

NEWFANE HOLIDAY VARSITY WRESTLING TOURNAMENT

Newfane High School
January 3-4, 1997



96

Steve Leader (Newf) 1:33
Rich Keisic (WSE)
Shane Marcheson (Irg) 16-0
Derrick Slowinski (Ck)
Robert Klinger (NF)
David Kreuder (Ham)

112

Mike Brown (Newf) 3-2
Chris Coughenour (NF)
Ian Snyder (NT) 6-4
Jeremy Goetzman (Pio)
Nick Przybyciel (Ham)
Mike Zook (WS)

125

Dave Woodworth (Ed) 6-3
Rod Frilot (NF)
Marc Brown (Newf) Med Forf
Sean Willis (Ham)
Tori Fino (St.F)
Kevin Ellis (Wil)

135

Joe Bansmer (Irg) 5-3
Tony DiOrio (Ham)
Bill Mariani (St.F) 4-2
Joe Kaier (Ck)
Eric Gunio (Newf)
Ben Graham (Wil)

145

Joe DellaPenta (Ed) 3-0
Pete Abrams (Pio)
Mike Adinolfe (Newf) :59
Mitchell Sherman (Wil)
Matt Poulson (NT)
Tom Huff (NF)

160

Jim Matheis (WS) 9-5
Nick Derion (Ck)
Ray Needle (Newf) 5-4
Bill O'Conner (NT)
Eric Wilson (Ed)
Wayne Carr (NF)

103

DeMario Crittenden (NF) 4-2
Josh McGuire (Irg)
Jared Tingue (Pio) 7-0
Sean Leadersdorf (WS)
Craig Nowakowski (WSE)
Scott Jennings (Newf)

119

Mike Zendano (NT) WBDef
Matt O'Connor (Wil)
Mike Butler (Ck) 2-1
Mike Crofts (Newf)
Vinnie Gorkiewicz (WSE)
Ben Bauer (Ed)

130

Rick Swetland** (WSE) 5-4
Steve Young (Pio)
Phil Archibald (Ham) 10-3
Tim Bitterman (Newf)
Scott Przybysz (Ck)
Lue Krant (Ed)

140

Bill Edwards (St.F)
Joel Spencer (Wil)
Dan Hawley (NT) 2:50
Tom Weston (NF)
Mike Jennings (Newf)
Don Kobiolka (Ed)

152

Mike Brauen (Pio) 10-7
Terry Wittmeyer (Ed)
Matt Caron (NT) 2-0
Carl Monnen (NF)
Don Merritt (Newf)
Jason Bogacz (Ck)

171

Bob Gibson (NT) 5:47
Matt Lingle (Newf)
Travis Eckam (Pio) :55
Paul Mischler (WS)
Scott Simons (Irg)
Joe Kiska (Wil)



Newfane Holiday Tournament Cont.

189

Ryan Howell (Pio) 11-7
 Jay Poulson (NT)
 Mark Littlewood (WS) 4-2
 Pete Koestler (Ed)
 Charlie Henderson (Newf)
 George Skaros (Irg)

286

Sam Wooten (NF) :42
 Eric Slawiak (WS)
 Jim Musty (Ed) 2:34
 John Cocco (Newf)
 John Gaul (WSE)
 Lynn Boldt (Pio)

220

Chris Say (Newf) 15-4
 Jacob Koestler (Ed)
 Bill Snitzer (WS) :55
 Mike Morgan (Irg)
 Matt Kasprzak (Wil)
 Steve Kopsa (Ham)



****Outstanding Wrestler:**
BRIAN SWETLAND (WSE)
 130#

TEAM STANDINGS

Newfane (Newf)	204	Williamsville South (WS)	91.5
Eden (Ed)	131.5	Cheektowaga (Ck)	73
North Tonawanda (NT)	125.5	Wilson (Wil)	70
Niagara Falls (NF)	115	Hamburg (Ham)	69
Pioneer (Pio)	115	West Seneca East (WSE)	66.5
Iroquois (Irg)	91.5	St. Francis (St.F)	49

GIVE THIS TO A FRIEND WHO HAS NEVER SEEN AN AMATEUR WRESTLING MATCH AND INVITE THEM TO ATTEND YOUR NEXT MEET OR TOURNAMENT!

How to Watch a Wrestling Match

There's no let-up...it's the fastest six minutes in sport

Each wrestling match is divided into three periods. Yet from the first seconds, the "Sudden Death" rule applies. Each opponent is going for a "pin." If one succeeds, at any time, the match is over.

FIRST PERIOD: Match begins with contestants facing each other on their feet. Referee signals timekeeper and commands "Wrestle." Each wrestler moves, attempting to take his opponent to the mat and gain control. This is called a "take-down" for which referee awards points. A "take-down" is completed when offensive wrestler has taken his opponent to the mat and has moved behind and on top of him, or in some other manner has demonstrated his control.

After securing advantage, top wrestler tries to retain it by keeping the underneath wrestler in his control. He may use his hands, arms or legs, or a combination, to maintain control. The underneath wrestler must at all times try to escape and gain control, or top position, for himself.

SECOND PERIOD: Second period starts with one wrestler choosing neutral, top or bottom position. One team has second period choice in odd-numbered matches and the other in even-numbered matches.

A wrestler choosing top position attempts to pin his opponent or retain control, while underneath wrestler tries to reverse his position. When a wrestler on top trying to pin his opponent fails to hold both shoulders down for the necessary two seconds, he still may be given credit and points for a partially successful attempt.

THIRD PERIOD: Wrestler who did not choose position during second period now has choice. This gives each wrestler an opportunity to show his skill from his best position during the course of the match: "On Top" and "Underneath" positions while on the mat.

When the wrestlers go off the edge of the mat, the referee brings the contest back to the center of the mat, placing the wrestler on the mat as determined by the position held upon going out-of-bounds.

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