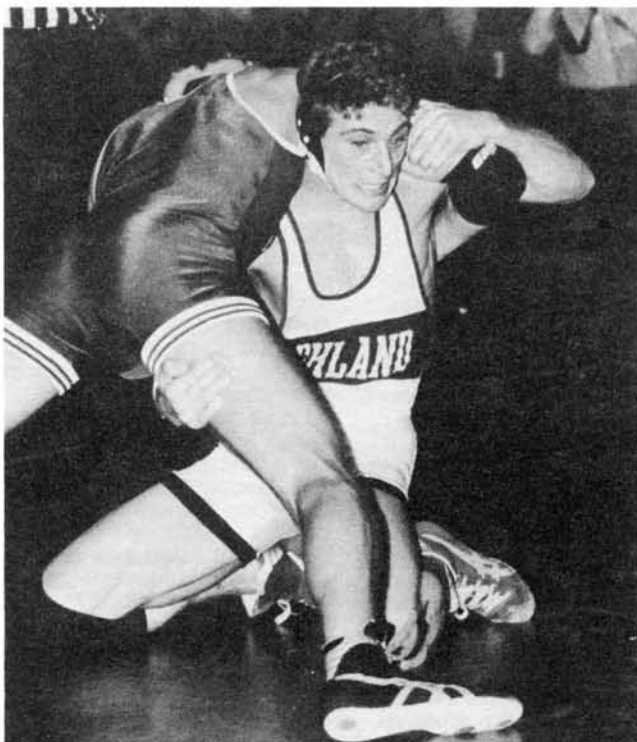


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Ashland College 142 pound star Alan Beaney, also of Spencerport and Cardinal Mooney, hits a high crotch on Kevin Hammand of Capital University in dual meet action. Beaney placed second in NCAA Div II, and will be back next year to try for a national title. Ashland Coach Tom Linder credits Al as being one of the hardest workers he's ever seen. Beaney's dedication has paid off this year, as he knocked off the second and third seeds in the Nationals.

Smallidge NYS Man-of-the-Year

Mike Smallidge, New York State Western Kids Director (USA Wrestling) was recently named **New York State Man of the Year** by *Wrestling USA Magazine*. As Kids Director, he is in charge of over half of NY state. He is also Section Five Chairman and Junior Director. In his spare time, Mike is coordinator of the Rochester Wrestling Club.

Smallidge was the 1988 NYS Cadet National Team Leader, as well as Junior National Coach this year. He is a member of the NYS USA Wrestling Executive Board. Through his efforts, memberships in Section

Five increased by 400%. He works year-round with wife Lynn to better the sport of wrestling in New York. His son, Joe, (Gates Chili) is a successful lightweight with an eye on a future Section Five title.



College Profile: Ashland College

Led by Spencerport's Al Beaney

Walking around scenic Ashland College (halfway between Cleveland and Columbus, Ohio), you would see 35 old and modern buildings, an art gallery, four computer laboratories, 96 landscaped acres with trees, flowers, bushes, brick walks, and seventeen two-foot tall cast iron purple eagles.

These birds, interspersed on campus, supposedly serve as a reminder of Ashland's pride and history. They are also a source of inspiration for new coach Tom Linder. Linder, a guy who walks around saying "The eagle has landed", had himself quite a lot of success this past season.

His team finished ninth in the NCAA Division II Nationals. He had three All Americans, one of them from Rochester, Alan Beaney, 142 pounds. Beaney wrestled for Cardinal Mooney and Spencerport.

Ashland College has attracted some major talent from this region. In 1972, Dave Toth, Brighton, placed fifth and third

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Fritz Zagorski: Aiming for the Olympics

Fritz Zagorski once bet a doubter ten bucks that he could back-splay him on a hardwood floor without hurting the guy. This person was dumb enough to go for the bet. He lost, of course, and Fritz walked away with the cash. Not a good way to make friends, but it does say a lot for Zagorski's finesse. Throwing a person without injury takes perfect technique.

Don't get the wrong idea, though. If you tangle with Fritz in a wrestling match, you won't land so lightly. In fact, last spring, Fritz dumped national champ Chris McClellan so violently, that it busted his front tooth and knocked him out. At that tournament (the Greco Roman Regional Olympic Qualifier), Fritz became a contender for the 1988 Olympic team. He took first place in awesome fashion, pinning all nine opponents.

Zagorski went on to place eighth overall in the Olympic Trials. Had he placed sixth or higher, he would have qualified for the final wrestle-offs, a mini-tournament that determines who represents the US in the Olympics. Said Zagorski recently: "I'll make the Olympic team in 1992, no doubt about it - in freestyle or Greco." Think he's bragging? Wait and see.

In all his brashness, Zagorski always seems ready for a challenge. At a recent Rochester Wrestling Club practice, he was teaching a Greco Roman body throw. After demonstrating the move several times on his partner, he asked for volunteers to be thrown by him. He tossed guys from several weight classes. Finally, at the crowd's urging, he called on RIT's heavyweight Chris Mohr, from Gates Chili. Mohr weighs well

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New Feature Starts Next Month

Have you ever wondered what's become of some of those old time Rochester Wrestling Greats? A lot of talent originated out of this area, especially during the past few decades. But what are they doing now?

Starting next month, Rochester Wrestling News will explore this topic. Each month, we will profile a past wrestling great, highlighting his career. Then we will take a look at what he is doing in 1989. Profiles will be written by Kris Morone. Please send information on past wrestling greats to Kris at RWN.

Thanks!!!

-Mike

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Zagorski, cont.

over 200 pounds. Fritz locked up on Mohr and sent him arcing towards his back, just like he was a lightweight.

In a way, he's also a bit cocky. Talking about national calibre wrestlers he has beaten, he says things like "I swatted him in the first period" or "I killed him with this move". Wearing a buckskin jacket and driving a beat-up pickup truck, he even looks like a bas-ass. At 5'6", 125.5 pounds, he is all muscle. He lifts opponents from all positions, making complex throws look easy.

"I wish I had a dime for every street fight I was ever in," says Zagorski. Here's one of the reasons for his success. He is pugilistic by nature. His competitiveness and vast strength make him well-suited for wrestling. Especially Greco Roman, where he who launches first usually comes out on top.

The next Olympics are three years away, and if Fritz maintains his current pace of improvement, he will be a contender again. It's taken him only six years to get this far.

It all started at Bishop Kearney when Fritz was a freshman. He started wrestling because he father did it. Under former coach Brian Chadwick, he was 17-7 that year. He mainly used his crushing strength to win in those days. After all, he was a four-time power-lifting champ while in high school.

Chadwick soon hooked him on freestyle and Greco Roman, and Fritz quickly took a liking to it. After his freshman year, he transferred to Eastridge. Zagorski was very successful there, although he never made it to the states. In his senior year, he went to the final four of the state qualifiers, where he lost a close match to Spencerport's Ray LaChase. LaChase is now at NCAA Division III Champ Ithaca College.

Even without a state title, Zagorski built quite a reputation for himself in freestyle and Greco. In those styles, he has decked a number of hugely successful athletes, including Hilton's state champ Dave Pitoni, Buffalo's three-time state champ Jeff Prescott, two time state champ Lou Roselli of Roy-Hart, and Sachem's state champ Lance Banfi. Along the way, he's collected many gold medals in the NYS championships, Empire State Games, and innumerable local tournaments.

Zagorski has made huge improvements from year to year. The main reason is his dedication and experience. For the past five years, he has logged over 100 matches during the off-seasons. "It's made all the difference for me. It's like getting in two or three extra seasons each year," says Fritz. "I really learned a lot during the off season."

After high school, Zagorski went to SUNY Brockport where he redshirted last year to concentrate on academics. This year, he started a "little shaky". "I couldn't keep my head in it, and I put in some non-performances. So Coach Murray pulled me out of the lineup for awhile" explains Fritz.

That seemed to do it, and Zagorski had a stellar second semester. The highlight of the season was a strong third place finish at the Division III Nationals. His 12-5 loss to Division I All American Pete Gonzalez of Montclair was Gonzalez's toughest match of the tournament. Gonzalez decked everyone else by the second period.

Brockport Coach Don Murray was another factor in Fritz's development. "He's great," says Fritz. "He's changed me from a lackadaisical wimp to a killing machine." An accurate description, if you ever watched him. Tireless and always aggressive, Zagorski's style nets him points by the bushel.

People who wrestle him just try to stay in the match. Winning is usually out of the question for most opponents. In last year's USA Wrestling State Qualifier tournament at Eastridge, Zagorski faced Bloomfield coach Gene Wild. Wild was very successful for Canandaigua in the mid-seventies, and is still a journeyman competitor. A psyched up Wild came out and ankle-picked Fritz only seconds into the match. Zagorski stormed back to score the next 16 points within two minutes, claiming a technical fall. Was Wild disappointed? Heck, no! "At least I took him down," laughs Wild.

Zagorski's match with Gonzalez in the Nationals was much closer than the score indicates. Late in the third period, Fritz was down by only two points. He apparently scored a takedown, but no points were awarded. With time about to expire, he went for a risky tilt. Gonzalez conservatively clung on for a reversal and near fall. With a riding time point, the score came to 12-5.

Gonzalez went on to win the Division III's and place fifth in the Division I's.

For his efforts, Fritz earned some impressive Freshman honors. *Amateur Wrestling News* rated him ninth best freshman 126 pounder in the nation (of all divisions). And he was runner-up NYS Collegiate Rookie of the Year. Winner of this award was Rich Santana, Syracuse University, also a redshirt freshman. Ironically, Santana was nearly eliminated in a close 3-2 first round overtime bout with Fritz at the State meet. Zagorski did not place in that meet; Santana took third. Santana wrestled at 126 and 134.

Rochester has had several wrestlers come close to making the US Olympic team. McQuaid's Rich Salamone (105 pounds freestyle) and Phil Lanzatella (198 Greco) came within a couple of wins away on several occasions. And Canandaigua's Dale Oliver (163 pounds Greco) came within inches of making the team last year.

Considering all the near-misses, it seems we're due to get someone on the squad sooner or later. If Fritz Zagorski keeps improving, he might find himself checking out the rain in Spain in 92.

Ashland, continued

in the Nationals (Division III at that time). And in 1974, '75, and '76, the late, great Clay Barnard of Hilton placed fourth, third, and second for the Eagles.

In 1977, Eastridge's slick takedown king Jeff Freedman took a third. Freedman was hurt in 1978. But in '79, he stormed through the tournament, blitzing everyone.

He buzzed past Woody Vandenburg (Brockport coach) in the finals, 14-6, on his way to the Outstanding Wrestler Award. Most recently, in 1987, Rick LaPaglia of Spencerport and MCC placed third at 142 pounds.

This past season, junior Al Beaney, also at 142 pounds, came close to a national title.

Unseeded in the tournament, he beat second-seed two-time All American Jeff Ocel of North Dakota State in the first round. Last year Ocel downed Beaney in the nationals; in 1987, he beat LaPaglia.

This time it was Beaney's turn, as he won 4-2. He then beat Pat Lambrecht of Grand Valley State 8-4, and number three seed, Duane Maue, Colorado Mines, 7-4. In the finals, however, he lost by first period fall to Portland State's Travis West.

Beaney, who will have half a semester of eligibility left for next season, is majoring in Sports Medicine / Health Education. Says Al, "I want to be a national champ; it hurt when I lost in the finals. I'll work hard during the off-season and set my sights on that national title next year."

Linder says that Beaney is the hardest worker he's ever had. "Any success that Al has is because he has paid the price in time, discipline, and hard work".

Ashland College is a private, liberal arts college affiliated with the Brethren Church. It offers two associate degrees and 12 Baccalaureate degrees plus the Master of Education, Master of Business Admin., Master of Arts in Religion, Master of Divinity, and Doctor of Ministry degrees.

It serves about 4,000 students, including graduate students and branch campuses. One half of the faculty hold doctorates or the highest degrees in their fields. A 15 to 1 student ratio supports the college's philosophy of "Accent on the individual."

Total 1989 tuition, including room and board, was \$12,200. However, 90% of full-time students receive financial aid through scholarships, grants, loans, and college work study. Average award is about \$6,000.

For information on Ashland College, contact the Office of Admissions, Founders Hall, Ashland, OH 44805 (419) 289-4142, extension 5052, collect out-of-state.



Ashland 142 pound All American Al Beaney, left, placed second in the NCAA's, while Assistant Coach Rick LaPaglia, right, was a bronze medalist in the 1987 NCAA's.

Western NY Kids Championships

Freestyle 11 - 12 years old

60 lbs 1 Kevin Hines, Sec 5
2 Shaun Tarbell, 6
3 Joe Sweet, 6
4 Adam Oles, 4
5 Benji Rotundo, 6
6 Matt Kingdom, 5

65 lbs 1 Steven Haberl, 6
2 Greg Kaczmarzki, 6
3 Don Klein, 6
4 Kyle Sweet, 6
5 Dave Richardson, 3
6 Eric Gaines, 4

70 lbs 1 Ben New, 3
2 Don Lilly, 6
3 Matt Crafts, 6
4 John Christopher
5 Craig Taylor, 6
6 Tom Nunn, 4

75 lbs 1 Lee Briggs, 4
2 Scott Winseman, 4
3 Erik Roggie, 3
4 Tony Clearwater, 4
5 Caleb Brittain, 6
6 Brad Dixon, 6

80 lbs 1 Brent Christ, 3
2 Alex Smith, 5
3 Clark Lewis, 6
4 Trevor, Norlander, 6
5 Eric Flugel, 5
6 Rod Fry, 5

85 lbs 1 Eric Vaughn, 6
2 Mike Stephens, 4
3 Chris Matt, 6
4 Jim Marion, 5
5 Peter Galioto, 6
6 Geoffrey Oniatek, 4

90 lbs 1 Jamie Bloomquist, 6
2 Jeremy Flint, 5
3 Andy Guostoferra, 5
4 Lance Price, 3
5 James Sprague III, 3
6 Tom McCabe, 6

95 lbs 1 Joel Griffith, 6
2 Kevin Wagner, 6
3 Mark Leach, 5
4 Jerret Giammechele, 4
5 Byron Ross, 4
6 Stephen Dando, 6

100 lbs 1 Judd Winterhalt, 3
2 John Polkowski, 6
3 Buster Crandall, 4
4 Adam Kurtz, 5
5 Frank Anastacia, 6
6 Daniel Kramer, 5

105 lbs 1 Bryan McCallick, 6
2 Geoffrey McIntosh, 5
3 Jeramie Rounds, 4
4 Beau Yonge, 5
5 Brian Wilson, 6
6 Shawn MacWilliams, 6

110 lbs 1 Milton Evans, 6
2 Scott Shoff, 5
3 Lovis, Chamoun, 3
4 Doug Pearce, 6

130 lbs 1 Billy Snitzer, 6
2 Jason Caros, 6
3 Ryan Halstead, 6
4 Frank Giffre, 3
5 Chris Hanney, 6

140 lbs 1 Tony Marucci, 6
2 Keith Artis, 6
3 Erin Putnam, 6
4 Mike Guarino, 5

150 lbs 1 Ryan Clendenin, 5
2 Jacob Thompson, 6

WNY Freestyle 10 - 11 years

50 1 Judah Hein, 6
2 John Bernatz, 4
3 Nick Richetti, 4
4 Steve Kruger, 5
5 Joe Brayley, 6
6 Patrick Gekoski, 5

55 1 Chuck McAvoy, 5
2 Frank, Greco, 6
3 Eric Miller, 6
4 Curtis Fry, 5
5 Tim Uderitz, 6
6 Billy Morello, 6

60 1 Chad Mitchell, 4

2 Daniel Dixon, 6
3 Jody Avery, 3
4 Adam Berlinger, 6
5 Chris Kemp, 5
6 Loren Gray, 6

65 1 Paul Peru, 6
2 Ed Czarnecki, 3
3 Chad Hirtz, 6
4 Keith Darling, 6
5 Vincent McCabe, 6
6 Leif Wellenstein, 3

70 1 Chad Coras, 6
2 David Bourdeau, 3
3 David Moore, 3
4 Jamie Stoll, 5
5 Joshua Silliman, 6
6 Joshua Lawton, 4

75 1 Cory Grinnell, 3
2 Jared Streiff, 6
3 Taylor Collins, 5
4 Russ Conti, 6
5 Steven Funham, 6
6 Bryan Morrison, 6

80 1 Mike Braven, 6
2 Joshua States, 6
3 Jason Sicoft, 6
4 Adam Hillman, 6
5 Bryan Smith, 6
6 Jason Bresler, 6

85 1 Joe Downey, 4
2 Dan Cortright, 6
3 Justin Winfield, 6
4 Chris Murphy, 6
5 Joel Gerber, 6

90 1 Keegan Lachut, 6
2 Matt Luke, 6
3 Shannon Bower, 6

95 1 Jason Tripp, 6
2 Stan Greene, 3
3 Hope Matteson, 6

100 1 Bret Frenz, 6
1 Paul Gaver, 6
3 Chad Wildey, 4
4 Chris Spearin, 6

110 1 V Hernandez, 6
2 Ken Leupelt II, 4
3 Robert Weatherup, 5

120 1 Zachary Brooks, 5
2 Bill Cooper, 4

130 1 Jim Eppinger, 6
130 + 1 Zachary Lippa, 5

WNY Freestyle 5B

70 1 Jason Goldman, 4
2 Brian Schaaf, 5
3 Eddie Maslin, 4
4 Rodney Frey, 5
5 Chaig Evans, 6
6 Matt Duquette, 6

75 1 Brett Karzmanski, 6
2 Billy Tremony, 3
3 Aaron Harmer, 6
4 Jeff Geller, 4
5 Jim Hollenbeck, 4
6 Derek Cronmiller, 6

80 1 John Alexander, 4
2 Dennis Day, 4
3 Jason Accordino, 3
4 Robert Buyea, 3
5 Andy Corbett, 6
6 Eric Walck, 6

85 1 Doug Riddell, 4
2 Ron Grinnel, 3
3 Paul Serafini, 3
4 Kevin Gregory, 7
5 Aaron Edwards, 6
6 Scot Orloff, 6

90 1 Jeff Reese, 4
2 Chris Myers, 6
3 Chad Miller, 6
4 Sanders Watson, 4
5 David Brewer, 6
6 Aaron Meloling, 3

95 1 Chris Gannon, 6
2 Keith Roberts, 3
3 Jason Collins, 6
4 Nick Diveronica, 3
5 Nick Fire, 6
6 Mike Woodin, 4

100 1 Jacob Schaus, 6
2 Chris Stevens, 6
3 Charlie Walsenman, 3
4 Jason Hoyt, 4

5 Kelly Patterson, 4
6 Jacob Roe, 4

105 1 Bill Dixon, 6
2 Jeremy Younger, 6
3 Shawn Farley, 4
4 Richard Hahn, 6
5 Gene Roggie, 3
6 Matt Dellapinto, 6

110 1 Ben Phillips, 4
2 Ben Stinebiser, 6
3 David Tecchio, 6
4 Robert Scott, 6
5 Brandon Race, 5
6 Leonard Ross, 4

115 1 Rudy Hein, 6
2 Jimmy Dwyer, 3
3 Matt Ricci, 5
4 Anthony Demperio, 3
5 Joe Boudreau, 3
6 Wayne Vandemider, 6

120 1 Eric Rose, 3
2 Sean McKnight, 6
3 Matt Amore, 6
4 Gary Craft, 3
5 Jamie Passimore, 4
6 Chris Warsitz, 6

125 1 Nathan Schaus, 6
2 Pat Donegan, 3
3 Greg Shaw, 3
4 Aaron Stom, 6
5 Mark Luce, 5
6 George Clark, 6

130 1 Allen Gerhardt, 6
2 Todd Cutrie, 3
3 Mike Little, 6
4 John Drew, 6
5 Jeff Lu, 4
6 James C Antin, 6

135 1 Eric Rudock, 4
2 Robbie Gatto, 6
3 Shane Andrews, 5
4 Shawn Middleton, 3
5 Robert Linsley, 6
6 Dave Lupia, 3

145 1 Stephen Swingle, 5
2 Scot Lange, 6
3 Corey Garrett, 5
4 Joe Christino, 5
6 Adam Russo, 6

155 1 Jason Briggs, 4
2 Dana Ernst, 6
3 Shawn Hapak, 6

165 1 Matt Stabb, 3
2 Tim Schaffer, 6
3 Chris Weible, 4
4 Abe Pomeroy, 6

175 1 Chris Wolfe, 6
2 Jarred Lake, 6
3 Aaron Ponpipat, 3

Hwt 1 Jason Gleasman, 3
2 Garrett Fesenger, 3
3 Sam Drumgoole, 5
4 Roy Buyea, 3

WNY Freestyle Cadet
83.5 1 Corey Bushey, 7
2 Gary Cook, 3

88 1 Clarence Hunt, 6
2 Daryl Lyon, 3
3 Craig Bushy, 7
4 Jason Sawicki, 5

94.5 1 Todd Ruteck, 3
2 Mark Voci, 5
3 Ray Candee, 3
4 Jason Southworth, 3
5 Howard Forest, 4
6 Jeremy Tripp, 6

103.5 1 Terry Showalter, 3
2 Mark Duguet, 6
3 John DeMoors, 3
4 John Tyler, 3
5 Tony Stornini, 3

112 1 Jason Wortinger, 6
2 Rob Bashaw, 7
3 Joe King, 4
4 Jeff Mohr, 5
5 Ed Andres, 4
6 Tim Herman, 5

121 1 Joe Toner, 4
2 Jason Chermiak, 4
3 Justin Raines, 5
4 Mike Ford, 6
5 Tim Gwardyak, 4

6 Marty Siminski, 6

132 1 Shannon Hein, 6
2 Anthony Conte, 5
3 Andy Duprey, 7
4 Mike Clarke, 5
5 Todd Avery, 3
6 Pat Sommer, 6

143 1 Dave Colgan, 4
2 Matt Logan, 5
3 Wade Marriott, 5
4 Bob Maraski, 4
5 Matt Wethje, 3
6 Jeremy McVige, 6

154 1 M Sorochinsky, 4
2 Keith Smith, 4
3 Jonathan, Pearsal, 3
4 Todd Miller, 5
5 John Fordham, 4
6 Tom Tretter, 5

167 1 Kevin Elston, 4
2 Bud Alexander, 4
3 Randy Shaw, 3
4 Jason Sullivan, 4
5 Aron Hammersmith, 6

182.5 1 Jason Miller, 4
2 Ryan Hammersmith, 6
3 Don Green, 3
4 Darin Bish, 6
5 Aaron Gabay, 5
6 Mike Cipar, 4

209 1 J Vredenburgh, 4
2 Troy Stark, 5
3 Kevin Brinkworth, 6
4 Mike Case, 6

242 1 Jon Porschet, 5
2 Jermain Gaston, 5
3 Barrett Ferguson, 5

WNY Cadet Greco 5B

70 1 Jason Goldman, 4
2 Eddie Maslin, 4

80 1 J Alexander, 4
85 1 Aaron Edwards, 6
90 1 Chris Myers, 6
2 Jeff Reese, 4

95 1 Keith Roberts, 3
2 Charles Walsenman, 3
3 Luke Buckholz, 5
4 Ralph Stephens, 4
5 Jacob Roe, 4

105 1 Bill Dixon, 6
2 Todd Place, 4
3 Gene Robbie, 3

110 1 Ben Phillips, 4
2 David Henner, 5

115 1 Jim Dwyer, 3
2 Robert Shelley, 5
3 Adam Lideitiz, 6

120 1 Eric Rose, 3
125 1 Pat Donegan, 3
130 1 Todd Cutrie, 3
2 Robbie Orr, 5

135 1 Eric Rudock, 4
2 David Lupia, 3

145 1 S Swingle, 5

155 1 Jason Briggs, 4
2 Dana Ernst, 6

175 1 Chris Wolfe, 6
Hwt 1 J Gleasman, 3

WNY Greco Cadet
83.5 1 Gary Cook, 3
88 1 Daryl Lyon, 3

94.5 1 Todd Rutecki, 3
2 Clarence Hunt, 6
3 Mark Voci, 5
4 Jason Southworth, 3
5 Mike Merry, 4
6 Howard Forest, 4

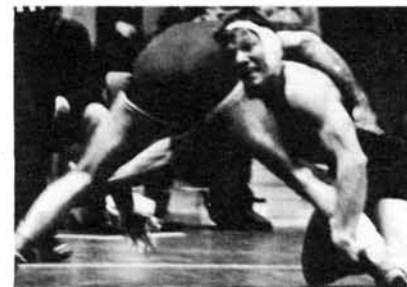
103.5 1 Terry Showalter, 3
2 Tony Stornini, 3
3 Dan Henner, 5
4 Tan Wolfe, 4
5 Mark Duquette, 6
6 Mike Fanton, 5

112 1 Al Fera, 3
2 Joe King, 4
3 Carmen Lindfield, 3
4 Jeff Mohr, 5
5 Jim Donn, 6

O'Neill, Amyot shine at Oswego State

Two local wrestlers were overlooked this season by RWN. Jim O'Neill, 142 pounds, a junior from Irondequoit, went 13-7 this past season for SUNY Oswego. He placed fourth at the RIT Invitational and second in the SUNY Conf Tournament. At the Div III NCAA's, he went 1-2 defaulting after injuring his knee.

Steve Amyot, 158, a freshman from Victor, went 19-16. He took fifth at RIT and third in the SUNYAC's. At the NCAA's, he just missed becoming an All American by losing in the medal round. Both grapplers will be back next year to challenge for NCAA honors.



John Carroll University grappler penetrating on dual meet opponent. JCU will be featured in an upcoming RWN issue.

Lyons High School Awards

Lyons High School recently awarded several wrestlers for their accomplishments this season.

Junior high wrestler, Doug Downey was *Most Promising Junior High Wrestler*.

Bob Livingston won the *Most Pins Award* (nine). Sean Corcoran won the *Citizenship Award* for exhibiting team spirit and citizenship traits. Hector Dessis was the winner of the *Craig Gardner Memorial Award*, showing loyalty, dedication, diligence, team spirit, and leadership.

Roosevelt Brown won the *Most Improved Wrestler Award*. Wrestling at 132 pounds, Brown took fifth in the league tournament. Roosevelt, who also attends the Wayne Area Vocational Center in Williamson, has several academic honors as well.

Dave Wunder, a freshman, won the *Most Valuable Wrestler Award*. At 91 pounds, Wunder was 22-7, placing third in the Pal-Mac and Newark tournaments. He won the Avon Tournament and took third in the Class C Sectionals.



Anthony Conte, Brockport High, throwing opponent in the 132 pound division of the USA Wrestling Cadet Tournament at Irondequoit. Conte, who represents the Rochester Wrestling Club, is an avid off-season competitor. He recently placed second in the New York State Cadet Championships in Syracuse.

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NYS USA State Qualifier Brighton May 20

Juniors

98 1 Joe Smallidge, RWC
2 G Porreca, Lilacs
3 Ethan Sinott, RWC

114.5 1 Jeff Mohr, RWC
2 Roy Frey, RWC
3 T Killinger, Cal-Mum

123 1 B Geary, Olympia
2 Brian Bernstein, Fairpt
3 Matt Kramer, Bloomf

132 1 Sean Bauer, RWC
2 Justin Raines, RWC
3 Ross Davis, RWC

143 1 Todd Hines, Bloom
2 Darren Fry, RWC
3 M Contreras, Penfield

154 1 Tom Foos, RWC
2 Ken Porter, STWC
3 S Runfola, Oatka Val

165 1 Neil Cook, Lilacs
2 Bill Miller, Lilacs
3 Brian Gray, Southern
Tier WC

178 1 C Francis, PM
2 Jason Sullivan, Vestal
3 J Vinci, Spencerport

220 1 A Ricci, Olympia
2 Todd Shaffer, Vestal
3 Dave Bell, BK

Open

125.5 1 L Dobbins, MCC
2 A Aceto, Unattached

136.5 1 David Streje,
Grand Valley St, MI
2 Buddy LaDuque, Iron
3 Fritz Zagorski, RWC

149.5 1 M Clarke, Lilacs
2 C Passero, Unatt
3 Scott Shore, RWC

163 1 S DeTore, Brock
2 M Cammilleri, Unatt
3 T Hendrick, STWC

180.5 1 S Costello, Lilacs
2 Warren Bush, Unatt
3 Charles Clarke, Lilacs

198 1 D Herman, Unatt
2 Morris White, Unatt
3 C Crestwell, Unatt

286 1 Mike Fusilli, Ithaca
2 S Cavanaugh, Brock
3 D Howlett, Unatt

Empire State Games Western Region Trials

Sat June 17
Scholastic Freestyle
Olean Rec Center 8:00 am

Sun June 18
Scholastic Greco
Olean Rec Center 8:00 am

Sat June 17
Open Greco Roman
Olean Rec Center 8:00 am

Sun June 18
Open Freestyle
Olean Rec Center 8:00 am

John Rippley NYS Wrestler of the Year

Army's John Rippley, 167 pounds, has been voted New York State Collegiate Wrestler of the Year for 1988-89. Rippley posted a 35-4 record, placing first in the State meet and at the Easterns. He was Most Outstanding Wrestler in both events. In the NCAA's, John lost an OT decision in the round to earn All American honors.

SU 167 pounder, Jason Morris, who placed fifth in the NCAA's, but lost twice to Rippley, was runner-up in the voting.

Ed Carlin NYS Coach of the Year

Syracuse University's Ed Carlin was voted Coach of the Year for 1988-89 by the New York State Collegiate Wrestling Coaches Association. Carlin led SU to a 16-4 dual record; second place in the Sunshine Open; first place at the NYS Collegiate Championships; first place at the Easterns; and 22nd place in the Division I NCAA's.

Ed has coached at SU for 25 years, posting a 221-145-5 record. He has coached 18 NCAA All Americans. In 1958, he captained the SU squad. He graduated in 1959, and was inducted into the NYS College Wrestling Hall of Fame in 1986 for his contributions to college wrestling in New York.

Irondequoit Kids/Cadet State Qualifier April 29th

9 to 10 years old
55 1 Chuck McAvoy pin 1:28
2 Curtis Fry

65 1 Billy Bearce 5-2
2 Judson MacDuff

70 1 Dave Moore, pin 2:38, 4-18
2 Jamie Stoll, 18-4, 11-17
3 D Kramer, 17-11, lost by fall

75 1 Taylor Collins, pin :50, 14-2
2 A Scorsone, pin 1:28, 3-13
3 Daniel Luce, lost by fall (LF)

110 1 Zachary Brooks, pin 3:01
2 Robert Weatherup

Hwt 1 Zachary Lipka, pin :36
2 Kyle Mahoney

11 to 12 years old
65 1 David House, pin 3:00
2 Matt Kingdon

75 1 Mark Wood, 12-4, 8-5
2 Nick Moore, 14-7, 5-8
3 Mike Ferris, 4-12, 7-14

80 1 Alex Smith, pin 1:18, :49
2 Terrence Hasseler, LF, 12-6
3 Rod Fry, 6-12, LF

85 1 J Matton, pin 1:03, 1:34
2 Tim Kingdon, pin 2:35, LF
3 Paul Bearce, LF, LF

90 1 J Flint, pin :18, 2:20, 3:10
2 A Guastafiero, 10-1, p :36, LF
3 Mark Leach, 1-10, LF

105 1 Adam Kurtz, pin 1:03, 3:01
2 G McIntosh, pin 1:40, LF
3 Daniel Kramer, LF, LF

13 to 14 years old
70 1 Brian School 8-5
2 Rodney Frey

80 1 B Sheehan, pin 3:00, 13-2
2 Jim Tyler, 7-2, 2-13
3 Earl Ciraulo, LF, 2-7

85 1 Mark Moon

95 1 Brian Jarvis, pin 3:20, 1:15
2 Jeff Cooper, LF, pin 1:42
3 James Fisher, LF, LF

100 1 Luke Buchholz, pin 1:29
2 Robert Orr

105 1 Chad Lindsay, pin 1:54, 1:29
2 Scott Drown, 13-6, LF
3 Philip LaPietra, LF, 6-13

110 1 Ben Stenbliser, pin 1:35
2 David Henner

115 1 Matt Rical, pin 3:51
2 Bob Shelley

120 1 Scott Kemp
125 1 William Trigg, pin 3:22, 15-2
2 Jim Moore, LF, 7-6

135 1 Ricky Case, 2-15, 6-7
145 1 Aaron Moore
145 1 Shane Andrews, pin 1:57, 2:17
2 Stephen Swingle, LF, 18-5
3 Corey Garrett, 5-18, LF

Hwt 1 Sam Drumgoole

15 to 16 years old
103.5 1 Jeff Now, pin 1:30, LF
2 Dan Henner, pin :42, LF
3 John Tyler, LF, pin 3:05

112 1 Jeff Mohr, pin 3:46
2 James Hines, 3-0, 4-12
3 Anthony Cosmano, LF, 0-3

121 1 Justin Raines, pin 1:45, 15-4
2 Jason Tebo, pin 3:42, 4-15
3 Matt Kramer, LF, LF

132 1 A Conli, pin 2:54, 3:07, 13-3, 11-1
2 V Acciaio, pin 1:15, :50, 2:51, 10-5, 3-13
3 McIntyre, p 2:05, 3:11, :49, 5-10, 1-11

143 1 Wade Marlott, pin 2:13, 12-3
2 Matt Logan, 12-9, LF
3 Mark Cavanaugh, 9-12, 3-12

154 1 Tom Tretter, 11-4, 10-8, WB
2 Steve Domm, 7-6, 4-11, WB
3 Todd Miller, 19-5, WB

167 1 Bruce Wahl, 7-5, pin :55
2 Nathaniel Grace, 5-7, pin 3:34
3 Jason Russ, LF, LF

182.5 1 Aaron Gabay, pin 1:13
2 Tom Pearce, LF

Hwt 1 Troy Stark, pin :30, 1:05, 9-7
2 Jonathan Porschel, pin :06, 1:56, 7-9
3 Barrett Ferguson, LF, LF

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