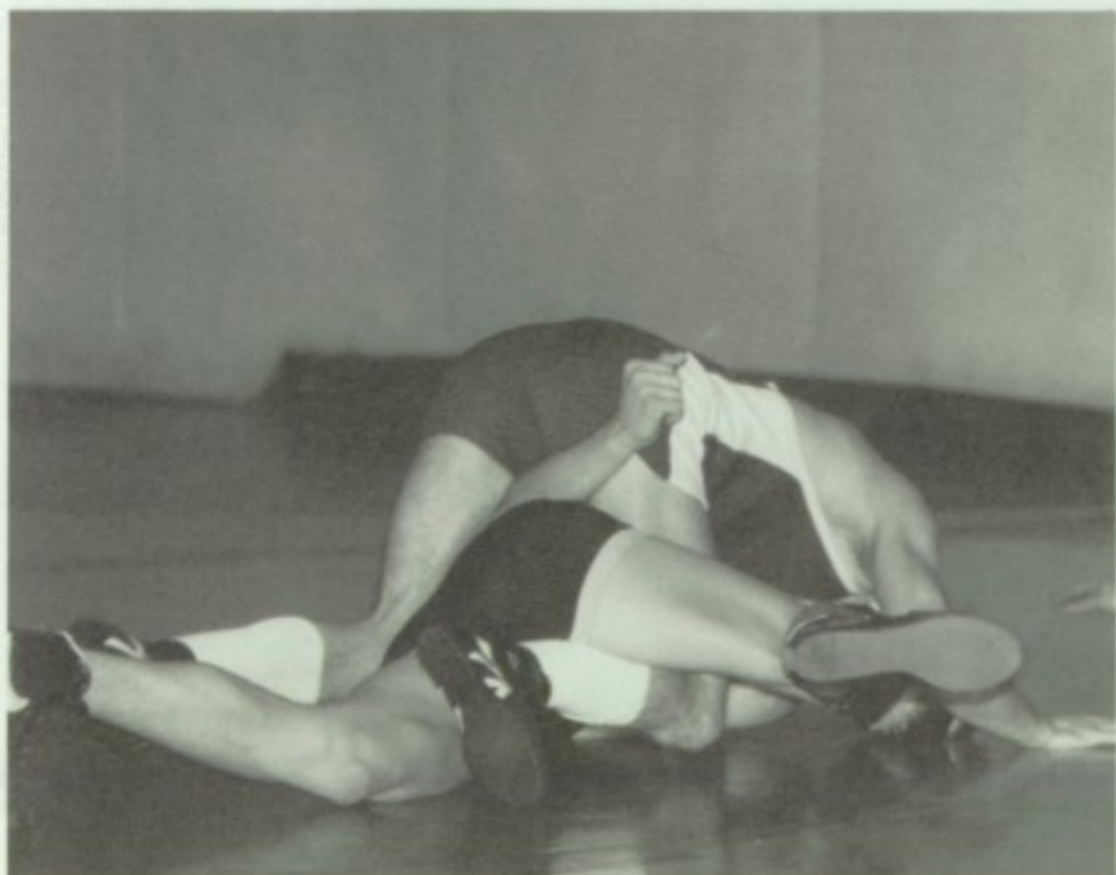


# Hurting For Numbers

East High's Wrestling Team consisted of tough, hard-working, and enthusiastic individuals who were handicapped throughout the season by a lack of wrestlers. They were in need of four more non quiche-eating men to fill their empty weight classes. Without these people, the team was forced to forfeit up to 18 points per meet, leaving them with a losing record. First-year coach, William Franklin, said, "My wrestlers could always be counted on to go out and give their best, despite the odds." Coach Franklin was extremely proud of his team and felt that their individual achievements should be recognized more than the team standing. Senior, Alex Leonard, had an outstanding individual record of 11-1-1. He won the City Championship in his weight class and was named MVP. Pat Knapp, also a senior, had a highly successful season as he went on to be named the team's MIP.



Row 1: Richard Young, Daniel Hersey, Patrick Knapp, Timothy Goebel, Clinton Rutland. Row 2: Robert Kane, John Dilal, Barrie Oukes, Lam Uinh Huyah, Ernest Burgess. Row 3: Michael Jordan, Alex Leonard, Patrick Williams, Coach Franklin.