54.5; Cassadaga Valley 51; Cheektowaga 41; Westfield 33; Pine Valley 31.5; Bishop Walsh 20

91 1 & 2 John Lindamer O dec J Cunningham W 8-1  
3 & 4: Todd Macey SW dec Tom Heaton Sp 4-1

98 1 & 2 Jeff Barlow Gl tf Al St Clair PV 16-1  
3 & 4: Anthony Mariani O dec Steve Hoven Sp 2-1

105 1 & 2 Mike Steinbar Sal pin B Decker RW 5:17  
3 & 4: Jon Swift Pio dec John Inkley Ran 6-4 ot

112 1 & 2 Joe Conti SC dec Chris Stevens Fre 3-2  
3 & 4: Jason Barbera Sp dec Marty Rastelli Gl 6-2

119 1 & 2 Jason Wartinger Ch tf M Doubek Ran 17-2  
3 & 4: Joe Barbera Sp dec Jason Slagle GC 7-2

126 1 & 2 Tom Tomeo GC pin Jim Kennedy Sal 5:27  
3 & 4: Herb Brown Fre dec Kevin Nelson 1-1 ot

132 1 & 2 Rennie Crisafulli All dec J Schaus Fal 4-2  
3 & 4: Don Wagner Pio dec Rob Steiner PV 6-3

138 1 & 2 Jason Geiger Gow dec M Kuzara SH 11-3  
3 & 4: Dan Weller Fra dec Jon Churchill GC 5-3

145 1 & 2 Bob McMurdy CV dec J DeMarco Hick 7-2  
3 & 4: Jude Gardner Fre dec Gary Gerber RW 2-1

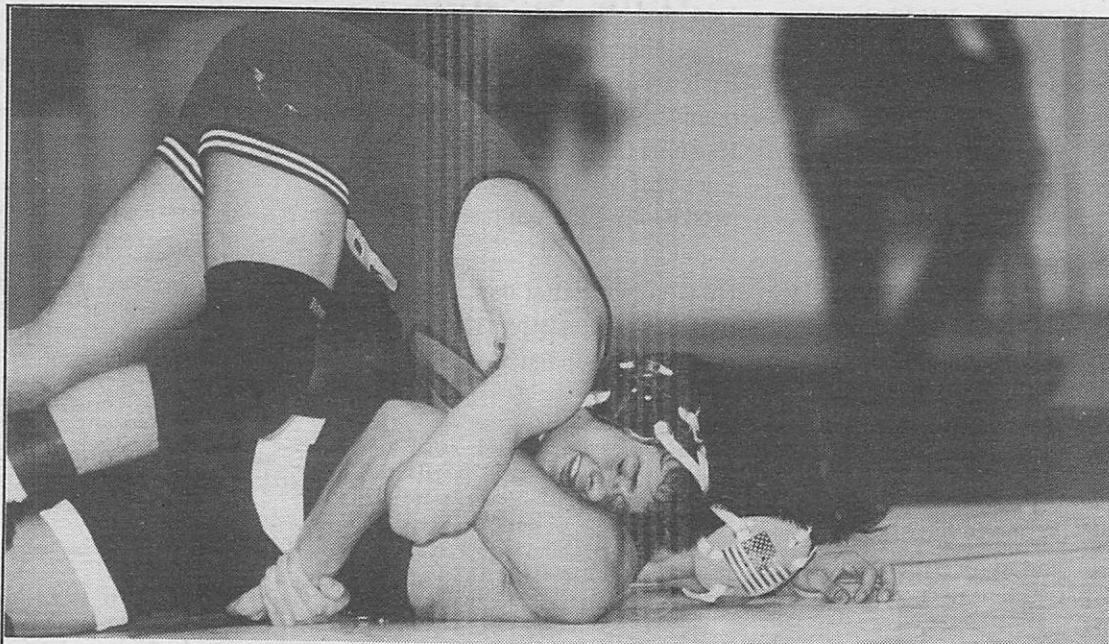
155 1 & 2 Brad Slagle GC dec Andy Brigger RW 2-0  
3 & 4: Craig Faulkner Fal dec J Keefer MG 3-1

167 1 & 2 D Peterson RW dec S Gissendanner S 4-2  
3 & 4: Mike Scott Hic wb for M Thompson Pio

177 1 & 2 Tom Hoffman RW dec Wes Spencer OI 9-0  
3 & 4: Chris Nolan MG pin Mike Zehler Pio 2:06

215 1 & 2 Gary Fragle Hic dec Chris Perry SC 4-0  
3 & 4: Jarred Lake RH dec Kevin Murray Jam 9-3

hwt 1 & 2 Brian Casali SH wb inj def T Ford RW  
3 & 4: Ed Roman F pin D Vanderwork J 3:1



JASON WARTINGER, top, in state 2-1 win over Sachem-11's John Jaeger. Wartinger is now at 119, and is ranked number two in the state. He is a senior from Cheektowaga-6. Photo by Peter Venier.

Wrestlers of all ages, here's the best advice anyone can give to help you become the best wrestler you can be: wrestle as much as you can all year long with as many different people as you can. Join a wrestling club - they're all over NYS - and go to as many tournaments as you can (in all styles!). Also, save your nickels and dimes and go to wrestling camp this summer.

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Most Outstanding Wrestler was Doug Riddell, Whitney Point. The Rotary Award for sportsmanship went to CJ Hansen of Oxford. The Director's Plaque (winner with least points scored on him) went to Eddie Maslin of Whitney Point. Mike Chase of New Berlin won the Most Pins award, decking four in just 4:18!

Team Scores: Queensbury 200.5; Norwich 180.5; Whitney Point 159; Greene 108; Corinth 101.5; Oxford 85.5; Chenango Forks 59.5; Bethlehem 46; Sidney 40; Bainbridge-Guilford-Afton 24; New Berlin 23; Altmer-Parish-Willms 23.

- 91 1 & 2 Ed Maslin WP pin B Downey Nor 2:21
- 98 1 & 2 Matt Sperry Q pin Brian Baker Cor 3:58
- 105 1 & 2 K Knapp WP dec J LaBombard Q 12-5
- 112 1 & 2 Doug Riddell WP dec J Clark Q 10-8
- 119 1 & 2 Aaron Whaley Nor dec D Badger Gr 6-2
- 126 1 & 2 Brian Oliva Q dec Drew Downey N 13-5
- 132 1 & 2 CJ Hansen O dec VanDerwark Q 13-5
- 138 1 & 2 Dennis Baker C dec H Bromley Q 10-6
- 145 1 & 2 D Ballard WP dec A Carusone Q 10-2
- 155 1 & 2 Z DeJoseph C dec B McPherson S 14-4
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The big story in this event was the huge number of mismatches in the finals. Nine finals matches ended in a pin or technical fall. Up till 119, no match went six minutes.

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| 91 1 & 2 Eric Gaines H pin Brent Carney CV 4:25<br>3 & 4: Pat Owen END dec Joe Salansy MV 8-4          | 138 1 & 2 Mac Leonard HV dec Bob Kehrer Cob 15-6<br>3 & 4: Jerry Deyo SV dec Kevin Wilson END 8-5    |
| 98 1 & 2 Scott Winseman SV pin Rick Bates C 2:23<br>3 & 4: Frank Palmiera CV tf Vince Cresanti 3:09    | 145 1 & 2 Mark Winters C pin Bob Emerson BR 4:49<br>3 & 4: Leo Gingerlowski MV d Jas Powell HV 6-4   |
| 105 1 & 2 Damien Tofte Bin tf Bill Trendell C 3:20<br>3 & 4: Alex Jordan END pin Bob Hodges HV 3:40    | 155 1 & 2 Eric Rudock SV pin Scot Ruhmel END 1:29<br>3 & 4: Bob Florence HV dec Mike Shattan B 13-5  |
| 112 1 & 2 Dennis Day HV pin Nate Tompkins MV 3:04<br>3 & 4: Bob Campbell Bin tf Dave Kolmer SV 5:22    | 167 1 & 2 Scott Salansky MV p Steve Salada BR 2:17<br>3 & 4: Mike Clune END dec Mark Gonzalez C 2-0  |
| 119 1 & 2 Tim Overby NV dec Steve Hanes Cob 9-7<br>3 & 4: Brad Seymour END p Matt Nichols HV 3:50      | 177 1 & 2 Rich Knapp HV dec Chaz Ross MV 10-7<br>3 & 4: Dan Wilson END pin Aaron Smith Co 2:55       |
| 126 1 & 2 Shawn Farley CV d Mike Canfield MV 4-0<br>3 & 4: Brian Overby NV d Chris Kamas END 9-4       | 215 1 & 2 Matt Winters Co pin Nate Salvemini B 5:17<br>3 & 4: Tim Griswold CV pin C Kaufman MV 2:01  |
| 132 1 & 2 Eric McAllister Cob Aaron Detwiler BR 5-2<br>3 & 4: Jason Elwood Bing d Tim Ketterer MV 10-2 | hwt 1 & 2 Barry Woolfolk Bin pin Dan Borrelli MV 1:24<br>3 & 4: Ray Allen BR pin Chuck Corsi END :43 |

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# Many Pins Recorded in Long Island Tournament Action!

Long Island Wrestling is in full swing. Here are results from eight tournaments held in early December. If there's any way I can summarize the results, it would be by slapping a mat - 42 times. That's right. Out of the 112 finals matches wrestled, 42 ended in a pin victory. That's a 37.5% pin rate! That's why Nassau and Suffolk wrestlers are so much fun to watch - they're not afraid to pop in a half nelson every now and then.

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## MacArthur-8 Tournament

Teams: MacArthur 269.5; Division 124; Half Hollow Hills West 102; Oceanside 97; Island Trees 84; Garden City 61; Northshore 54; Seaford 44.5; Roslyn 44.

MOW: Emile Fann, Roslyn

Most Pins / Least Time: Mike Polak, MacArthur, 3 in 6:44

- 91 Kessler M Pin Slanigan M :22
- 98 Nick M Pin Dennis 3:16
- 105 Gerardi O dec Miller D 6-2
- 112 Paletta M Pin DiMassi D 1:19
- 119 Barbosa D dec Buhmann M 12-3
- 126 Zolpe I Pin Tricarico HHW 1:04
- 132 Rizzi M dec Gaspari D 13-4
- 138 Martinez S dec Krause N tf 5:30
- 145 Muller S dec Bell I 9-1
- 155 Nagrowski M Pin Apuzzo I 3:50
- 167 Fann R Pin Larkin M 5:30
- 177 Polak M dec Sullivan HHW 9-0
- 215 Levy Pin D'Worsake 1:58

hwt Waller M Pin Wolf I 3:11

## Herricks-8 Invitational

Teams: Sachem 195; Long Beach 148.5; Herricks 142.5; Newburgh Free Academy 53; Chaminade 51.5; Great Neck 37.5; Manhasset 22; Friends Academy 18

MOW: John Aebly, Sachem

- 91 Brodsky LB dec DeMartino S 11-5
- 98 Carvalheira S dec Carraza 7-0
- 105 McLoughlin H dec Artega LB 8-5
- 112 English M Pin Fernandez H 3:31
- 119 Kagen S dec Pollin H 13-5
- 126 O'Hara S dec Young LB 10-2
- 132 DiMaria H dec Ippolito LB 7-6
- 138 Renny H dec Attansio S 13-3
- 145 Asaro S dec Mann NFA 6-0
- 155 Eisenberg GN dec Micena S 2-1
- 167 Kraft Pin Glenday LB 2:49
- 177 Aebly S dec Brown NFA 6-5
- 215 Smith LB dec Elmore S 7-5

hwt McAndrew Pin Weed LB 3:37

## Hank Paris Mem / Carle Place-8

Teams: Bethpage 179; Port Washington 142; Plainview JFK 121; Carle Place 95; Plainedge 52; Wheatley 41; Jericho 34

MOW: Craig Walters Plaineged

Most Pins / Least Time: Craig Walters, 3 in 5:45

- 91 Lew M Pin Greenberg B 1:06
- 98 Pellechia PI Pin Ogulnia PJFK 3:15
- 105 Procida B dec Eisbruck PJFK 3-1
- 112 Douglas B dec Petrizo CP 15-4
- 119 Walters PI Pin Infranka B 1:15
- 126 Crawbuck PJFK Pin Lee PW 4:57
- 132 Frey B dec Zarate PW 2-0
- 138 Gabel B dec Castillo PW 12-4
- 145 Schmidt dec Tesio PW 8-4
- 155 Goniglio B Pin Malirakis PW 1:38
- 167 Brace B Pin G Moran CP 2:54
- 177 Hsu PJFK Pin Klok PW 1:59

- 132 Jones W dec Press C 17-0
- 138 Barosso L dec Bedneau H 14-4
- 145 Argento C dec Virgo H 5-3 ot
- 155 Creighton W Pin Forte S 5:58
- 167 Sybil S dec Volino C 11-1
- 177 Sidiski S dec Gonzalez C 11-1
- 215 Cooper CSH Pin Tuccillo G :10
- hwt Williams H Pin Owens C 1:11

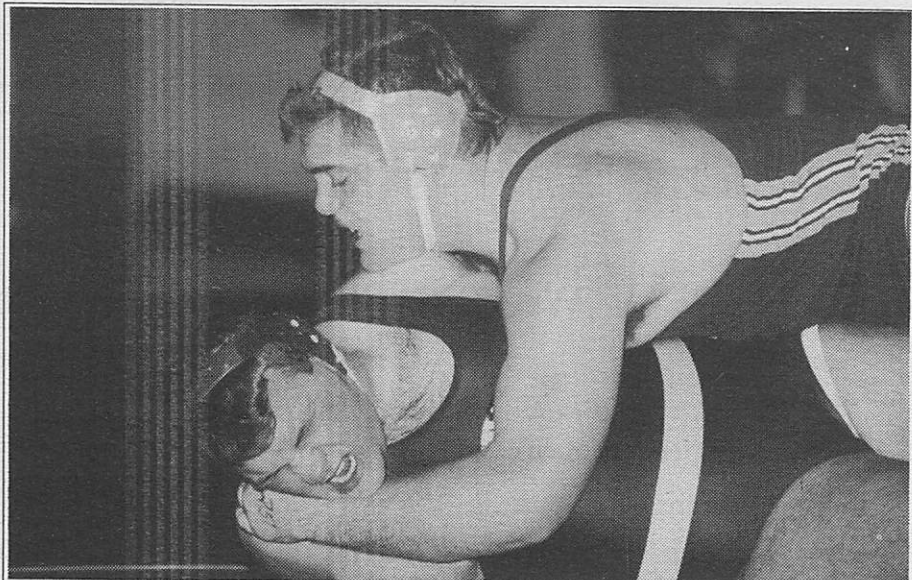
## Patchogue-Medford-11 Tourn

Teams: Patchogue-Medford 515; Rocky Point 276; Bellport 178; St Anthony's 145; Glenn 106; Centereach 104.5; Mattituck 58; Central Islip 13.5

MOW: Chad Henkin Rocky Point

Most Pins: Keith Matias, Centereach, 4 in 16:52

- 91 Brennan PM Pin McKinley S 5:01
- 98 Cusati PM Pin Swanzey SA :34
- 105 Matias Cen Pin DiMartino PM 4:35
- 112 O'Neil B dec Sullivan RP 9-1
- 119 Smith SA dec Papson Cen 6-1
- 126 Haserman RP dec Rossa Cen 3-1



JASON COHEN, top, on his way to first period pin of Connetquot-11's Mike Drum. Cohen is the state's top-ranked 250 pounder this month, and is from West Islip-11. Photo by Peter Venier.

- 215 Moran CP Pin Justiniano B 1:15
- hwt Cercy B Pin Ahn PW 1:25

## Hempstead-8 Tournament

Teams: Syosset 199; Clarke 150.5; Hempstead 139; Wyandanch 102.5; Cold Spring Harbor 53; Lawnce 48.5.

MOW: Russell Jones, Wyandanch

Most Pins: Cooper, Gold Spring Harbor 2 in 35 seconds

- 91 Bennett C dec Ellison W 21-18
- 98 Mensury S Pin Brown W 3:59
- 105 Salmervil H dec Mulada CSH 5-2
- 112 Cook S dec Klamozon S 6-4 ot
- 119 Caraciola S dec Weinstein S 5-4
- 126 Bienstock S dec Moon L 9-3

- 132 Henkin RP dec Mordente B 7-4
- 138 Salas PM dec Lingen G 7-6
- 145 Minogue PM dec Yondola PM 6-5
- 155 Neumeyer PM won by default
- 167 Gray PM dec Nugent RP 8-6
- 177 Wylie RP dec Hughes Cen 6-2
- 215 Vernagallo PP Pin Lent PM 1:03

## Huntington-11 Tournament

Teams: Huntington 282; Massapequa 183; No Babylon 167; Ossining 159.5; Whitman 153; Northport 111.5; East Islip 111; Harborfields 101; St Dominic's 29.5.

MOW: Elias Perez, Huntington

Most Pins / Least Time: Adam Foreman M 3 in 2:13



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MOW: Elias Perez, Huntington

Most Pins / Least Time: Adam Foreman M 3 in 2:13

91 Giuliani M dec Tornambe O 12-5

98 Fischenich H Pin Bonilla H :42

105 Amira H dec Forte O 7-0

112 Cardwell W dec Orlando W 7-3

119 Johnson H Pin Peers W 5:55

126 Perez H dec Stanco N 3-0

132 Smith H dec Lewis O 6-2

138 Baruni M dec Poudrier H 7-3

145 Johnson O dec Buckner H 9-0

155 Medico H Pin Smith H 3:48

167 Medico H Pin Smith H 3:48

177 Sparacio N Pin Corcoran E 2:31

215 Avela N dec Clarke E 1 3-0

hwt Fortson O Pin Smith H 1:09

### Joe Campo Tourn at Brentwood

Teams: Islip 249; Port Jefferson 155; Mount Sinai 132; Brentwood 108.

MOW: Willie Morgan, Mt Sinai

Most Pins / Least Time: Willie Morgan, 3 in 9:26

91 Bernholz MS Pin Barron 1:36

98 Goldstein MS dec Longabardi I 2-1 ot

105 Andria I Pin Duva PJ 3:06

112 Morelli MS dec Autera I 4-2

119 Bacon I dec Pabisz PJ 4-0

126 Morgan MS Pin Cardone I 1:44

132 McDonald I won by forfeit

138 Ciccarello I dec Salantri B

145 Lewis I Pin Caggiano I 3:09

155 Armstrong PJ dec Mathias PJ 8-7

167 Stover I dec Guerero B 6-1

177 Celantano PJ dec Anacronite PJ 6-2

215 Cutler PJ Pin Oliveri I 4:59

hwt Rohmans PJ won by forfeit

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Teams: Hauppauge 165; Connetquot 127; West Islip 122.5; Copiague 123; Westhampton 51; Greenport-Soughold 28; Commack 19; East Hampton 16.

MOW: Arthur Arden Hauppauge

Most Pins / Least Time: Arthur Arden, 3 in 4:28

91 Carman H dec Nardella C 10-7

98 Brodmerkel WI Pin Ianello H 3:09

105 Richardson Cop dec Dowd Con 7-6

112 Ruggiero H dec Walker WI 7-3

119 Brown Kaminsky Con 8-3

126 Santaro Con dec Rocco Con 3-0

132 Thrustano Con dec Steadman WI 8-5

138 Hotlinger H dec Scafer EH 5-4

145 Corso WI dec Thompson H 2-0 ot

155 Arden H Pin Turner Cop 3:45

167 Lassen Con dec Doller WI 6-0

177 Pultz G dec Hendershot H 11-9

215 Chetti Cop Pin Pontillo H 5:25

hwt uncontested

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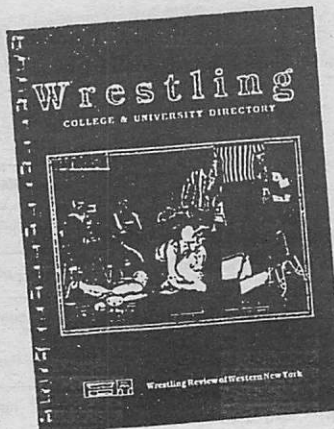
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# Section 6 Rankings

Following are the Top Three Individuals in Section 6, followed by Top Ten Team Rankings, as compiled by Bill Hein of *New York Wrestling News* and *Wrestling Review of Western New York*.

- 91 John Lindamer, Olean  
Todd macey, Southwestern  
Brad Rowe, Ripley
- 98 Dave Brewer, Niagara-Wheatfield  
Jeff Barlow, Grand Island  
Alan St Clair Portville
- 105 Mike Steinbar, Salamanca  
Mark Keller, Amherst  
Joel Griffin, Niagara-Wheatfield
- 112 Joe Conti, Silver Creek  
Chris Stevens, Fredonia  
Ken Rowe, Ripley
- 119 Jason Wartinger, Cheektowaga  
Mark Bowman, Tonawanda  
Chris Cannon, Hamburg
- 126 Bill Dixon, Niagara-Wheatfield  
Chris Coffield, Orchard Park  
Jim Kennedy, Salamanca
- 132 John Morello, Lockport  
Rennie Crisafulli, Allegany  
Jacob Schaus, Falconer
- 138 Jason Geiger, Gowanda  
Dan Weller, Franklinville  
Nathan Schaus, Falconer
- 145 Bob McMurdy, Cassada Valley  
Alan Gerhardt, Newfane  
Dave Powis, Kenmore West
- 155 Jon Hoover, Niagara-Wheatfield  
Todd Fiore, Williamsville North  
Aaron Class, Starpoint
- 167 Matt Thompson, Pioneer  
Sean Gabel, Gowanda  
Brian Szalay, Orchard Park
- 177 Ryan Hammersmith, Clarence  
Eric Gross, Medina  
Larry Goble, Hamburg
- 215 Chris Perry, Silver Creek  
Chris Wolfe, Clarence  
Jarred Lake, Roy-Hart
- 250 Chris Smith, St Joe's  
Brian Casali, Sweet Home  
Mark Burke, North Tonawanda

### Large Schools

1. Niagara-Wheatfield
2. Pioneer
3. Orchard Park
4. Lewiston Porter
5. Jamestown
6. Tonawanda
7. Williamsville South
8. Lockport
9. Depew
10. Lancaster  
Kenmore West (tie)

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1. Newfane
2. Falconer
3. Southwestern
4. Albion
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7. Medina
8. Ripley
9. Holland
10. Salamanca  
Panama (tie)

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# New York State High School Top Ten Rankings

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WGT	First	Second	Third	Fourth	Fifth	Sixth	Seventh	Eighth	Ninth	Tenth
91	Rason Pfeifer 9 Longwood-11	Todd Shaffer N Rose-Wolcott-5	Ryan Ciotoli Union-Endicott-4	John Lindamer Olean-6	Pat Ripley Whitehall-2	Andy Matteotti Suffern-1	Ben New 10 Canastota-3	Louis Bonilla Huntington-11	Eddie Maslin 9 Whitney Point-4	Jeff Steele Burnt Hills-2
98	Jason Goldman 11 Maine-Endwell-4	Brian Fischenich 12 Huntington-11	Rodney Frey East Rochester-5	Mark Yanahihara 12 Ballston Spa-2	Jon Cavaleira Sachem-11	Dvid Brewer Niagara-Wheatfld-6	Mike Wells Baldwin-8	Randy Coville Cortland-3	Jim Voorhees Elmira-SS-4	Tim Tyler Canastota-3
105	James Douglas 12 Bethpage-8	Jim Amira Huntington-11	Dan Mahar Fulton-3	David Hardwick 12 Valley Central-9	Jason Barbara Spencerport-5	Jeff Reese 10 Elmira SS-4	Jim Missale Longwood-11	Mike Merry 12 Union-Endicott-4	Mike Steinbar Salamanca-6	Bill Schempp S Glens Falls-2
112	Rob Palletta MacArthur-8	Dan Nier 11 Greece Athena-5	Joe Conti Silver Creek-6	Karl Ruud 11 Burnt Hills-2	Chris Stevens 11 Fredonia-6	Shane Mack 11 Ithaca-4	Joe Barbera Spencerport-5	Chris Mergen Niskayuna-2	David Bronson Windsor-4	Peter Schmidt S Glens Falls-2
119	Ron Vosburg 12 Elmira Free Academy-4	Jason Wartinger 12 Cheektowaga-6	Ted Secoolish 12 Johnson City-4	Mike Mannarino Lindenhurst-11	Alex Croog 12 Brighton-5	Craig Walters 11 Plainedge-8	Paul Strife 12 Carthage-3	Peter Smith 12 St Anthonys-C	Keith Roberts 11 Fulton-3	Anthony DeMaio 12 Edgemont-1
126	Rob Bashaw 12 Peru-7	Jake Gardner 11 Hoosick Falls-2	John DeMoors 12 Baldwinsville-3	Terry Showalter 10 New Hartford-3	Bill Dixon 11 Niag-Wheatfld-6	Elias Perez 12 Huntington-11	Charles Friscia East Meadow-8	Jason Youngberg Mohapac-1	Sean O'Hara Sachem-11	Joe Rothenberg Spencerport-5
132	Chad Henkin 12 Rocky Point-11	Julius Gradney 12 Longwood-11	Brett Gould 12 Calhoun-8	Lou DiMaria 12 Herricks-8	John Morello 12 Lockport-6	Vince Acciaio 12 Irondequoit-5	Phil Donnelly 11 Pearl River-1	Chris Howard 12 Saranac-7	Rusty Grant 12 Brighton-5	CJ Hansen 12 Oxford-4
138	Duane Thompson 12 Longwood-11	Joe Renny 12 Herricks-8	Matt Logan 12 Fairport-5	Dennis Baker Corinth-2	Joe King 12 Union-Endicott-4	Bill Hayden 11 Fulton-3	Shawn Akley 12 Oswego-3	Jeff New Canastota-3	Chris Graves Owsego-3	Heath Bromley Queensbury-2
145	Shawn Nautel 12 Niskayuna-2	David Colgan 11 Johnson City-4	John Lange 11 Longwood-11	Brian Ferman Pulaski-3	Chris Golini Sachem-11	Phil Coniglio Bethpage-8	Andy Ciorvino Union-Endicott-4	Bob McMurdy 12 Cassada Valley-6	Scott Kadien Windsor-4	Aaron Cook Indian River-3
155	Mike Quaglio 12 John Jay-EF-1	Mitch Clark 11 Canton-10	Ambrose Aston 12 Sleepy Hollow-1	Chad MacNaughton 12 Glens Falls-2	Keith Smith 12 Johnson City-4	Andre Cave 12 Union-Endicott-4	Jim Conrad Windsor-4	Matt Leach 12 Brockport-5	Matt Austin Fulton-3	Zane DeJoseph Corinth-2
167	Jason Kraft 12 Sachem-11	Brett Lassen 12 Connetquot-11	Jason Sullivan 12 Vestal-4	Gino Brown 12 Newburgh-9	Sirrell Gissendanner 11 Spencerport-5	Jamie Brown 12 Tioga-4	Shayne Bogardus 12 Fulton-3	Ryan Emo 12 Bath-Haverling-5	Jeff Hogan Windsor-4	Chris Wyllie Rocky Point-11
177	Kerry McCoy 12 Longwood-11	Casey Lamb 12 Victor-5	Ryan Hammersmith 12 Clarence-6	John Aebly 12 Sachem-11	Dino Segalas 12 Mephram-8	Matt Kitts 12 Fulton-3	Dan Jenkins 12 Norwich-4	Josh Coleman Greece Arcadia-5	Chuck Perry 12 S Glens Falls-2	Ken Derr Johnson City-4
215	Jamie Huntington 12 Whitehall-2	Bob Bucci 12 Red Hook-9	Jason Gleasman 11 Adirondack-3	Josh Mastrangelo 12 Carmel-1	John Bongiorno 12 MacArthur-8	CP Carroll 12 Fulton-3	Mike Vemagallo Rocky Point-11	Chad Love Cicero-No Syr-3	Tom Richards Waverly-4	Tom Stoddard Norwich-4
250	Jason Cohen 12 West Islip-11	Ron Cery 12 Bethpage-8	Dan Jennings 12 Norwich-4	Jason Spector Queensbury-2	Matt Stein 11 Shenendehowa-2	Chris Smith 11 St Joseph's-C	Rich Fleischman Liverpool-3	Jack Fisher 11 Newark-11	Wayne Smith Hilton-5	Jerry Beeman Waverly-4

# NYS Team Rankings

As of January 5th, these are the Top 25 NYS Sportswriters Association Team Rankings, as compiled by Neil Kerr of the Syracuse Post-Standard.

1. Longwood-11 .....1-0
2. Fulton-3 .....7-0
3. Sachem-11 .....3-0
4. Queensbury-2 .....4-0
5. Hauppauge-11 .....1-0
6. Huntington-11 .....1-1
7. Fairport-5 .....3-0
8. Greece Athena-5 .....6-0
9. Johnson City-4 .....6-0
10. Shenendehowa-2 .....6-1
11. Lowville-3 .....5-0
12. Union-Endicott-4 .....6-1
13. Mahopac-1 .....4-1
14. Ossining-1 .....3-0
15. Spencerport-5 .....3-1
16. Canastota-3 .....3-0
17. Lindenhurst-11 .....1-0
18. Patchogue-11 .....1-0
19. Windsor-4 .....8-0
20. Rocky Point-11 .....1-0
21. Norwich-4 .....4-1
22. Herricks-8 .....2-0
23. Niskayuna-2 .....5-0
24. Carthage-3 .....1-1
25. Ballston Spa-2 .....6-0
25. Suffern-1 .....4-1

# Hughes MOW at TC<sup>3</sup> JC Tournament

Ken Hughes of Hudson Valley Community College earned the Most Outstanding Wrestler award at the recent Tompkins-Cortland Community College Invitational. The 134-pounder scored a technical fall over Isreal Cruz, pinned Todd Simon, Delhi, won by tech fall over Tom Hastings, Mohawk Valley, and in the finals, he decked Jim Kohlback of Broome. The Quick Pin trophy went to 118-pound bronze medalist Mike Grant of Mohawk Valley, who scored a pin in just 18 seconds.

The team standings were very tight, with Delhi taking first with 78 points. Close on their heels was Mohawk Valley and Cortland JV, with 73 and 64 points. Next was Fulton-Montgomery 46; Corning 43.75; Tompkins-Cortland 25.75;

Broome 25.5; Hudson Valley 23.25; and Cobleskill 1.

- 118 1 & 2: Ken Leverich D dec Bob Brotherton TC 7-1  
3 & 4: Mike Grant MV dec Mike Klem C 5-1
- 126 1 & 2: Chris Cacoza D dec Brian Pinthero CS 3-2  
3 & 4: Brian Cok TC3 tf Mike Manzi D 17-2
- 134 1 & 2: Ken Hughes HV pin Jim Kolbach BCC 1:21  
3 & 4: Brian Babcock forf Tom Hastings MV
- 142 1 & 2: Chris Goddard D dec Bob VanSlyke FM 14-6  
3 & 4: John Briggs pin Brent Wallace D 5:33
- 150 1 & 2: Jeff Prendergast FM pin Matt Beatty C 1:03  
3 & 4: Chris Mullin CS dec S Merwin D 5-5 2-0 ot
- 158 1 & 2: Shannon Mamrosh MV dec M McKoul D 10-2  
3 & 4: Eic Roscoe BCC dec 7-4
- 167 1 & 2: Dan Parillo dec Mike Tyler MV 16-0  
3 & 4: Bill Miller CS pin Tom Tretter MV 4:41
- 177 1 & 2: Dave Rezuani C dec Mike Turro MV 6-1  
3 & 4: Jeremy Devlen TC3 pin Hector Valentin D 3:07
- 190 1 & 2: Chris Francis CS dec Lynn Hollister FM 6-3  
3 & 4: Darrin Thomas D pin Bill Powell MV 4:50
- hwt 1 & 2: Bill Bourgeois FM d Kevin Johnson CS 6-2  
3 & 4: Dave Williams D pin Lou Augustini BCC 4:05

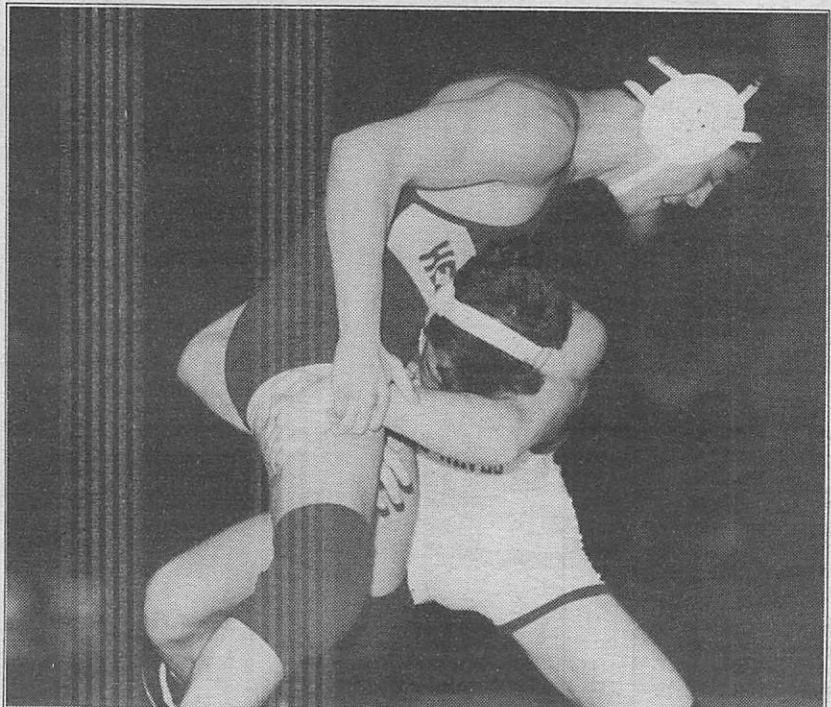
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LOU DIMARIA, left, in dual meet action last year. DiMaria, of Herricks-8, is currently ranked in the top ten at 132 pounds. Photo by Peter Venier.

# Alfred's Pat Nolan Starts Impressively

Alfred State's next NJCAA All American just may be senior heavyweight Pat Nolan. Nolan, from Jamestown-6 high school, is in the middle of a fantastic season. He leads the team with 15 wins, with 9 pins. He won three tournaments, the Monroe Open, Delhi Invitational, and Great Lakes Open. Nolan placed second at the Brockport Open, losing in overtime to Brockport's talented PJ Wendel. And at the Niagara tournament, he was caught in a headlock and did not make the finals. All other

matches have been lop-sided victories for him.

At 6'4", 265 pounds, Pat is a formidable force at heavyweight and has capabilities of placing high in the national tournament. He was recently voted Athlete of the Month in Region III, and his dominance was shown by his pinning of last year's regional champ (Percy Clarke of Morrisville) in the finals at Delhi.

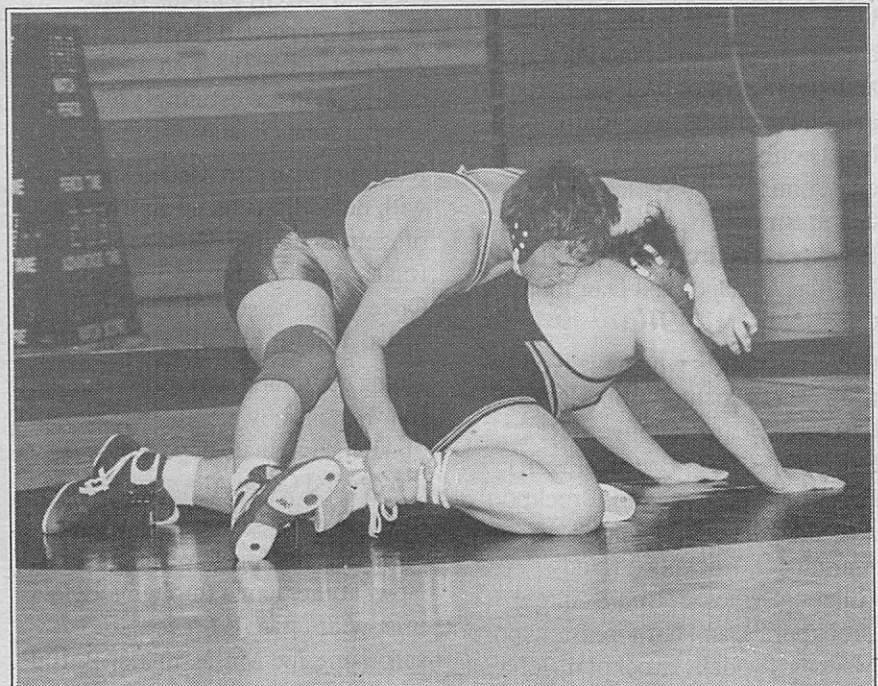
Nolan is in the Vocational Technologies program at Alfred; his major is Construction and Building. After graduation, he should have many opportunities in four-year wrestling programs whose coaches are looking for a powerful heavyweight to anchor their team's lineup.

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# Four New Yorkers Capture Titles at Historic RIT Invitational

RIT Dec 6-7 One of New York State's longest-running collegiate tournaments recently concluded its 26th annual edition. The RIT (Rochester Institute of Technology) Invitational, masterminded by head coach Earl Fuller, ended with Division I Kent State easily winning first place. With six champs, two runners up, and two other top-four placefinishers, they won with a score of 172 points. Second place went to Ithaca College with 100.75, followed by first-year Division I Buffalo at 94, Ashland 83, Binghamton 78, Oswego 50.5, Franklin & Marshall 50, Cortland 24.75, Norwich 24, Kean 22.5, and host RIT 7.5

This historic event was first competed in 1966, with Clarkson and Thiel tying for first with 35 points, followed by Case at 28 and RIT with 25. Over the years, it's added and dropped teams, creating a rich and diverse list of past champions and placewinners. The tournament boasts only six three-time champions: John Janiak, Syracuse; Joe Giani, Brockport; Frank Famiano, Brockport; Darrell Leslie, RIT; Rick DiCola, Ashland; and Dan Jones, Case.

Other big names who have won titles at RIT include Bob Monks, Clarkson; Carmen Oliveri, RIT; Skip White, RIT; Bruce Biondi, Brockport; Dave Foxen, Brockport; Abe Lang, Brockport; John Martelucci, Brockport; Randy Gillette, Syracuse, Bob Brenton, Brockport; Dan Harmon, Brockport, Mackey Tyndall, Brockport, John Reid, RIT, Tom Jacoutot, Buffalo; Paul Curka, Buffalo; Rick Armstrong, Cortland; Jeff Blatnick,

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Four New Yorkers captured titles this year, Len Bruehwiler, 134, Ithaca; Ken Kaufman, 150, Binghamton; Dan Uhteg, 190, Ithaca; and Steve Farr, hwt, Ithaca. Bruehwiler was originally seeded second. He won two close matches (5-3 and 2-0) to gain the finals against top-seeded Herb Pinkney of Ashland. There, he won the shoot-out, 12-7, in the evening's highest-scoring finals match.

Kaufman was also seeded second, with defending champ Jim Andrassy of Kent State first. To reach the finals, Ken won by 14-3 and 4-1. Once there, he scored a brilliant upset, 4-3, for his title.

Uhteg continued winning by taking four matches by a combined score of 41-8. His finals opponent was top-seeded Chris Albert of Kent State, whom he beat 5-2.

At heavy, the fourth second-seeded New Yorker came through to win a title, with Ithaca's Steve Farr surprising Joe Muscarella of Buffalo

in a super-exciting 1-1, 3-1 overtime win.

Eric Unger, 167 pound champ from Kent State, won Most Outstanding Wrestler Award. He also won the title last year.

118 1 & 2: Gary Define Ken dec Chris Matteotti Ith 5-1  
3 & 4: John Gaglano Kean d John Bi 4-0  
5 & 6: Chris Kumrow Cor dec Chris Cali Os 10-3

126 1 & 2: Baron Bryan Ken dec Brian Magill FM 6-5  
3 & 4: Rich O'Lena Os dec Pat Fitch Nor 2-1  
5 & 6: Brian Colao Bi pin Mike Wielchowski UB 3:48

134 1 & 2: Len Bruehwiler Ith dec H Pinkney Ash 12-7  
3 & 4: Adam Cirilione Bi dec Doug Wright Ken 5-3  
5 & 6: Justin Raines UB forf Ken Schiller Nor

142 1 & 2: Herb Adkins Ken dec Mark Hall UB 7-4  
3 & 4: Brian Cuddy F&M Sean Mariola Ash 3-1  
5 & 6: Andy Blank Bi dec Chris Johnson Cort 3-2

150 1 & 2: Ken Kaufman Bi dec Jim Andrassy Ken 4-3  
3 & 4: Mark Crays UB dec Chris Olive Ith 6-5  
5 & 6: Todd Livengood Ash dec John Hill Os 3-0

158 1 & 2: Joe Andrassy K dec Matt Sorochinsky Ith 3-1  
3 & 4: Marcus Hutchins UB dec D McKnight Ash 10  
5 & 6: John Busheee Nor dec James Kane Bi 3-1

167 1 & 2: Eric Unger Ken dec Steve Amyot Osw 10-3  
3 & 4: Paul Coffland Ash dec Paul Fioravanti UB 6-1  
5 & 6: Steve DeRafalo FM dec Dave Ciocca RIT 7-4

177 1 & 2: Doug Del Rosa Ken dec Marc Cofer Ash 3-1  
3 & 4: Dan Engels UB dec Matt Shearer FM 3-2  
5 & 6: Chris Francis Cor pin Karl Zenie Ith 3:40

190 1 & 2: Dan Uhteg Ith dec Chris Albert Ken 5-2  
3 & 4: Rich Calkins Bi dec Sean O'Sullivan O 7-5 ot  
5 & 6: Mike Martin FM dec Jason Powers UB 4-2

hwt 1 & 2: Steve Farr I dec Joe Muscarella B 1-1, 3-1 ot  
3 & 4: Chris Dye Ken dec Ed Dupuy Ken 5-2  
5 & 6: Bill Miller Ash dec Dan Geisenhof Bi 6-2

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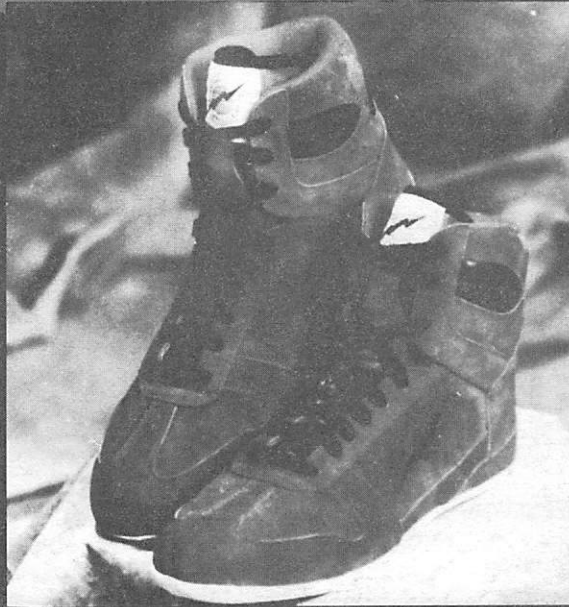


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