Panthers second, East third

The Lancaster Redskins successfully defended their Section VI Division I team title Saturday evening at Kenmore East High School. The Redskins totaled up 115 points to walk away with the sectional plaque.

The Sweet Home Panthers made a fine showing and finished second with 108 points followed by host Ken-East with 94½. Maryvale took fourth with 82 markers while Jamestown (50), Kenmore West (30½), West Seneca West (29) and North Tonawanda (16½) rounded out the team scoring.

Carl Mildenberger of Lancaster and John McHugh of Sweet Home opened up the finals with a real Donnybrook. Mildenberger escaped with eight seconds left to win the crown 12-11.

Dan Soloway lost a hearbreaker in the 101-pound class when he dropped a 10-8 decision to Maryvale's Mark Gazda. Soloway fought for the lead and held it for most of the match. However, Gazda was awarded a near-fall for two points at the buzzer that gave him the win.

A take-down in the first period was all the scoring Ken-East's Scott Pine needed to win the 108-pound championship. Pine had to hold on for his life during the third period as Jamestown's Rod Heitman fought desperately for a victory.

Tim McArdle was in the same boat. The Ken-East senior chalked up a reversal with 1:36 left in the match and then had to hold off Mark Monin of Lancaster for a 2-1 victory.

Steve Bird of Maryvale won by default over Rob Grandits of Sweet Home. The match had to be stopped several times as Grandits became ill.

Paul Reed of Sweet Home overwhelmed Lancaster's Dave Young to win the 129-pound title. Reed outscored Young 9-2.

A reversal in the third period gave West Seneca West's Vince Graber a 5-4 win over Ken-East's Bill Schukraft. Graber was the first seed while Schukraft was the second pick.

Cal Crippen of Sweet Home won the 141-pound class with an overtime win over Don Curtis of Lancaster before teammate Craig Joinay dropped a 7-1 decision to Jerry Young of Lancaster.

John Martineck, a Lancaster product, destroyed Tom Jordan 14-5 to win the 158-pound championship. Martineck was also pegged as the tourney's "Outstanding Wrestler."

Sweet Home's Marc Teresi bagged the 170-pound championship with a 6-4 win over Dave Kislowski of WSW. Mike Gazda pinned second seeded Dave Pulley of Lancaster in 2:20. Gazda of Maryvale, was first seeded.

Mike Murray, the 218-pound second-seed from Maryvale, upset first seeded Greg Kerr of Ken-East 5-3 to win the 218-pound title.

In the lone 253-pound match, Chris LaMendola of Sweet Home beat East's Mike Barr 6-4.

Even though the Kenmore West Blue Devils finished sixth in the team standings, the Demons pulled a few tricks on tourney favorites. In the consolations, Pat Mang beat East's Manny Cacciatore 11-6 to win the third place award.

In an opening round 145-pound match, West's Dave Rosen shocked second-seeded Bob Root of Ken-East on a referee's decision after the two fought to a 2-2 standoff.

North Tonawanda's Mike Jacobi has control
... Of Ken-East's Dale Paolucci in 94-pound consolation

Ken-West's Pat Mang is pulling his leg
... On his way to upset win over Ken-East's Manny Cacciatore

DIVISION I RESULTS

Team Scoring

Lancaster	115
Sweet Home	108
Kenmore East	94½
Maryvale	82
Jamestown	50
Kenmore West	30½
West Seneca West	29
North Tonawanda	16½

Finals

94: Carl Mildenberger (Lan) dec. John McHugh (SH) 12-11; 101: Mark Gazda (Mary) dec. Dan Soloway (KE) 10-8; 108: Scott Pine (KE) dec. Rod Heitman (James) 2-1; 115: Tim McArdle (KE) dec. Mark Monin (Lan) 2-1; 122: Steve Bird (Mary) won by default over Rob Grandits (SH); 129: Paul Reed (SH) dec. Dave Young (Lan) 9-2; 135: Vince Graber (WSW) dec. Bill Schukraft (KE) 5-4; 141: Calvin Crippen (SH) dec. Don Curtis Lan) overtime 7-2; 148: Jerry Young (Lan) dec. Craig Joinay (SH) 7-1; 158: John Martineck (Lan) dec. Tom Jordan (James) 14-5; 170: Marc Teresi (SH) dec. Dave Kosiowski (WSW) 6-4; 180: Mike Gazda (Mary) pin Dave Pulley (Lan) 2:20; 218: Mike Murray (Mary) dec. Greg Kerr (KE) 5-3; 253: Chris LaMendola (SH) dec. Mike Barr (KE) 6-4.

Consolations

94: Dale Paolucci (KE) dec. Mike Jacobi (NT) 5-0; 101: Kevin Gallagher (SH) dec. Roger Sigular (James) 5-4; 108: Tom Malinowski (Mary) dec. Don Schneider (Lan) 2-0; 115: Angie Arcadipane (KW) ref. dec. Bill Gallagher (SH) 3-0; 122: Paul Williams (James) pin Doug Siska 2:36; 129: Pat Mang (KW) dec. Manny Cacciatore (KE) 11-5; 135: Shawn Sponholz (Lan) dec. Tracy Blose (NT) 4-2; 141: Ken Cramer (KE) pin Jim Freitas (Mary) :23; 148: Dave Rosen (KW) dec. Herman Morales (James) 6-2; 158: Wayne Kantorski (Mary) dec. Bob Vogel (SH) 5-1; 170: Joe Cich (KE) dec. Steve Sugarman (KW) 5-0; 180: Kevin Komm (KW) dec. Greg Johnson (James) 3-0; 218: Cedric Hinton (SH) won by default over Paul Bartlett (NT); 253: No competition.