



Batavia Blue Devils
1988-1989 Wrestling

A Strong Leadership

All County Status for 4 wrestlers

With such a young squad this year, no one knew what to expect from Batavia's wrestlers. There were only four returning seniors and they were Steve Green, Mike Alley, Brent Dioguardi, and Scott Woodward. The Varsity squad did their best but ended up with a 6-7-1 record. Thanks to the strong leadership of Coach Palmerton Batavia finish a close second in the Batavia Christmas Tourney. Four wrestlers earned All-County status: Brad Dioguardi, Brent Dioguardi, Charlie Lesh, and Buddy Cabrera. Two wrestlers placed in Class B sectionals: Brent Dioguardi, and Paul Conibear.

Brent Dioguardi, raised his school record in a single season to one hundred wins.

The J.V. squad posted one of the best records in recent years with a 9-4-1 record. Jason Armstrong, became only Batavia's second J.V. county champ. Marty Stevens placed second, and Dereck Washington, and Steve Ball placed third.

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Row 1: Lisa Pelligrino, Missy Little, Pam Sivret, Dee Dee Heale, Dawn Walsh **Row 2:** Kim Ochal, Chaunda Dugan, Julie Kunes

Row 1: Steve Ball, John Dilor, Paul Green, John Clapp, Derek Washington, Jason Schiverling, Ray Tanner, Scott Robinson, Norman Hancock, Jeremy Hunt, Larry Timco **Row 2:** Coach Palmerton, Erik Ray, John Worthington, Brad Diogaurdi, Brent Diogaurdi, Mike Alley, Chris McClinic, Charlie Lesh, Scott Wardward, Jason Armstrong, Steve Green, Coach Gougale, score keeper Kris Cervoine **Row 3:** Paul Conabear, Joel Koslicki, Buddy Cabrera

Near left: Julie Kunes and Dawn Walsh day dream during the half time show.

Upper Right: The wrestling cheerleaders cheer for the Mat Men from Batavia High.

Upper left: Erik Ray, Jarrod Clark and Scott Woodward patiently wait for another match to begin.

Middle Left: Brent Diogaurdi adds another pin to his record.

Far Left: Scott Robinson goes for a reversal. **Photos by Todd Crossett**

