# Penn Kingsmen wrestling

# 2015 State Champions

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	Penn v	arsity sched	ule
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Day	Date	Opponent	Time/results
Tues.	Dec. 8	S.B. CLAY	W, 45-25
Thurs.	Dec. 10	At S.B. Riley	W, 44-21
Sat.	Dec. 12	At Charger Inv.	First place
		Elkhart Memorial	
Wed.	Dec. 16	MISHAWAKA	W, 68-5
Sat.	Dec. 19	Culver Military	W, 68-3
Sat.	Dec. 19	Valparaiso	W, 49-15
Sat.	Dec. 19	Niles	W, 57-12
Sat.	Dec. 19	Zionsville	W, 46-14
Sat.	Dec. 19	Homestead	W, 57-15
Tues.	Dec. 29-	At Al Smith Inv.	1st
	30		
Sat.	Jan. 2	At IHSWCA	5th
		Team State Duals	
Thurs.	Jan. 7	ELK. CENTRAL	W, 63-9
Fri.	Jan. 8	RIVER FOREST	L, 48-8
		Oak Park (III.)	
Sat.	Jan. 16	NIC tournament	1st
		At Mishawaka	
Thurs.	Jan. 21	At Adams	78-0
Sat.	Jan. 30	Sectional	1st
Sat.	Feb. 6	Regional	9 a.m.
Sat.	Feb. 13	Semistate	TBA
Fri./Sat.	Feb. 19-	State finals	TBA
	20	At Indianapolis	

### **Penn High School facts**

Principal: Steve Hope

**Director of athletics:** Aaron Leniski **Assistant A.D.:** Bridget Williams

Nickname: Kingsmen

School colors: Black and Gold

Enrollment: 3.690

Conference: Northern Indiana Conference
Penn-Harris-Madison School Corporation

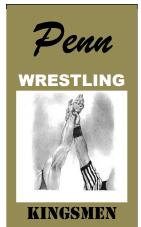
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PENN KINGSMEN

@ IHSAA Regional

At Rochester High School



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**What: IHSAA Regional** 

When: 9 a.m., Sat., Feb. 6

**Where: Rochester High School** 

**Twitter: @The\_Pennant** 

Live brackets:

http://indianamat.com/index.php/page/brackets.html/ /2016/state-series/

### **Scouting report**

The top four wrestlers at the regional advance to the East Chicago Semistate next Saturday. Penn dominated the Mishawaka Sectional last week, winning its sixth straight sectional title. All 14 Kingsmen wrestlers advanced to the Regional. The Kingsmen enter this weekend heavy favorites to claim their sixth Regional title in as many years and their 13<sup>th</sup> in school history. The Kingsmen will be pushed by the Plymouth Pilgrims and the Mishawaka Cavemen. Coach Harper's goal is to get all 14 wrestlers to semistate next weekend in East Chicago. This has only been done once before in school history.

- By Chad Hershberger

### **Coach Brad Harper**

Penn coach Brad Harper led the Kingsmen to the school's first wrestling team state championship in 2015.

A four-time state qualifier in wrestling for Mishawaka High School, Harper won a state championship, and was also a state runner-up for the Cavemen.

Harper was also a two-time NCAA qualifier for the Purdue Boilermakers.

Coach Harper is in his ninth season at Penn. He has coached Penn to one state title, two semistate titles, five regional titles, and six sectional titles.

# PROJECTED PENN LINE-UP

Wt.	Wrestler	CI	Rec.	Highlights
106	Kory Cavanaugh	11	32-4	2015 state finalist, 2X sect. champion, 2015 regional champ
113	Austin Slates	12	30-3	2014 state finalist, 2X sect. champion, 2014 regional champ
120	Drew Hildebrandt	12	35-1	2015 state runner-up, 3X state finalist, 2X regional champion
126	Jarrett Selis	10	23-11	2015 Northern Indiana Conference champion
132	Ryan Varner	12	23-16	Pinned an opponent in :32 @ Penn Super Duals
138	Trace Manspeaker	11	29-9	2016 sectional champion, 2015 NIC champion
145	Cameron Beam	12	30-8	2015 regional champ, 2X sectional champion, 1X NIC champ
152	Denzyl Prentice	12	34-5	2015 regional champion, 2015 sectional champ
160	Jarod Swank	11	22-2	2015 state finalist, 2014 regional champ, 2X sectional champ
170	Rockne Hurley	9	22-16	Rallied for pin in third period @ Team State Duals vs. Cathedral
182	Max Chaffee	10	19-14	Pinned an opponent in :21 at Al Smith Invitational
195	Cedric Vakalahi	12	18-8	2016 sectional champ in wrestling, state champ in rugby
220	Kobe Woods	12	26-0	2015 state champion, 3X state finalist, 71-match winning streak
285	Will Vakalahi	11	25-8	Placed third in wrestling sectional, state champ in rugby

# TEAM STATE RANKINGS Indiana Mat Power Poll Top 10:

- 1. Warren Central
- 2. Brownsburg
- 3. Indianapolis Cathedral
- 4. PENN
- 5. New Palestine
- 6. Evansville Mater Dei
- 7. Yorktown
- 8. Lowell
- 9. Portage
- 10. Merrillville

#### **Weight Class Preview**

#### By Chad Hershberger

#### 106

No. 4-ranked Kory Cavanaugh (32-4) of Penn is coming off his second Sectional crown and looking to continue his dominance this weekend. Last year, Cavanaugh was dancing his way to a regional championship and hopes to keep his title this year. Cavanaugh will most likely see Vincent Calhoun of South Bend Adams (28-13) or Trevor Penrod of South Bend Riley (18-10) in the finals.

#### 113

No. 7 Austin Slates (30-3) won his second Sectional title for the Kingsmen this past weekend in dominating fashion. Slates was on the mat for a total of 2:48. Slates will be looking for a repeat performance this weekend at Rochester. Slates' first match will be Bryce Swihart of Triton (25-8). If Slates gets by Swihart, he should coast into the finals, where he will either meet Joey Zahl of South Bend Adams (35-6) or freshman Braxton Alexander of Wawasee (29-5) for a chance to win his second Regional championship.

#### 120

No. 1 Drew Hildebrandt (35-1) continues to impress. The Kingsmen senior just won his third Sectional crown. Drew will be looking to make it three in row at Regionals as well. Hildebrandt could see Plymouth's Sectional champ Adam Davis of Culver Military Academy (34-5) brother of former Penn standout Zack Davis (Naval Academy) in the finals. Hildebrandt defeated Davis last year in the finals, 14-5.

#### 126

Penn's Jarrett Selis (23-11) comes into the Regional and trying to rebound from his secondplace finish last weekend where he lost to Ryan Hardesty of Mishawaka (22-4) 3-1 on a lastsecond takedown. To get to the Regional final, Selis will have to either beat Fernando Rebollo of Plymouth (10-5) or Jared Kazmierzak of St. Joe (22-7). But first, Selis will face Eric Starke of Bremen (17-3).

#### 132

Ryan Varner (23-16) had a good weekend representing the Kingsmen at Sectionals, finishing third in a tough weight class. He will be challenged again if he wants to make it to Semistate next weekend. Varner will have a tough match, taking on Aaron Orr of Rochester (31-6). If Varner can make it past, Orr he will see Mishawaka Sectional champ Tondrew Tyler of South Bend Washington (38-1) in the semis. Waiting in the finals will most likely be Tristin Ponsler of Wawasee (31-3).

#### 138

Penn's Trace Manspeaker (29-9) comes in as the Mishawaka Sectional champion with a definitive win over previously undefeated and No. 12-ranked Rishod Cotton of South Bend Clay (33-1) in the finals. With the win, Trace drew Efrain Amezquito of Caston (34-4) in Round 1. If Manspeaker wins, he will either face Deven Beaver of Mishawaka (29-9) or Steven Muthart of Culver Military Academy (33-8). If Manspeaker can make it to the finals, he will likely see undefeated and No. 6-ranked Kyle Hatch of Warsaw (36-0). Manspeaker will be looking for his second upset in as many weeks, and move one step closer to Bankers Life Fieldhouse in Indianapolis, the home of the state championships.

#### 145

No. 11 Cameron Beam (30-8) comes in as an underdog once again this week. The Kingsmen senior lost a tough finals match to his arch-nemesis, No. 8 Austen Laughlin of South Bend Riley (40-2). Beam once again will find himself in a meat grinder of a weight class. If Beam wants to repeat as Regional champion, he will have to first beat No. 6 Triston Rodriguez of Culver Community (32-2) in the semis. Waiting for Beam will most likely be Laughlin of South Bend Riley. This weight class is worth the admission, with three Top 20-ranked wrestlers in the state.

#### 152

Penn's No. 9 Denzyl Prentice (34-5) lost a thrilling finals match on Saturday, and does not want to relinquish his regional belt this weekend. Prentice will have his work cut out for himself once again this weekend. Prentice will have Michael Boland of Culver Military Academy (30-10) in Round 1. Prentice could see Plymouth's Sectional Champ in the semis, Micah Calhoun (30-3). In the top half of the bracket, waiting for Prentice could be either No. 8 Kassius Breathitt of South Bend Riley (38-4) or No. 20 Tavris Evans of South Bend Adams (34-9). Don't count out Bremen's Alex Bollenbacher (32-7), either.

#### 160

No. 10 Jarod Swank (22-2) looked like his good old self this past weekend for the Kingsmen. Coming off his second Sectional championship in three years. He earned a match with Rochester's Micah Whitfield (24-14). If Swank continues his dominating performance in the first two rounds, he will either see No. 9 Tavonte Malone of South Bend Adams (36-4), or Plymouth Sectional champ Gage Waddle of Triton (35-2).

#### 170

Penn freshman Rockne Hurley (22-16) earned his first trip to Rochester with a third-place finish at Sectionals. Hurley's first match will be against Colton Schuler of Plymouth (23-7), with a semistate trip on the line. If Hurley can upset a No. 2 seed, he will find himself making a trip to East Chicago next weekend. Hurley would most likely see No. 6 Tristan Goering South Bend

Riley (33-2) in the semis if he advances. Waiting in the championship will most likely be Plymouth Sectional champ Mitchell Moore of Bremen (30-5).

#### 182

Max Chaffee (19-14) of Penn finished third at sectionals, losing a tight semi-final match to the eventual champion Austin Faulkner of Mishawaka (26-8). Chaffee drew Luis Juarez of Warsaw (15-19) in the first round. Chaffee has a great chance at winning and would see Faulkner once again in the Semis. Waiting on the other half of the bracket will either be Plymouth's champion No. 12 Jeremy Splix of Plymouth (30-3) or No. 18 Mason Cao of South Bend Clay (28-3).

#### 195

Penn's Cedric Vakalahi (18-8) won his first Sectional championship last Saturday and will face Alex Aliev of Culver Military Academy (13-11) in the first round. Vakalahi could very easily find himself in the finals once again this week, where he would most likely see Nate LaFree of Plymouth (23-5). Can the Gentle Giant keep his Tongan magic going?

#### 220

No. 1-ranked Kobe Woods (26-0) of Penn kept his win streak going capturing, his fourth Sectional title. Woods has a school-record 71-match unbeaten streak. Woods will face Jake Stayton of Plymouth (19-13) in his first match. He will probbally either see Plymouth Sectional champ Tyler Moser of Bremen (34-2) or Marian's Patrick Ernst (27-3) in the finals. If Kobe wins, this will be his third Regional title in three years.

#### 285

Penn's Will Vakalahi (25-8) is coming off a third-place finish in the Sectional. He will face Alex Haines of Warsaw (18-11) in Round 1. Waiting in the wings will be Mishawaka Sectional champ and No. 17-ranked Isaiah McWilliams of South Bend Washington (36-3). Vakalahi will be looking for some of his brother's magic to upset McWilliams in the semis. The top half of the heavyweight bracket is loaded, with Plymouth Sectional champ Don Clark of Rochester (28-6), Alecksande McBee of Culver Community (15-2) and Micheal Koebel of South Bend St. Joe (29-8) all battling out for a semistate berth.

### Returning Regional champions (how many regional titles)

- 106: Kory Cavanaugh (Penn)
- 120: Drew Hildebrandt (Penn) @ 113 (two-time regional champ)
- 138: Kyle Hatch (Warsaw) @ 120
- 145: Cameron Beam (Penn) @138
- 160: Tavonte Malone (South Bend Adams) @145
- 152: Denzyl Prentice (Penn) @160
- 220: Kobe Woods (Penn) @220 (two-time regional champ)
  - 2014 Regional Champs

Austin Slates (Penn) @120

Jarod Swank (Penn) @138

#### **Rochester Regional state-ranked wrestlers**

- 106: No. 4 Kory Cavanaugh (Penn)
- 113: No. 7 Austin Slates (Penn)
- 120: No. 1 Drew Hildebrandt (Penn)
- 126: No. 12 Ryan Hardesty (Mishawaka)
- 132- No. 14 Tondrew Tyler (South Bend Washington)
- 138: No. 7 Kyle Hatch (Warsaw)
- 138: No. 12 Rishod Cotton (South Bend Adams)
- 145: No. 6 Triston Rodriguez (Culver Community)
- 145: No. 8 Austen Laughlin (South Bend Riley)
- 145: No. 11 Cameron Beam (Penn)
- 152: No. 8 Kassius Breathitt (South Bend Riley)
- 152: No. 9 Denzyl Prentice (Penn)
- 152: No. 20 Tavris Evans (South Bend Adams)

160: No. 9 Tavonte Malone (South Bend Adams)

160: No .10 Jarod Swank Penn

170: No. 6 Tristan Goering (South Bend Riley)

182: No. 12 Jeremy Splix (Plymouth)

182: No. 18 Mason Cao (South Bend Clay)

220: No. 1 Kobe Woods (Penn)

285: No. 17 Isaiah McWilliams (South Bend Washington)

### **Rochester Regional qualifying schools and wrestlers**

#### **PENN 14**

Plymouth 11

Mishawaka 10

South Bend Riley 10

Culver Academy 9

Rochester 7

Triton 7

Bremen 6

Wawasee 6

South Bend Clay 5

South Bend Washington 5

Warsaw 5

Marian 4

South Bend Adams 4

South Bend St. Joseph 4

**Culver Community 3** 

Caston 2



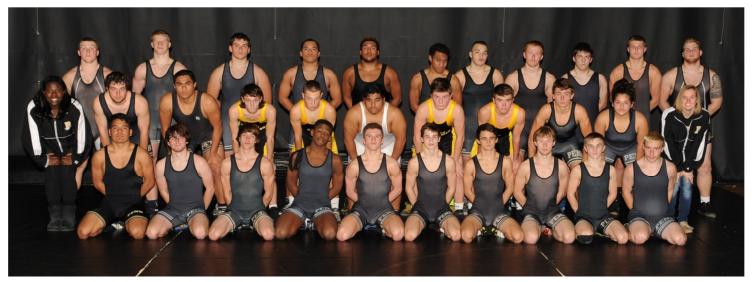
First	Last	Yr.	Wt.	First	Last	Yr	Wt.	First	Last	Yr.	Wt.
Bryant	Anderson	12	182	Steven	Hendrix	10	195	Kole	Reppert	9	145
Joseph	Arendt	9	113	DeKane	Higgins	10	170	Kyle	Reppert	12	182
Fernanda	Arjona	11	170	Drew	Hildebrandt	12	120	Robert	Roberts	10	160
James	Barrios	9	132	Logan	Hill	9	120	Tyron	Robinson	9	145
Cameron	Beam	12	145	Bryce	Hinton	10	120	Cameron	Sampson	11	152
Christopher	Bernard	11	145	Adam	Hummel	9	170	Caitlyn	Scott	10	138
Adam	Berta	9	182	Rockne	Hurley	9	170	Alexander	Searfoss	9	152
Spencer	Blackmer	11	126	Dylan	Kretchmer	9	132	Jarrett	Selis	12	132
Thomas	Brenneman	9	170	Wesley	Lang	9	120	Nicholas	Sergeant	9	132
Noah	Brown	9	126	Evan	Light	9	113	Michael	Shoemaker	9	160
Nathaniel	Carriveau	9	195	Bradley	Longest	9	106	Austin	Slates	12	113
Otis	Cassell	9	145	Eric	Lopez	12	195	Nathan	Stabnik	10	138
Garrett	Caurro	9	132	Zachary	Main	12	285	Jacob	Suski	9	145
Jensen	Caurro	9	126	Trace	Manspeaker	11	138	Jarod	Swank	11	160
Kory	Cavanaugh	11	106	Shawn	McKee	10	106	Jacob	Thompson	10	220
Max	Chaffee	10	182	Drake	McLean	12	195	Reece	Treber	11	195
Noah	Correll	10	138	Andrew	McQueen	10	132	Lance	Tribbett	11	170
Braxton	Creakbaum	10	152	Charles	Meier	9	106	Travis	Trost	11	145
Michael	Dhuivetter	11	285	Anna	Mendoza	10	132	Brian	Tuttle	9	160
Andrew	Donati	12	285	Ryder	Mickels-Moreland	10	195	Peni	Vakalahi	10	220
Noah	Dunderman	10	160	Connor	Miller	10	182	William	Vakalahi	11	195
Tayari	Dunn	10	120	Christopher	Momotiuk	9	182	Tyler	Van Zant	10	145
Adrian	Duran	9	113	Samuel	Moniz	10	220	Brandon	Vancamp	10	195
Matthew	Eitler	11	285	Bailey	Mott	11	145	Deacon	Varga	10	195
Austin	Elkins	10	220	Angel	Muro	11	170	Ryan	Varner	10	126
Grady	Goranson	9	113	Kyle	Overholser	9	113	Jackson	Weston	10	138

Michael	Green	11	138	Jai	Pant	9	106	Zachary	Weston	9	138
Dylan	Grossnickle	9	113	Patrick	Pfarrer	11	285	Ryan	Whiteman	9	152
Christian	Haisley	9	106	Denzyl	Prentice	12	152	Colin	Wilson	10	138
Jeffrey	Harper	9	120	Jarrett	Rathka	12	126	Eric	Wood	9	152
Dakota	Hawkins	9	285	Derek	Reed	9	106	Kobe	Woods	12	220
Austin	Heater	10	152	Zachary	Reed	9	138	Lennon	Young	11	195

## Kingsmen coaching staff:

Head coach: Brad Harper

Assistant coaches: Tom Dolly, Chad Hersberger, Dave Manspeaker, Jim Rhoades.



2015-2016 Penn Kingsmen varsity wrestling team

# KINGSMEN WRESTLING IN COLLEGE

	Wrestler	School	Class	Wt.	
Di Besco	Josh Curcio	Concordia University Wisconsin	Junior	141	CUW
	Zack Davis	Navy	Soph.	133	
TIT	Alex Gregory	Indiana	Redshirt Senior	157	Ц
CO King	Joe Mammolenti	King	Freshman	174	

21 ×	Alex Reinhart	Virginia Military Institute	Soph.	157	
SION BURNESS IN COMMENT OF THE SECOND	Mitchell Slatton	Concordia University Wisconsin	Soph.	184	GUW
	Joe Stasiak	Trine	Junior	285	

### **KINGSMEN NOTES**

#### CMU NEXT FOR DREW HILDEBRANDT

Drew Hildebrandt, who helped Penn win its first team state championship and finished IHSAA state runner-up at 113 last season, will continue his academic and athletic careers at Central Michigan University.

Hildebrandt entered this season ranked No. 1 preseason at 120 pounds. He started this season with an overall record of 114-19.

Hildebrandt has won 8 ISWA state titles, and placed second at the Junior Folkstyle Nationals in 2014. He was also second at the Junior Freestyle Nationals in 2014, and placed seventh at the NHSCA in 2015. "I chose CMU because I think it will help me take not only my athletics, but also my academics to the next level," Hildebrandt said. "Wrestling at a D-1 level is something I have wanted to do since I started. I always want to compete against the best, and this opportunity provides that. Penn's program has provided me with amazing opportunities, paired with a great coaching staff, which has prepared me for the D-1 level."

#### **KOBE WOODS CHOOSES PURDUE**

State champion Kobe Woods signed a national letter of intent to wrestle for Purdue University. Woods rolled through the 2014-2015 season with a 44-0 record, and captured the IHSAA state title at 220 pounds last season. He and Chase Osborn (182) earned Penn's first individual state titles in 44 years with their championship efforts last season. Powered by state titles from Woods and Osborn, Penn capture its first team state championship in wrestling last season.

Woods was a state qualifier his freshman year in 2013 at 220 pounds. He placed sixth at state at 195 pounds in 2014.

"I chose (Purdue) because it's a great university," Woods said. "I get to wrestle for my state. Hard work pays off and they have a good recruiting class with new coaches."

Penn's wrestling coach, Brad Harper, said of Purdue, "It's a great program, that will help further (Woods') career, to maybe even help him win a world title in the future."

#### SARAH HILDEBRANDT PURSUES OLYMPIC DREAM

Former Penn wrestling star Sarah Hildebrandt will compete in the Olympic Trials in April for a chance to represent the United States in the 2016 Rio Olympics. Hildebrandt, the sister of current Penn wrestling Drew Hildebrandt, competes at the 55 kilo/121 pounds class.

Hildebrandt helped King College win two national championships. She is ranked No. 2 in her weight class by Team USA Wrestling.

#### **2015 ROCHESTER REGIONAL**

# **Beam shines for Kingsmen**

#### By TIM CREASON

ROCHESTER - Sure, Cameron Beam freely admits, there were times when he wondered, 'Why me?'

While his Penn teammates battled their way through the high school wrestling season, the Kingsman junior sat on the sidelines, his wrist shattered during a scrimmage in pre-season practice.

"I wasn't, like, mad at myself, but it's tough to sit there when your team is in a tough match," said Beam, a junior. "You feel like you should be out there."

After missing almost the entire campaign, the doctors finally cleared Beam to return to the mat a few weeks ago. And he made up for lost time Saturday, winning the 138-pound weight class at the Rochester wrestling regional.

It wasn't your typical Kingsman victory. Beam won the championship when his opponent in the finals, Culver Community junior Triston Rodiguez, was penalized for stalling with one second remaining. The final score was 8-7.

One point or 10, Beam wasn't picky. He was just glad to be back in the winner's circle.

"I kept calm (when the match was tied 7-7), I was just thinking, 'Find a way to score," said Beam. "That (stalling point) isn't the way I expected to win, but you never know what will happen."

Beam's return has been a shot in the arm for the No. 3-ranked Kingsmen, who more than doubled the score on every other team in the field.

Coach Brad Harper's Kingsmen advanced nine wrestlers to the finals, claimed eight champs, and rolled up 202 points.

They also qualified 10 wrestlers for next week's semistate tournament at Merrillville.

Riley, for the third tournament in a row, edged Mishawaka for second place. The Wildcats scored 75, the Cavemen 74.

While Harper didn't advance all 14 of his wrestlers to the semistate, as he hoped, the Penn coach was still upbeat afterwards.

"I'm not disappointed, our kids wrestled their hearts out," said Harper. "We'll have a tough week of practice and go have a great tournament next week."

If the Kingsmen are to repeat as semistate champs next week, they will need help from wrestlers like Beam, who is still trying to get into wrestling shape.

"I stay after practice and do extra sprints, extra drills," Beam said.

"He's the No. 1 'shadow wrestler' in the state," laughed Harper. "When he was hurt, he never missed a practice. He did all the drills he could and wrestled with his shadow against the wall. He could never beat that shadow guy, though."

Penn's other champs included Kory Cavanaugh (106-pound weight class), Drew Hildebrandt (113), Denzyl Prentice (160), Joey Mammolenti (170), Chase Osborn (182), Kobe Woods (220) and Cory Christman (heavyweight).

Hildebrandt (31-0), Osborn (31-0) and Woods (36-0) remain undefeated this season. So, technically, is Beam (12-0).

The Kingsman who looked smoothest, though, may have been Mammolenti. He improved to 29-2, pinning Triton's Nate Spangle in the finale.

"It's finally clicking with me that it's time to have fun," said Mammolenti. "I'm a lot more relaxed this way. I just go out and enjoy my time on the mat."

Mishawaka's Tommy Forte was apparently in a hurry to reach the 152-pound finals, as he pinned his first opponent in eight seconds and the second in 15. The finale went the distance, though, as topranked Forte beat Penn's Jarod Swank, 8-2.

The day's feature match went into overtime, as a feature match should. Warsaw's Kyle Hatch (39-1) scored a takedown with 16 seconds remaining to hand Clay senior Jake Hartman his first loss of the season, 6-4.

"He had me in an uncomfortable position, but then he offered up a leg and I took it," said Hatch. "I felt like I was close to wrestling my best, but I still haven't shown my best, yet."

At 145, Tavonte Malone of Adams also needed overtime to beat Riley's Kassius Breathitt, 4-2.

"I've wrestled (Breathitt) five times and I've won all five," said Malone. "But it's always close like that. We know each other too well."

Mishawaka's Tanner Bradley would have won the spirit award, if they had one, celebrating his 1:15 fall over Rochester's Wes Beck in the 195-pound final.

"I'm trying to become the first athlete in Mishawaka history to go to state in three sports," said Bradley, who has already been there in football and track. "Today was a big step toward that goal."

Rochester's John Hunting scored an escape with 48 seconds remaining to pull out a 3-2 win over Plymouth's Cody Allmon for the 126-pound title. "I would have liked a reversal, but I was happy to take what I could get," he said.

Bremen's Joey Bailey was a 6-3 winner over Tippecanoe Valley's Devin Childers at 132.

# IHSAA WRESTLING REGIONAL At Rochester

TEAM SCORES: **PENN 202**, Riley 75, Mishawaka 74, Rochester 64, Warsaw 46, SB St. Joseph 40, Plymouth 39, Adams 39, Triton 37, Clay 34, Tippecanoe Valley 30, Culver Academies 23, Bremen 20, Marian 16, Culver Community 15, Wawasee 13, Washington 8. All others 0.

#### CHAMPIONSHIP ROUND

- 106: Kory Cavanaugh (Penn) maj. dec. Jared Kazmierczak (St. Joseph), 11-0.
- 113: Drew Hildebrandt (Penn) maj. dec. Adam Davis (Culver Academies), 18-6.
- 120: Kyle Hatch (Warsaw) dec. Jake Hartman (Clay), 6-4 in OT.
- 126: John Hunting (Rochester) dec. Cody Allmon (Plymouth), 3-2.
- 132: Joey Bailey (Bremen) dec. Devin Childers (Tippecanoe Valley), 6-3.
- 138: Cameron Beam (Penn) dec. Triston Rodriguez (Culver Community), 8-7.
- 145: Tavonte Malone (Adams) dec. Kassius Breathitt (Riley), 4-2 in OT.
- 152: Tommy Forte (Mishawaka) dec. Jarod Swank (Penn), 8-2.
- 160: Denzyl Prentice (Penn) maj. dec. Norm Hezlep (St. Joseph), 15-6.
- 170: Joey Mammolenti (Penn) pinned Nate Spangle (Triton), 1:30.
- 182: Chase Osborn (Penn) pinned Garrett Bell (Tippecanoe Valley), 2:50.
- 195: Tanner Bradley (Mishawaka) pinned Wes Beck (Rochester), 1:15.
- 220: Kobe Woods (Penn) pinned Patrick Ernst (Marian), 1:05.
- 285: Cory Christman (Penn) pinned Jordan Shafer (Rochester), 1:30.

# CONSOLATION ROUND (For 3<sup>rd</sup> place)

106: Joey Zahl (Adams) dec. Malachi Greene (Tri), 2-1 in OT. 113: Bryton Goering (Riley) dec. Zane DeVault (Plymouth), 3-0. 120: Ryan Hardesty (Mishawaka) dec. Tondrew Tyler (Washington), 6-1. 126: Tristin Ponsler (Wawasee) pinned Deven Beaver (Mishawaka), 1:22. 132: Rishod Cotton (Clay) maj. dec. Austen Laughlin (Riley), 16-7. 138: Tarvis Evans (Adams) dec. Myles Krintz (Culver Academies), 5-0. 145: Justin Schroder (Rochester) maj. dec. **Dustin Hochstetler (Penn)**, 11-3. 152: Brendan Makowski (St. Joseph) dec. Tristan Brown (Clay), 3-1. 160: Tristan Goering (Rochester) dec. Gage Waddle (Triton), 7-4. 170: James Malone (Riley) pinned Chase Deal (Mishawaka), 2:32. 182: Jeremy Splix (Plymouth) dec. Austin Faulkner (Mishawaka), 10-3. 195: Rory Nolin (Warsaw) dec. Jacob LaFree (Plymouth), 4-0. 220: Andrew Brock (Warsaw) won by injury def. over Jared Troxel (Riley). 285: Brian Shaw (Riley) pinned Justin Hefner (Triton), 1:59.

NOTE: Top four finishers in each weight class advance to Merrillville semistate on Saturday, Feb. 14.

#### **2016 MISHAWAKA SECTIONAL**

# High school wrestling: Riley trio, Penn team excel

#### By Tim Creason South Bend Tribune

MISHAWAKA — Great wrestlers come in pairs. And sometimes trios.

Consider Riley's Tristan Goering, Kassius Breathitt and Austen Laughlin, each a champion during Saturday's IHSAA wrestling sectional at Mishawaka.

In practice, they are training partners, pushing each other, yelling at each other, hugging, high-fiving, encouraging each other to do better.

And after a match, they are the first to congratulate each other coming off the mat.

The victories have piled up. Laughlin, a 145-pound senior, has a season record of 40 wins and 2 losses. Breathitt, a 152-pound senior, is 38-4. And Goering, a junior at 170, is 33-2.

And all three give credit where credit is due.

"A good (training) partner makes all the difference," says Laughlin, who pinned Penn's Cameron Beam in 5:08 to win the sectional 145-pound title. "We push and push each other. We try to make it so that practices are actually harder than the matches. Everybody benefits."

The IHSAA state wrestling finals have a long history of two or three wrestlers from the same school climbing the awards podium, often in adjoining weight classes. It's no great secret: They pushed each other to be there.

And that's exactly what the Riley trio is hoping to do in three weeks.

"This year, I'm a lot more confident," says Breathitt, who scored a takedown with six seconds remaining in overtime to edge Penn's Denzyl Prentice, 3-1, in Saturday's 152-pound finale. "I've put in a lot of extra work the past couple weeks.

"It helps to have good (partners), we can really go hard."

Goering and Laughlin each have previous state meet experience, with Goering finishing fourth at 160 last year. His 5-0 victory over Mishawaka's Blake Becker for the 170 sectional title was no big shock.

"Last year, I was just happy to get there (to state)," said Goering. "This year, I have high expectations. I expect to do well."

First things first. The top four finishers in each weight class advance to next Saturday's regional meet at Rochester.

Penn's No. 5-ranked Kingsmen have high expectations also. Indiana's defending state champs won their sixth straight sectional team championship, 292-1/2 to 191 over Mishawaka.

Seven Kingsmen won individual titles, including Kory Cavanaugh (106-pound weight class), Austin Slates (113), Drew Hildebrandt (120), Trace Manspeaker (138), Jarod Swank (160), Cedric Vakalahi (195) and Kobe Woods (220).

Penn advanced all 14 of its wrestlers to next week's regional.

"That was our first goal, to keep everybody together as a team," said Penn coach Brad Harper, who has started his annual tournament beard growth.

"We look at our group as a family," said Harper. "When one guy wins, we all win. We're starting our run to the state meet, and we're going to stick together and support each other."

If the Kingsmen are to have any hope of winning another state title, it can't just be the all-stars like Hildebrandt (35-1) and Woods (26-0) who step up. They must get all-out efforts from guys like Vakalahi (18-8), a senior who is wrestling for the first time since eighth grade.

"I know that I'm filling the hole left by (graduated state champion) Chase Osborn," said Vakalahi. "I'm working as hard as I can to fill that hole. I just wish I had kept wrestling after eighth grade."

Manspeaker scored the tournament's biggest upset when he topped previously unbeaten senior Rishod Cotton of Clay, 3-1, for the 138-pound title.

In fairness, Cotton suffered a knee injury early in the match, and was barely able to support his weight on the leg. At the same time, that's wrestling. It happens.

"I knew he was wounded, so I had to stay aggressive and make sure he couldn't (take a shot)," said Manspeaker, now 29-9 on the season.

"I really wanted to win this," he added. "It gives me a lot of confidence."

Mishawaka claimed two champs. Ryan Hardesty scored a takedown as time ran out to edge Penn's Jarret Selis, 3-1, in the 126-pound final. Austin Faulkner was a 3-2 winner over Clay's Mason Cao at 182.

Washington also had two champs. Heavyweight Isaiah McWilliams, down 3-1

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in the third period, slapped a headlock on St. Joseph's Michael Koebel and got the fall in 4:50.

At 132, Tondrew Tyler improved to 38-1, topping Mishawaka's Preston Risner, 5-1, for the championship.

"I'm feeling really confident," said Tyler. "I knew it would be a really tough match (against Risner), and I was zoned in. I made some mistakes, but I am growing and learning from them."

TEAM SCORES: **PENN 292.5**, Mishawaka 191, Riley 185.5, Adams 119, St. Joseph 108, Clay 104.5, Washington 100, Marian 86.

#### **CHAMPIONSHIP ROUND**

106: Kory Cavanaugh (Penn) tech. fall Vincent Calhoun (Adams), 20-4 in 4:47; 113: Austin Slates (Penn) pinned Joey Zahl (Adams), 1:47; 120: Drew Hildebrandt (Penn) pinned Gabriel Weeks (Mishawaka), 2:37; 126: Ryan Hardesty (Mishawaka) dec. Jarrett Selis (Penn), 3-1; 132: Tondrew Tyler (Washington) dec. Preston Risner (Mishawaka), 5-1; 138: Trace Manspeaker (Penn) dec. Rishod Cotton (Clay), 3-1;145: Austen Laughlin (Riley) pinned Cameron Bean (Penn), 5:08

152: Kassius Breathitt (Riley) dec. **Denzyl Prentice (Penn)**, 3-1 in OT; 160: **Jarod Swank (Penn)** dec. Tavonte Malone (Adams), 8-2; 170: Tristan Goering (Riley) dec. Blake Becker (Mishawaka), 5-0; 182: Austin Faulkner (Mishawaka) dec. Mason Cao (Clay), 3-2; 195: **Cedric Vakalahi (Penn)** dec. Lucas Emerick (Riley), 6-2; 220: **Kobe Woods (Penn)** maj. dec. Patrick Ernst (Marian), 13-4; 285: Isaiah McWilliams (Washington) pinned Michael Koebel (St. Joseph), 4:50.

#### **CONSOLATION ROUND**

(For 3rd Place)

106: Matthew Cysewski (St. Joseph) pinned Trevor Penrod (Riley), 0:59. 113: Tyvin Carter (Washington) pinned Darnell Anderson (Riley), 1:33. 120: Solomon Siafa (Washington) dec. Raymond Davis (Riley), 1-0. 126: Nick Blasko (Marian) dec. Jared Kazmierczak (St. Joseph), 6-4. 132: **Ryan Varner (Penn)** pinned Nate Szajko (Marian), 1:33. 138: Deven Beaver (Mishawaka) dec. Cris McCormick (Riley), 6-4. 145: Taran Tomaszewski (St. Joseph) pinned Terry Vaughn (Clay), 4:15.

152: Tavris Evans (Adams) pinned Donya Harris (Washington), 3:57. 160: Luke Sinkovics (Mishawaka) dec. RZ Teague (Riley), 3-0. 170: **Rockne Hurley (Penn)** dec. Amere Dozier (Clay), 4-3. 182: **Max Chaffee (Penn)** dec. Jordy Garcia (Riley), 4-0. 195: Brock Staton (Mishawaka) dec. Nick Pingel (Marian), 7-6. 220: Jared Horban (Clay) dec. Jake Hess (Mishawaka), 3-2. 285: **William Vakalahi (Penn)** pinned Alex Faulkner (Mishawaka), 4:55.

**NOTE:** Top four finishers in each weight class advance to Rochester regional on Feb. 6.

#### **2016 NORTHERN INDIANA CONFERENCE MEET**

# Penn wrestlers wake up, thump NIC Field

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By Tim Creason Tribune Correspondent

MISHAWAKA — The new kids on the block stirred things up at Saturday's Northern Indiana Conference wrestling tournament.

Jimtown carried a lead through the first two rounds and advanced six to the finals on the center mat at Mishawaka High School.

But while the Jimmies — in their first NIC appearance — made a lot of noise at the start, it only served to wake a sleeping giant.

Penn's No. 5-ranked Kingsmen finally asserted themselves in the third round and eventually rolled to a 293-220 ½ victory, wearing the No. 15-ranked Jimmies down at the end.

It's Penn's sixth consecutive NIC wrestling championship.

The Kingsmen advanced nine to the finals, but only four won individual titles, a fact not lost on coach Brad Harper.

Harper, in fact, was boiling afterwards, pulling his wrestlers into a locker room and telling them to expect some hard practices next week.

"This was a wake-up call for our kids," said Harper. "We wrestled well on the mat, but mentally, we were somewhere else. If we want to win (another) state title, they need to be mentally ready off the mat, and off the mat we were not.

"The goal is to win a state title, and today would not have done it," said Harper. "We're going to do some mental toughness training starting at 6 a.m. Monday."

Strangely enough, Jimtown coach Mark Kerrn wasn't particularly happy either, especially after his

wrestlers lost three consecutive head-to-head matchups to the Kingsmen at the start of the championship round.

"Our kids weren't intimidated, they just didn't wrestle very well," said Kerrn. "I thought we should have had a few more kids in the finals and a few more champions.

"We're doing stuff out there like we never wrestled before," said Kerrn. "We get in positions where we shouldn't be, we give up points where we shouldn't. That's not Jimtown wrestling."

The 73-point margin at the end didn't sit well with Kerrn, given that Jimtown led the 13-team field heading into the semifinals. But Penn won all 14 of its third-round matches — semifinals and wrestlebacks — while Jimtown dropped five.

"We were leading through two rounds, then we let it get away in the third round. No, we're not satisfied. We've got two weeks (before the sectional) to figure it out," he said.

At least the wrestlers from South Bend seemed happy. Washington's Tondrew Tyler finished first in the 132-pound weight class and Isaiah McWilliams won at heavyweight. The Riley duo of Kassius Breathitt (152) and Tristan Goering (170) also won individual titles.

Breathitt and Goering are training partners.

"We go against each other in practice, along with (Austen) Laughlin (runner-up at 145)," said Goering. "We go hard. It makes a difference."

Clay senior Rishod Cotton won the 138-pound championship, improving his season record to 32-0, and Tavonte Malone of Adams finished first at 160.

Malone beat Penn's Jarod Swank, 7-6, in the championship match by bear-hugging Swank, picking him up off the mat, and dropping him for the winning takedown with nine seconds left.

"I was an All-State (defensive back) in football and it transferred over," said Malone. "Just like making a tackle."

Mishawaka's Ryan Hardesty won the 126-pound championship and Austin Faulkner beat Penn's Max Chaffee, 5-4, for the 182-pound title, in another down-to-thewire battle.

"I wanted to stay in good position and not let him get in my head," said Faulkner. "I just tried to keep attacking."

Penn's champs included Kory Cavanaugh at 106, Austin Slates at 113,

Drew Hildebrandt at 120 and Kobe Woods at 220.

Woods pinned New Prairie's Scott Breeding in the finals to improve his season record to 21-0.

As always, Penn's wrestlers view the conference meet as the first step on a long road to the state finals.

"Last year, I wasn't able to wrestle in this meet (due to a dislocated shoulder)," said Slates, a senior. "I'm happy to get this. Now, I want to keep going to the state finals."

Jimtown's champs were Kenny Kerrn at 145 pounds and Jarod Hayes at 195.

Team scores: **PENN 293**, Jimtown 220 ½, Riley 157, Mishawaka 152 ½, Elkhart Central 148 ½, New Prairie 113, Adams 104, Washington 76, Bremen 75, St. Joseph 62, Clay 56, Glenn 48, Marian 29.

#### **CHAMPIONSHIP ROUND**

106: **Kory Cavanaugh (Penn)** maj. dec. Hunter Watts (Jim), 8-0; 113: **Austin Slates (Penn)** won by inj. def. over Hunter Whitman (Jim); 120: **Drew Hildebrandt (Penn)** pinned Matt Gimson (Jim), 1:01.

126: Ryan Hardesty (Mishawaka) maj. dec. **Ryan Varner (Penn)**, 12-2; 132: Tondrew Tyler (Washington) dec. Preston Risner (Mishawaka), 10-8; 138: Rishod Cotton (Clay) dec. **Trace Manspeaker (Penn)**, 3-1; 145: Kenny Kerrn (Jim) pinned Austen Laughlin (Riley), 4:57; 152: Kassius Breathitt (Riley) dec. **Denzyl Prentice (Penn)**, 5-3 in OT.

160: Tavonte' Malone (Adams) dec. **Jarod Swank (Penn)**, 7-6; 170: Tristan Goering (Riley) maj. dec. Blake Becker (Mishawaka), 15-4; 182: Austin Faulkner (Mishawaka) dec. **Max Chaffee (Penn), 5-4**; 195: Jarod Hayes (Jim) dec. Alex Lucius (EC), 9-2; 220: **Kobe Woods (Penn)** pinned Scott Breeding (New Prairie), 1:21; 285: Isaiah McWilliams (Washington) dec. Nick Mammolenti (Jim), 8-6.

# CONSOLATION ROUND (For 3rd Place)

106: Trevor Penrod (Riley) dec. Vincent Calhoun (Adams), 2-0; 113: Joey Zahl (Adams) maj. dec. Jake Thornton (Bremen), 14-5; 120: Gabriel Weeks (Mishawaka) dec. Solomon Siafa (Washington), 4-0; 126: Conner Gimson (Jim) pinned Raul Martinez (EC), 4:44; 132: Xander Stroud (EC) tech. fall Greden Kelley (Jim), 18-3 in 3:27; 138: Deven Beaver (Mishawaka) pinned Cris McCormick (Riley), 0:48; 145: **Cameron Beam (Penn)** pinned Jamal Scott (EC), 3:56; 152: Tavris Evans (Adams) dec. Alex Bollenbacher (Bremen), 7-2; 160: Tie between Julian Keultjes (Marian) and Luke Sinkovics (Mishawaka).

170: Mitchell Moore (Bremen) pinned **Rockne Hurley (Penn)**, 4:01; 182: Gage Mosiman (EC) pinned Sam Moon (St. Joseph), 4:17; 195: **Cedric Vakalahi (Penn)** dec. Lucas Emerick (Riley),

3-1; 220: Tyler Moser (Bremen) dec. Caleb Fowler (Jimtown), 1-0; 285: Tie between **Will Vakalahi** (Penn) and Nick Conner (EC).

**CONFERENCE MVP:** Drew Hildebrandt.

#### **2015-16 AL SMITH INVITATIONAL**

## Woods, Hildebrandt lead Kingsmen charge to crown

By Tim Creason Tribune Correspondent |

MISHAWAKA — Kobe Woods has been in tight spots before, and he usually finds his way out.

However, the Penn High School senior faced a new challenge during the 220-pound championship match at Wednesday's Al Smith Wrestling Invitational.

During an intense battle against Goshen's Derek Paz, Woods was awarded a takedown three times by the official. Or at least, that's what everybody thought. Three times, the official changed his mind and waved it off.

"Yeah, I was starting to wonder what I had to do," said Woods, the defending state champion, who nevertheless held on for a 3-2 victory and his second straight Al Smith title.

"That's all right, I need to be pushed," he said. "When (points were taken off the board), I just knew I had to go harder."

Woods' close victory was a great exclamation point for Penn, as the Kingsmen emerged from an equally tight team battle to claim their fourth consecutive Al Smith title.

Five Kingsmen made it into championship matches, but only two finished first — Woods and 120-pounder Drew Hildebrandt.

That was still one more than Portage, and the No. 5-ranked Kingsmen pulled away for a 226-191 victory over the No. 6 Indians.

Columbus East finished third. No other Tribune area team placed among the top 10.

While the Kingsmen were happy with their title, coach Brad Harper quickly packed the trophy away and reminded his wrestlers that there's more work to do.

Penn is competing Saturday at the IHSWCA Team State Wrestling Duals in Fort Wayne, a tournament sponsored by the wrestling coaches association, which will bring schools from all corners of the state.

Though it is not related to the IHSAA's post-season tournament, the Kingsmen are taking it every bit as seriously.

"We've got to be at our best Saturday," said Harper. "We'll take a few hours off, and then it's back to work."

Finishing second for the Kingsmen on Wednesday were Kory Cavanaugh in the 106-pound weight class, Austin Slates at 113. and Cameron Beam at 145.

Jarod Swank was third at 160 and Denzyl Prentice the same at 152.

Hildebrandt was the first to win a title, topping Graham Rooks of Columbus East in a 12-4 takedown fest at 120 pounds.

"I'm trying to open up my offense this year, be more aggressive," said Hildebrandt, who controlled his final match from the start and collected five takedowns. "It was a nice confidence boost."

Cheering Hildebrandt from the coach's chair was his older sister, Sarah Hildebrandt, the former Penn standout who took a break from her Olympic training

preparations to come home and watch her brother compete.

She was honored by Mishawaka officials before the start of the finals. Harper invited her to sit in the coaches' box with him.

"It was hard to separate my emotional involvement from the technical stuff, just stay calm and tell (Drew) what to do," said Sarah Hildebrandt. "But he did a great job."

Perhaps the greatest wrestling performance of the entire tournament belonged to Jimtown junior Kenny Kerrn, who claimed the 145-pound title with a 12-3 victory over Penn's Cameron Beam.

Unseeded coming into the meet, Kerrn — the son of Jimtown coach Mark Kerrn — simply rolled over higher-ranked wrestlers. He scored a 20-4 tech fall over No. 1 seed Kasper McIntosh of Portage in the quarterfinals, then whipped Center Grove's Logan Coyle in the semifinals, 11-1.

"I took the intensity up this week," said Kerrn.

The finale was a wild affair, with the two wrestlers throwing each other around the mat. "I love getting into scrambles," said Kerrn. "I feel comfortable in those situations."

Warsaw's Kyle Katch was methodical in the 138-pound class, pinning his first four opponents and then scoring a 3-0 win over Munster's Jason Crary for the championship. Hatch is 22-0 this season.

"Last year, the end of the season didn't go real well. I've worked really hard sense then," said Hatch. "I still get butterflies before big matches, but I'm confident when I go out there."

Tavonte Malone of Adams tried to give South Bend a championship in the 160-pound class, but fell to Merrillville's Jacob Covaciu, 9-2, in the finale.

"I wasn't aggressive enough," said Malone. "I promise I'll take the first shot the next time I see him."

By the way, in his loss to Woods, Goshen's Paz became the last Goshen athlete ever to compete using the Redskins moniker. The school is changing its mascot next year.

Lowell's Drew Hughes became the third athlete in history to claim four Al Smith titles when he took the 170-pound championship. Hughes was named the athlete of the meet.

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TEAM SCORES: **PENN 226,** Portage 191, Columbus East 150, Lawrence North 149, Bellmont 146, Merrillville 136, Lowell 134, Prairie Heights 132, Chesterton 129, Carroll (Fort Wayne) 121 ½, Jimtown 117, Garrett 114, South Bend Riley 104 ½, Elkhart Memorial 103 ½, Center Grove 98 ½, Hobart 87 ½, Lawrence Central 86 ½, Lake Central 81, Danville 77 ½, South Bend Adams 77 ½, Zionsville 77, Peru 73, Goshen 69, Mishawaka 69, NorthWood 69, Warsaw 55, Princeton 48, LaPorte 42, Munster 40, Rochester 28, Calumet 25, West Noble 15 ½.

#### **CHAMPIONSHIP ROUND**

106: Cayden Rooks (Columbus East) dec. Kory Cavanaugh (Penn), 8-3

113: Colton Cummings (Lowell) dec. Austin Slates (Penn), 5-0.

120: Drew Hildebrandt (Penn) maj. dec. Graham Rooks (Columbus East), 12-4.

126: Brock Hudkins (Danville) dec. Gaige Torres (Portage), 7-1.

132: Elliott Molloy (Danville) pinned Brendan Black (Hobart), 4:23.

138: Kyle Hatch (Warsaw) dec. Jason Crary (Munster), 3-0.

145: Kenny Kerrn (Jimtown) maj. dec. Cameron Beam (Penn), 14-3.

152: Steven Lawrence (Portage) pinned Doug Levitz (Prairie Heights), 3:12.

160: Jacob Covaciu (Merrillville) dec. Tavonte Malone (Adams), 9-2.

- 170: Drew Hughes (Lowell) pinned Bryce Baumgartner (Bellmont), 1:24.
- 182: Andrew Davison (Chesterton) dec. Cameron Jones (Lawrence North), 6-2.
- 195: Jake Kleimola (Lake Central) dec. Erik Hobbs (Peru), 5-0.
- 220: Kobe Woods (Penn) dec. Derek Paz (Goshen), 3-2.
- 285: Shawn Streck (Merrillville) tech. fall Ethan Bunce (Lawrence Central), 24-9 in 5:49.

# CONSOLATION ROUND (For 3rd place)

- 106: Tanner DeMien (NorthWood) pinned Brayden Shearer (Garrett), 1:26.
- 113: Colin Poynter (Portage) dec. Jake Schoenegge (Columbus East), 3-1.
- 120: Mason Mendez (Bellmont) dec. Isaac Castro (Lawrence North), 7-3.
- 126: Marcus Mejia (Elkhart Memorial) dec. Michael DeLaPena (Merrillville), 6-3.
- 132: Daniel Gunsett (Bellmont) dec. Jack Tolin (Chesterton), 5-2.
- 138: Kris Rumph (Portage) dec. Riley Rasler (Prairie Heights), 6-4.
- 145: Austen Laughlin (Riley) maj. dec. Logan Coyle (Center Grove), 13-4.
- 152: Denzyl Prentice (Penn) dec. Diego Lemley (Chesterton), 6-4.
- 160: Jarod Swank (Penn) dec. Jordan Rader (Peru), 6-2.
- 170: Tristan Goering (Riley) dec. Ricky Samuels (Lawrence North), 8-5.
- 182: David Eli (Elkhart Memorial) pinned Isaac James (Lowell), 1:39.
- 195: Lucas Davison (Chesterton) dec. Michael Leonard (NorthWood), 5-1.
- 220: Malig Carr (Lawrence North) dec. Tyler McKeever (Carroll-Fort Wayne), 10-3.
- 285: Sean Galligar (Columbus East) dec. Robert Samuels (Lawrence North), 3-2.

# CONSOLATION ROUND (For 5th place)

- 106: Brock Peele (Portage) dec. Lucas Finger (Lowell), 4-2.
- 113: Christia Mejia (Elkhart Memorial) dec. Matt Gimson (Jimtown), 11-4.
- 120: Azariah Ellis (Zionsville) dec. Joel Byman (Carroll-Fort Wayne), 4-0.
- 126: Ryan Hardesty (Mishawaka) dec. Jon Becker (Bellmont), 3-2
- 132: Preston Risner (Mishawaka) dec. Cody Crary (Munster), 8-1.
- 138: Jacy Leon (Hobart) dec. Trace Manspeaker (Penn), 7-4.
- 145: Chase Wilson (Princeton) pinned Kasper McIntosh (Portage), 0:56.
- 152: Tavris Evans (Adams) pinned Kassius Breathitt (Riley), 4:03.
- 160: Tony Busse (Bellmont) won by inj. def. over Josh Garman (Carroll-Fort Wayne)
- 170: Ismael Cornejo (Portage) dec. Steven Trammell (Lawrence Central), 7-2.
- 182: Joey Blakeley (Prairie Heights) pinned Caleb Hankenson (Bellmont), 4:00.
- 195: Beck Davis (Garrett) dec. Jarod Hayes (Jimtown), 2-1.
- 220: Blake Davis (Garrett) pinned Andrew Brock (Warsaw), 2:03.
- 285: Givoni Murillo (Portage) pinned Braxton Amos (Prairie Heights), 1:17.

# Penn High School state tournament history (individuals)

## **STATE CHAMPIONS**



Al Dover, 1971, 132 pounds Jeff White, 1971, 138 pounds Chase Osborn, 2015, 182 pounds Kobe Woods, 2015, 220 pounds



## **STATE FINALISTS**

Year	Wrestler	Wt.	Place
1970	Jim Zeiger	167	3 <sup>rd</sup>
1971	Al Dover	132	1 <sup>st</sup>
1971	Jeff White	138	1 <sup>st</sup>
1972	Gary Hill	105	4 <sup>th</sup>
1973	Gary Hill	105	2 <sup>nd</sup>
1976	Kent Schmeltz	145	
1980	Steve Nyikos	98	
1981	Mike Strycker	177	
1982	Tony Holt	98	
1983	Tony Holt	105	
1983	Bob Jerzak	145	
1983	Dave Manspeaker	155	
1983	Mike Wojtysiak	138	
1984	Dave Jerzak	Hwt.	
1985	Brad Downs	138	3 <sup>rd</sup>
1985	Claude Donati	185	
1985	Randy Schneider	Hwt.	
1986	Al Hartman	119	
1986	Mike Griffy	177	
1987	Kenny Kaiser	112	
1987	Steve Jacobs	167	
1987	Randy Schneider	Hwt.	
1988	Kenny Kaiser	119	5 <sup>th</sup>
1988	Brian Fritz	145	
1988	Matt Selis	112	
1989	Matt Selis	119	
1989	Kenny Kaiser	125	
1989	Jeremy Lower	145	
1990	Kevin Edwards	125	
1991	Fabian Chavez	125	6 <sup>th</sup>
1992	Fabian Chavez	130	2 <sup>nd</sup>

1992	Andy Owens	112	
1992	Brent Plummer	140	
1992	Scott Ransberger	152	
1992	Shayne Nagy	Hwt.	3 <sup>rd</sup>
1993	Elton R. Chavez	119	4 <sup>th</sup>
1994	Jerry Targett	160	5 <sup>th</sup>
1994	Jarred Wojtas	180	
1995	Jerry Targett	160	
1995	Troy Weiss	185	
1995	Mike Arnold	215	
1996	Adam Britton	103	
1996	Nic Boehlein	160	6 <sup>th</sup>
1996	Mike Arnold	189	
1996	Jamal Aessa	Hwt.	2 <sup>nd</sup>
1997	Rob Hall	103	
1997	Adam Britton	112	
1997	Nick Ferrettie	119	
1997	Aaron LaCava	135	
1997	A.J. Summe	140	8 <sup>th</sup>
1997	Mike McBride	189	8 <sup>th</sup>
1998	Nick Ferrettie	130	7 <sup>th</sup>
1999	Josh Arnold	152	2 <sup>nd</sup> 8 <sup>th</sup>
1999	Brent Laidig	215	8 <sup>th</sup>
1999	Chad Hershberger	103	6 <sup>th</sup>
2000	Jeff Nyikos	125	4 <sup>th</sup>
2000	Dan Feitz	171	
2000	Mike Pinter	Hwt.	5 <sup>th</sup>
2001	Josh Thompson	135	
2001	Chase Bartone	160	
2001	Mike Pinter	Hwt.	7 <sup>th</sup>
2002	Mike Pinter	Hwt.	3 <sup>rd</sup>

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2002	Aaron Shearer	135	
2003	Ryan Bonek	145	
2003	Thomas Bemenderfer	Hwt.	3 <sup>rd</sup>
2004	Thomas Bemenderfer	Hwt.	7 <sup>th</sup>
2005	Tom Ginter	135	
2005	Lucas Bolin	152	
2006	Steven Sandefer	130	
2006	Mitch Miller	145	
2006	Jerimiah Maggart	189	8 <sup>th</sup>
2006	Andy Ginter	Hwt.	6 <sup>th</sup>
2007	Jerimiah Maggart	215	3 <sup>rd</sup>
2008	Adam Penn	189	
2009	Alex Gregory	112	4 <sup>th</sup>
2010	Alex Gregory	119	
2010	Andy Wiseman	171	
2010	Devin Reagan	189	
2011	Alex Gregory	135	4 <sup>th</sup>
2011	Kade Maggart	Hwt.	
2011	Mike Hummer	152	8 <sup>th</sup>
2011	Mike Ham	189	
2011	Zack Davis	103	
2011	Trevor Manspeaker	130	
2012	Zack Davis	106	
2012	Jacob Davis	120	
2012	Chase Osborn	132	

2012	Ben Varner	138	
2012	Daniel Ginter	152	
2013	Drew Hildebrandt	106	8 <sup>th</sup>
2013	Zack Davis	113	2 <sup>nd</sup>
2013	Alex Reinhart	138	
2013	Joey Mammolenti	145	
2013	Trevor Manspeaker	152	
2013	Kobe Woods	220	
2014	Drew Hildebrandt	106	6 <sup>th</sup>
2014	Austin Slates	113	
2014	Zack Davis	126	2 <sup>nd</sup>
2014	Alex Rinehart	152	
2014	Joey Mammolenti	160	
2014	Chase Osborn	170	2 <sup>nd</sup>
2014	Jeff Wiseman	182	7 <sup>th</sup>
2014	Kobe Woods	195	7 <sup>th</sup>
2014	Clayton Stohler	220	
2015	Kory Cavanaugh	106	
2015	Drew Hildebrandt	113	2 <sup>nd</sup>
2015	Jarod Swank	152	
2015	Joey Mammolenti	170	5 <sup>th</sup>
2015	Chase Osborn	182	1 <sup>st</sup>
2015	Kobe Woods	220	1 <sup>st</sup>
2015	Cory Christman	285	5 <sup>th</sup>

#### **FOUR-TIME STATE FINALIST**

Zack Davis (2011, 2012, 2013, 2014).

#### **THREE-TIME STATE FINALISTS**

(Boldface indicates current wrestler)

Kenny Kaiser (1987, 1988, 1989)

Mike Pinter (2000, 2001, 2002)

Alex Gregory (2009, 2010, 2011)

Chase Osborn (2012, 2014, 2015)

Joey Mammolenti (2013, 2014, 2015)

**Drew Hildebrandt (2013, 2014, 2015)** 

Kobe Woods (2013, 2014, 2015)

#### TWO-TIME STATE FINALISTS

Gary Hill (1972, 1973)

Tony Holt (1982, 1983)

Randy Schneider (1985, 1987)

Matt Selis (1988, 1989)

Fabian Chavez (1991, 1992)

Jerry Targett (1994, 1995)

Mike Arnold (1995, 1996)

Adam Britton (1996, 1997)

Nick Ferrettie (1997, 1998)

Thomas Bemenderfer (2003, 2004)

Jerimiah Maggart (2006, 2007)

Alex Reinhart (2013, 2014)

Trevor Manspeaker (2011, 2013)

# SEMISTATE CHAMPIONS

1970	Jim Zeiger	167
1971	Al Dover	132
1971	Jeff White	138
1980	Steve Nyikos	98
1982	Tony Holt	105
1983	Bob Jerzak	145
1985	Brad Downs	138
1985	Claude Donati	185
1989	Matt Selis	119
1992	Fabian Chavez	130
1992	Shayne Nagy	Hwt.
1994	Jerry Targett	160
1999	Josh Arnold	152

2000	Chad Hershberger	103
2000	Mike Pinter	Hwt.
2001	Mike Pinter	Hwt.
2004	Thomas Bemenderfer	Hwt.
2010	Andy Wiseman	171
2011	Alex Gregory	135
2014	Joey Mammolenti	160
2014	Chase Osborn	170
2015	Drew Hildebrandt	113
2015	Joey Mammolenti	170
2015	Chase Osborn	182
2015	Kobe Woods	220

### **TWO-TIME SEMISTATE CHAMPIONS**

Mike Pinter (2000, 2001)

Joey Mammolenti (2014, 2015)

Chase Osborn (2014, 2015)

# REGIONAL CHAMPIONS

1970	Jim Zeiger	167
1971	Al Dover	132
1971	Jeff White	138
1979	Steve Nyikos	98
1979	Rock Kocsis	Hwt.
1982	Tony Holt	98
1982	Bob Jerzak	145
1982	Marc Donati	Hwt.
1983	Tony Holt	105
1983	Mike Wojtysiak	138
1983	Dave Manspeaker	155
1983	Claude Donati	177
1983	Bruce Schneider	185
1984	Dave Jerzak	Hwt.
1985	Al Hartman	119
1985	Scott Smith	132
1985	Brad Downs	138
1985	Claude Donati	185
1985	Randy Schneider	Hwt.
1987	Kenny Kaiser	112
1987	Steve Jacobs	167
1989	Kenny Kaiser	125
1992	Andy Owens	112
1992	Fabian Chavez	130
1992	Brent Plummer	140
1993	Elton R. Chavez	119
1994	Joe Kuphal	125
1995	Mike Arnold	215
1995	Jamal Aessa	Hwt.
1996	Aaron LaCava	130
1996	Nic Boehlein	160
1996	Jamal Aessa	Hwt.
1997	Rob Hall	103
1997	Adam Britton	112
1997	Nick Ferrettie	119
1997	Aaron LaCava	135
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1998         Nick Ferrettie         130           1998         Dan Feitz         171           1998         Mike McBride         189           1999         Josh Arnold         152           2000         Ty Varga         160           2000         Mike Pinter         Hwt           2001         Josh Thompson         135           2001         Chase Bartone         160           2001         Mike Pinter         Hwt           2002         Tom Ginter         112           2002         Mike Pinter         Hwt           2003         Aaron Shearer         135           2004         Tom Ginter         Hwt           2004         Thomas Bemenderfer         Hwt           2005         Lucas Bolin         152
1998         Dan Feitz         171           1998         Mike McBride         189           1999         Josh Arnold         152           2000         Ty Varga         160           2000         Mike Pinter         Hwt           2001         Josh Thompson         135           2001         Chase Bartone         160           2001         Mike Pinter         Hwt           2002         Tom Ginter         112           2002         Mike Pinter         Hwt           2003         Aaron Shearer         135           2003         Thomas Bemenderfer         Hwt           2004         Tom Ginter         135           2004         Thomas Bemenderfer         Hwt           2005         Lucas Bolin         152
1998         Mike McBride         189           1999         Josh Arnold         152           2000         Ty Varga         160           2000         Mike Pinter         Hwt.           2001         Josh Thompson         135           2001         Chase Bartone         160           2001         Mike Pinter         Hwt.           2002         Tom Ginter         112           2002         Mike Pinter         Hwt.           2003         Aaron Shearer         135           2003         Thomas Bemenderfer         Hwt.           2004         Thomas Bemenderfer         Hwt.           2005         Lucas Bolin         152
1999       Josh Arnold       152         2000       Ty Varga       160         2000       Mike Pinter       Hwt         2001       Josh Thompson       135         2001       Chase Bartone       160         2001       Mike Pinter       Hwt         2002       Tom Ginter       112         2002       Mike Pinter       Hwt         2003       Aaron Shearer       135         2003       Thomas Bemenderfer       Hwt         2004       Tom Ginter       135         2004       Thomas Bemenderfer       Hwt         2005       Lucas Bolin       152
2000       Ty Varga       160         2000       Mike Pinter       Hwt.         2001       Josh Thompson       135         2001       Chase Bartone       160         2001       Mike Pinter       Hwt.         2002       Tom Ginter       112         2002       Mike Pinter       Hwt.         2003       Aaron Shearer       135         2003       Thomas Bemenderfer       Hwt.         2004       Tom Ginter       135         2004       Thomas Bemenderfer       Hwt.         2005       Lucas Bolin       152
2000         Mike Pinter         Hwt           2001         Josh Thompson         135           2001         Chase Bartone         160           2001         Mike Pinter         Hwt           2002         Tom Ginter         112           2002         Mike Pinter         Hwt           2003         Aaron Shearer         135           2003         Thomas Bemenderfer         Hwt           2004         Tom Ginter         135           2004         Thomas Bemenderfer         Hwt           2005         Lucas Bolin         152
2001       Josh Thompson       135         2001       Chase Bartone       160         2001       Mike Pinter       Hwt.         2002       Tom Ginter       112         2002       Mike Pinter       Hwt.         2003       Aaron Shearer       135         2003       Thomas Bemenderfer       Hwt.         2004       Tom Ginter       135         2004       Thomas Bemenderfer       Hwt.         2005       Lucas Bolin       152
2001         Chase Bartone         160           2001         Mike Pinter         Hwt.           2002         Tom Ginter         112           2002         Mike Pinter         Hwt.           2003         Aaron Shearer         135           2003         Thomas Bemenderfer         Hwt.           2004         Tom Ginter         135           2004         Thomas Bemenderfer         Hwt.           2005         Lucas Bolin         152
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2002         Tom Ginter         112           2002         Mike Pinter         Hwt           2003         Aaron Shearer         135           2003         Thomas Bemenderfer         Hwt           2004         Tom Ginter         135           2004         Thomas Bemenderfer         Hwt           2005         Lucas Bolin         152
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2005 Lucas Bolin 152
2006 Stove Condefer
2006 Steve Sandefer 130
2006 Mitch Miller 145
2006 Jerimiah Maggart 189
2006 Andy Ginter Hwt.
2009 Alex Gregory 112
2010 Alex Gregory 119
2010 Andy Wiseman 171
2011 Zack Davis 103
2011 Alex Gregory 135
2012 Danny Ginter 140
2013 Zack Davis 113
2013 Trevor Manspeaker 152
2013 Jeff Wiseman 170
2014 Drew Hildebrandt 106
2014 Austin Slates 113
2014 Zack Davis 126
2014 Jarod Swank 138
2014 Joey Mammolenti 160

2014	Chase Osborn	170
2014	Kobe Woods	195
2014	Clayton Stohler	220
2015	Kory Cavanaugh	106
2015	Drew Hildebrandt	113
2015	Cameron Beam	138

2015	Denzyl Prentice	160
2015	Joey Mammolenti	170
2015	Chase Osborn	182
2015	Kobe Woods	220
2015	Cory Christman	Hwt.

#### **THREE-TIME REGIONAL CHAMPIONS**

Mike Pinter (2000, 2001, 2002)

Alex Gregory (2009, 2010, 2011)

Zack Davis (2011, 2013, 2014)

#### **TWO-TIME REGIONAL CHAMPIONS**

(Boldface indicates current wrestler)

Tony Holt (1982, 1983)

Claude Donati (1983, 1984)

Kenny Kaiser (1987, 1989)

Jamal Aessa (1995, 1996)

Aaron LaCava (1996, 1997)

Nic Boehlein (1996, 1997)

Nick Ferrettie (1997, 1998)

Tom Ginter (2002, 2004)

Thomas Bemenderfer (2003, 2004)

Joey Mammolenti (2014, 2015)

Chase Osborn (2014, 2015)

Drew Hildebrandt (2014, 2015)

Kobe Woods (2014, 2015)

# SECTIONAL CHAMPIONS

1969	Jim Zeiger	167
1970	Al Dover	132
1970	Jim Zeiger	167
1971	Al Dover	132
1971	Jeff White	138
1972	Gary Hill	105
1973	Gary Hill	105
1978	Bob Dance	155
1979	Steve Nyikos	98
1979	Phil Gordy	105
1979	Rock Kocsis	Hwt.
1980	Steve Nyikos	98
1980	Mike O'Neil	145
1980	Mike Strycker	177
1981	Tony Holt	98
1981	Jim Burke	112
1981	Henry Barrier	132
1981	Mike O'Neil	145
1981	Mike Strycker	185
1982	Tony Holt	105
1982	Kevin Domeier	112
1982	Jim Burke	119
1982	Bob Jerzak	145
1982	Dave Manspeaker	155
1982	Pete Dance	167
1982	Marc Donati	Hwt.
1983	Tony Holt	105
1983	Kevin Domeier	119
1983	Bob Jerzak	145
1983	Dave Manspeaker	155
1983	Pete Dance	167
1983	Claude Donati	177
1984	Brad Downs	132
1984	Matt Diedrich	145
1984	Claude Donati	177
1984	Dave Jerzak	Hwt.
1985	Mark O'Dell	98
1985	Al Hartman	112
1985	Scott Smith	132
1985	Brad Downs	138
1985	Bob Pletcher	145
1985	Joe Vogel	167
1985	Claude Donati	185
1985	Randy Schneider	Hwt.
1986	Mark O'Dell	112
1986	Al Hartman	119
1986	Scott Smith	132

1986	Ryan Cramer	138
1986	Bob Pletcher	145
1986	Mike Griffy	177
1987	Matt Selis	98
1987	Ken Kaiser	112
1987	Bryan Caenepeel	177
1988	Matt Selis	112
1988	Ken Kaiser	119
1988	Kevin Cook	125
1988	Marc McQueary	140
1988	Brian Fritz	145
1989	Matt Selis	119
1989	Ken Kaiser	125
1989	Tim Koch	135
1990	Fabian Chavez	119
1990	Kevin Edwards	125
1991	Kevin Edwards	130
1991	Fabian Chavez	125
1991	Scott Ransberger	152
1992	Fabian Chavez	130
1992	Brent Plummer	140
1992	Tony Mudd	145
1992	Shayne Nagy	Hwt.
1993	Elton R. Chavez	119
1994	Joe Kuphal	125
1994	Adam Whittaker	145
1994	Jerry Targett	160
1994	Jarred Wojtas	189
1995	Nick Ferrettie	100
1995	Jamal Aessa	Hwt.
1996	Adam Britton	103
1996	Nick Ferrettie	112
1996	Jim Fogarty	125
1996	Aaron LaCava	130
1996	Jake Kovatch	152
1996	Mike Arnold	189
1996	Jamal Aessa	Hwt.
1996	Adam Britton	103
1997	Adam Britton	112
1997	Nick Ferrettie	119
1997	Tony Rodgers	130
1997	Aaron LaCava	135
1997	Mike McBride	189
1997	Bo Sands	215
1998	Rob Hall	119
1998	Nick Ferrettie	130
1998	Tony Rodgers	140

1998	Dan Feitz	145
1998	Derrick Jones	160
1998	Terry Saylor	171
1998	Mike McBride	215
1999	Chad Hershberger	103
1999	Mike Huyvaert	125
1999	Jeff Nyikos	130
1999	Derrick Jones	171
1999	Brent Laidig	215
2001	Marty Tschida	119
2001	Aaron Shearer	125
2001	Josh Thompson	135
2001	Chase Bartone	160
2001	Mike Pinter	Hwt.
2002	Zach Felten	103
2002	Aaron Shearer	135
2002	Tristan Rus	140
2002	Mike Pinter	Hwt.
2003	Tom Ginter	119
2003	Aaron Shearer	135
2004	Chris Maggart	215
2004	Thomas Bemenderfer	Hwt.
2004	Lucas Bolin	145
2005	Lucas Bolin	152
2005	Jerimiah Maggart	160
2005	Mitch Miller	140
2006	Steven Sandefer	130
2006	Mitch Miller	145
2006	Jerimiah Maggart	189
2007	Matt Medow	145
2007	Travis Swihart	130
2009	Tony Stevens	125
2009	Cory Hildebrandt	119
2010	Alex Gregory	119
2010	Andy Wiseman	171
2011	Zack Davis	103
2011	Jacob Davis	119
2011	Alex Gregory	135
2011	Danny Ginter	140
2011	Mike Hummer	189
2011	Devin Reagan	215

2011	Kade Maggart	Hwt.
2012	Zack Davis	106
2012	Taylor Hart	113
2012	Jacob Davis	120
2012	Trevor Manspeaker	145
2012	Danny Ginter	152
2012	Devin Reagan	220
2012	Kade Maggart	285
2013	Zack Davis	113
2013	Cameron Beam	120
2013	Jeff Wiseman	170
2013	Joey Stasiak	195
2013	Kobe Woods	220
2014	Drew Hildebrandt	106
2014	Austin Slates	113
2014	Zack Davis	126
2014	Jarod Swank	138
2014	Joey Mammolenti	160
2014	Chase Osborn	170
2014	Kobe Woods	195
2014	Clayton Stohler	220
2015	Kory Cavanaugh	106
2015	Drew Hildebrandt	113
2015	Cameron Beam	138
2015	Denzyl Prentice	160
2015	Joey Mammolenti	170
2015	Chase Osborn	182
2015	Kobe Woods	220
2015	Cory Christman	285
2016	Kory Cavanaugh	106
2016	Austin Slates	113
2016	Drew Hildebrandt	120
2016	Trace Manspeaker	138
2016	Jarod Swank	160
2016	Cedric Vakalahi	195
2016	Kobe Woods	220

## **FOUR-TIME SECTIONAL CHAMPIONS**

(Boldface indicates current wrestler)

Nick Ferrettie (1995, 1996, 1997, 1998)

Zack Davis (2011, 2012, 2013, 2014)

Kobe Woods (2013, 2014, 2015, 2016)

### **THREE-TIME SECTIONAL CHAMPIONS**

#### (Boldface indicates current wrestler)

Tony Holt (1981, 1982, 1983)

Claude Donati (1983, 1984, 1985)

Matt Selis (1987, 1988, 1989)

Ken Kaiser (1987, 1988, 1989)

Fabian Chavez (1990, 1991, 1992)

Adam Britton (1995, 1996, 1997)

**Drew Hildebrandt (2014, 2015, 2016)** 

#### **TWO-TIME SECTIONAL CHAMPIONS**

#### (Boldface indicates current wrestler)

Gary Hill (1972, 1973)

Steve Nyikos (1979, 1980)

Mike O'Neil (1980, 1981)

Mike Strycker (1980, 1981)

Bob Jerzak (1982, 1983)

Dave Manspeaker (1982, 1983)

Pete Dance (1982, 1983)

Brad Downs (1984, 1985)

Mark O'Dell (1985, 1986)

Al Hartman (1985, 1986)

Scott Smith (1985, 1986)

Bob Pletcher (1985, 1986)

Kevin Edwards (1990, 1991)

Aaron LaCava (1996, 1997)

Derrick Jones (1998, 1999)

Mike Pinter (2001, 2002)

Aaron Shearer (2002, 2003)

Lucas Bolin (2004, 2005)

Jerimiah Maggart (2005, 2006)

Alex Gregory (2010, 2011)

Jacob Davis (2011, 2012)

Danny Ginter (2011, 2012)

Devin Reagan (2011, 2012)

Kade Maggart (2011, 2012)

Joey Mammolenti (2014, 2015)

Chase Osborn (2014, 2015)

Cameron Beam (2013, 2015)

**Austin Slates (2014, 2016)** 

Jarod Swank (2014, 2016)

Kory Cavanaugh (2015, 2016)

## **PENN TEAM CHAMPIONSHIPS**

State champion (1): 2015

State runner-up (2): 1971, 1997

Semistate championships (6): 1992, 1996, 1997, 1998, 2014, 2015

Regional championships (12): 1982, 1983, 1985, 1986, 1996, 1997, 1998, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015.

Sectional championships (19): 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1994, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016.

Northern Indiana Conference championships: 1980, 1981, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1987, 1988, 1994, 1996, 1997, 1998, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016.

### **KINGSMEN RECORD-HOLDERS**

## SINGLE-SEASON

Takedowns: Austin Kunze (2009-

2010) 217

**Reversals:** Tim Koch (1987-88) 37

**Pins:** Alex Gregory (2010-11) 35

Near falls: Derrick Jones (1997-

98) 87

Tech. falls: Trevor Manspeaker (2012-

13) 31

**Wins:** Alex Gregory (2010-11) 50

Consecutive wins: Kobe Woods (2014-

15) 44

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**Takedowns:** Kenny Kaiser (1985-88)

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Reversals: Tom Ginter (2002-05) 62

**Pins:** Alex Gregory (2007-11) 102

**Near falls:** Jerimiah Maggart (2004-07)

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Tech. falls: Trevor Manspeaker (2010-

13) 93

Wins: Zack Davis (2011-14) 165

Consecutive wins: Kobe Woods (2013-

16) 67